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Start of Block: Travel Ban

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Some people think it is a bad idea that the U.S. government attempted to ban travel from some Middle Eastern countries. They argue that the ban is unconstitutional because it discriminates on the basis of religion. How do you feel about the proposed travel ban?

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Some people think it is a bad idea that the U.S. government attempted to ban travel from some Middle Eastern countries. They argue that there is no evidence that citizens of the banned countries represent a credible threat to the U.S., and so the ban would not be effective in providing added security. How do you feel about the proposed travel ban?

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Some people think it is a good idea that the federal government attempted to ban travel from some Middle Eastern countries. They argue that the governments in these countries are incapable of policing their own citizens and arresting potential terror threats. Until these governments can assure this safety, the U.S. cannot allow their citizens into the country. How do you feel about the proposed travel ban?

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Start of Block: Travel Ban - Moral Check

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missiles, yet its government has done so anyway. To get them to change course, the U.S. government has threatened to conduct air strikes against North Korea's military facilities. Some people think it is a good policy that the U.S. government has threatened North Korea with military action. Others think it is a bad policy. How do you feel?

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Some people think it is a bad policy that the U.S. government has threatened North Korea with military action. They argue that North Korea has not attacked the U.S., and that the U.S. government should never use military force against a country unless it has been attacked first. How do you feel?

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military action. They argue that air strikes will not be effective, and as a result it is impossible to take out a state-sponsored nuclear program with them. How do you feel?

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Some people think the U.S. government should raise the minimum wage for every working citizen. Others disagree. How do you feel about raising the minimum wage?

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Some people think the U.S. government should not raise the minimum wage for every working

citizen. They argue that employers and employees have the right to agree to whatever wage they both feel is fair. How do you feel about raising the minimum wage?

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Some people think the U.S. government should not raise the minimum wage for every working citizen. They argue that such policies would force employers to pay more for workers and make them hire fewer people, which means that more people will not have jobs. How do you feel about raising the minimum wage?

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Some people think the U.S. government should raise the minimum wage for every working citizen. They argue that those who work hard deserve to earn a decent living. How do you feel about raising the minimum wage?

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Some people think the U.S. government should raise the minimum wage for every working citizen. They argue that this gives people more money to spend, which helps the economy. How do you feel about raising the minimum wage?

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Start of Block: Demographics

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age Please enter your age.

race What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

- ☐ White (1)
- ☐ Black or African-American (2)
- ☐ Arabic (3)
- ☐ Hispanic (4)
- ☐ Asian (5)
- ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native (6)
- ☐ Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander (7)
- ☐ Other (8)

gender What gender best describes you?

- ☐ Male (1)
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 - ☐ Other (3)
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educ What is the highest level of school you have completed or the highest degree you have received?

- ☐ Less than High School (1)
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inc What is your combined annual household income?

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- ☐ Democrat (1)
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- ☐ Liberal (1)
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If When it comes to politics, would you describe yourself as liberal, conservative, or neither liberal... = Liberal

ideol_lib Would you call yourself very liberal or somewhat liberal?

- ☐ Very liberal (1)
 - ☐ Somewhat liberal (2)
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Display This Question:

If When it comes to politics, would you describe yourself as liberal, conservative, or neither liber... = Conservative

ideol_con Would you call yourself very conservative or somewhat conservative?

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If When it comes to politics, would you describe yourself as liberal, conservative, or neither liber... = Neither

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