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### GALLUP POLL SOCIAL SERIES: LIFESTYLE

-- FINAL TOPLINE --

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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted December 2-6, 2015 with a random sample of -824—adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia. For results based on this sample of national adults, the margin of sampling error is  $\pm 4$  percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

For results based on the sample of -405—adults who have flown on an airplane in the past year, the maximum margin of sampling error is  $\pm 6$  percentage points.

Interviews are conducted with respondents on landline telephones and cellular phones, with interviews conducted in Spanish for respondents who are primarily Spanish-speaking. Each sample of national adults includes a minimum quota of 60% cell phone respondents and 40% landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by region. Landline and cell phone telephone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member had the most recent birthday.

Samples are weighted to correct for unequal selection probability, non-response, and double coverage of landline and cell users in the two sampling frames. They are also weighted to match the national demographics of gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, population density, and phone status (cell phone-only/landline only/both and cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2014 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the January-June 2015 National Health Interview Survey. Population density targets are based on the 2010 census. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting.

In addition to sampling error, question wording and practical difficulties in conducting surveys can introduce error or bias into the findings of public opinion polls.

8. Please tell me how you would rate the honesty and ethical standards of people in these different fields -- very high, high, average, low, or very low? How about – [RANDOM ORDER]?

| 2015 Dec 2-6              | Very<br>high | High | Average | Low | Very<br>low | No<br>opinion |
|---------------------------|--------------|------|---------|-----|-------------|---------------|
| Advertising practitioners | 2            | 8    | 46      | 29  | 10          | 6             |
| Bankers                   | 4            | 21   | 49      | 18  | 6           | 1             |
| Business executives       | 2            | 15   | 47      | 24  | 8           | 3             |
| Car salespeople           | 1            | 7    | 41      | 36  | 13          | 1             |
| Clergy                    | 11           | 34   | 39      | 9   | 2           | 5             |
| Members of Congress       | 3            | 5    | 27      | 39  | 25          | 1             |
| Pharmacists               | 16           | 52   | 27      | 4   | 1           | *             |
| Lawyers                   | 4            | 17   | 44      | 25  | 9           | 1             |
| Medical doctors           | 18           | 49   | 27      | 4   | 1           | 1             |
| Nurses                    | 29           | 56   | 13      | 1   | *           | 1             |
| Police officers           | 18           | 38   | 29      | 9   | 5           | *             |
| Accountants               | 6            | 33   | 51      | 7   | *           | 3             |
| Building contractors      | 2            | 23   | 55      | 14  | 3           | 2             |
| Funeral directors         | 12           | 32   | 41      | 8   | 1           | 5             |
| High school teachers      | 16           | 44   | 29      | 7   | 2           | 2             |
| Journalists               | 4            | 23   | 42      | 21  | 9           | 1             |
| Labor union leaders       | 4            | 14   | 41      | 26  | 10          | 4             |
| Real estate agents        | 2            | 18   | 53      | 20  | 5           | 2             |
| Stockbrokers              | 2            | 11   | 42      | 31  | 8           | 5             |
| Telemarketers             | 2            | 6    | 34      | 35  | 21          | 2             |
| Lobbyists                 | 2            | 5    | 27      | 35  | 25          | 6             |

# Q.8 (HONESTY AND ETHICS) CONTINUED

# RECENT TREND: PERCENT SAYING "VERY HIGH" / "HIGH"

|                           | 2000                  | 2001 | Feb<br>2002 | Nov<br>2002 | 2003 | <u>2004</u>           | 2005 | <u>2006</u> | <u>2007</u> | 2008 | <u>2009</u> | <u>2010</u> | <u>2011</u> | <u>2012</u> | <u>2013</u> | <u>2014</u> | <u>2015</u> |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|------|-------------|-------------|------|-----------------------|------|-------------|-------------|------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Nurses                    | <del>2000</del><br>79 | 84   | 83          | 79          | 83   | <del>2004</del><br>79 | 82   | 84          | 83          | 84   | 83          | 81          | 84          | 85          | 82          | 80          | 85          |
| Pharmacists               | 67                    | 68   |             | 67          | 67   | 72                    | 67   | 73          | 71          | 70   | 66          | 71          | 73          | 75          | 70          | 65          | 68          |
| Medical doctors           | 63                    | 66   |             | 63          | 68   | 67                    | 65   | 69          | 64          | 64   | 65          | 66          | 70          | 70          | 69          | 65          | 67          |
| High school teachers      |                       |      | 64          |             |      | 64                    |      |             | 65          |      |             |             | 62          |             |             |             | 60          |
| Police officers           | 55                    | 68   | 61          | 59          | 59   | 60                    | 61   | 54          | 53          | 56   | 63          | 57          | 54          | 58          | 54          | 48          | 56          |
| Clergy                    | 60                    | 64   |             | 52          | 56   | 56                    | 54   | 58          | 53          | 56   | 50          | 53          | 52          | 52          | 47          | 46          | 45          |
| Funeral directors         |                       |      | 39          |             |      | 44                    |      |             | 47          |      |             |             | 44          |             |             |             | 44          |
| Accountants               | 41                    | 32   | 35          |             |      | 39                    |      |             | 38          |      |             |             | 43          |             |             |             | 39          |
| Journalists               | 21                    | 29   |             | 26          | 25   |                       | 28   | 26          |             | 25   | 23          |             | 26          | 24          |             |             | 27          |
| Bankers                   | 37                    | 34   |             | 36          | 35   | 36                    | 41   | 37          | 35          | 23   | 19          | 23          | 25          | 28          | 27          | 23          | 25          |
| Building contractors      |                       |      | 20          |             |      | 20                    |      |             | 22          |      |             |             | 26          |             |             |             | 25          |
| Lawyers                   | 17                    | 18   |             | 18          | 16   | 18                    | 18   | 18          | 15          | 18   | 13          | 17          | 19          | 19          | 20          | 21          | 21          |
| Real estate agents        |                       |      | 19          |             |      | 20                    |      |             | 17          |      |             |             | 20          |             |             |             | 20          |
| Labor union leaders       | 17                    |      | 14          |             |      | 16                    |      |             | 16          |      |             |             | 18          |             |             |             | 18          |
| Business executives       | 23                    | 25   | 16          | 17          | 18   | 20                    | 16   | 18          | 14          | 12   | 12          | 15          | 18          | 21          | 22          | 17          | 17          |
| Stockbrokers              | 19                    | 19   |             | 12          | 15   |                       | 16   | 17          |             | 12   | 9           |             | 12          | 11          |             |             | 13          |
| Advertising practitioners | 10                    | 11   | 14          | 9           | 12   | 10                    | 11   | 11          | 6           | 10   | 11          | 11          | 11          | 11          | 14          | 10          | 10          |
| Car salespeople           | 7                     | 8    |             | 6           | 7    | 9                     | 8    | 7           | 5           | 7    | 6           | 7           | 7           | 8           | 9           | 8           | 8           |
| Members of Congress       | 21                    | 25   |             | 17          | 17   | 20                    | 14   | 14          | 9           | 12   | 9           | 9           | 7           | 10          | 8           | 7           | 8           |
| Telemarketers             |                       |      | 5           |             |      | 7                     |      |             | 5           |      |             |             | 8           |             |             |             | 8           |
| Lobbyists                 |                       |      |             |             |      |                       |      | 5           | 5           |      |             | 7           | 7           |             | 6           |             | 7           |

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