

**VIEWPOINTS RESEARCH (WEIGHTED N = 602)**

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GENDER: Male ..... 48.3%

Female..... 51.7%

REGION Regina ..... 18.4%

Saskatoon ..... 19.7%

Other ..... 61.9%

I am going to read you some statements which others have made about decisions made by the provincial government. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree. **ROTATE**

		STR AGREE	AGREE	DIS- AGREE	STR DIS- AGREE	DK/ REF	MEAN
Q1	If big resource companies, such as the Potash Corporation of Saskatchewan, move head office jobs out of the province, these companies should pay higher royalties to compensate the province for lost jobs.	30.2%	48.9%	14.5%	1.6%	4.9%	0.96
Q2	The Saskatchewan government should raise the minimum wage, which is now \$9.25 an hour, because prices are rising and it is difficult for people earning minimum wage to make ends meet.	27.8%	44.1%	20.4%	4.2%	3.4%	0.73
Q3	The government should increase royalty rates on potash, oil and other natural resources so that Saskatchewan people receive more benefits from these valuable resources.	16.9%	50.0%	21.1%	2.9%	9.2%	0.63
Q4	The government is not doing enough to ensure that, while our economy grows, Saskatchewan remains affordable for ordinary families.	10.4%	45.9%	35.5%	4.0%	4.2%	0.24