

ASIAN BAROMETER SURVEY OF DEMOCRACY, GOVERNANCE AND DEVELOPMENT

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Interview No. _____

INTRODUCTION: Good morning/afternoon/evening. I am _____ from [name of institution], and we are conducting a public opinion survey in your area today. We are studying the views of citizens in **Philippines** about how the country is governed and how the economy is managed. Every person in the country has an equal chance of being included in this study. All information will be kept confidential. Your household has been chosen by chance. This interview will take about 60 minutes. Participation in the survey is voluntary. Your assistance will be very appreciated. Do you wish to proceed?

A. ECONOMIC EVALUATIONS

1. How would you rate the overall economic condition of our country today? Is it ... (SHOWCARD)?

Very good	1
Good.....	2
So so (not good nor bad)	3
Bad	4
Very bad	5
[Do not read] Can't choose	8
[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

2. How would you describe the change in the economic condition of our country over the last few years? Is it ... (SHOWCARD)?

Much better	1
A little better	2
About the same	3
A little worse	4
Much worse	5
[Do not read] Can't choose	8
[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

3. What do you think will be the state of our country's economic condition a few years from now? Will it be ... (SHOWCARD)?

Much better	1
A little better	2
About the same	3
A little worse	4
Much worse	5
[Do not read] Can't choose	8
[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

4. As for your own family, how do you rate your economic situation today? Is it ... (SHOWCARD)?

Very good	1
Good.....	2
So so (not good nor bad)	3
Bad	4
Very bad	5
[Do not read] Can't choose	8
[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

5. How would you compare the current economic condition of your family with what it was a few years ago? Is it ... (SHOWCARD)?

Much better now	1
A little better now	2
About the same	3
A little worse now	4
Much worse now	5
[Do not read] Can't choose	8
[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

6. What do you think the economic situation of your family will be a few years from now? Will it be ... (SHOWCARD)?

Much better.....	1
A little better.....	2
About the same	3
A little worse	4
Much worse	5
[Do not read] Can't choose	8
[Do not read] Decline to answer.....	9

B. TRUST IN INSTITUTIONS

7-19. I'm going to name a number of institutions. For each one, please tell me how much trust do you have in them? Is it a **great deal of trust, quite a lot of trust, not very much trust not very much trust, or none at all?** (Do not read: Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer)

(SHOWCARD)	A Great Deal of Trust	Quite a Lot of Trust	Not Very Much Trust	None At All	DU	CC	DA
7. The Presidency (for presidential system) or Prime Minister (for parliamentary system)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
8. The Courts	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
9. The national government [in capital city]	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
10. Political parties [not any specific party]	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
11. Parliament	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
12. Civil service	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
13. The military (or armed forces)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
14. The police	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
15. Local government	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
16. Newspapers	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
17. Television	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
18. The election commission [specify institution by name] <Optional>	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
19. Non-governmental organizations or NGOs <Optional>	1	2	3	4	7	8	9

C. SOCIAL CAPITAL

20-22. Are you a member of any organization or formal groups? IF YES: Please tell me the three (3) most important organizations or formal groups you belong to. (OPEN-ENDED AND THEN USE CODES BELOW) **(Record Verbatim Answers and Then Use the Codes Below)**

20. First Organization: _____ Code: ___ (01~18)
 21. Second Organization: _____ Code: ___ (01~18)
 22. Third Organization: _____ Code: ___ (01~18)

Political parties.....	01
Residential & community associations	02
Religious groups	03
Sports/ recreational clubs.....	04
Culture organizations	05
Charities	06
Public interest groups (exc.)	07
Labor unions	08
Farmer unions or agricultural associations	09
Professional organizations	10
Business association.....	11
Parent-Teacher Association or PTA	12
Producer cooperative	13
Consumer cooperative	14

Alumni association	15
Candidate support organization	16
Other occupational organizations (etc.)	17
Other volunteer organizations	18
Not a member of any organization or group	90
Decline to answer.....	99

23. General speaking, would you say that “Most people can be trusted” or “that you must be very careful in dealing with people”?	Most people can be trusted	1
	You must be very careful in dealing with people ..	2
	[Do not read] Do not understand the question.....	7
	[Do not read] Can't choose	8
	[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

24-26. How much trust do you have in each of the following types of people? (Do not read: Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer)

(SHOWCARD)	A great deal of Trust	Quite a lot of Trust	Not very much Trust	None at all	Do not understand the question	Can't choose	Decline to answer
24. Your relatives	4	3	2	1	7	8	9
25. Your neighbors	4	3	2	1	7	8	9
26. Other people you interact with	4	3	2	1	7	8	9

27. On average, about how many people do you have contact with in a typical week day? We are interested in contact on a one-on-one basis, including everyone with whom you chat, talk, or discuss matters. This can be face to face, by telephone, by mail, or on the internet. Please include only people you know. (NEW)	0-4 people	1
	5-9 people	2
	10-19 people	3
	20-49 people	4
	50 or more people	5
	[Do not read] Not applicable	0
	[Do not read] Can't choose	8
	[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

28. Some people because of their job, position in the community or contacts, are asked by others to help influence important decisions in their favor. What about you? How often are you asked to help influence important decisions in other people's favor? (NEW)	Never	1
	Seldom	2
	Occasionally	3
	Often.....	4
	[Do not read] Do not understand the question.....	7
	[Do not read] Can't choose	8
	[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

29. And are there people you could ask to help influence important decisions in your favor? (NEW)	No, nobody	1
	Yes, a few.....	2
	Yes, some	3
	Yes, a lot	4
	[Do not read] Do not understand the question.....	7
	[Do not read] Can't choose	8
	[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

30. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: “By helping people in trouble today, someone else will help me when I am in trouble someday.” (NEW)	Agree.....	1
	Somewhat agree	2
	Somewhat disagree.....	3
	Disagree	4
	[Do not read] Do not understand the question.....	7
	[Do not read] Can't choose	8
	[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

31. Would you have a hard time conversing with your friends or co-workers about politics if you had differing opinions? (NEW)
[Note: If the respondent indicates that he/she does not have any friends or co-workers holding differing views, then explain: "Even if the person listed does not actually exist, please answer how you imagine you would feel."]

- Very hard1
- A bit hard2
- Not too hard3
- Not hard at all4
- [Do not read] Do not understand the question7
- [Do not read] Can't choose8
- [Do not read] Don't respond9

D. HUMAN SECURITY

32. Generally speaking, how safe is living in this city/ town/ village – very safe, safe, unsafe or very unsafe? (NEW)

- Very safe1
- Safe2
- Unsafe3
- Very unsafe4
- [Do not read] Can't choose8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer9

33. Compared to the situation in this city/town/village a few years ago, do you now feel more safe, less safe or the same as before? (NEW)

- More safe1
- Less safe2
- Same as before3
- [Do not read] Not applicable0
- [Do not read] Can't choose8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer9

34-37. In the past 12 months, have you or any member of your family been a victim of... (NEW)

34. car, motorcycle or bicycle theft?
<Note: Optional for a country's specific circumstances. Country team can choose the means of transportation most common in their country.>

- Yes1
- No2
- [Do not read] Do not own any kind of vehicle0
- [Do not read] Can't choose8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer9

35. pick-pocketing/robbery of personal property?

- Yes1
- No2
- [Do not read] Not applicable0
- [Do not read] Can't choose8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer9

36. break-in at your home?

- Yes1
- No2
- [Do not read] Not applicable0
- [Do not read] Can't choose8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer9

37. physical violence?

- Yes1
- No2
- [Do not read] Not applicable0
- [Do not read] Can't choose8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer9

E. PARTICIPATION IN ELECTIONS

38. In talking to people about elections, we often find that a lot of people were not able to vote because they were away from home, they were sick or they just didn't have time. How about you? Did you vote in the election [the most recent national election, parliamentary or presidential] held in [year]?

- Yes1
- No2
- [Do not read] Not applicable0
- [Do not read] Can't choose8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer9

39. Which parties (or candidates for president if it was presidential race) did you vote for? [country-specific response grid]



39a. [DO NOT READ. Instruction: Based on the answer to Q39, please construct a new variable indicating if the respondent voted for the winning camp or losing camp. 1: Voted for the winning camp; 2: voted for the losing camp; 0: not applicable]

40-42. Thinking about the national election in [year], did you ...

- 40. attend a campaign meeting or rally?
 - Yes1
 - No2
 - [Do not read] Not applicable0
 - [Do not read] Can't choose8
 - [Do not read] Decline to answer9

- 41. try to persuade others to vote for a certain candidate or party?
 - Yes1
 - No2
 - [Do not read] Not applicable0
 - [Do not read] Can't choose8
 - [Do not read] Decline to answer9

- 42. Did you do anything else to help out or work for a party or candidate running in the election?
 - Yes1
 - No2
 - [Do not read] Not applicable0
 - [Do not read] Can't choose8
 - [Do not read] Decline to answer9

43. On the whole, how would you rate the freeness and fairness of the last national election, held in [year]. Was it: (NEW)

- Completely free and fair1
- Free and fair, but with minor problems2
- Free and fair, with major problems3
- Not free or fair4
- [Do not read] Can't choose8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer9

F. ACCESS TO PUBLIC SERVICE

44-47. Based on your experience, how easy or difficult is it to obtain the following services? Or do you never try and get these services from government? (NEW) (Do not read: Can't choose & Decline to answer)

	Very Easy	Easy	Difficult	Very Difficult	Never Try	Can't choose	Decline to answer
44. An identity document (such as a birth certificate or passport)	4	3	2	1	5	8	9
45. A place in public primary school for a child	4	3	2	1	5	8	9
46. Medical treatment at a nearby clinic	4	3	2	1	5	8	9
47. Help from the police when you need it	4	3	2	1	5	8	9

G. PSYCHOLOGICAL INVOLVEMENT

48. How would you describe the present political situation in our country? (NEW)

- Very good.....1
- Good.....2
- Average.....3
- Bad.....4
- Very bad.....5
- [Do not read]Can't choose8
- [Do not read]Decline to answer.....9

49. How interested would you say you are in politics? (SHOWCARD)

- Very interested1
- Somewhat interested2
- Not very interested3
- Not at all interested4
- [Do not read]Can't choose8
- [Do not read]Decline to answer9

50. How often do you follow news about politics and government? (SHOWCARD)

- Everyday1
- Several times a week2
- Once or twice a week3
- Not even once a week4
- Practically never5
- [Do not read]Can't choose8
- [Do not read]Decline to answer9

51. What is your main source of information about politics and government? (ALLOW MULTIPLE RESPONSE& SHOWCARD)

- 01. Television
- 02. Newspaper
- 03. Radio
- 04. Internet
- 05. Cell phone short message
- 06. Personal contact
- 07. Other_____.
- 90. Not applicable
- 98. Can't choose
- 99. Decline to answer

Note to Interviewer:

- If only one answer chosen in Q51 → GO TO Q52
- If more than one answer chosen in Q51 → GO TO Q51a

51a. Which is most important? (NEW)

(SHOWCARD)

- 01. Television
- 02. Newspaper
- 03. Radio
- 04. Internet
- 05. Cell phone short message
- 06. Personal contact
- 07. Other_____.
- 90. Not applicable
- 98. Can't choose
- 99. Decline to answer

52. When you get together with your family members or friends, how often do you discuss political matters? (NEW)

- Frequently.....1
- Occasionally.....2
- Never.....3
- [Do not read]Can't choose8
- [Do not read]Decline to answer.....9

53. How much impact do you feel government policies have on your daily life? (SHOWCARD)

- A great deal of impact1
- Quite some impact2
- A little impact3
- No impact at all4
- [Do not read]Can't choose8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer9

H. PARTISANSHIP

54. Among the political parties listed here, which party if any do you feel closest to?
(ONE ANSWER ONLY & SHOWCARD)

- Party A01
 - Party B02
 - Party C03
 - etc.04
 - Don't feel close to any political party99
- GO TO INTRO OF Q56**

[Use two-digit code to cover all major parties in your country.]

55. How close do you feel to (answer in Q54)? Is it very close, somewhat close, or just a little close?

- Very close1
- Somewhat close2
- Just a little close3
- [Do not read] Can't choose8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer9

I. AGREEMENT/DISAGREEMENT WITH SPECIFIC STATEMENTS

56-65 Please tell me how you feel about the following statements. Would you say you **strongly agree**, **somewhat agree**, **somewhat disagree**, or **strongly disagree**? (SHOWCARD) (Do not read: Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer)

TRADITIONALISM

	<u>SA</u>	<u>SWA</u>	<u>SWD</u>	<u>SD</u>	<u>DU</u>	<u>CC</u>	<u>DA</u>
56. Even if parents' demands are unreasonable, children still should do what they ask.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
57. Being a student, one should not question the authority of their teacher. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
58. When one has a conflict with a neighbor, the best way to deal with it is to accommodate the other person.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
59. A person should not insist on his own opinion if his co-workers disagree with him.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
60. For the sake of the family, the individual should put his personal interests second.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
61. Sometimes one has to follow one's own beliefs regardless of what other people think. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
62. When dealing with others, securing one's immediate interests should be more important than developing a long-term relationship. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
63. Open quarrels (criticisms) among politicians are harmful to society. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
64. The relationship between the government and the people should be like that between parents and children. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
65. People should always support the decisions of their government even if they disagree with them. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9

J. GLOBALIZATION

66. How often do you use the internet? (NEW)

- Almost daily1
- At least once a week2
- At least once a month3
- Several times a year4
- Hardly ever5
- Never6
- [Do not read] Do not understand the question.....7
- [Do not read] Decline to answer9

67.	How closely do you follow major events in foreign countries / the world? (NEW)	Very closely1 Somewhat closely2 Not too closely3 Very little4 Not at all5 [Do not read] Can't choose8 [Do not read] Decline to answer9
68.	Have you traveled abroad before? If you have, how often do you travel abroad? (NEW)	A few times a year.....1 Almost once a year.....2 Just a few times in my whole life.....3 Just once in my whole life.....4 Never.....5 [Do not read] Can't choose8 [Do not read] Decline to answer.....9
69.	How often do you have personal contact with foreigners, including those living in your country? <Optional> (NEW)	Almost daily 1 At least once a week 2 At least once a month 3 Several times a year 4 Hardly ever 5 Never.....6 [Do not read] Can't choose 8 [Do not read] Decline to answer..... 9

K. AGREEMENT/DISAGREEMENT WITH SPECIFIC STATEMENTS

70-78 Please tell me how you feel about the following statements. Would you say you **strongly agree**, **somewhat agree**, **somewhat disagree**, or **strongly disagree**? (SHOWCARD) (Do not read: Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer)

<u>TRADITIONALISM</u>	<u>SA</u>	<u>SWA</u>	<u>SWD</u>	<u>SD</u>	<u>DU</u>	<u>CC</u>	<u>DA</u>
70. We should give up gains in the present for the possibility of larger gains in the future. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
71. Conflict among political groups is not a bad thing for our country. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
72. If a government policy serves the interests of the majority of people, I should support it even if it jeopardizes my private interests.(NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
73. The best way to deal with complicated political issues should be to leave them to the future. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
74. Political reform should be introduced little-by-little instead of all-at-once. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
75. Cruel criminals should be punished immediately without regard to time-consuming legal processes. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
76. For the sake of the national community/society, the individual should be prepared to sacrifice his/her personal interest.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
77. The most important thing for political leaders is to accomplish their goals even if they have to ignore the established procedure.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
78. If possible, I don't want to get involved in political matters. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9

L. POLITICAL PARTICIPATION

79-85. In the past three (3) years, have you **never**, **once**, or **more than once** done the following because of personal, family, or neighborhood problems, or problems with government officials and policies? (SHOWCARD) (Do not read: Can't choose & Decline to answer)

	<u>Once</u>	<u>More than once</u>	<u>Never Done</u>	<u>CC</u>	<u>DA</u>
79. Contacted government (administrative) official.	1	2	3	8	9
80. Contacted officials at higher level. <Optional>	1	2	3	8	9
81. Contacted elected officials or legislative representatives at any level.	1	2	3	8	9
82. Contacted officials of political parties or other political organizations.	1	2	3	8	9
83. Contacted representative of non-government/civil society organizations (farmers' associations, trade unions, religious groups, human rights groups, interests groups).	1	2	3	8	9
84. Contacted traditional leaders/community leaders. <Optional>	1	2	3	8	9
85. Contacted other influential people.	1	2	3	8	9

86-89. Here is a list of actions that people sometimes take as citizens. For each of these, please tell me whether you, personally, have **never**, **once**, or **more than once** done any of these things during the past three years. (New) (Do not read: Can't choose & Decline to answer)

(SHOWCARD)	<u>Once</u>	<u>More than once</u>	<u>Never Done</u>	<u>CC</u>	<u>DA</u>
86. Refused to pay taxes or fees to the government	1	2	3	8	9
87. Got together with others to raise an issue or sign a petition	1	2	3	8	9
88. Attended a demonstration or protest march	1	2	3	8	9
89. Used force or violence for a political cause	1	2	3	8	9

90. Thinking of whether you voted or not ever since you became eligible for voting, how would you describe yourself –have you voted in every election, voted in most elections, voted in some elections or hardly ever voted?(NEW)	Voted in every election.....	1
	Voted in most elections.....	2
	Voted in some elections.....	3
	Hardly ever voted.....	4
	[Do not read]Not applicable (eligible only once).....	0
	[Do not read]Can't choose	8
	[Do not read]Decline to answer.....	9

M. MEANING OF DEMOCRACY [coding scheme will be provided separately]

91. To you, what does “democracy” mean? What else? (OPEN-ENDED; ALLOW UP TO 3 RESPONSES)
(Read the question in the language of the interview, but always read “democracy” in official language/dialect. Translate “democracy” into local language only if respondent does not understand official language/dialect.)

OR What for you is the meaning of the word “democracy”? What else? (OPEN-ENDED; ALLOW UP TO 3 RESPONSES)

92. People often differ in their views on the characteristic that is essential to democracy. If you have to **choose** only one of the things that I am going to read, which one would you **choose** as the most essential to a democracy? (*Please read out options 1 to 4*) (New) (SHOWCARD)

- Opportunity to change the government through elections.....1
- Freedom to criticize those in power.....2
- A small income gap between rich and poor.....3
- Basic necessities like food, clothes and shelter etc. for everyone.....4
- [Do not read]Don't understand question.....7
- [Do not read]Can't choose.....8
- [Do not read]Decline to answer.....9

N. SATISFACTION WITH GOVERNMENT AND DEMOCRACY

93. On the whole, how satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the way democracy works in [Country]. Are you ...? (SHOWCARD)

- Very satisfied1
- Fairly satisfied2
- Not very satisfied.....3
- Not at all satisfied4
- [Do not read]Can't choose.....8
- [Do not read]Decline to answer.....9

94. In your opinion how much of a democracy is [Country Name] ? (Read out options. Only one option to be chosen.)

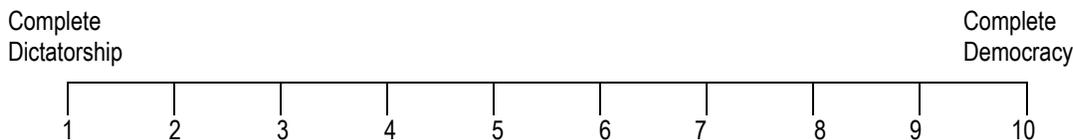
- A full democracy.....1
- A democracy, but with minor problems.....2
- A democracy, with major problems.....3
- Not a democracy.....4
- [Do not read]Don't understand question.....7
- [Do not read]Can't choose.....8
- [Do not read]Decline to answer.....9

95-98. Here is a scale: 1 means complete dictatorship and 10 means complete democracy. (SHOWCARD) (**Do not read:** Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer)

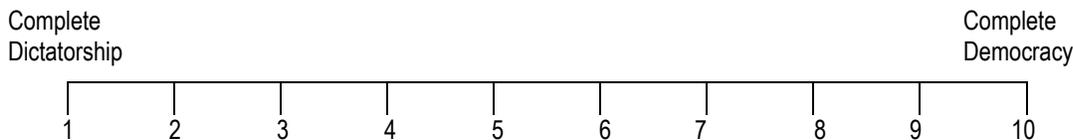


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 Can't choose=98
 Decline to answer=99

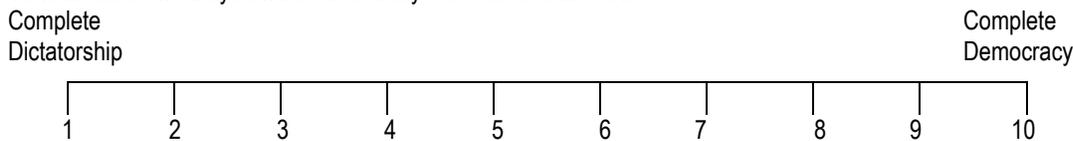
95. Where would you place our country on this scale during the period of [name of the most recent government under authoritarian rule]?



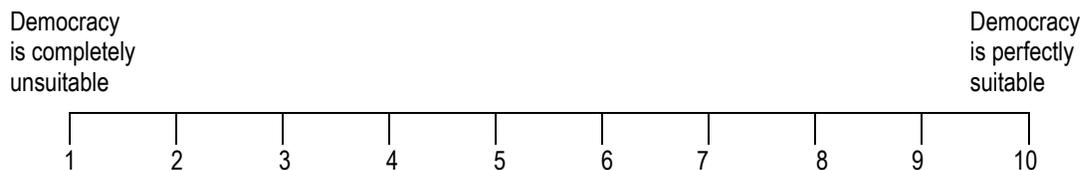
96. Where would you place our country under the present government?



97. To what extent would you want our country to be democratic now?



98. Here is a similar scale of 1 to 10 measuring the extent to which people think democracy is suitable for our country. If “1” means that democracy is completely unsuitable for [name of country] today and “10” means that it is completely suitable, where would you place our country today?



99. How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the [name of president, etc. ruling current] government? Are you ...? (SHOWCARD)

- Very satisfied1
- Somewhat satisfied2
- Somewhat dissatisfied3
- Very dissatisfied4
- [Do not read]Can't choose.....8
- [Do not read]Decline to answer.....9

O. MOST IMPORTANT PROBLEMS

100-102. In your opinion, what are the most important problems facing this country that government should address? *[Do not read options. Code from responses. Accept up to three answers. Country team could add extra response categories to fit the local context.]*
[Record Verbatim Answers and Then Use the Codes Below] (NEW)

100. First Response: _____
 101. Second Response: _____
 102. Third Response: _____

	1 st response	2 nd response	3 rd response
Economics			
Management of the economy	1	1	1
Wages, incomes and salaries	2	2	2
Unemployment	3	3	3
Poverty/destitution	4	4	4
Rates and Taxes	5	5	5
Loans / credit	6	6	6
Food / Agriculture			
Farming/agriculture	7	7	7
Food shortage/famine	8	8	8
Drought	9	9	9
Land	10	10	10
Infrastructure			
Transportation	11	11	11
Communications	12	12	12
Infrastructure / roads	13	13	13
Government Services			
Education	14	14	14
Housing	15	15	15
Electricity	16	16	16
Water supply	17	17	17
Orphans/street children/homeless children	18	18	18
Services (other)	19	19	19
Health			
Health	20	20	20
AIDS	21	21	21
Sickness / Disease	22	22	22
Governance			
Crime and Security	23	23	23
Corruption	24	24	24

Political violence	25	25	25
Political instability/political divisions/ ethnic tensions	26	26	26
Discrimination/ inequality	27	27	27
Gender issues/women's rights	28	28	28
Democracy/political rights	29	29	29
War (international)	30	30	30
Civil war	31	31	31
Nothing/ no problems	0	--	--
No further reply	--	996	996
Can't choose	998		
Other (1 st response), Specify _____ (Post Code)			
Other (2 nd response),s pecify _____ (Post Code)			
Other (3 rd response), Specify _____ (Post Code)			

102a. How likely is it that the government will solve the most important problem you identified [i.e., the first problem the respondent mentioned] within the next five years? [Read out options]	Very likely.....	1
	Likely.....	2
	Not very likely.....	3
	Not at all likely.....	4
	[Do not read] Can't choose.....	8
	[Do not read] Decline to answer.....	9

P. QUALITY OF GOVERNANCE

103- Now I am going to read to you a list of statements that describe how people often feel about the state of affairs in [country name]. Please
111. tell me whether you **strongly agree**, **somewhat agree**, **somewhat disagree**, or **strongly disagree** with each of these statements.
(NEW) (Do not read: Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer.) (SHOWCARD)

(SHOWCARD)	<u>SA</u>	<u>SWA</u>	<u>SWD</u>	<u>SD</u>	<u>DU</u>	<u>CC</u>	<u>DA</u>
103. People have the power to change a government they don't like.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
104. Our current courts always punish the guilty even if they are high-ranking officials.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
105. Political parties or candidates in our country have equal access to the mass media during the election period.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
106. Between elections, the people have no way of holding the government responsible for its actions.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
107. When the government breaks the laws, there is nothing the legal system can do.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
108. Everyone is treated equally by the government.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
109. People have basic necessities like food, clothes, and shelter.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
110. People are free to speak what they think without fear.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
111. People can join any organization they like without fear.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9

112. How often do government officials withhold important information from the public view? (SHOWCARD) (NEW)	Always	1
	Most of the time	2
	Occasionally.....	3
	Rarely.....	4
	[Do not read] Don't understand the question.....	7
	[Do not read] Can't choose	8
	[Do not read] Decline to answer.....	9

113. How often do national government officials abide by the law? (SHOWCARD)(NEW)	Always 1 Most of the time 2 Sometimes 3 Rarely 4 [Do not read] Don't understand the question.....7 [Do not read] Can't choose 8 [Do not read] Decline to answer..... 9
114. How often do you think our elections offer the voters a real choice between different parties/candidates. (SHOWCARD)	Always 1 Most of the time 2 Sometimes 3 Rarely 4 [Do not read] Don't understand the question.....7 [Do not read] Can't choose 8 [Do not read] Decline to answer 9
115. To what extent is the legislature capable of keeping the government in check? (SHOWCARD) (NEW)	Very capable 1 Capable 2 Not capable 3 Not at all capable..... 4 [Do not read] Don't understand the question.....7 [Do not read] Can't choose 8 [Do not read] Decline to answer 9
116. How well do you think the government responds to what people want? (SHOWCARD) (NEW)	Very responsive..... 1 Largely responsive 2 Not very responsive..... 3 Not responsive at all..... 4 [Do not read] Don't understand the question.....7 [Do not read] Can't choose 8 [Do not read] Decline to answer 9
117. How widespread do you think corruption and bribe-taking are in your local/municipal government? Would you say ...? (SHOWCARD)	Hardly anyone is involved 1 Not a lot of officials are corrupt 2 Most officials are corrupt 3 Almost everyone is corrupt 4 [Do not read] Can't choose 8 [Do not read] Decline to answer 9
118. How widespread do you think corruption and bribe-taking are in the national government [in capital city]? Would you say ...? (SHOWCARD)	Hardly anyone is involved 1 Not a lot of officials are corrupt 2 Most officials are corrupt 3 Almost everyone is corrupt 4 [Do not read] Can't choose 8 [Do not read] Decline to answer 9
119. Have you or anyone you know personally witnessed an act of corruption or bribe-taking by a politician or government official in the past year? IF WITNESSED: Did you personally witness it or were you told about it by a family member or friend who personally witnessed it?	Witnessed (ALLOW MULTIPLE RESPONSE) 1 Personally witnessed 2 Told about it by a family member who personally witnessed 3 Told about it by a friend who personally witnessed 4 Personally never witnessed 5 No one I know has personally witnessed 6 [Do not read] Don't understand the question.....7 [Do not read] Can't choose..... 8 [Do not read] Decline to answer..... 9

NOTE : DO NOT ACCEPT BEING TOLD ABOUT IT BY SOMEONE WHO LEARNED ABOUT AN ACT OF CORRUPTION THROUGH OTHERS OR MASS MEDIA.

120. In your opinion, is the government working to crackdown corruption and root out bribes? (NEW)

It is doing its best.....1
 It is doing something.....2
 It is not doing much3
 Doing nothing4
 [Do not read] Don't understand the question.....7
 [Do not read] Can't choose.....8
 [Do not read] Decline to answer.....9

Q. DEMOCRATIC LEGITIMACY AND PREFERENCE FOR DEMOCRACY

121. Which of the following statements comes closest to your own opinion? (SHOWCARD)

Democracy is always preferable to any other kind of government1
 Under some circumstances, an authoritarian government can be preferable to a democratic one2
 For people like me, it does not matter whether we have a democratic or a nondemocratic regime3
 [Do not read] Do not understand the question.....7
 [Do not read] Can't choose.....8
 [Do not read] Decline to answer9

122. Which of the following statements comes closer to your own view? (SHOWCARD)

Democracy is capable of solving the problems of our society1
 Democracy can not solve our society's problems2
 [Do not read] Do not understand the question.....7
 [Do not read] Can't choose.....8
 [Do not read] Decline to answer9

123. If you had to choose between democracy and economic development, which would you say is more important? (SHOWCARD)

Economic development is definitely more important1
 Economic development is somewhat more important2
 Democracy is somewhat more important3
 Democracy is definitely more important4
 [Do not read] They are both equally important5
 [Do not read] Do not understand the question.....7
 [Do not read] Can't choose.....8
 [Do not read] Decline to answer9

R. AGREEMENT/DISAGREEMENT WITH SPECIFIC STATEMENTS

124- 126. There are many ways to govern a country. Would you disapprove or approve of the following alternatives? For each statement, would you say you **strongly approve, approve, disapprove, or strongly disapprove?** (SHOWCARD) (Do not read: Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer)

DEMOCRATIC LEGITIMACY AND PREFERENCE FOR DEMOCRACY		SA	A	D	SD	DU	CC	DA
124.	We should get rid of parliament and elections and have a strong leader decide things.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
125.	Only one political party is allowed to stand for election and hold office.(NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
126.	The army (military) should come in to govern the country.(NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9

127- 131. I have here some statements. For each statement, would you say you **strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree?** (SHOWCARD) (Do not read: Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer)

CITIZEN EMPOWERMENT, SYSTEM RESPONSIVENESS AND POLITICAL SUPPORT		SA	SWA	SWD	SD	DU	CC	DA
127.	I think I have the ability to participate in politics.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9

128.	Sometimes politics and government seems so complicated that a person like me can't really understand what is going on.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
129.	Whatever its faults may be, our form of government is still the best for us.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
130.	You can generally trust the people who run our government to do what is right.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
131.	Generally speaking, we can trust the local government officials to do the right things. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
132.	Which of these two statements comes closer to your own view? (SHOWCARD) <Optional>							
	It is essential that the [country] remains one nation.	1						
	Parts of the [country] should be allowed to become fully separate states if they choose to.	2						
	[Do not read] Don't understand the question.....	7						
	[Do not read] Can't choose.....	8						
	[Do not read] No answer.....	9						

S. AGREEMENT/DISAGREEMENT WITH SPECIFIC STATEMENTS(cont'd)

133- I have here other statements. For each statement, would you say you **strongly agree**, **somewhat agree**, **somewhat disagree**, or **strongly disagree**? (SHOWCARD) (**Do not read:** Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer)

<u>AUTHORITARIAN/DEMOCRATIC VALUES</u>		<u>SA</u>	<u>SWA</u>	<u>SWD</u>	<u>SD</u>	<u>DU</u>	<u>CC</u>	<u>DA</u>
133	People with little or no education should have as much say in politics as highly-educated people.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
134	Government leaders are like the head of a family; we should all follow their decisions.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
135	The government should decide whether certain ideas should be allowed to be discussed in society.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
136	Harmony of the community will be disrupted if people organize lots of groups.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
137	When judges decide important cases, they should accept the view of the executive branch.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
138	If the government is constantly checked [i.e. monitored and supervised] by the legislature, it cannot possibly accomplish great things.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
139	If we have political leaders who are morally upright, we can let them decide everything.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
140	If people have too many different ways of thinking, society will be chaotic.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
141	When the country is facing a difficult situation, it is ok for the government to disregard the law in order to deal with the situation.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9

IDEOLOGICAL CLEAVAGE

142	The government should maintain ownership of major state-owned enterprises.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
143	The local government should have more authority over local decisions than it does now. (NFW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
144	Our country should defend our way of life instead of becoming more and more like other countries.	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
145.	In order to preserve social justice, the government should prevent the gap between rich and poor from growing any larger. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
146.	Our country should become more self-sufficient and less reliant on trade with other countries. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9

T. CITIZENSHIP

147. Let us suppose that you had to choose between being a _____ [R's CITIZENSHIP] and being a _____ [R's ETHNIC/REGIONAL GROUP], which of these do you feel most strongly attached to? <Optional> (NEW) **(DELETE)**

- R's CITIZENSHIP 1
- R'S ETHNIC/REGIONAL GROUP..... 2
- R'S ANOTHER IDENTITY 3
- [Do not read] Do not understand the question..... 7
- [Do not read] Can't choose..... 8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer 9

Note for principal investigator: If there are relevant issues of identities (based on ethnicity, locality, religion or whatever), individual team designs its country-specific question to identify these identities and examine whether/to what extent they compete or peacefully coexist with each other. (Whenever appropriate, respondents are allowed to answer that she feels strongly attached to both identities.)

148. Are there any people from the following list who you believe are very different from the rest of us? (Yes-No response scale) [Show country-specific list of people] (NEW) (Do not read: Can't choose & Decline to answer) <Optional> **(DELETE)**

Note for principal investigator: List only people who are socio-politically "excluded" even though they are formally citizens of the country. Do not include non-citizens. There is no need for a long list. Just long enough to make sure that almost everyone can identify one category of people.

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Can't choose</u>	<u>Decline to answer</u>
a.	1	2	8	9
b.	1	2	8	9
c.	1	2	8	9
d.	1	2	8	9

149- How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? For each statement, would you say you **strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree?** (SHOWCARD) (Do not read: Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer)

	<u>SA</u>	<u>SWA</u>	<u>SWD</u>	<u>SD</u>	<u>DU</u>	<u>CC</u>	<u>DA</u>
149. These people [name the people identified first by the respondent] should have the equal right to do whatever they want to do as other citizens. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
150. They should enjoy the same right as other citizens to vote in the election of the <u>top leader</u> [China: <u>government leaders</u>]. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
151. Their basic well-being should be taken care of by the government to the same extent as other citizens. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
152. A citizen who does not actively participate in the affairs of his local and national community is not performing his duties. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
153. Citizens should always obey laws and regulations, even if they disagree with them. (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9
154. "A citizen should always remain loyal only to his country, no matter how imperfect it is or what wrong it has done." (NEW)	1	2	3	4	7	8	9

155. How proud are you to be a citizen of (COUNTRY)?
Are you? (NEW)

- Very proud 1
- Somewhat proud 2
- Not very proud 3
- Not proud at all..... 4
- [Do not read] Don't understand the question..... 7
- [Do not read] Can't choose..... 8
- [Do not read] Decline to answer 9

156. Given the chance, how willing would you be to go and live in another country? (NEW)

- Very willing 1
- Willing 2
- Not willing 3
- Not willing at all 4
- [Do not read]** Don't understand the question 7
- [Do not read]** Can't choose 8
- [Do not read]** Decline to answer 9

U. INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

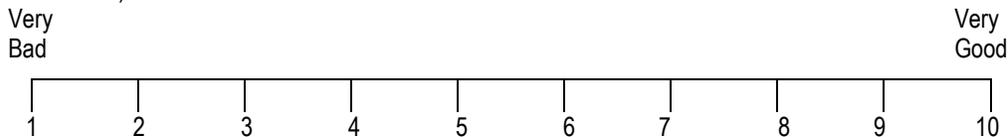
157-160. I'm going to name a number of international organizations. For each one, please tell me have you read or heard of them. (NEW)
(Do not read: Decline to answer)

(SHOWCARD)

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Decline to answer</u>
157. The European Community or European Union	1	2	9
158. The United Nations or UN	1	2	9
159. International Monetary Fund or IMF	1	2	9
160. World Bank	1	2	9

161-164. **For each aware of**, please let us know about your impression of the following organizations. Here is a scale: 1 means very bad and 10 means very good. Give it a grade from 1 to 10, being 1 very bad and 10 very good: **[Skip items that the respondent have not heard of]** (NEW) **(Do not read: Not applicable, Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer)**

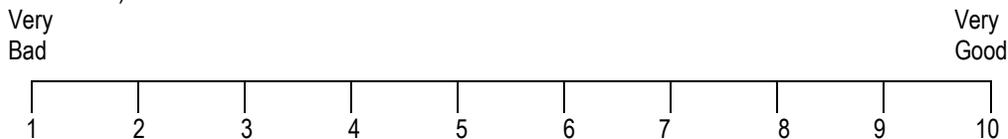
(SHOWCARD)



	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Not applicable</u>	<u>Do not understand the question</u>	<u>Can't choose</u>	<u>Decline to answer</u>
161. The European Community or European Union	---	90	97	98	99
162. The United Nations or UN	---	90	97	98	99
163. International Monetary Fund or IMF	---	90	97	98	99
164. World Bank	---	90	97	98	99

165-167. Using a similar scale, please let us know about your impressions of the following **countries**. Give it a grade from 1 to 10, being 1 very bad and 10 very good. (NEW) **(Do not read: Do not understand the question, Can't choose & Decline to answer)**

(SHOWCARD)



	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Do not understand the question</u>	<u>Can't choose</u>	<u>Decline to answer</u>
165. United States	---	97	98	99
166. China [optional for China]	---	97	98	99
167. Japan [optional for Japan]	---	97	98	99

Interview Record

[To be filled in by interviewers only.] **1:New Revised**

IR1. Interviewer's number [][][] (a three-digit code)

IR2. Is this the first questionnaire you have completed? Yes 1
No 2

IR2a. Interviewer's gender Male 1
Female 2

IR2b. Interviewer's Age [][]

IR2c. What kind of language do you normally use at home? [Country-specific]
Bicolano 01
Cebuano 02
English 03
Ilocano 04
Ilonggo 05
Tagalog 06
Others, specify _____ ()

IR3. In the interview, other than the respondent, were others present? Yes 1 – GO TO Q3a
No 2 – GO TO Q4

3a. Who were they? (Multiple answers allowed)
Respondent's spouse 01
Children 02
Parents or parents-in-law 03
Neighbors/Passers by 04
Party/Government Official 05
Others, specify _____ ()

IR4. Has the respondent ever refused to be interviewed during the whole process? Yes. Right at the beginning of the interview. 1
Yes. In the middle of the interview. 2
Yes. Towards the end of the interview. 3
Never 4

IR5. Has the respondent ever felt impatient during the interview? Never 1
Occasionally 2
Sometimes 3
Always 4

IR6. How cooperative was the respondent during the interview? Highly cooperative 1
Fairly cooperative 2
Not very cooperative 3

IR7. How sincere was the respondent when answering sensitive questions? Highly sincerely 1
Fairly sincere 2
Not very sincere 3

IR8. What proportion of the questions do you feel the respondent had difficulty answering?(NEW)
All 1
Most 2
Some 3
Few 4
None 0

IR9. Date of Interview: [][] [][] 2 0 0 5
Month Date Year

IR10. Language in which interview was conducted :
Native language or dialect (mother tongue) of the respondent 1
The main language of the country but not the native language or dialect (mother tongue) of the respondent 2
The main language of the region/localities but not the native language or dialect (mother tongue) of the respondent 3

IR10a. Was the interview conducted with the assistance of an interpreter? Yes 1
No 2

IR12. Based on your observation, (or inquiry if necessary ...)

IR12a. What is the condition of the road leading to interviewee's residence?

- Wide enough for car and paved with asphalt, cement or man-made materials 1
- Not wide enough for car, but paved with asphalt, cement or man-made materials 2
- Paved with stone 3
- Unpaved/dirt road 4
- Muddy 5

IR12b. Please identify the main source of drinking water in the household?

- Tap water inside the house 1
- Shared tap water in the public place 2
- Handbump for groundwater 3
- Shared handbump for groundwater 4
- From river, pond or lake 5

IR12c. Is electricity the main source of lighting in the house?

- Yes 1
- No 2

IR12d. In terms of walking distance, how far is it between the nearest public transportation stop (bus, train, ferry, tram, etc.) and the respondent's house?

- Less than 10 minutes by walking 1
- Less than 20 minutes 2
- Less than 40 minutes 3
- Less than an hour 4
- Less than two hours 5
- Less than three hours 6
- Less than four hours 7
- More than four hours 8

IR13. Were the following services present within the neighborhood (i.e., within walking or easy driving distance)

IR13a. Estimate the distance of these services by:

- Walking..... 1
- Easy driving..... 2

	Yes	No	Can't determine
A. Post-office	1	0	9
B. School	1	0	9
C. Police station	1	0	9
D. Sewerage system that most houses could access	1	0	9
E. Health clinic	1	0	9
F. Signal for cellular phone	1	0	9
G. Recreational facilities, e.g., a sports field	1	0	9
H. Any churches, mosques, temples or other public places of worship	1	0	9
I. Any town halls or community buildings that can be used for meetings	1	0	9
K. Market stalls (selling groceries and/or clothing)	1	0	9

IR14. GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION (NEW)

Which of the following levels within the country the respondent live?

- Capital or Megacity (1 million population plus)..... 1
- Regional center or Other major cities (100,000 plus)..... 2
- Small city or town (less than 100,000 people)..... 3
- Village or countryside..... 4

R. SOCIO-ECONOMIC BACKGROUND VARIABLES

SE1 COUNTRY CODE

Japan	01
Hong Kong	02
Taiwan	03
Korea	04
Thailand	05
Philippines	06
Mainland China	07
Mongolia	08
Indonesia	09
Singapore	10
Vietnam	11
Cambodia	12

SE2 GENDER

Male	1
Female	2

SE3 BIRTH YEAR & ACTUAL AGE
Use Year of Birth. Then convert to actual age.
[Lower limit: the voting age. No upper limit.]

SE4 MARITAL STATUS
What is your marital status?

Single/Never married	1
Married	2
Living-in as married	3
Widowed	4
Separated/Married but separated/ not living with legal spouse	5
Divorced	6
[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

SE5 EDUCATION
What is your highest level of education?

No formal education	01
Incomplete primary/elementary	02
Complete primary/elementary	03
Incomplete secondary/high school: technical/vocational type	04
Complete secondary/high school: technical/vocational type	05
Incomplete secondary/high school	06
Complete secondary/high school	07
Some university education	08
University education completed	09
Post-graduate degree	10

SE5a How many years of formal education you have received?
(EXCLUDE Kindergarten)
 (2-digit code)

SE6 RELIGION <country specific grid>
What is your religion? ____ (open-ended, pre-coded) **Country teams can devise more refined two-digit codes for specific denominations or country-specific religions under the generic decimal code. For example, 71~73**

Roman Catholic	10
Protestant	20
Jews	30
Islam	40
Shia	41
Sunni	42
Hindu	50
Buddhist	60

SE7 RELIGIOSITY
About how often do you practice religious services or rituals these days? (SHOWCARD)

Several times a day	1
Once a day	2
Several times a week	3
Once a week	4
Once a month	5
Only during festivals (or several times a year)	6
Less often	7
Practically never	8
[Do not read] Decline to answer	99

[Note: Focusing on voluntary religious activities.]

SE7a Would you describe yourself as very religious, moderately religious, lightly religious, not religious at all? (NEW)
[Ask this question regardless how one answers SE7.]

Very religious	
Moderately religious	2
Lightly religious	3
Not religious at all	4
[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

SE8 SIZE OF HOUSEHOLD

SE8a How many people live in this household?
 (Code EXACT no. of people)

SE8b How many generations of family members live in this household?

One generation	1
Two generations	2
Three generations	3
More than three generations	4

ACTUAL COUNT _____
(INCLUDE servants, transients/boarders)
ACTUAL COUNT _____
(EXCLUDE servants, transients/boarders)

SE9 ANNUAL OR MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME
Here is a scale of household [fill in "annual" or "monthly"] incomes. We would like to know in what group your household on average is, counting all wages, salaries, pensions, dividends and other incomes that come in before taxes and other deduction. Just give the letter of the group your household falls into. (SHOWCARD)
[Encouraged to use quintiles based on official household income statistics. If country team wants to get exact figures from respondents, it should convert them back to quintiles in the end.]

Less than P 5,500	1	P 20,001 to P 40,000	4
P 5,501 to P 10,000	2	P 40,001 and above	5
P 10,001 to P 20,000	3	[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

SE9a Does the total income of your household allow you to satisfactorily cover your needs? I will read out few statements about your income. Please tell me, which of the following statement is closest to your situation? (NEW)

"Our income covers the needs well, we can save."	1
"Our income covers the needs all right, without much difficulty."	2
"Our income does not cover the needs, there are difficulties."	3
"Our income does not cover the needs, there are great difficulties."	4
[Do not read] Not applicable	0
[Do not read] Do not understand the question	7
[Do not read] Decline to answer	9

SE11 LANGUAGE
<OPTIONAL and country specific>
What language do you speak the most in the Home?

Only local language	1
Mostly local language	2
A mixture of local and official language	3
Mostly official language	4
Only official language	5

SE13 SUBJECTIVE SOCIAL STATUS
People sometimes think of the social status of their families in terms of being high or low. Imagine a ladder with 10 steps. At step one stand the lowest status and step 10 stand the highest. Where would you place your family on the following scale? (SHOWCARD)

Highest status	10
Lowest status	1
[Do not read] Can't choose	98
[Do not read] Decline to answer	99

SE14 (deleted and replaced by IR14)

Other Asian religions	70
Sikhism	71
Iglesia Ni Cristo	72
Aglipayan	73
Born Again	74
Other, specify _____	()
NONE	99

SE10 Do you or your family own the following? <OPTIONAL>

	Yes	No
a. Car/Jeep/Van (record exact number) _____	1	2
b. Tractor	1	2
c. Color or B/W Television	1	2
d. Cable Television	1	2
e. Scooter/ Motorcycle / Moped	1	2
f. Telephone	1	2
g. Mobile Telephone	1	2
h. Electric fan/cooler	1	2
i. Bicycle	1	2
j. Radio/transistor	1	2
k. Pumping set	1	2
l. Fridge	1	2
m. Camera	1	2
n. Goats/Sheep (Record exact number) ____	1	2
o. Cows/Buffalo (Record exact number) _____	1	2

R. SOCIO-ECONOMIC BACKGROUND VARIABLES (cont'd)

SE12a. MAIN OCCUPATION

SE12a&b: MAIN OCCUPATION OF:

VERBATIM:	RESPONDENT		CHIEF WAGE EARNER <Optional>	
	(POSITION/DESIGNATION/EMPLOYER)		(POSITION/DESIGNATION/EMPLOYER)	
I. IN THE LABOR FORCE				
<u>Hired Workers</u> (Excluding unpaid family workers)		10		10
Professional/technical (including military, police, security personnel)	11		11	
Managers/Supervisors	12		12	
Clerical/Administrative/Sales (office workers)	13		13	
Non-agricultural, skilled (non-office workers)	14		14	
Non-agricultural, unskilled (laborers)	15		15	
Agricultural (include fishing, forestry)	16		16	
<u>Employers and Self-Employed</u>		17		17
Agricultural operators (include fishing, forestry)	18		18	
Non-agricultural entrepreneurs	19		19	
With 10 or more employees	20		20	
With less than 10 employees	21		21	
No employees	22		22	
<u>Purely Property Owners</u> (Income mainly from rentals or dividends)		30		30
Rentals from agricultural properties	31		31	
Rentals from non-agricultural properties	32		32	
Dividends from managing financial assets	33		33	
Others (specify) _____	()		()	
<u>Unpaid Family Worker</u>		40		40
<u>Presently unemployed but LOOKING FOR WORK</u>		50		50
Homecare	51		51	
Student	52		52	
Retired	53		53	
Disabled	54		54	
II. NOT IN THE LABOR FORCE				
<u>Presently unemployed and NOT LOOKING FOR WORK</u>		60		60
Homecare	61		61	
Student	62		62	
Retired	63		63	
Disabled	64		64	
Others (specify)	65		65	
<u>Never worked before</u>		70		70
Homecare	71		71	
Student	72		72	
Disabled	74		74	
Others (specify)	75		75	
Respondent is also the Chief Wage Earner		80		80

<OPTIONAL for secondary wage earner>