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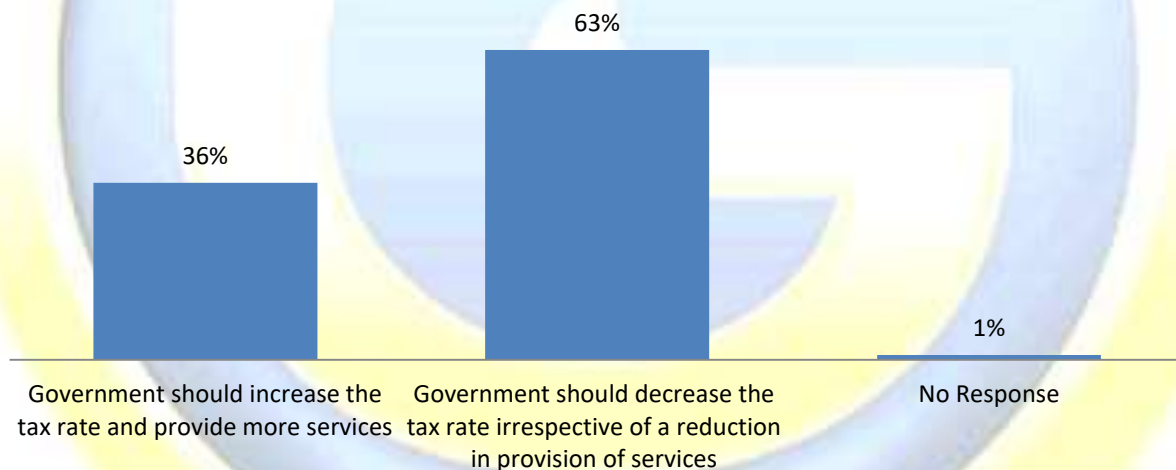
63% Pakistanis favour decrease in prevalent tax rates at the cost of reduction in government services. (GALLUP & GILANI PAKISTAN POLL)

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According to a Gilani Research Foundation Survey carried out by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, 63% Pakistanis favour decrease in prevalent tax rates at the cost of reduction in government services.

A nationally representative sample of men and women from across the four provinces was asked, “Should the government of Pakistan increase the tax rate and provide more services such as health or education facilities, or should the government decrease the tax rate irrespective of a reduction in provision of government services?” In response to this question, 36% said the government should increase the tax rate and provide more services, while 63% said that government should decrease the tax rate irrespective of a reduction in provision of government services. 1% did not wish to respond.

Question: “Should the government of Pakistan increase the tax rate and provide more services such as health or education facilities, or should the government decrease the tax rate irrespective of a reduction in provision of government services?”



Source: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan Poll

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The study was released by Gilani Research Foundation and carried out by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 1786 men and women in rural and urban areas of all four provinces of the country, during May 22 – May 29, 2017. Error margin is estimated to be approximately $\pm 2-3$ per cent at 95% confidence level.



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