The present dissertation has been presented in the following manner:

[a] The original books are underlined in the body of the work.

[b] Original Sanskrit texts used as reference have been shown in foot-notes at the bottom of each page.

[c] Reference of the works in the foot-notes are shown in the abbreviated forms and the list of the abbreviations is given before the content page of the work.

[d] The original Sanskrit words and terms have been shown as they are with the English equivalents in brackets in the first occurrence.