



ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY  
 23. \*Do you think you could GENUINELY say you are poor now? —

- X Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.24  
 Y all the time } ASK Q.23(a)  
 PROMPT AND CODE 0 sometimes }  
 ONE ONLY 1 never } SKIP TO Q.24  
 2 DK }

- (a) Do you feel poor at any of these times or in any of these situations?  
 3 at weekends  
 4 mid-week  
 5 at Christmas  
 PROMPT AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY  
 6 with some of your friends  
 7 with some of your relatives  
 8 with some of the people round here  
 9 other (SPECIFY)

[Empty box for specifying other situations]

FOR CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY  
 24. (a) There's been a lot of talk about poverty. Do you think there's such a thing as REAL poverty these days? \*

- Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.25  
 yes  
 no  
 DK

(b) What would you describe as poverty?

WRITE IN ANSWER —

*I think in a pauper it takes me all my time to live with this 30% a week for rent to pay. (D) Not having enough money to buy what you need.*

(c) Would you say that if people are in poverty its mainly

- X - their own fault?  
 Y - the Government's fault?  
 0 - the fault of their education?  
 1 - the fault of industry not providing the right jobs?  
 2 - anything else? (SPECIFY)  
 3 - a combination of (some of) these?  
 4 - none of these?  
 5 DK

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER AND HOUSEWIFE ABOUT ALL AGED 23 AND OVER  
 25. Do you mind telling me if you voted in the last General Election (I don't mean who you voted for, just whether you voted)? \*

- CODE ALL AGED 23 & OVER  
 yes, voted  
 no  
 DK  
 DNA

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY  
 26. If there is poverty what do you think can be done about it? nothing DK

WRITE IN ANSWER —

*If you're ill and can't work for your self there's nothing else anyone can do to help.*

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**QUESTION 23 Poor now**

Stress genuinely and try to avoid facetiousness at this point. Question 23 (a) explores what the informant understands by feeling "poor". If the word "poor" seems inappropriate use the alternative "very hard up".

**QUESTION 24 Poverty**

Stress the word "poverty". Do not explain what you think it means if you are asked. Seek from the informant his definition and write it in the box as clearly as you can.

**QUESTION 25 Voting**

Ask for those old enough to have voted in the last election (March 1965). We are not concerned who they voted for (although they will probably say) but would like to know if they are sufficiently involved to vote at all. Be careful to reassure people that this is confidential and as far as you are concerned non-voting is blameless—many people consider that voting is legally compulsory or morally obligatory and so voting figures are over-estimated. Try to get a clear recollection by fixing the incident (time of day, who they went with) if necessary. Stress **National**, not local elections.

**QUESTION 26 Action on poverty**

We are interested in what the informant thinks can be done. Give as full an answer as possible.

**Please write in any additional notes.**

24 e) Inf said ~~if~~ they do not have ill-health!

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/23. How do you think you are poor?

PROMPT ONE

(a) Do you feel poor or in any of these?

PROMPT AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

FOR CHIEF WAGE EARNER/24. (a) There's been poverty. Do you think as REAL poverty?

(b) What would you describe?

WRITE IN ANSWER

I think in all my life a week for enough money to

(c) Would you say that if

X - the fault is the Govt  
 Y - the fault is the fault of the fault  
 Z - anything else

PROMPT AND CODE 1 - anything else 2 - anything else

3 - a combination  
 4 - none of them  
 5 - D

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER AND HOW DO YOU MIND TALKING ME General Election (I don't just mean you voted?)

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/26. If there is poverty what can be done about it?

WRITE IN ANSWER

I spent all my time working a day.