

Budget – Affordability of National’s Proposed Tax Cuts

“National has been talking about making the average worker \$50 a week better off – about three times what Labour is offering. Do you think National will be able to make this type of tax cut if it wins the next General Election?”

	24-29 May 2008
Yes	42%
No	47%
Don't know	11%
TOTAL	100%

Base: n=1,000 New Zealanders, 24th – 29th May, 2008

- Those who were more apt to feel that National would be able to deliver its proposed tax cuts included:
 - National Party supporters (63%) versus Labour Party supporters (19%)
 - Males (49%) versus Females (36%)
 - Those living in main urban areas (44%) versus those living in non-main urban areas (37%)
- Those more likely to say National would not be able to deliver on this, numbered:
 - Those aged 55 and over (56%) versus younger voters (43%)
 - Household with less than \$30,000 income (61%) versus those over this income level (45%)