



**Quebeckers
and Subsidized Companies**

-Omnibus Survey Results-

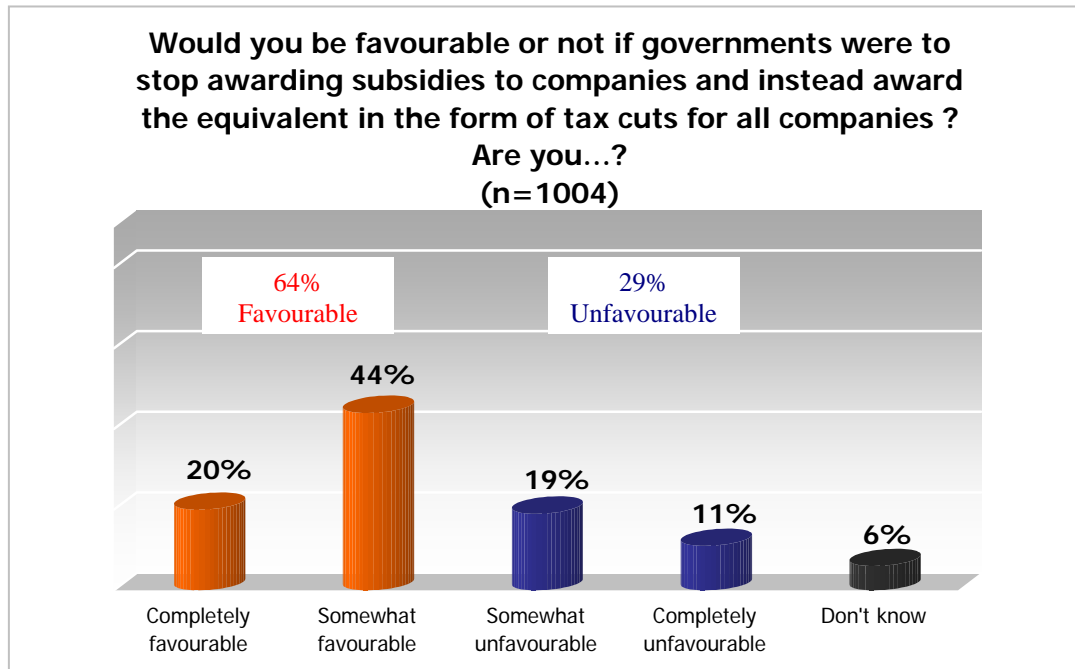
**Omnibus Survey Report on Quebeckers' Opinion
of Subsidies Awarded to Companies**

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Two out of three Quebecers (64%) are favourable to governments no longer awarding subsidies to companies and instead allocating the equivalent in the form of tax cuts for all companies versus 30% who were unfavourable.



This report presents the results of an Omnibus survey conducted among 1,004 Quebecers. Respondents were reached over the phone, were English or French speaking and were 18 years old or older.

For the sake of ensuring a representative population overall, a sample was randomly generated using Survey Sampler Canada software. Furthermore, results were weighted according to region, gender, age and language spoken at home according to statistics obtained during the 2001 Census.

Interviews were conducted from our call centre located in Montreal from May 24 to May 28, 2006. For a sample of 1,004 respondents, the margin of error is $\pm 3.1\%$ at a confidence interval of 95%.

Questionnaire

QI1

** NOUVEAU SUJET*

QI1. Seriez-vous favorable ou non à ce que les gouvernements cessent d'accorder des subventions aux entreprises et allouent l'équivalent sous forme de réduction d'impôt pour toutes les entreprises ? Etes-vous...?

LIRE

- ...Entièrement favorable..... 1
- ...Plutôt favorable..... 2
- ...Plutôt défavorable..... 3
- ...Ou entièrement défavorable..... 4
- Ne sait pas..... 8
- Refus..... 9

QI1

** NEW TOPIC*

QI1. Would you be favourable or not if governments were to stop awarding subsidies to companies and instead award the equivalent in the form of tax cuts for all companies? Are you...?

READ

- ...Completely favourable..... 1
 - ...Somewhat favourable 2
 - ...Somewhat unfavourable 3
 - ...Or completely unfavourable 4
 - Don't know..... 8
 - Refusal..... 9
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