International Situations Project Translation

**Tightness/Looseness Scale** – 6 items

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| **Original English** | **Translation (Dutch)** |
| 1. There are many social norms people are supposed to abide by in this country | 1. Er zijn sociale normen die mensen in dit land zouden moeten leven |
| 1. In this country, there are very clear expectations for how people should act in most situations | 1. In dit land zijn er hele duidelijke verwachtingen over hoe mensen zich moeten gedragen in de meeste situaties. |
| 1. People agree upon what behaviors are appropriate versus inappropriate in most situations in this country | 1. Mensen zijn het in dit land eens over welk gedrag gepast of ongepast is in de meeste situaties. |
| 1. People in this country have a great deal of freedom in how they want to behave in most situations | 1. Mensen in dit land hebben veel vrijheid om te kiezen hoe ze zich willen gedragen in de meeste situaties. |
| 1. In this country, if someone acts in an inappropriate way, others will strongly disapprove | 1. Als iemand zich in dit land niet op gepaste wijze gedraagt, zullen anderen dit sterk afkeuren. |
| 1. People in this country almost always comply with social norms | 1. Mensen in dit land gedragen zich bijna altijd in overeenstemming met de sociale normen. |

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