

Coalition for Marriage – November 2016

METHODOLOGY NOTE

ComRes interviewed 2000 GB adults aged 18+ between 4th and 6th November 2016. Data were weighted by age, gender, region and socio-economic grade to be representative of all GB adults. ComRes is a member of the British Polling Council and abides by its rules.

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 1

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Summary**Base: All respondents**

	Situations							
	A Muslim printer who refuses to print cartoons of the Prophet Mohammed	An atheist web designer who refuses to design a website promoting the view that God made the world in 6 days	An environmentalist marketing consultant who refuses to work for a company that wants to start fracking in your region	A Muslim film company which refuses to produce a pornographic film	A bakery run by Christians which refuses to take an order to make a cake celebrating Satanism	A t-shirt company owned by lesbians who decline to print T-shirts with a message describing gay marriage as an abomination	A printing company run by Roman Catholics which declines an order to produce adverts calling for abortion to be legalised	A bakery run by Christians which refuses to bake a cake with the words 'support gay marriage' on it
Unweighted base	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000
Weighted base	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000
Should be grounds for taking to court	213 11%	200 10%	176 9%	148 7%	217 11%	251 13%	300 15%	330 16%
Should not be grounds for taking to court	1360 68%	1395 70%	1391 70%	1503 75%	1390 70%	1358 68%	1261 63%	1302 65%
Don't know	427 21%	405 20%	433 22%	348 17%	393 20%	391 20%	440 22%	368 18%

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Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector		
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Weighted base	2000	974	1026	232	346	328	356	288	448	538	538	436	488	296	836
Should be grounds for taking to court	213 11%	130 13%	82 8%	27 12%	49 14%	29 9%	37 10%	31 11%	41 9%	58 11%	57 11%	52 12%	46 9%	38 13%	88 11%
Should not be grounds for taking to court	1360 68%	708 73%	651 64%	139 60%	193 56%	231 70%	250 70%	208 72%	339 76%	397 74%	355 66%	280 64%	327 67%	196 66%	555 66%
Don't know	427 21%	135 14%	292 28%	67 29%	104 30%	69 21%	69 19%	50 17%	68 15%	83 15%	126 23%	104 24%	114 23%	61 21%	193 23%

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Base: All respondents

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Should be grounds for taking to court	200 10%	109 11%	91 9%	29 13%	59 17%	31 9%	31 9%	16 5%	34 8%	72 13%	43 8%	41 9%	43 9%	38 13%	91 11%
Should not be grounds for taking to court	1395 70%	736 76%	658 64%	138 60%	201 58%	228 69%	261 73%	220 76%	346 77%	388 72%	370 69%	307 70%	329 68%	200 68%	568 68%
Don't know	405 20%	129 13%	277 27%	65 28%	86 25%	70 21%	64 18%	53 18%	68 15%	78 14%	124 23%	88 20%	115 24%	57 19%	177 21%

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Should be grounds for taking to court	200 10%	19 11%	11 11%	170 10%	6 8%	30 13%	20 12%	17 9%	11 8%	20 10%	27 10%	29 10%	9 5%	89 9%	19 16%	7 18%	3 28%	2 18%	- -	- -	7 18%	87 10%
Should not be grounds for taking to court	1395 70%	115 66%	70 69%	1209 70%	67 80%	159 69%	109 64%	125 70%	104 70%	136 70%	174 66%	196 70%	139 79%	728 73%	78 64%	23 56%	5 44%	6 73%	5 59%	12 90%	27 69%	568 68%
Don't know	405 20%	39 23%	21 20%	345 20%	11 13%	41 18%	41 24%	38 21%	32 22%	38 19%	63 24%	55 20%	28 16%	185 18%	24 20%	11 26%	3 28%	1 9%	3 41%	1 10%	5 13%	180 22%

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An environmentalist marketing consultant who refuses to work for a company that wants to start fracking in your region

Base: All respondents

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Should be grounds for taking to court	176 9%	114 12%	62 6%	24 10%	47 14%	29 9%	21 6%	25 9%	29 7%	47 9%	37 7%	55 13%	37 8%	37 13%	84 10%
Should not be grounds for taking to court	1391 70%	729 75%	662 65%	148 64%	209 60%	225 69%	248 70%	218 76%	342 76%	407 76%	371 69%	290 67%	323 66%	203 69%	553 66%
Don't know	433 22%	131 13%	301 29%	60 26%	90 26%	74 23%	87 24%	45 16%	77 17%	84 16%	131 24%	91 21%	128 26%	55 19%	199 24%

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	Region													To which of the following religious groups do you consider yourself to be a member of?								
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Should be grounds for taking to court	176 9%	17 10%	10 10%	149 9%	6 8%	23 10%	21 13%	15 9%	7 5%	13 7%	33 12%	20 7%	10 6%	90 9%	19 16%	11 27%	- -	1 10%	3 41%	- -	4 10%	62 7%
Should not be grounds for taking to court	1391 70%	119 68%	72 71%	1200 70%	67 80%	163 71%	111 66%	125 69%	106 72%	142 73%	158 60%	199 71%	129 73%	706 71%	85 70%	22 55%	7 65%	7 81%	5 59%	13 95%	31 78%	579 69%
Don't know	433 22%	38 22%	20 19%	375 22%	10 12%	44 19%	37 22%	40 22%	34 23%	39 20%	73 28%	60 22%	38 21%	205 20%	17 14%	7 18%	4 35%	1 9%	- -	1 5%	5 12%	195 23%

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A Muslim film company which refuses to produce a pornographic film

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Private
Unweighted base	2000	952	1048	192	315	344	364	296	489	625	599	301	475	280	786
Weighted base	2000	974	1026	232	346	328	356	288	448	538	538	436	488	296	836
Should be grounds for taking to court	148 7%	97 10%	51 5%	24 10%	42 12%	27 8%	20 5%	19 7%	16 4%	44 8%	36 7%	35 8%	32 7%	29 10%	77 9%
Should not be grounds for taking to court	1503 75%	762 78%	742 72%	156 67%	225 65%	241 73%	271 76%	230 80%	380 85%	420 78%	396 74%	327 75%	360 74%	216 73%	601 72%
Don't know	348 17%	116 12%	233 23%	52 22%	80 23%	60 18%	66 18%	39 13%	52 12%	73 14%	106 20%	73 17%	96 20%	51 17%	158 19%

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A Muslim film company which refuses to produce a pornographic film

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Should not be grounds for taking to court	1503 75%	117 68%	74 72%	1312 76%	67 79%	180 78%	127 75%	141 79%	116 78%	148 77%	183 69%	205 73%	145 83%	781 78%	98 81%	33 81%	6 56%	6 73%	8 100%	13 95%	32 81%	603 72%
Don't know	348 17%	40 23%	21 20%	288 17%	7 9%	37 16%	29 17%	26 14%	27 18%	29 15%	55 21%	51 18%	27 15%	150 15%	14 11%	4 9%	4 35%	1 17%	-	1 5%	4 10%	171 20%

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A bakery run by Christians which refuses to take an order to make a cake celebrating Satanism

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector		
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Unweighted base	2000	952	1048	192	315	344	364	296	489	625	599	301	475	280	786
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Should be grounds for taking to court	217 11%	124 13%	93 9%	36 15%	72 21%	31 9%	38 11%	15 5%	25 6%	71 13%	51 9%	40 9%	56 11%	48 16%	92 11%
Should not be grounds for taking to court	1390 70%	718 74%	672 66%	132 57%	184 53%	232 71%	254 71%	228 79%	361 81%	387 72%	369 69%	308 71%	326 67%	194 66%	566 68%
Don't know	393 20%	133 14%	261 25%	64 28%	91 26%	66 20%	64 18%	46 16%	62 14%	80 15%	118 22%	88 20%	107 22%	54 18%	178 21%

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A t-shirt company owned by lesbians who decline to print T-shirts with a message describing gay marriage as an abomination

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Should not be grounds for taking to court	1358 68%	693 71%	665 65%	139 60%	207 60%	233 71%	246 69%	208 72%	324 72%	403 75%	356 66%	292 67%	307 63%	204 69%	554 66%
Don't know	391 20%	131 13%	260 25%	58 25%	90 26%	61 19%	72 20%	41 14%	69 15%	69 13%	115 21%	88 20%	119 24%	55 19%	172 21%

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Should not be grounds for taking to court	1261 63%	661 68%	599 58%	109 47%	172 50%	215 65%	238 67%	205 71%	322 72%	365 68%	335 62%	257 59%	303 62%	180 61%	517 62%
Don't know	440 22%	146 15%	293 29%	65 28%	98 28%	79 24%	74 21%	51 18%	73 16%	77 14%	129 24%	119 27%	115 24%	61 21%	192 23%

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Should not be grounds for taking to court	1261 63%	96 55%	67 65%	1098 64%	60 72%	149 65%	102 60%	107 59%	99 67%	134 69%	151 57%	174 62%	123 70%	687 69%	78 64%	23 57%	4 38%	6 67%	4 44%	12 90%	29 73%	475 57%
Don't know	440 22%	44 25%	22 22%	374 22%	14 17%	45 20%	39 23%	42 23%	37 25%	35 18%	64 24%	65 23%	33 19%	193 19%	21 18%	5 12%	5 46%	2 22%	3 41%	1 5%	5 13%	210 25%

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Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Private
Unweighted base	2000	952	1048	192	315	344	364	296	489	625	599	301	475	280	786
Weighted base	2000	974	1026	232	346	328	356	288	448	538	538	436	488	296	836
Should be grounds for taking to court	330 16%	167 17%	162 16%	72 31%	87 25%	50 15%	47 13%	30 10%	45 10%	104 19%	90 17%	60 14%	75 15%	67 23%	137 16%
Should not be grounds for taking to court	1302 65%	691 71%	611 60%	97 42%	177 51%	216 66%	242 68%	220 76%	350 78%	361 67%	333 62%	300 69%	308 63%	182 61%	530 63%
Don't know	368 18%	116 12%	252 25%	63 27%	82 24%	62 19%	68 19%	39 14%	53 12%	73 13%	115 21%	75 17%	105 22%	47 16%	169 20%

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	Region													To which of the following religious groups do you consider yourself to be a member of?								
	Total	Scotland	Wales	NET: England	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humber-side	West Midlands	East Midlands	Eastern	London	South East	South West	Christian	NET: Other	Muslim	Hindu	Jewish	Sikh	Buddhist	Other	None
Unweighted base	2000	181	110	1709	89	213	196	165	130	211	244	277	184	1018	115	37	13	9	4	13	39	825
Weighted base	2000	174	102	1724	84	230	170	180	148	194	264	280	176	1001	122	40	11	9	8	13	40	835
Should be grounds for taking to court	330 16%	45 26%	16 16%	269 16%	10 12%	37 16%	25 15%	28 16%	13 9%	33 17%	39 15%	50 18%	32 18%	108 11%	24 20%	9 22%	4 32%	1 8%	3 36%	1 5%	7 18%	194 23%
Should not be grounds for taking to court	1302 65%	99 57%	66 65%	1137 66%	63 75%	158 69%	115 68%	114 64%	102 69%	127 66%	162 62%	176 63%	119 68%	734 73%	81 67%	24 59%	5 40%	7 83%	5 64%	12 90%	28 71%	465 56%
Don't know	368 18%	30 17%	20 19%	318 18%	11 13%	35 15%	29 17%	37 21%	33 22%	33 17%	62 24%	53 19%	25 14%	159 16%	17 14%	8 19%	3 28%	1 9%	-	1 5%	4 11%	176 21%