Appendix

Part I- General information

1. Name of the respondent
2. Age
3. Sex (i) Male (ii) Female
4. Marital Status (i) Married (ii) Unmarried
5. Literacy rate (i) Literate (ii) Illiterate
6. Educational level of respondent
   (i) Primary (ii) Secondary (iii) Higher
7. Educational level of spouse
   (i) Primary (ii) Secondary (iii) Higher

Part II- Social background

8. Type of family you live in?
   (i) Nuclear family (ii) Joint family (iii) Extended family
9. Size of family?
   (i) Small size (2-4 members) (ii) Average Size (5-7 members) (iii) Large size (8 members and above)
10. What type of family do you prefer most?
    (i) Nuclear family (ii) Joint family (iii) Extended family
11. What is your preference in marriage?
    (i) Marriage with close kins (ii) Marriage within biradri (iii) Marriage outside biradri
12. What type of marriage do you approve?
    (i) Monogamy (ii) Polygamy
13. What age do you prefer to marry your children?

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14. Are you aware regarding legal marriageable age?  Yes/No

15. Do you favour child marriage?  Yes/No

16. Are you in favour of taking consent of girls and boys in the settlement of their marriage?  Yes/ No

17. What factor is more important regarding marriage?
   (i) Caste  (ii) Economic and Educational status  (iii) Any other

18. Is the Maher paid at the time of marriage?  Yes/No

19. Is dowry system a common practice in your community?  Yes /No

**Part III- Occupational Structure**

20. What is your occupation?
   (i) Agriculture  (ii) Business  (iii) Service

21. What is your monthly income?
   (i) Rs. 500-1000  (ii) Rs.1100-2000  (iii) Rs. 2100-3000 and above

22. What is your monthly saving?
   (i) Rs. 100-200/-  (ii) Rs. 201-400/-  (iii) Rs. 401-800 and above

23. What is your other source of income?
   (i) Agriculture  (ii) Rent  (iii) Business

24. Have you ever borrowed money?
   (i) From bank (credit institution) Yes/No  (ii) From person on interest  Yes/No
25. Do the female and children are involved in economic activity?
   (i) Female Yes/No
   (ii) Children Yes/No

26. What is the condition of your house?
   (i) Pacca (cemented )
   (ii) Semi-pacca (semi-cemented)
   (iii) Kuchcha house (hut)

27. Do you have tap water or select source of water supply and connection of electricity in your house?
   (i) Tap water or select source of water supply. Yes/no
   (ii) Electricity connection. Yes/No

28. Do you possess vehicle?
   (i) Bicycle (ii) Scooter (iii) Car

29. Do you possess?
   (i) T.V. (ii) Fridge (iii) Gas Chulha

30. Do you have land for cultivation? Yes /No
    If yes how much
    (i) 1-2 Acre (ii) 3-4 Acre (iii) 5-6 Acre (iv) 7-8 Acre and above

31. Did your Socio-economic condition changed during last 10-20 years?
    Yes/No

32. Did you ever take governmental assistance for the upliftment of your business?
    Yes/ No
Part IV- Educational background

33. How many of your children are acquiring education?

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34. What is the reason for non completion of education among children?

(i) Poverty (ii) Burden of domestic work (iii) Lack of interest (iv) Lack of school

35. What are the factors responsible for female illiteracy?

(i) Poverty (ii) Social stigma (iii) Social norm and poverty

36. How much money do you spend on education of children?

(i) Rs. 50-150 (ii) Rs. 151-300 (iii) Rs. 301-600 and above

37. Are your children getting scholarship? Yes/No

38. How much education you prefer for your son?

(i) Primary (ii) Secondary (iii) Higher

39. How much education you prefer for your daughter?

(i) Primary (ii) Secondary (iii) Higher

Part V- Degree of Religiosity

40. Do you perform Namaz?

(i) Daily (ii) Weekly (iii) Occasionally

41. Have you read “Quran”? Yes/No
42. Do you keep fast during Ramdhan? Yes/No

43. How many festivals do you celebrate during a year?
   (i) Two (ii) Three or more

43.1 Did you perform Haj? Yes/No

44. How do you distribute your property?
   (i) Equally among Sons and Daughters
   (ii) Only among Sons
   (iii) Two share to sons and one to daughters

45. Do your spouse observe Pardah? Yes/No

46. Do your female participate in decision making?
   (i) Marriage (ii) Education (iii) Other matters

47. Who takes final decision regarding marriage?
   (i) Father (ii) Mother (iii) Both

48. Do you cast your vote?
   (i) Regularly (ii) Occasionally (iii) Not at all

49. Do female of your family cast their vote?
   (i) Regularly (ii) Occasionally (iii) Not at all

50. Do you know how many political parties are active in your own area?
    Yes/No

50.1 Do you know about literacy promotion programme?
    Yes/No

51. Do you know that there is 27% reservation of seats in government jobs for OBCs?
    Yes/No
52. Do you read Newspaper?
   (i) Daily  (ii) Occasionally  (iii) Not at all

53. Do you listen Radio?
   (i) Daily  (ii) Occasionally  (iii) Not at all

54. Do you believe in family planning?  Yes/No

55. If no, what are the reasons behind non-practice of family planning?
   (i) Social Stigma  (ii) Religious factors  (iii) Lack of awareness