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## FINAL RESULTS

uComms conducted a survey of 1174 residents across Tasmania on behalf of The Australia Institute during the evening of 04 - 05 March 24 using self-completed automated voice and SMS polling methodologies.

### Question:

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

*“The Tasmanian Integrity Commission should be replaced with a new, fit for purpose anti-corruption commission, with stronger mechanisms to investigate misconduct and corruption in public administration?”*

	Total	Male	Female	18 – 34	35 – 50	51 – 65	60+
<b>Strongly support</b>	54.5%	57.1%	51.7%	34.0%	51.8%	53.6%	57.6%
<b>Support</b>	22.5%	20.2%	25.2%	32.0%	22.8%	19.6%	22.8%
<b>Oppose</b>	5.4%	6.7%	4.0%	10.0%	7.0%	7.2%	3.7%
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	3.0%	4.2%	1.8%	2.0%	3.5%	4.7%	2.2%
<b>Don't know / Not sure</b>	14.6%	11.8%	17.4%	22.0%	14.9%	14.9%	13.8%

	Total	LAB	LIB	GRE	JLN	IND	OTH
<b>Strongly support</b>	54.5%	70.2%	39.9%	57.0%	72.0%	56.7%	47.7%
<b>Support</b>	22.5%	16.8%	28.2%	25.8%	9.3%	23.3%	15.9%
<b>Oppose</b>	5.4%	1.9%	9.0%	1.6%	2.7%	7.5%	4.5%
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	3.0%	2.9%	3.9%	0.0%	5.3%	2.5%	2.3%
<b>Don't know / Not sure</b>	14.6%	8.2%	18.9%	15.6%	10.7%	10.0%	29.5%

**Question:**

*The Tasmanian Parliamentary Inquiry into salmon farming recommended reducing inshore salmon farming sites, with priority given to stopping operations in sensitive, sheltered, and biodiverse areas.*

*Do you support or oppose this recommendation?*

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>18 – 34</i>	<i>35 – 50</i>	<i>51 – 65</i>	<i>60+</i>
<b><i>Strongly support</i></b>	45.3%	45.3%	45.6%	44.9%	44.2%	45.9%	45.3%
<b><i>Support</i></b>	23.7%	23.5%	24.0%	20.4%	24.8%	25.5%	22.9%
<b><i>Oppose</i></b>	14.7%	17.3%	12.2%	8.2%	14.2%	13.9%	15.9%
<b><i>Strongly oppose</i></b>	6.9%	8.3%	5.4%	4.1%	7.1%	4.8%	8.2%
<b><i>Don't know / Not sure</i></b>	9.4%	5.6%	12.7%	22.4%	9.7%	10.0%	7.8%

	<i>Total</i>	<i>LAB</i>	<i>LIB</i>	<i>GRE</i>	<i>JLN</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>OTH</i>
<b><i>Strongly support</i></b>	45.3%	53.9%	25.2%	73.4%	50.0%	52.5%	45.2%
<b><i>Support</i></b>	23.7%	26.2%	25.8%	17.2%	18.9%	25.0%	19.0%
<b><i>Oppose</i></b>	14.7%	8.3%	26.4%	2.3%	8.1%	13.3%	9.5%
<b><i>Strongly oppose</i></b>	6.9%	4.4%	9.8%	3.1%	12.2%	5.0%	4.8%
<b><i>Don't know / Not sure</i></b>	9.4%	7.3%	12.9%	3.9%	10.8%	4.2%	21.4%

**Question:**

*In 2012, native forests in Blue Tier, takayna/Tarkine and Ben Lomond were protected as part of the Tasmanian Forest Agreement “peace deal” between the logging industry and conservation groups.*

*The Liberal Government has announced that if it is re-elected, it will make 40,000 hectares of native forest available for logging.*

*To what extent do you support or oppose logging these native forests?*

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>18 – 34</i>	<i>35 – 50</i>	<i>51 – 65</i>	<i>60+</i>
<b>Strongly support</b>	20.2%	25.6%	14.8%	20.4%	19.6%	18.3%	21.3%
<b>Support</b>	16.9%	16.8%	16.9%	14.3%	10.7%	20.4%	16.9%
<b>Oppose</b>	18.7%	17.5%	20.0%	18.4%	18.8%	13.9%	20.9%
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	38.4%	36.7%	40.1%	36.7%	43.8%	43.0%	35.1%
<b>Don't know / Not sure</b>	5.8%	3.4%	8.2%	10.2%	7.1%	4.3%	5.8%

	<i>Total</i>	<i>LAB</i>	<i>LIB</i>	<i>GRE</i>	<i>JLN</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>OTH</i>
<b>Strongly support</b>	20.2%	11.7%	38.5%	2.3%	18.9%	8.5%	11.9%
<b>Support</b>	16.9%	10.2%	31.4%	0.8%	8.1%	10.3%	21.4%
<b>Oppose</b>	18.7%	25.7%	16.1%	9.4%	21.6%	23.1%	14.3%
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	38.4%	47.1%	7.1%	86.7%	43.2%	53.8%	35.7%
<b>Don't know / Not sure</b>	5.8%	5.3%	6.8%	0.8%	8.1%	4.3%	16.7%

**Question:**

Would you support or oppose a ban on rent increases above the rate of inflation?

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>18 – 34</i>	<i>35 – 50</i>	<i>51 – 65</i>	<i>60+</i>
<b><i>Strongly support</i></b>	35.4%	33.0%	37.6%	34.7%	40.2%	33.0%	35.5%
<b><i>Support</i></b>	22.9%	23.7%	21.9%	24.5%	20.5%	25.2%	22.2%
<b><i>Oppose</i></b>	19.6%	22.3%	17.1%	12.2%	20.5%	19.6%	20.2%
<b><i>Strongly oppose</i></b>	12.2%	13.2%	11.4%	12.2%	13.4%	14.3%	10.9%
<b><i>Don't know / Not sure</i></b>	9.9%	7.7%	12.1%	16.3%	5.4%	7.8%	11.3%

	<i>Total</i>	<i>LAB</i>	<i>LIB</i>	<i>GRE</i>	<i>JLN</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>OTH</i>
<b><i>Strongly support</i></b>	35.4%	42.2%	27.4%	45.3%	35.6%	32.5%	40.5%
<b><i>Support</i></b>	22.9%	20.9%	23.1%	25.8%	23.3%	26.5%	11.9%
<b><i>Oppose</i></b>	19.6%	16.0%	27.4%	10.9%	11.0%	20.5%	16.7%
<b><i>Strongly oppose</i></b>	12.2%	12.1%	11.2%	10.2%	21.9%	10.3%	14.3%
<b><i>Don't know / Not sure</i></b>	9.9%	8.7%	10.9%	7.8%	8.2%	10.3%	16.7%

**Question:**

*Would you support or oppose banning political donations from the gambling industry, salmon farming industry and property developers?*

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>18 – 34</i>	<i>35 – 50</i>	<i>51 – 65</i>	<i>60+</i>
<b><i>Strongly support</i></b>	41.3%	44.1%	38.2%	41.7%	38.4%	41.5%	41.8%
<b><i>Support</i></b>	16.0%	13.5%	18.4%	8.3%	19.6%	16.2%	15.8%
<b><i>Oppose</i></b>	18.4%	21.0%	16.1%	20.8%	10.7%	18.3%	19.9%
<b><i>Strongly oppose</i></b>	11.7%	14.2%	9.2%	8.3%	12.5%	13.5%	11.0%
<b><i>Don't know / Not sure</i></b>	12.7%	7.3%	18.2%	20.8%	18.8%	10.5%	11.6%

	<i>Total</i>	<i>LAB</i>	<i>LIB</i>	<i>GRE</i>	<i>JLN</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>OTH</i>
<b><i>Strongly support</i></b>	41.3%	49.5%	20.8%	67.2%	49.3%	50.0%	38.1%
<b><i>Support</i></b>	16.0%	16.5%	20.5%	7.0%	13.7%	15.5%	11.9%
<b><i>Oppose</i></b>	18.4%	12.1%	33.4%	7.0%	5.5%	12.9%	7.1%
<b><i>Strongly oppose</i></b>	11.7%	11.2%	8.2%	12.5%	21.9%	13.8%	14.3%
<b><i>Don't know / Not sure</i></b>	12.7%	10.7%	17.0%	6.3%	9.6%	7.8%	28.6%

**Methodology Disclosure Statement - Short**

<b>Short Methodology Statement</b>	
<b>Research conducted by</b>	<i>uCommunications Pty Ltd – T/A uComms</i>
<b>Commissioned by</b>	<i>The Australia Institute</i>
<b>End client</b>	<i>The Australia Institute</i>
<b>Fieldwork dates</b>	<i>04 - 05 March 2024</i>
<b>Mode of data collection</b>	<i>Automated SMS and telephone poll</i>
<b>Target population</b>	<i>Australian eligible voters</i>
<b>Sample size</b>	<i>1174</i>
<b>Australian Polling Council (APC) Compliant</b>	<i>Yes</i>
<b>URL of Long Methodology Disclosure Statement</b>	<i><a href="http://www.ucommsapc.info">www.ucommsapc.info</a></i>
<b>Voter intention published</b>	<i>Yes</i>

**Methodology Disclosure Statement - Long**

<b>Long Methodology Statement</b>	
<b>Effective sample size after weighting applied</b>	<i>1022</i>
<b>Margin of Error associated with effective sample size</b>	<i>+/- 3.85%</i>
<b>Variables used in weighting</b>	<i>TAS population distribution (Age &amp; Gender)</i>
<b>Weighting method used</b>	<i>Ranked weighting</i>
<b>Full question text, responses categories and randomisation</b>	<i>See within attached</i>
<b>Proportion of landline/mobile completed samples</b>	<i>79% Mobile 21% Landline</i>
<b>Source of Sample</b>	<i>Households selected at random across Tasmania</i>
<b>Positioning of voter intention questions within survey</b>	<i>First question after call intro</i>
<b>Undecided voter handling</b>	<i>-</i>
<b>2pp calculation method</b>	<i>Respondent allocated preferences</i>