

APPENDIX I

SOCIO-ECONOMIC STATUS AND ADAPTATION STRATEGY OF MIGRANT LABOURERS FROM THE PLAINS TO SIKKIM'S INFORMAL SECTOR: CASE STUDIES OF SINGTAM AND RANGPO TOWNS.

Questionnaire for Socio-Economic Survey

Types of occupation:

Status of occupation: self employed / wage labourer.

Date:

- 1) Respondent No. : _____ 2) APL/BPL..... ** EPIC card.....
- 3) Religion: Hindu/Muslim/Buddhist/Christian 4) Caste: Gen/SC/ST/OBC
- 5) Sex: Male/ Female 6) Marital status: Unmarried/Married/
Divorce/Separated.
- 7) Mother Tongue: _____ **) Types of the work:

Migration Details about the respondent:

- 8) Permanently uprooted/ Seasonal visit/ Circular
- 9) Length of stay: Max..... Min.....
- 10) How many times in a year.....
- 11) Migration from: Distancekm.
- 12) Migrated alone / with family.
- 13) Do the Respondent can speak, understand and/or write a language other than mother tongue?
a) Yes (state which language)..... b) No
- 14) How long have you been living here as household/family? years.
- 15) Have you -as a household- ever lived in another place, such as another village, another town or abroad for three or more months at one time? If yes, where have you lived before?
a) Yes (state which city/district/village) b) No

16) Why did you move here?

(push factors with rank)

- a) Low wage
- b) Escape violence
- c) Escape drought/ famine d) Escape a family conflict e) small land holding
- f) landlessness
- g) burden of loan
- h) jobless after harvest
- i) lack of alternative source of income
- j) agricultural insolvency

Pull Factors: (with rank)

- a) employment/better employment
- b) higher wage in their present occupation c) regular availability of work
- d) better living condition
- e) security of present work
- f) better social overhead facilities g) attraction of urban life
- h) Variety of informal work
- i) present work access to their health condition
- j) proximity

17) Occupational mobility: Formal to informal / formal to formal / informal to informal.

18) Had any of your relatives/friends lived here before you came?

- a) Yes / No
- b) specify.....

19) Did they help you with your settlement?

Yes (state how)/ No

20) Are any possibilities to settle down permanently?

Yes/ No Specify.....

21) After migration what kind of changes happens in terms of socio-economic status?

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22) Migrated alone or with family.....

23) Family members are facing any problems regarding socio-cultural adjustment? (Specific problems)

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24) Demand for migrant labourer is low / moderate / high.

25) Ranking for Decent work parameters.

a. High wage

b. Compensation for over time c. More working hrs

d. Employment security

e. Hygienic working place

f. Bullying by senior coworkers g. Retention strategies

h. Protection facilities at working place

i. Social security

j. Union rights

SOCIO-ECONOMIC DETAIL.

25a) Educational status: illiterate/literate (Primary/ UP/Hs/UG)

a) Studying & working

b) Only working

c) Dropout if yes then specify (poverty/ family problems / provocation for earning livelihood/)

26) Any informal education: Yes/No Specify.....

27) No. of migrants from family:

28) Family Member Details: a. (no.....) b. Family pattern: nuclear/ joint

Member No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Age									
Sex									
Education #									
Present * Occupation									
Occupation (10 years Ago) *									
Mobile Ph. (Yes/No)									
Others									

#Education: L: Literate; P: Primary; S: Secondary; H.S: Higher S; G: Graduate; PG: Post G;T: Technical; O: Others.*Occupation: C: Cultivator; AL: Agri. Labourer; W:Industrial Worker; HIW: Household IW; B:Business; S:Service; HT: Hotel/Tourism; T:Transport; O:Others

28a) Dependent members:

29) Height of the respondent: Weight:

30) Amount of land at native place:

LIVING CONDITION AT THE HOST AREA/ WORKING PLACE

31) House ownership: owned/rented/factory quarter/others.

32) Type of settlement: permanent/seasonal.

33) House type: pucca/ kachcha /semi pucca.

34) No. of rooms: bedroom_____;drawing room_____;kitchen_____.

35) Bathroom and toilet used: own/community/ open.

36) Source of drinking water: _____.

37) Do you have any problems with water supply? Yes / No

38) Fuel used for cooking: LPG/Kerosene/Cow dung/Fuel wood.

39) Electricity connection: Present/Absent.

40) Modern appliances used:

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41) Common staple diet: Vegetarian / No vegetarian

a) Detail

42) Other habit: smoking/ drinking/ other (Details):

43) **Civic Amenities:**

Amenities	Yes/ No	Good	Moderate	Bad
Electricity				
Drinking water				
Health Service				
Waste Disposal				
Drainage				
Sanitation				
Security				
Road maintenance				
Communication				
Transport				
Educational				
Commodity Prices				
Entertainment				

ECONOMIC:

44) Monthly income:

a) individual: pre..... post.....

b) family: pre..... post.....

c) total: pre post.....

45) Monthly expenditure:

a) house rent

b) shop rent:

c) fuel

d) electricity

e) mobile:

f) food:

- g) medical services:
- h) entertainment: others:
- i) Under debt / not Amount: Source:
- j) purpose of lone:
- k) savings:
- l) remittance:
- m) Total:

WORKING ENVIRONMENT

- 46) Occupation:
- 47) Work type: daily wage / MONTHLY / weekly payment
- 48) Working Hrs:
- 49) Availability of local skilled labour: present/ absent
- 50) Why local people are not taking interest to do this type of work?
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- 51) Why do you have chosen your present occupation in informal sector?
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- 52) Have you notice any growth in informal sectors development at your working place?
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- 53) Do you have any permanent agent to get job in Sikkim? Yes/ no
- 54) Do you think that you will have good relationship with the inhabited people at your working place?
Yes/ No Specify if no

HEALTH DETAILS

- 55) Height: Weight:
- 56) Any problem faced by the respondent regarding health issue after migration? Yes/ No
Specify

57) Medical facilities avail by the respondent:

Factory Hospital/Dispensary/Govt. Hospital Dispensary/Health Centre/ Sub Centre /Private Doctor / Local Quack / Traditional Medicines

58) Common diseases in the family:

a) normal.....

b) chronic

59) Psychosocial stress:

1. low wage, 2. Job insecurity, 3. Repetitive of the work, 4. Not satisfied of the work, 5. Separation related stress 6. maximum working hrs., 7. Career developmental prospects, 8. Hygiene

SOCIAL INTEGRATION AND COHESION

60) Source of local news:

61) Do you face any difficulties for religious practices? Yes/ No

Specify

62) Do you participate in local cultural events or festivals?

Yes / no / sometimes. Specify:

63) Do you face any barrier to practice your own religious practices? If yes, how do you over come with this problem?.....

64) Do you face any discrimination between host workers and migrant workers: yes/ no

If yes:

65) Wage hiking:

66) registration of job:

67) any cooperative.....

68) any union:

69) any other govt. help:

REMARKS:

APPENDIX II

GARRETT RANKING CONVERSION TABLE

The conversion of orders of merits into units of amount of “soces”

Percent	Score	Percent	Score	Percent	Score
0.09	99	22.32	65	83.31	31
0.20	98	23.88	64	84.56	30
0.32	97	25.48	63	85.75	29
0.45	96	27.15	62	86.89	28
0.61	95	28.86	61	87.96	27
0.78	94	30.61	60	88.97	26
0.97	93	32.42	59	89.94	25
1.18	92	34.25	58	90.83	24
1.42	91	36.15	57	91.67	23
1.68	90	38.06	56	92.45	22
1.96	89	40.01	55	93.19	21
2.28	88	41.97	54	93.86	20
2.69	87	43.97	53	94.49	19
3.01	86	45.97	52	95.08	18
3.43	85	47.98	51	95.62	17
3.89	84	50.00	50	96.11	16
4.38	83	52.02	49	96.57	15
4.92	82	54.03	48	96.99	14
5.51	81	56.03	47	97.37	13
6.14	80	58.03	46	97.72	12
6.81	79	59.99	45	98.04	11
7.55	78	61.94	44	98.32	10
8.33	77	63.85	43	98.58	9
9.17	76	65.75	42	98.82	8
10.06	75	67.48	41	99.03	7
11.03	74	69.39	40	99.22	6
12.04	73	71.14	39	99.39	5
13.11	72	72.85	38	99.55	4
14.25	71	74.52	37	99.68	3
15.44	70	76.12	36	99.80	2
16.69	69	77.68	35	99.91	1
18.01	68	79.17	34	100.00	0
19.39	67	80.61	33		
20.93	66	81.99	32		