TABLE 19

CHANGE IN LIKELIHOOD OF A COMFORTABLE RETIREMENT COMPARED WITH 5 YEARS AGO

	Feb 2022	Mar 2022	Apr 2022	May 2022	Jun 2022	Jul 2022	Aug 2022	Sep 2022	Oct 2022	Nov 2022	Dec 2022	Jan 2023	Feb 2023
GONE UP	27%	23%	27%	25%	20%	20%	19%	18%	20%	19%	18%	19%	21%
STAY THE SAME	42	46	43	40	39	40	40	46	45	39	45	46	43
GONE DOWN	30	30	29	34	40	39	39	35	33	41	35	34	35
DK, NA	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	1
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
CASES	600	602	600	601	602	601	602	601	600	602	600	600	602
INDEX SCORE	97	93	98	91	80	81	80	83	87	78	83	85	86

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THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES

All	98	97	96	94	90	84	80	81	83	83	83	82	85
Age 18 to 44	103	103	102	102	98	91	86	86	89	87	85	84	89
Age 45 to 64	95	97	97	89	81	74	72	75	76	75	74	75	78
Age 65+	93	89	87	90	89	86	83	84	85	86	88	88	89
Income Bottom Third	77	76	78	79	78	73	68	71	77	78	77	74	81
Income Middle Third	93	94	92	90	85	80	77	77	77	76	75	73	74
Income Top Third	123	120	117	113	106	98	94	94	95	94	96	99	101
Educ High School or Less	82	86	90	91	89	84	77	76	76	74	74	75	81
Educ Some College	89	89	81	76	70	69	69	73	78	77	76	69	72
Educ College Degree	109	106	106	103	99	91	87	89	90	90	91	92	93
Democrat	113	114	111	108	106	102	100	98	100	101	104	99	99
Independent	94	90	91	89	86	81	78	80	81	80	79	80	85
Republican	84	88	88	86	76	68	63	66	68	68	67	68	68

The question was: "Compared with 5 years ago, do you think the chances that you (and your husband/wife) will have a comfortable retirement have gone up, gone down, or remained about the same?"

*: Less than half of one percent. Index Score is the percent favorable minus the percent unfavorable plus 100