

GALLUP NEWS SERVICE

TRUMP INVESTIGATIONS

Results are based on telephone interviews with a random sample of – 1,511-- national adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, conducted August 20-26, 2018.

For results based on the sample of – 752 -- national adults in Form A, the margin of error is ± 4 percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

For results based on the sample of – 759 -- national adults in Form B, the margin of error is ± 4 percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

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 70% cell phone respondents and 30% landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by time zone within region. Landline and cell phone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Gallup obtained this sample from Survey Sampling International. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member has the next 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, cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2017 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the January-June 2017 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. For questions about how this survey was conducted, please contact galluphelp@gallup.com.

Q.1- 2 AND 3-4 SPLIT SAMPLED

1. *(Asked of a half sample)* How closely have you been following the news about Russian officials' involvement with the Trump campaign in the 2016 presidential election – very closely, somewhat closely, not too closely, or not at all?

BASED ON – 752 – NATIONAL ADULTS IN FORM A

| | <u>Very closely</u> | <u>Somewhat closely</u> | <u>Not too closely</u> | <u>Not at all</u> | <u>No opinion</u> |
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| 2018 Aug 27-Sep 2 | 33 | 32 | 18 | 16 | 1 |
| 2017 Aug 2-6 | 33 | 40 | 18 | 9 | 1 |

2. *(Asked of a half sample)* Which of the following statements best describes your view of Donald Trump in these matters – he did something illegal, he did not do anything illegal, but did something unethical, or he did not do anything seriously wrong?

BASED ON – 752 – NATIONAL ADULTS IN FORM A

| | <u>Illegal</u> | <u>Unethical</u> | <u>Nothing wrong</u> | <u>No opinion</u> |
|-------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| 2018 Aug 27-Sep 2 | 29 | 27 | 35 | 9 |
| 2017 Aug 2-6 | 25 | 37 | 35 | 3 |

3. *(Asked of a half sample)* How closely have you been following the news about money paid to two women during the 2016 election campaign to keep them from publicizing their alleged relationships with Donald Trump– very closely, somewhat closely, not too closely, or not at all?

BASED ON – 759 – NATIONAL ADULTS IN FORM B

| | <u>Very closely</u> | <u>Somewhat closely</u> | <u>Not too closely</u> | <u>Not at all</u> | <u>No opinion</u> |
|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| 2018 Aug 27-Sep 2 | 18 | 31 | 23 | 28 | 1 |

4. *(Asked of a half sample)* Which of the following statements best describes your view of Donald Trump in these matters – he did something illegal, he did not do anything illegal, but did something unethical, or he did not do anything seriously wrong?

BASED ON – 759 – NATIONAL ADULTS IN FORM B

| | <u>Illegal</u> | <u>Unethical</u> | <u>Nothing wrong</u> | <u>No opinion</u> |
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| 2018 Aug 27-Sep 2 | 31 | 37 | 23 | 9 |