APPENDIX

AN ASSESSMENT OF SOCIO ECONOMIC
AND LIVELIHOOD STATUS OF FARM
LABOURER’S IN TAMIL NADU, INDIA

INTERVIEW SCHEDULE

1. PERSONAL DATA

1.1 Name :

1.2 Address :

1.3 Place of work :

1.4 Gender

  a) Male □    b) Female □

1.5 Age

  a) Upto 25 years □    b) 26 to 35 years □
  c) 36 to 50 years □    d) 51 to 60 years □
  e) Above 60 years □

1.6 Educational Qualification

  a) Up to 5th std □    b) 6th to 8th std □
  c) SSLC □    d) HSC □
  e) Graduate and above □
1.7 Marital status
   a) Married ☐ b) Unmarried ☐

1.8 Total No. of members in the Family
   a) Upto 4 ☐ b) 5 to 6 ☐ c) Above 6 ☐

1.9 Members of family engaged in Agriculture work
   a) Only Self ☐ b) With spouse ☐
   c) With spouse and children’s ☐

1.10 If children engaged in Agri work, no of children(s)___________

1.11 Experience of family in agriculture work
   a) Upto 5 years ☐ b) 6 to 10 years ☐ c) Above 10 years ☐

1.12 Education of children
   a) SSLC & below ☐ b) +2 ☐
   c) Diploma ☐ d) Degree and above ☐

1.13 Does you depend only on Agriculture?
   a) Yes ☐ b) No ☐

If No, State the source of income of other family members please specify_________
   a) Daily wages work ☐ b) Salaried ☐
   c) Business ☐ d) Others please specify ☐
1.14 For how long you have been doing agriculture ork

1.15 No. of days of work in agriculture in a month

1.16 Are you covered under Provident Fund scheme

   a) Yes ☐     b) No ☐

Please state your income Level to the Following (1.17 to 1.19) questions

1) up to Rs. 75000      2) Rs. 75000-1,25,000
3) Rs. 1,25,000-Rs. 2,00,000  4) More than Rs. 2,00,000

1.17 Family income through agriculture work

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2. LAND HOLDING STATUS

2.1 Nature of holding area

   a) Own Land ☐       b) Leased Land ☐
   c) Both ☐           d) Not Applicable ☐

2.2 Size of holding area :________________

2.3 Type of Land

   a) Wet ☐          b) Garden ☐
   c) Dry ☐          d) All ☐
2.4 Type of soil
   a) Black □  b) Red □  c) Clay □

2.5 Source of Irrigation
   a) Canals □  b) Tanks Open Wells □
   c) Bore Wells □  d) Drip Irrigation □
   e) Ponds □  f) Industrial effluent □
   g) Others, (please specify)________________

2.6 Name of the crops cultivated
   a) Coconut □  b) Sugarcane □
   c) Banana □  d) fruits Trees □
   e) Vegetables □  f) Paddy □
   g) Groundnut □  h) (Others, Please specify)____

2.7 Season in which cultivated: ______________

3. ASSETS

3.1 Name of the Asset and Year of purchase/construction
   a) Farm building □ _____________
   b) Storage Godown □ _____________
   c) Cattle Shed □ _____________
   d) Television/Radio □ _____________
e) Vehicles  □ ____________
f) Wells-open/Bore wells  □ ____________
g) Implements & Machineries  □ ____________
h) Any Others  □ ____________

4. LIVING DETAILS

4.1 Dwelling place

a) Free hold  □  b) Lease hold  □
c) Common place  □

4.2 Type of home

a) Pucca  □  b) Kutcha  □

4.3 If free hold land, state year of construction ____________

4.3.1 Area built ____________

4.4 If lease hold land rent per month ____________

4.5 If common place of dwelling

a) Platform  □  b) Pormboke land  □
c) Barren private land  □  d) Garden land of private  □
d) Any other Land  □

4.5.1 Years of stay:__________
4.5.2 Types of service rendered to owner:

a) Labour work □      b) Animal husbandry work □

c) Any other work □

4.6 Source of Drinking water

a) Wells/Open □       b) Wells / Borewell □

c) Municipality □     d) Corporation Pipe □

5. Accessibility of Community Assets

a) Community Halls □  b) Roads □

c) Schools/Colleges □  d) Hospital □

6. LIVESTOCKS

6.1 No. of cows/bullocks available : ______________

6.1.1 Income through cows/bullocks : ______________

6.2 No. of goat/sheep available : ______________

6.2.1 Income through goats/sheep : ______________

6.3 No. of poultry : ______________

6.3.1 Income through poultry : ______________

7. LIABILITIES

7.1 Do you have any loans

a) Yes □        b) No □
7.1.1 If you from where you have been obtained loan

a) Nationalized banks  □  b) Cooperative banks  □

c) Private money lender  □

8. CONSUMPTION EXPENSES PER MONTH

Food : ___________  Education : ___________

Clothing : ___________  Medical : ___________

Functions : ___________  Festival : ___________

Transport : ___________  Electricity : ___________

Insurance Expenses : ___________  Others : ___________

9. MIGRATION

9.1 No of migrations so far from your native place

a) One  □  b) Two  □  c) Above two  □

10. Satisfaction level on central/state Govt. schemes

(1) Highly dissatisfied  (2) Dissatisfied

(3) Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied  (4) Satisfied

(5) Highly satisfied
### Mahatma Gandhi Rural Employment Guarantee Program

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11. Satisfaction level on role players in agriculture

(1) Highly dissatisfied        (2) Dissatisfied

(3) Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied (4) Satisfied

(5) Highly satisfied

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12. Satisfaction Level on agriculture information provided by the various agencies

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13. State the Main reasons for agricultural labourer’s quit / migrate from agriculture works (Rank from 1 to 13)

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14. Rank the following strategies for keeping Agriculture labourer’s in Agriculture (1 to 11)

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<td>Provide Training for unskilled Agricultural labourer’s</td>
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<td>Job security / Regular Employment</td>
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15. Have you attended any skill development training programme

   a) Yes [ ]   b) No [ ]

If yes name of the training / organization and duration.

________________________________________________________________________

16. Membership

Are you member in any of the following organization (If yes please specify the Name of the organization)

   a) Self Help Groups (SHG) [ ]   b) Co.op Society [ ]
   c) Caste based societies [ ]   d) Political Parties [ ]
   e) Other, (please specify)________________________________________________________________________
17. Do you seek any help from Government organization
   a) Yes ☐ b) No ☐
   If yes what type of help you need?
   _______________________________________________________
   If No. State the reason____________________________________

18. Any suggestion for improvement of farmers standard of living of farm
    labourer’s and Regularity authorities / Govt. Agencies for Betterment
    of Current Status.
   _______________________________________________________
   _______________________________________________________

   Thank you