



ICM Research interviewed a random sample of 1,002 adults aged 18+ by telephone on 27-28th November 2000 . Interviews were conducted across London and the results have been weighted to the profile of all adults.

Q1. Some people have said they would not vote in a new General Election, while others would go and vote at their polling station. How likely do you think it is that you would go and vote in a new General Election?

Absolutely certain to vote	50%
Very likely to vote	14%
Quite likely to vote	16%
Unlikely to vote	7%
Very unlikely to vote	5%
Certain not to vote	6%
Don't know	3%

Q2. Vote intention. Adjusted. Base: All saying likely to vote.

Conservative	31%
Labour	50%
Liberal Democrats	14%
Other	5%
Lead	19%

Q3. Are you satisfied or dis-satisfied with the job....

Tony Blair is doing as Prime Minister?

Satisfied	43%
Did-satisfied	45%
Don't know	12%

Ken Livingstone is doing as Mayor of London?

Satisfied	39%
Did-satisfied	26%
Don't know	35%

Q6. Do you think that.....

Tony Blair is moderate or extreme?

Moderate	64%
Extreme	26%

Don't know	10%
William Hague is moderate or extreme?	
Moderate	44%
Extreme	38%
Don't know	18%
Ken Livingstone is moderate or extreme?	
Moderate	40%
Extreme	44%
Don't know	16%

Q6. Do you think that.....	
Tony Blair is competent or incompetent?	
Competent	64%
Incompetent	26%
Don't know	10%
William Hague is competent or incompetent?	
Competent	40%
Incompetent	39%
Don't know	21%
Ken Livingstone is competent or incompetent?	
Competent	62%
Incompetent	20%
Don't know	18%

Q6. Do you think that.....	
Tony Blair is honest or dishonest?	
Honest	57%
Dishonest	27%
Don't know	15%
William Hague is competent or incompetent?	
Honest	53%
Dishonest	26%
Don't know	21%
Ken Livingstone is competent or incompetent?	
Honest	65%

Dishonest	16%
Don't know	18%

Q7. Support for actions by Ken Livingstone?	
Charge motorists £5 a day to drive in Central London & use the money to improve public transport?	
Strongly support	31%
Slightly support	23%
Slightly oppose	13%
Strongly oppose	29%
Don't know	4%
Refuse to co-operate with government plans for a public-private partnership to run London's Underground trains?	
Strongly support	29%
Slightly support	21%
Slightly oppose	14%
Strongly oppose	27%
Don't know	10%
Persuade the Metropolitan Police to take no action against people who use cannabis for medical purposes?	
Strongly support	51%
Slightly support	20%
Slightly oppose	8%
Strongly oppose	16%
Don't know	6%
Campaign for Britain to join europe's Single Currency as soon as the economic conditions are right?	
Strongly support	21%
Slightly support	18%
Slightly oppose	9%
Strongly oppose	44%
Don't know	9%
Ban lorries from Central London during the day time?	
Strongly support	41%
Slightly support	20%
Slightly oppose	14%
Strongly oppose	17%

Don't know	7%
Campaign for a new law to allow gay couples to get married?	
Strongly support	21%
Slightly support	22%
Slightly oppose	8%
Strongly oppose	37%
Don't know	13%

Q8. Sympathy towards...	
People who sell the Big Issue magazine on the streets of London	
Very sympathetic	32%
Quite sympathetic	47%
Not very sympathetic	9%
Not at all sympathetic	7%
Don't know	4%
Q8. Sympathy towards...	
Buskers who play music at rail and tube stations	
Very sympathetic	18%
Quite sympathetic	42%
Not very sympathetic	19%
Not at all sympathetic	18%
Don't know	3%
Q8. Sympathy towards...	
People who sleep rough and beg for money	
Very sympathetic	23%
Quite sympathetic	29%
Not very sympathetic	19%
Not at all sympathetic	25%
Don't know	4%

Q9. Compared to a few years ago, do you think there are more rough sleepers in London, fewer, or about the same number?	
More	48%
About the same	30%
Fewer	11%
Don't know	10%

Q10. Some people say they sometimes feel intimidated by rough sleepers begging for money. Do you yourself feel intimidated often,

sometimes, occasionally or never?	
Often	10%
Sometimes	20%
Occasionally	26%
Never	42%
Don't know	2%

Q11. How often, if at all, do you give to rough sleepers who beg for money?	
Most weeks	5%
Once or twice a week	14%
A few times a year	23%
Less often	15%
Never	41%
Don't know	2%

Q12. How much money do you typically give? Base: All who give money.	
Less than 50p	17%
50p - 99p	25%
£1	38%
£1.01 - £4.99	9%
£5.00 - £9.99	1%
£10 +	1%
Don't know/it varies	10%
AVERAGE	£1.12

Q13. Agreement with statements:	
Giving money to street beggars only encourages them to keep on begging?	
Agree Strongly	47%
Agree Slightly	24%
Disagree Slightly	13%
Disagree Strongly	13%
Don't know	3%

Q13. Agreement with statements:	
Charities and London Boroughs provide enough shelter these days, so there is no need for anyone to sleep rough?	
Agree Strongly	22%
Agree Slightly	14%
Disagree Slightly	21%
Disagree Strongly	32%
Don't know	11%

Q13. Agreement with statements:	
Most street beggars fritter away their money on drink and drugs	
Agree Strongly	36%
Agree Slightly	28%
Disagree Slightly	13%
Disagree Strongly	10%
Don't know	13%
Q13. Agreement with statements:	
Rough sleepers addicted to drugs or alcohol should be made to have treatment for their addiction?	
Agree Strongly	55%
Agree Slightly	20%
Disagree Slightly	9%
Disagree Strongly	11%
Don't know	5%
Q13. Agreement with statements:	
The police should have the power to clear rough sleepers off the streets?	
Agree Strongly	36%
Agree Slightly	26%
Disagree Slightly	15%
Disagree Strongly	17%
Don't know	6%
Q13. Agreement with statements:	
Many people who beg for money are crooks who are pretending to be homeless?	
Agree Strongly	22%
Agree Slightly	24%
Disagree Slightly	23%
Disagree Strongly	18%
Don't know	13%
Q13. Agreement with statements:	
The best way to help homeless people is to give money to the right charities, rather than to beggars and rough sleepers directly?	
Agree Strongly	66%
Agree Slightly	19%
Disagree Slightly	7%
Disagree Strongly	6%
Don't know	3%

Q14. Thinking now about the Millennium Dome, taking everything into account, do you think it has been a complete success, mostly a success, mostly a failure, or a complete failure?

A complete success	2%
Mostly a success	14%
Mostly a failure	29%
A complete failure	51%
Don't know	5%

Q15. How much do you blame the last Conservative Government for the Dome's problems?

A great deal	24%
A fair amount	37%
Not very much	21%
Not at all	11%
Don't know	7%

Q16. How much do you blame the present Labour Government for the Dome's problems?

A great deal	34%
A fair amount	36%
Not very much	15%
Not at all	10%
Don't know	5%