

NAME OF PLACE: _____

INTERVIEWER'S EVALUATION

1. How helpful or of how much assistance to you was the official and his/her staff responsible for maintaining the registration files and voting records in

	Very Helpful (1)	Somewhat Helpful (2)	Not Very Helpful (3)	Not Helpful At All (4)
a. answering your questions?				
b. providing you with re- quested materials?				
c. assisting you in checking individual registration and voting records?				

2. If you answered (3) or (4) to any of the above, please explain:

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

3. Were the registration records in (NAME OF PLACE) available?

1. All records available	2. Most records available	3. Only a few re- cords available	4. No records available
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4. Generally, in what condition did the registration records here appear to be? For instance, were the records organized in an efficient manner, maintained in an orderly state, and kept in a safe place?

1. Excellent	2. Good	3. Fair	4. Poor
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5. How were the registration records here maintained -- by computer or by hand (including typewriter)?

1. By computer	5. By hand or typed	7. Other, specify: _____ _____
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6. Generally, how "complete" were the individual registration records in (NAME OF PLACE)? For instance, were the records missing pieces of information which they were supposed to have or in any other way incomplete?

1. Very
complete

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2. Somewhat
complete



3. Somewhat
incomplete



4. Very
incomplete



7. Why do you say so? _____

8. Were the voting records in (NAME OF PLACE) available?

1. All records
available

2. Most records
available

3. Only a few re-
cords available

4. No records
available

9. Generally, in what condition did the voting records here appear to be? For instance, were the records organized in an efficient manner, maintained in an orderly state, and kept in a safe place?

1. Excellent

2. Good

3. Fair

4. Poor

10. How were the voting records here maintained -- by computer or by hand (including typewriter)?

1. By computer

5. By hand or typed

7. Other, specify: _____

11. Generally, how "complete" were the individual voting records in (NAME OF PLACE)? For instance, were the records missing pieces of information which they were supposed to have or in any other way incomplete?

1. Very
complete

GO TO 13

2. Somewhat
complete



3. Somewhat
incomplete



4. Very
incomplete



12. Why do you say so? _____

13. Were the registration and voting records maintained in the same office, or in the same location but in different offices, or in two or more different locations?

1. Same office

3. Same location,
different offices

5. Two or more dif-
ferent locations

14. Did the records appear to have been heavily used -- including written notes, corrections and other adjustments -- or did they appear to have been new records?

1. Heavily used

3. Not heavily used

5. New records

INDIVIDUAL VOTER RECORD

Respondent's Label

Interviewer's Label

1. Was there a voter registration record available for the person whose name is on this label?

1. Yes

3. No, registration
not required

5. No record
available

- 2A. In which ward and/or precinct
did this person reside?

Ward Precinct

- 2B. In which ward and/or precinct
did this person reside?

Ward Precinct

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3. Was this person registered, or otherwise eligible, to vote in the November 2, 1976 general election?

1. Yes

5. No

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4. Which political party was this person registered as belonging to?

1. Democratic

3. "Independent"

5. Republican

7. Other, specify:

2. "Uncommitted"

6. Record does not indicate
political preference

5. When did this person first register to vote?

Month Day Year

99. Information
not available

6. What was the recorded date of birth for this person?

Month Day Year

99. Not recorded

7. Did this person's name appear on a list, file card, or some other record indicating eligibility to vote on November 2, 1976? (Make sure you check all possible voting files.)

1. Yes,
active file

3. Yes,
inactive file

5. No

8. Does the record indicate that this person did vote in the November 2, 1976 general election?

1. Yes, did vote

5. No, did not vote

GO TO 10

9. Did this person vote in person or was an absentee ballot used in the November, 1976 general election?

1. In person

5. Absentee
ballot

8. Method of voting not
indicated on record

10. Was this person registered, or otherwise eligible, to vote in the November 5, 1974 general election?

1. Yes

2. Eligible to vote, regis-
tration not required

5. No

GO TO 14

11. Did this person's name appear on a list, file card, or some other record indicating eligibility to vote on November 5, 1974? (Make sure you check all possible voting files.)

1. Yes,
active file

3. Yes,
inactive file

5. No

GO TO 14

12. Does the record indicate that this person did vote in the November 5, 1974 general election?

1. Yes, did vote

5. No, did not vote

GO TO 14

13. Did this person vote in person or use an absentee ballot in the November, 1974 election?

1. In person

5. Absentee
ballot

8. Method of voting not
indicated on record

14. Was this person registered, or otherwise eligible, to vote in the November 7, 1972 general election?

1. Yes

2. Eligible to vote, regis-
tration not required

5. No

GO TO 18

15. Did this person's name appear on a list, file card, or some other record indicating eligibility to vote on November 2, 1976? (Make sure you check all possible voting files.)

1. Yes
active file

3. Yes,
inactive file

5. No

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16. Does the record indicate that this person did vote in the November 7, 1972 general election?

1. Yes, did vote

5. No, did not vote

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NAME OF PLACE: _____

Interviewer's Label

CHECKLIST OF ITEMS TO BE COLLECTED

Col- lected	Used but not Avail- able	Not Used
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1. VOTER REGISTRATION

a. Obtain a copy of a booklet or information sheet which lists the requirements a citizen in (NAME OF PLACE) must meet to be able to register to vote.

b. Also pick up a copy of the form(s) used to register voters.

2. INSTRUCTIONS FOR DEPUTY/TEMPORARY REGISTRARS

a. If deputy or temporary registrars are used in (NAME OF PLACE), try to obtain a list of the qualifications and a description of any training necessary to qualify for the position.

b. Also try to get a copy of any rules and/or procedures which deputy or temporary registrars must follow.

3. REGISTRATION FIGURES

Try to get a copy of a document with the number of people preferably by precinct, or ward if there are no precincts, who were registered to vote in the November, 1976 general election.

4. INSTRUCTIONS FOR VOTERS

Pick up any booklets, pamphlets, printed or mimeographed materials available for or mailed to registered voters which were intended to instruct or assist the voters or give them information about the November, 1976 general election.

5. ABSENTEE BALLOTS

a. Collect copies of the rules and/or procedures for obtaining an absentee ballot in (NAME OF PLACE) and any instructions given to the voters about preparing and casting (voting) their absentee ballot.

b. Also obtain a copy of the form a voter in (NAME OF PLACE) must complete in order to apply for an absentee ballot.

6. INSTRUCTIONS FOR HANDICAPPED OR ELDERLY OR NON-ENGLISH SPEAKING PERSONS

If there are any in (NAME OF PLACE), pick up a copy of the special regulations or procedures and/or a description of the special facilities used to assist handicapped or elderly or non-English speaking voters to register to vote and/or cast their ballot.

7. INSTRUCTIONS FOR POLLING PLACE OFFICIALS

a. Try to obtain a list of the qualifications necessary to become a poll official in (NAME OF PLACE).

b. Also try to get a copy of any rules and/or procedures which the poll officials must follow.

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Determine if there are any requirements a person in (NAME OF PLACE) must meet to qualify as a poll "watcher" or "challenger." If so, obtain a copy of them. [A poll watcher or challenger is someone assigned, usually by a political party, to watch the official proceedings at the polling place and challenge--or question--the credentials and/or any actions taken by either a voter or a polling place official which seem improper or illegal. They may also be there to record the names of the voters for their political party.]

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Try to obtain the "sample" ballot(s) for the general election held on November 2, 1976. A sample ballot may be either a copy of a paper ballot, a facsimile of the ballot that would appear in a voting machine, or an absentee ballot, or any combination of these different forms.

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If they are conveniently assembled in one or a few pamphlets or printed sheets, pick up copies of any local or state regulations which pertain to the conduct of elections in (NAME OF PLACE). In some areas the actual texts of the regulations may not be available but the Officer or Clerk may be able to give you the "citation" (where they can be found) to the statutes. Please record this information:

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Get a copy of the map(s) which display the boundaries of the local election districts as they existed in November, 1976. Local election districts are the smallest units used in the administration of elections and tabulation of the votes. Usually they are wards and/or precincts. They are not necessarily the boundaries for every political office--e.g., state representative, county commissioner, and the like.

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Obtain a list of each polling place and its address within the jurisdiction of (NAME OF PLACE) which was used in the November, 1976 general election.

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Try to get a copy of a document with the final election results for the November, 1976 general election for each precinct (or ward if there are no precincts) in (NAME OF PLACE).

NONINTERVIEW FORM FOR

POST-ELECTION STUDY


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<input type="checkbox"/> 51. REF (R)	<input type="checkbox"/> 61. NOCAT (DR)
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<input type="checkbox"/> 53. REF (U)	<input type="checkbox"/> 63. NIP (DR)
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DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE



 <p>SURVEY RESEARCH CENTER INSTITUTE FOR SOCIAL RESEARCH THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN 48106</p>	FIRST POST-ELECTION INTERVIEWER'S LABEL
	FOLLOW-UP INTERVIEWER'S LABEL

NR1. Total number of calls _____ NR2. Date of last call _____

NR3. Primary Area _____

NR4. Address or description _____

NR5. Post Office _____ State _____ Zip _____

NR6. Name of Respondent, if known _____

NR7. ENTER ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION NECESSARY TO MAKE ABOVE ADDRESS A MAILABLE ADDRESS, IF RESPONDENT NAME IS NOT KNOWN. (Family name in unnumbered apartments, family name and route number in rural areas, box number, etc.)

NR8. Enter here the 1976 pre-election interview number (the 4 digit number written in red pencil on the pre-election portion of the cover sheet in the box marked for office use only.)

NR9. Has respondent moved?

1. YES

TURN TO NR10

5. NO

TURN TO NR11

NR10. New Address: (include phone number if known)

1976
post

SEE INSTRUCTION BOOK ON FOLLOWING MOVERS

INSTRUCTED TO FOLLOW



INSTRUCTED NOT TO FOLLOW

RETURN THIS FORM WITH
COVER SHEET TO FIELD OFFICE

NR11. Is reason for noninterview a permanent condition?

1. YES



5. NO

→ GO TO NR12

NR11a. What is this condition?

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1. R DECEASED

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2. LANGUAGE (WHAT LANGUAGE?):

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3. MENTAL OR PHYSICAL CONDITION (DESCRIBE):

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4. MOVED OUT OF RANGE (If new address or phone number is known give in NR10.)

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5. OTHER (DESCRIBE):

NR12. Describe in detail the reasons an interview was not taken.

**IF UNABLE TO GAIN ACCESS what attempts were made? (Try to obtain names, addresses and phone numbers of persons to contact re: gaining access.)

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