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FINAL RESULTS

ReachTEL conducted a five-question survey of 1,276 Tasmanian residents on the night of 24th October 2016.

Question 1:

If a State election were to be held today, which of the following would receive your first preference vote?

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>18-34</i>	<i>35-50</i>	<i>50-65</i>	<i>65+</i>
<i>Labor</i>	26.8%	25.9%	27.8%	22.9%	24.9%	28.2%	32.9%
<i>Liberal</i>	41.6%	40.5%	42.6%	42.5%	39.2%	39.8%	45.9%
<i>The Greens</i>	13.0%	15.1%	10.8%	10.1%	14.6%	16.3%	10.2%
<i>Other</i>	9.3%	7.6%	11.0%	12.5%	10.4%	8.0%	5.1%
<i>Undecided</i>	9.3%	10.8%	7.8%	11.9%	10.9%	7.7%	5.9%

Question 1a:

Being undecided to which of the following do you have even a slight leaning?

	<i>Total</i>
<i>Labor</i>	29.2%
<i>Liberal</i>	28.3%
<i>The Greens</i>	10.8%
<i>Other</i>	31.7%

Note: Only respondents who answered "Undecided" in Question 1 were asked Question 1a



Question 2:

How committed are you to your vote?

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>18-34</i>	<i>35-50</i>	<i>50-65</i>	<i>65+</i>
<i>Committed</i>	63.8%	63.3%	64.4%	61.7%	59.5%	68.2%	67.1%
<i>Somewhat Committed</i>	26.2%	25.4%	26.9%	29.4%	26.3%	25.3%	23.1%
<i>Uncommitted</i>	10.0%	11.3%	8.7%	8.9%	14.2%	6.5%	9.8%



Question 3:

The Tasmanian Government has reportedly received advice that 25% of the timber logged from publicly owned state forest is harvested at a financial loss to Forestry Tasmania and Tasmanian taxpayers. Which of the following responses from the Tasmanian Government would you agree with most:

	Total	Female	Male	18-34	35-50	50-65	65+
Maintain current supply and ensure log sale prices cover the cost of production	36.4%	35.4%	37.6%	24.2%	37.8%	37.5%	48.8%
Reduce by 25% and compensate sawmills	5.3%	5.6%	4.8%	3.4%	6.4%	4.8%	6.3%
Reduce by 25% and compensate sawmills & workers	19.3%	26.2%	11.9%	20.6%	16.5%	23.5%	16.1%
Reduce by 25% and provide no compensation	14.2%	12.3%	16.1%	12.6%	19.3%	13.7%	9.8%
Undertaking more logging by allowing logging in forests that were set aside for conservation under the Tasmanian Forest Agreement	24.8%	20.4%	29.5%	39.3%	19.9%	20.5%	18.9%

	Total	Labor	Liberal	Greens	Other	Undecided
Maintain current supply and ensure log sale prices cover the cost of production	36.4%	36.2%	45.9%	19.9%	28.0%	26.3%
Reduce by 25% and compensate sawmills	5.3%	8.5%	3.4%	6.6%	5.1%	1.7%
Reduce by 25% and compensate sawmills & workers	19.3%	27.1%	8.9%	31.3%	19.5%	27.1%
Reduce by 25% and provide no compensation	14.2%	14.3%	3.6%	38.6%	25.4%	16.1%
Undertaking more logging by allowing logging in forests that were set aside for conservation under the Tasmanian Forest Agreement	24.8%	14.0%	38.2%	3.6%	22.0%	28.8%

	Total	Strongly Committed	Somewhat Committed	Uncommitted
Maintain current supply and ensure log sale prices cover the cost of production	36.4%	39.3%	31.4%	31.3%
Reduce by 25% and compensate sawmills	5.3%	5.5%	4.2%	6.3%
Reduce by 25% and compensate sawmills & workers	19.3%	15.2%	26.6%	26.6%
Reduce by 25% and provide no compensation	14.2%	12.5%	16.5%	18.8%
Undertaking more logging by allowing logging in forests that were set aside for conservation under the Tasmanian Forest Agreement	24.8%	27.5%	21.3%	17.2%



Question 4:

Which of the following statements do you agree with most?

	Total	Female	Male	18-34	35-50	50-65	65+
<i>The Tasmanian Liberal Government has a clear plan for the problems facing the Tasmanian forestry industry</i>	40.6%	37.3%	44.0%	42.8%	35.5%	39.8%	45.9%
<i>The Tasmanian Liberal Government is more interested in attacking Labor and the Greens on forestry than addressing the industry's problems</i>	29.9%	31.9%	27.7%	26.6%	35.8%	30.9%	24.3%
<i>The Tasmanian Liberal Government is incapable of addressing the problems in the forestry industry</i>	29.5%	30.8%	28.2%	30.6%	28.8%	29.4%	29.8%

	Total	Labor	Liberal	Greens	Other	Undecided
<i>The Tasmanian Liberal Government has a clear plan for the problems facing the Tasmanian forestry industry</i>	40.6%	12.2%	81.2%	1.2%	16.1%	20.2%
<i>The Tasmanian Liberal Government is more interested in attacking Labor and the Greens on forestry than addressing the industry's problems</i>	29.9%	42.9%	13.6%	39.8%	35.6%	45.4%
<i>The Tasmanian Liberal Government is incapable of addressing the problems in the forestry industry</i>	29.5%	44.9%	5.3%	59.0%	48.3%	34.5%

	Total	Strongly Committed	Somewhat Committed	Uncommitted
<i>The Tasmanian Liberal Government has a clear plan for the problems facing the Tasmanian forestry industry</i>	40.6%	46.8%	32.6%	21.1%
<i>The Tasmanian Liberal Government is more interested in attacking Labor and the Greens on forestry than addressing the industry's problems</i>	29.9%	24.8%	36.5%	45.3%
<i>The Tasmanian Liberal Government is incapable of addressing the problems in the forestry industry</i>	29.5%	28.4%	30.8%	33.6%

This survey was conducted using an automated telephone based survey system among 1,276 voters. Telephone numbers and the person within the household were selected at random. The results have been weighted by gender and age to reflect the population according to ABS figures. Please note that due to rounding, not all tables necessarily total 100% and subtotals may also vary. Copyright ReachTEL Pty Ltd.

