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Interview dates: June 4-8, 2009
Interviews: 1000 adults (general population of adults)
505 Hispanic adults
Margin of error: ± 3.1 for the general population
: ± 4.36 for Hispanics

**Ipsos/McClatchy Poll
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NOTE: all results shown are percentages unless otherwise labeled.

General Population: These are some of the findings of an Ipsos poll conducted June 4-8, 2009. For the survey, a nationally representative, randomly selected sample of exactly 1000 adults aged 18 and older across the United States was interviewed by Ipsos. With a sample of this size, the results are considered accurate within 3.1 percentage points, 19 times out of 20, of what they would have been had the entire adult population in the U.S. been polled.

Hispanics: These are some of the findings of an Ipsos poll conducted May 28 – June 8 with a nationally representative sample of 505 Hispanics aged 18 and older, interviewed by telephone via Ipsos' U.S. Hispanic Omnibus. With a sample of this size, the results are considered accurate within 4.36 percentage points, 19 times out of 20, of what they would have been had the entire adult population of Hispanics in the U.S. been polled.

All sample surveys and polls may be subject to other sources of error, including, but not limited to coverage error, and measurement error. These data were weighted to ensure that the sample's composition reflects that of the actual U.S. population according to U.S. Census figures. Respondents had the option to be interviewed in English or Spanish.

SOTOMAYOR'S SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

- As you may have heard, President Obama has nominated Sonia Sotomayor, a federal appeals court justice, to the U.S. Supreme Court. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of Supreme Court nominee Sonia Sotomayor, or haven't you heard enough yet to have an opinion?

	<u>Gen Pop</u>	<u>Hispanics</u>
Favorable.....	29	51
Unfavorable.....	14	4
Haven't heard enough yet to have an opinion.....	55	44
(Not sure).....	2	1

	<u>Democrats</u>	<u>Independents</u>	<u>Republicans</u>
Favorable.....	42	22	11
Unfavorable.....	4	11	33
Haven't heard enough yet to have an opinion.....	54	59	56
(Not sure).....	1	7	1

2a. Do you think the Senate should or should not vote to confirm Sonia Sotomayor as a Supreme Court justice?

(IF "SHOULD VOTE TO CONFIRM" TO Q.2a, Q.2b ASKED. IF "SHOULD NOT VOTE TO CONFIRM" TO Q.2a, Q.2c ASKED)

2b. Do you feel strongly or not strongly that the Senate should vote to confirm Sonia Sotomayor to Supreme Court justice?

2c. Do you feel strongly or not strongly that the Senate should not vote to confirm Sonia Sotomayor to Supreme Court justice?

	<u>Gen Pop</u>	<u>Hispanics</u>
Should vote to confirm, strongly.....	40	64
Should vote to confirm, not strongly.....	13	10
Should not vote to confirm, strongly.....	14	6
Should not vote to confirm, not so strongly.....	7	3
(Not sure).....	26	18
Total Vote to Confirm.....	54	74
Total Vote not to Confirm.....	21	9

	<u>Democrats</u>	<u>Independents</u>	<u>Republicans</u>
Should vote to confirm, strongly.....	57	27	21
Should vote to confirm, not strongly.....	16	14	8
Should not vote to confirm, strongly.....	5	13	27
Should not vote to confirm, not so strongly..	3	6	14
(Not sure).....	18	40	30
Total Vote to Confirm.....	74	41	29
Total Vote not to Confirm.....	8	19	41

3. If Senate Republicans overwhelmingly oppose the nomination of Sonia Sotomayor to the United States Supreme Court, what effect, if any, will this have on your favorability toward the Republican party? Will you: Feel much more favorably toward the Republican party, feel somewhat more favorably, will it make no difference, feel somewhat less favorably or feel much less favorably toward the Republican party?

	<u>Gen Pop</u>	<u>Hispanics</u>
Much more favorably.....	10	8
Somewhat more favorably.....	13	12
Makes no difference.....	31	28
Somewhat less favorably.....	17	15
Much less favorably.....	20	27
(Not sure).....	8	10
Total More Favorably.....	24	20
Total Less Favorably.....	37	42

	<u>Democrats</u>	<u>Independents</u>	<u>Republicans</u>
Much more favorably.....	6	5	20
Somewhat more favorably.....	11	14	17
Makes no difference.....	27	35	36
Somewhat less favorably.....	17	22	14
Much less favorably.....	32	11	6
(Not sure).....	7	13	7
Total More Favorably.....	17	19	36
Total Less Favorably.....	49	33	20