

## New Poll Shows Strong Support For Upholding Open Skies Agreements

*The U.S. Airlines for Open Skies Coalition recently released the results of a new poll showing strong support for upholding the current U.S. Open Skies regime.*

### Highlights from the poll

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**70%**

of Americans think protecting travelers, workers, and exporters from unfair policies and restrictions is more important than protecting billion dollar U.S. corporations from foreign competition

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**44%**

of Americans say the government should maintain its current Open Skies policy, compared to 13 percent who do not

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**66%**

of Americans say if American, Delta, and United have \$3 million to spend, they should spend it on improving their airplanes and services, not on lobbying the government for policy changes

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**46%**

of Americans say Delta, United, and American should go through the Department of Transportation process first to address their concerns about U.A.E. and Qatar airline subsidies, compared to 14 percent who say they should first lobby the Trump Administration

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The poll surveyed 2,200 U.S. adults and was conducted by Morning Consult between December 1 and 4, 2017 with a margin of error of +/- 2 percent.