

Intervention Chile In Chile Is Disapproved

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By a 60-per cent to 18 per cent majority, the American public believes it was wrong of the United States to intervene in and try to "destabilize" the government of Chile, the Harris survey reported yesterday. Twenty-two per cent had no opinion.

While the Central Intelligence Agency's role in trying to strengthen foreign elements friendly to the United States was accepted, 43 per cent to 39 per cent, a majority of 83 per cent to seven per cent agreed that every country should have the right of self determination without outside influence, the polling agency added.

Among the 1544 adults polled nationwide, 73 per cent rated Secretary of State Henry Kissinger's performance as good to excellent, compared with 85 per cent last May. Negative reaction was reported from 22 per cent and the remaining five per cent were not sure.

"Even though Kissinger has somewhat slipped in public favor since last May," the Harris survey noted, "he still commands far more respect than that given most public figures in this year of dashed confidence in the government."

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