



**Interviews with 1,030 adult Americans, including 953 registered voters, conducted by telephone by Opinion Research Corporation on March 19-21, 2010. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points and for registered voters is plus or minus 3 percentage points.**

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34. Do you think the United States should or should not make it easier for illegal immigrants to become citizens of the United States? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 501 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION A – SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

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2010

Should make easier	33%
Should not	66%
No opinion	1%

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	<u>Should make easier</u>	<u>Should not</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2004 Jan 9-11	23	74	3
2001 Aug 24-26	28	67	5

35. How much sympathy do you have for illegal immigrants and their families -- would you say you feel very sympathetic toward them, somewhat sympathetic, somewhat unsympathetic or very unsympathetic? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 529 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION B – SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

	Mar 19-21 <u>2010</u>	May 5-7 <u>2006</u>	Mar 31- Apr. 2 <u>2006</u>
Very sympathetic	15%	17%	24%
Somewhat sympathetic	37%	40%	46%
Somewhat unsympathetic	19%	17%	12%
Very unsympathetic	28%	22%	14%
No opinion	1%	4%	4%