

## COMMUNICATERESEARCH PARLIAMENTARY PANEL

### DISESTABLISHMENT OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

**Q. Would you support or oppose the disestablishment of the Church of England?**

	<i>All</i>	<i>Lab</i>	<i>Con</i>	<i>Other</i>
	%	%	%	%
<b>Support</b>	57	67	24	74
<b>Oppose</b>	22	11	57	9
<b>No opinion</b>	21	22	19	17

Excluding 'no opinion':

	<i>All</i>	<i>Lab</i>	<i>Con</i>	<i>Other</i>
	%	%	%	%
<b>Support</b>	72	86	30	89
<b>Oppose</b>	28	14	70	11

**Q. Whether or not you support its disestablishment, would you agree or disagree with the view that the Church of England *is likely to be* disestablished within the next 10 years or so?**

	<i>All</i>	<i>Lab</i>	<i>Con</i>	<i>Other</i>
	%	%	%	%
<b>Agree</b>	37	43	22	40
<b>Disagree</b>	47	40	65	48
<b>No opinion</b>	15	17	14	13

Excluding 'no opinion':

	<i>All</i>	<i>Lab</i>	<i>Con</i>	<i>Other</i>
	%	%	%	%
<b>Agree</b>	44	59	25	84
<b>Disagree</b>	56	41	75	16

### Methodology

The survey was conducted between 9<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> February 2004 among 201 MPs on the CommunicateResearch Parliamentary Panel (106 Labour, 63 Conservative and 32 from the smaller parties). Data were weighted to reflect the distribution of parties in the House of Commons. Percentages may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

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