## B. <u>Discussion of Commercials</u> (approx. 60 minutes)

- play the five commercials again and commence discussion(explain that these ads will likely be aired on radio in the near future)
- What did you think as a whole these ads were doing for you (ie. how the ads worked together overall?)
  - ask for initial reaction to the ads (positive or negative?)
  - how does the ad make respondents feel?
  - believability of commercials
  - message identification: What does the ad say, what is its main message?
  - zero in on details: do respondents understand what is being said?
  - is there a better way to portray the opportunities and benefits of selling our goods and services internationally?
  - obtain overall ratings and comparisons

## 4. CONCLUSION AND WRAP UP (approx. 5 minutes)

Recently we found from research (telephone survey of Canadians) that 71% of Canadians said that for Canada to remain internationally competitive, it would be necessary to change government social programs (46.5% somewhat; 24.4% completely). Only 23.8% said it would not be necessary.

- explore which programs they want/don't want cut;
   why/why not
- what about other changes such as <u>reduction in employee</u>
  <u>benefits</u> (paid leave, pensions (58% said not necessary and
  39.9% said it would be necessary))
  . why/why not

final comments, questions thank participants/remuneration