



**Surveys in September 1997 of US Governors...**

It is worth pointing out that with one exception, all those replying from the United States answered either “1” or “10” to all three sections of question 18 – the result was almost a balance but that was 9 years ago and the most telling point was that opinions were polarised. It is intended that these will be updated on their 10 th Anniversary, by which time 9/11 will have a short historical perspective.

**Summary of replies received from survey in September 1997 :**

- a) US State Governors and US Senators - Response rate – 38%
- b) Members of Parliament and the House of Lords - Response rate – 65%

1) Do you think the World is a safer place as a result of the end of the Cold war?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.50</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.80</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

2) Do you think that the nuclear non-proliferation agreements will work in perpetuity?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>8.50</b>	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>7.73</b>	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

3) Do you think that there is <b>any</b> likelihood of any country which is at present non-nuclear ever obtaining nuclear weapons?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	<b>2.00</b>	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	<b>2.93</b>	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

4) Do you think that there is <b>any</b> likelihood of nuclear weapons finding their way into the hands of terrorists?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	<b>1.75</b>	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	<b>3.53</b>	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

5) Do you believe that the United Nations has helped maintain global peace since its formation?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	<b>6.75</b>	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.00</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

6) Do you believe that the UN is sufficiently autonomous as an enforcement body?													
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a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	<b>6.75</b>	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>5.20</b>	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

7) Do you believe that the UN has sufficient power and “teeth” to act when it should?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>7.50</b>	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>7.40</b>	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

8) Do you think that the UN could be improved in any way? Please feel free to give examples if you wish.													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	<b>1.75</b>	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	<b>2.61</b>	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

9) Do you believe that the old Soviet Bloc is now a stable political union of independent sovereign states?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	<b>9.00</b>	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	<b>9.07</b>	10	<b>NO</b>

10) Do you think that there is <b>any</b> risk of Communism again dominating the Old Soviet Union by fear or force?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.50</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	<b>6.13</b>	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

11) Do you think there is <b>any</b> risk of Communism dominating the old Soviet Union in the way that it did previously, but through the ballot box, having been democratically elected?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.25</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>5.57</b>	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

12) Do you agree with the statement that “ America acts as World Policeman”?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.00</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.43</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

13) If so, do you believe that America is a successful World Policeman?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>5.75</b>	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.57</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

14) If so, do you believe that it is right that America should shoulder the burden of being World Policeman?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	<b>6.00</b>	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>5.64</b>	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

15) If so, do you believe that America is sufficiently recognized for her role as World Policeman?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>8.00</b>	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>5.08</b>	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

16) If so, would you like to see a viable alternative to America as World Policeman?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	<b>2.25</b>	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>5.84</b>	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

17) Do you believe that there <b>could</b> be a viable alternative to America as World Policeman?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.00</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.71</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

18) Do you think that the American people would continue to tolerate their country acting as World Policeman in the way that they do now, if:													
a) their home land was attacked or invaded													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.60</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>7.46</b>	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b) their economy and living standards were threatened by their actions as World Policeman													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>5.00</b>	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>8.23</b>	9	10	<b>NO</b>
c) the body bag count rose dramatically													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	<b>6.40</b>	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>8.57</b>	9	10	<b>NO</b>

19) Do you sleep easy in your bed, securely in the knowledge that the horrors of 1914/18 and 1939/45 are behind us <b>never</b> to be repeated?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>8.50</b>	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>7.73</b>	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

20) Do you believe that there could <b>ever</b> be another conflict on the scale of the two World Wars, either in terms of total deaths or duration?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	<b>2.25</b>	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	<b>3.60</b>	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

21) Do you believe that the present world order and deterrents to war will be sufficient to guarantee "peace" for say, another 100 years?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>8.25</b>	9	10	<b>NO</b>

b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>7.42</b>	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
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22) If so, do you believe that it is right that America should shoulder the burden of being World Policeman?

a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	<b>6.00</b>	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>5.64</b>	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

23) If so, do you believe that America is sufficiently recognized for her role as World Policeman?

a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>8.00</b>	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>5.08</b>	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

24) If so, would you like to see a viable alternative to America as World Policeman?

a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	<b>2.25</b>	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>5.84</b>	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

25) Do you believe that there **could** be a viable alternative to America as World Policeman?

a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.00</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.71</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

26) Do you think that the American people would continue to tolerate their country acting as World Policeman in the way that they do now, if:

- their home land was attacked or invaded

a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	<b>4.60</b>	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>7.46</b>	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

- their economy and living standards were threatened by their actions as World Policeman

a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>5.00</b>	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>8.23</b>	9	10	<b>NO</b>

- the body bag count rose dramatically

a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	<b>6.40</b>	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>8.57</b>	9	10	<b>NO</b>

27) Do you sleep easy in your bed, securely in the knowledge that the horrors of 1914/18 and 1939/45 are behind us **never** to be repeated?

a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>8.50</b>	9	10	<b>NO</b>
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b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>7.73</b>	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>
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b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	<b>3.60</b>	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>

29) Do you believe that the present world order and deterrents to war will be sufficient to guarantee "peace" for sat, another 100 years?													
a)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<b>8.25</b>	9	10	<b>NO</b>
b)	<b>YES</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	<b>7.42</b>	8	9	10	<b>NO</b>