POLL - August 2005

1. If Parliamentary elections were held next week, which party would you vote for? (DO NOT READ OUT OPTIONS)
   1. Social-Democratic Union of Macedonia
   2. VMRO-DPMNE
   3. Liberal Democratic Party
   4. Liberal Party
   5. Democratic Union for Integration
   6. The third way
   7. VMRO-Peoples party
   8. Democratic Party of Albanians
   9. Party for Democratic Prosperity
   10. Democratic Alternative
   11. other
   12. no one
   13. do not know
   14. no answer

2. Regardless of your party affiliations, which party do you think will win on the next elections?
   1. Social-Democratic Union of Macedonia
   2. VMRO-DPMNE
   3. Liberal Democratic Party
   4. Liberal Party
   5. Democratic Union for Integration
   6. The third way
   7. VMRO-Peoples party
   8. Democratic Party of Albanians
   9. Party for Democratic Prosperity
   10. Democratic Alternative
   11. other
   12. no one
   13. do not know
   14. no answer

3. Which politician do you trust the most? (DO NOT READ OUT OPTIONS)
   1. no one
   2. do not know
   3. no answer
   4. Vlado Buchkovski
   5. Nikola Gruevski
   6. Arben Xaferi
   7. Ali Ahmeti
   8. Radmila Shekerinska
   9. Tito Petkovski
   10. Branko Crvenkovski
   11. Trifun Kostovski
   12. Stojan Andov
   13. Trajko Slavevski
   14. Ilinka Mitreva
   15. Ljubcho Georgievski
   16. other

4. Apart from the leader, which VMRO-DPMNE politician leaves the best impression on you? (DO NOT READ OUT OPTIONS)
   1. no one
   2. do not know
   3. no answer
   4. Silvana Boneva
   5. Trajko Slavevski
   6. Filip Petrovski
   7. Koce Trajanovski
   8. Vlatko Gjorchev
   9. other (WRITE WHO)

5. Apart from the leader, which SDSM politician leaves the best impression on you? (DO NOT READ OUT OPTIONS)
   1. no one
   2. do not know
   3. no answer
   4. Radmila Shekerinska
   5. Nikola Popovski
   6. Tito Petkovski
   7. Ilinka Mitreva
   8. Boris Kondarko
   9. other (WRITE WHO)
6. Do you know who is the vice president of VMRO-DPMNE?
   1. yes (Trajko Slavevski)
   2. no

8. Do you know any other VMRO-DPMNE officials?
   1. yes
   2. no

7. Do you know who are the vice presidents of SDSM?
   1. yes (R. Shekerinska, I. Mitreva)
   2. no

9. Do you know any other SDSM officials?
   1. yes
   2. no

10. Are early parliamentary elections needed?
    1. yes
    2. no
    3. no answer / do not know

11. Who would be a better Prime Minister: Vlado Bukovski or Nikola Gruevski?
    1. Vlado Bukovski
    2. Nikola Gruevski
    3. no one
    4. no answer / do not know

12. Do you support the "direct deals" policy of the Government?
    1. yes
    2. sometimes
    3. no
    4. no answer / do not know

13. Are you satisfied of the work of the new Mayor of Skopje?
    1. yes
    2. no
    3. no answer / do not know
DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS OF THE RESPONDENT

14. Gender
   1. male
   2. female

15. Age
   1. up to 29
   2. from 30 to 39
   3. from 40 to 49
   4. from 50 to 59
   5. over 60

16. Education
   1. unfinished primary
   2. primary
   3. secondary
   4. vocational
   5. college

17. Occupation
   1. student
   2. low-skilled worker
   3. public administration
   4. agriculture
   5. retired
   6. house chores
   7. private employment
   8. unemployed
   9. high-skilled worker
  10. other

18. Ethnic belonging
   1. Macedonian
   2. Albanian
   3. Turkish
   4. Serbian
   5. Roma
   6. Vlach
   7. Bosnian
   8. other

19. Place of living
   1. village (All rural areas, including ones around Skopje)
   2. smaller town (Demir Hisar, Krushevo, Struga, Kichevo, Resen, Kavadarci, Negotino, Gevgelija, Kratovo, Kriva Palanka, Sveti Nikole, Kochani, Vinica, Berovo, Pehchevo, Radovish and Valandovo)
   3. bigger town (Bitola, Prilep, Ohrid, Tetovo, Gostivar, Veles, Kumanovo, Shtip and Strumica)
   4. Skopje

12. Region:
   1. SKOPJE
   2. PELAGONIA
   3. OHRID
   4. POLOG
   5. POVARDARIE
   6. KUMANOVIE
   7. BREGALNICA