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Word Bank:

Advocate
Waive
Savage
Piously
Sovereignty
Commercial
Manifest Destiny

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- A) Americans
 - B) Mexicans
 - C) Chinese
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- A) every position
- B) no position

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YES

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