# Questionnaire for the Survey over Inhabitants (Slovak Case) 

## \{the information about ID of the respondent and time of interview are on the first page\}

A. Basic Information:

1. Gender:1) Male2) Female
2. When Were You Born? $\qquad$ (Month) $\qquad$ ( Year)
3. Educational Level:
1) Incomplete primary2) elementary
2) high school(without certificate, skilled worker)
3) high school (with certificate)
4) college(undergraduate)
5) college(master)
6) Phd or above
7) others $\qquad$9) missing
4. Occupation:1) full-time employee(in management position, executives)
2) full-time employee(in non-management position, subordinate)
3) part-time job
4) self-employed
5) freelancer
6) helping family member
7) unemployed8) student
8) pensioner10) on maternity leave
$\square$ 11) permanently stay at home
9) others99) missing
5. Length of living in a given city/town: $\qquad$ (Years)
6. Income I: (Euro) Individual0) 01) $1-149$2) 150-3493) $350-549$4) $550-749$5) 750-9496) $950-1149$7) 1150-13498) 1350-15499) 1550-174910) 1750-194911) 1950-214912) 2150 or more97) Refused98) Don’t know99) missing
7. Income II: (Euro)Family

| $\square$ 1) | under 350 |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ 2) | $350-649$ |
| $\square$ 3) | $650-949$ |
| $\square$ 4) | $950-1249$ |
| $\square$ 5) | $1250-1549$ |
| $\square 6)$ | $1550-1849$ |
| $\square 7)$ | $1850-2149$ |
| $\square 8)$ | $2150-2449$ |
| $\square 9)$ | $2450-2749$ |
| $\square$ 10) | $2750-3049$ |
| $\square$ 11) | $3050-3449$ |
| $\square$ 12) | 3450 or more |
| $\square$ 97) | Refused |
| $\square$ 98) | Don' t know |
| $\square$ 99) | missing |

8. According to your perception, which stratum do you belong to in your city/town?
1) Upper $\square$ 2) Upper middle $\qquad$ 3) Middle $\qquad$ 4) Lower middle $\qquad$ 5) Lower

## B. Diversification and Participation of Personal/Social Activities

9-16. How often do you attend the following activities when you have free time?

|  | Often | Sometimes | Rarely | Not at all |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 9. Cinema | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ |
| 10. Theater | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ |
| 11. Concert | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ |
| 12. Dancing, <br> Singing, <br> Playing <br> a musical <br> instrument | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ |
| 13. Sports | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ |
| 14. Sight-Seeing | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ |
| 15. Museum, <br> exhibition | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ |
| 16. Learning | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ |

17. How do you think about the general situation of today's social activities (referring to Q9-Q16), when comparing with five /six years ago or before SK entered the EU?1) More diversified and abundant2) The same situation3) Less diversified and abundant
4) Difficult to say
18. Do you attend more social activities (referring to Q9-Q16) these five/six years (or since SK entered the EU) than before?1) Yes, more actively than before. (jump to Q20)2) No, less actively than before. (go on Q19)3) The same as before (go on Q19)4) Difficult to say (go on Q19)
19. If you seldom attend the social activities (referring to Q9-Q16) or attend less than before or the same as before, what are the possible reasons? (You can have more than one choice.)1) Too busy.2) The quality of activities is poor.3) Information is insufficient.4) The cost is high.5) No interest.6) Others, $\qquad$
C. The Organizations and Members of Voluntary Civic Associations

20-29. Do you belong to the following groups or associations?

|  | Belong and actively participate | Belong but don't participate | Used to belong | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Never } \\ \text { belonged } \end{array}$ | Can't choose |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 20. A political party | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 21. A trade union | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 22. A business or professional association | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 23. A religious organization | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 24.A sports or leisure group | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 25.A cultural group | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 26.A group for social care activities, a charity organization | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { 27.A group for } \\ \text { environment } \\ \text { protection } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 28.A group for designing and practicing the regional and/or local development | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 29.Another voluntary association: (please specify | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |

30. Do you know any NPOs/NGOs which are active in your city/town?
$\square 1$ ) Yes (Please raise its/their name/s $\qquad$ ) $\square$ 2) No

## D. Environment of Community Life

31. Have your living conditions been improved or not these five/six years or since SK entered the EU?
$\square$ 1) Become better greatly
$\square$ 2) Become better to some extent
3) No remarkable change
4) Become worse greatly
$\square$ 5) Become worse to some extent
32-36. Have your working conditions (if you do not work, working conditions in SR generally) been improved or not these five/six years or since SK entered the EU?

|  | Much better | Better | No remarkable <br> change | Worse | Much <br> worse | Can't <br> choose |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 32.Income | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 33.Working time | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 34.Work-related <br> troubles , job security | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 35. Work welfare | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 36.Human relations at <br> work | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |

37. Do you think that difference in economic life (material conditions) among inhabitants have increased or decreased these five/six years or since SK entered the EU?
1) Increased greatly
2) Increased to some extent
3) No remarkable change4) Decreased to some extent
$\square$ 5) Decreased greatly

38-46. What should be improved in your city/town?

|  | Much more | To some extent | Already satisfied | Can't choose |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 38. Infrastructure | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 8$ |
| 39. Social care | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 8$ |
| 40. Medical care | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 8$ |
| 41. Education | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 8$ |
| 42. Employment <br> conditions | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 8$ |
| 43. Ethnic relations | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 8$ |
| 44. Natural <br> Environment | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 8$ |
| 45. International <br> exchange | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 8$ |
| 46. Culture and <br> sports | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 8$ |

## E. Identity of Local Society

47. Are you proud of your city/town?
1) Yes, very much
2) Yes, to some extent3) Difficult to say4) Not so much 5) Not at all
48. What are you proud of your city/town? (You can have more than one choice.)1) A long history
2) Cultural heritage, folklore and festivals3) Local language/dialect
3) Education and university5) Good community life 6) Industrial or commercial development7) Natural environment or beautiful landscape8) Others, please specify $\qquad$
49. What immigrants would you not accept as the members of your community? (You can have more than one choice.)1) I can accept all immigrants no matter where they come from.(continue directly to Q50)2) The Western Europeans3) Americans, Canadians and people from other western societies4) The Eastern Europeans (non EU countries)5) Chinese 6) Vietnamese7) Japanese8) South Koreans9) Taiwanese 10) Central- Eastern Asians (Arab countries)
11) Africans
12) Romani people13) Others, please specify $\qquad$
50. Do you think of living your whole life in this city/town?$\begin{array}{ll}\text { 1) Yes, certainly } & \square \text { 2) Maybe yes } \\ \text { 4) Maybe not } & \square \text { 5) Not at all }\end{array}$
4) Maybe not

## F. Civic Participation and Grass-Roots Democracy

51-57. Have you ever done the following political and social actions?

|  | Have done it <br> in this or in <br> the past year | Have done it <br> in the more <br> distant past | Have not <br> done it but <br> might do it | Have not done <br> it and would <br> never do it | Can't choose |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 51. Signed a <br> petition | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 52. Boycotted <br> certain <br> products for <br> political, <br> ethical or <br> environmental <br> reasons | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 53. Took part in a <br> demonstration | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 54. Attended a <br> political <br> meeting or <br> rally | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 55. Contacted a <br> politician or a <br> civil servant <br> to express <br> your views | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 56. Donated <br> money for a <br> social or <br> political <br> activity | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |
| 57. Contacted or <br> appeared the <br> media to <br> express your <br> views | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 8$ |

58. How often did you vote in the local and general election?
1) Always2) Sometimes
$\square$ 3) Never

## G. Social Capital and Crisis

59-61. Do you think the mutual help relations between people in your city/town
as good or not?

|  | Very good | Fairly good | Not good, <br> not bad | Fairly bad | Very bad | Can't choose |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 59. Kinship <br> relations | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 60. Neighborhood <br> relations | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 61. Business/ Job <br> relations | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |

62-68. Do you agree the following descriptions?

|  | Strongly <br> agree | Agree | Neither <br> agree nor <br> disagree | Disagree | Strongly <br> disagree | Can't <br> choose |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 62. Would you say that <br> people can be always <br> trusted? | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 63. Would you say that <br> you can trust people in <br> government to do what is <br> right? | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 64. Do you agree that <br> people like me don't have <br> any say about what the <br> government does? | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 65. Would you say that <br> corruption is serious in <br> the public service in the <br> Slovak Republic? | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 66. Would you say that <br> you personally are not <br> interested in politics? | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 67. Would you say that <br> you personally are not <br> interested in social <br> engagement? | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |
| 68. Would you say that <br> you have nostalgia for <br> the communist period? | $\square 1$ | $\square 2$ | $\square 3$ | $\square 4$ | $\square 5$ | $\square 8$ |

69. What do you think the most important events after the World War II in the Slovak Republic? (Point out at least three events)
