ANNEXURE - I

QUESTIONNAIRE

A COMPARATIVE STUDY OF ROLE-STRUCTURE AND MODERNITY OF SECONDARY SCHOOL TEACHERS OF HIMACHAL PRADESH AND CHANDIGARH (U.T.)

PART - I

BACKGROUND VARIABLES

INSTRUCTION: Please, carefully fill in your responses to the items given below in space provided for the purpose of tick mark (√) on the appropriate responses supplied:

1. Name:

2. Sex:
   - Male ( )
   - Female ( )

3. Name of the School:

4. Type of the School:
   - Government Secondary School ( )
   - Private Secondary School ( )
   - Govt. Aided School ( )
   - Boys' School ( )
   - Girls' School ( )
   - Coeducational ( )

5. State:
   - Himachal Pradesh ( )
   - Chandigarh (U.T.) ( )

6. Designation:
   - Teacher ( )
   - Lecturer ( )
   - Senior Lecturer ( )

7. Faculty:
   - Arts ( )
   - Science ( )
   - Commerce ( )

8. Educational Qualifications:

9. Total Teaching Experience:

284
PART - II
MODERNITY

(I) COGNITION OF MODERNITY

INSTRUCTION:
Give your opinion by ticking ‘yes’ or ‘no’ against each statement

What do you expect the secondary school teachers to cultivate in their pupils:

1. To give information about subject matters and cultivate understanding and independent thinking in them. Yes No

2. To provide latest knowledge of the subject.

3. To cultivate honesty, tolerance, kindness, fearlessness, equality, egalitarianism, courageously, and such other qualities.

4. To mould their behaviour, ideas and beliefs.

5. To prepare them for a vocation for earning livelihood.

6. To cultivate characteristics like rationalism and scientific attitude.

7. To give them necessary training for securing social advancement and social status.

8. To cultivate characteristics of modern life, modern dress, good way of talking and speaking.

(II) ATTITUDES AND OPINIONS ON LARGE SOCIETAL MATTERS

Express your opinion by ticking ‘yes’ or ‘no’ against each statement

1. According to Manu. “a woman should do nothing independently, even in her home, in the childhood she is subjected to her father, in her youth to her husband and when he dies then to her son, she should never enjoy independence”. Do you agree with this view?

2. Do you approve small family norms?

3. Do you think that dowry system should prevail?

4. Do you think that daughters should have equal property rights like the sons?
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<td>5. Do you believe in the traditional celebration of festivals and rituals?</td>
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<td>6. Was your marriage arranged with your consent?</td>
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<td>7. Do you agree that female foeticide should be banned?</td>
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<td>8. Do you approve of co-education at Secondary School level?</td>
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<td>9. Do you attribute your present position to your destiny?</td>
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(III) LIFE STYLES AND LIFE PATTERNS OF TEACHERS

Tick Yes or No against each statement

1. Do you file your income tax returns regularly?
2. Do you get your vehicle checked for pollution regularly?
3. Do you go in for regular routine medical check-ups?
4. Do you approve of your son’s or daughter’s marriage outside the caste?
5. Do you allow higher/college education for your daughter?
6. Do you consult your wife/husband while making major decisions regarding your family and profession?
7. Do you give importance to your dress, when you go to school for teaching?
8. Do you believe that birth of a son in the family is a must for religious considerations?
9. If you have enough money, would you spend it on land & gold?

(IV) EXPOSURE TO MASS MEDIA

Tick Yes or No against each statement

1. Do you consider that new knowledge gained through mass-media is must for teaching profession?
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<td>3. I usually spend 1 to 2 hours a day on reading the subject I teach.</td>
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<td>5. Do you develop teaching-learning aids or new techniques from the knowledge gained through media?</td>
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<td>7. Do you like to read articles on science and technology?</td>
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**PART - III**

**ROLE STRUCTURE**

(I) **PROFESSIONAL COMMITMENT**

Tick Yes or No against each statement

1. Secondary school teachers lack hard work and sense of dedication.                                                                                  |     |    |
| 2. Do you prepare the lesson notes for the subject you teach?                                                                                       |     |    |
| 3. Do you regularly fill the Teacher’s Diary?                                                                                                         |     |    |
| 4. Do you encourage discussion in your class-room?                                                                                                   |     |    |
| 5. Do you believe that, job of a teacher is primarily of teaching and explaining the subject matter?                                                   |     |    |
| 6. Would you like your children/brothers/sisters to take up teaching profession as a first choice?                                                  |     |    |
| 7. Do you participate in seminars, symposia and workshops?                                                                                           |     |    |
| 8. I always wanted to be a teacher so I planned my education and professional training accordingly.                                                     |     |    |
| 9. Would you change your present job with a job offering you more salary?                                                                            |     |    |
(II) PROFESSIONAL ASPIRATION & ACHIEVEMENT

Tick Yes or No against each statement

1. Would you like to improve your educational qualifications if provided an opportunity?

2. Are you satisfied with your present salary?

3. Will you change you present job, if you are offered better job?

4. Do you constantly modify your teaching methods, according to the subject matter, mental level and expectations of the students?

5. Have you ever been awarded for your meritorious services and achievements by the authorities?

6. Do you aspire for state or national award?

7. Are you doing any research study in your subject?

8. Do you plan to write a book in your subject?

9. Keeping in view the growing use of computers in school education, would you like to do a course in computers?

III JOB SATISFACTION

Tick Yes or No against each statement

1. Do you feel secure and happy in the teaching profession?

2. Do you get mental peace and satisfaction by teaching your students?

3. Do you think, that very able persons should not join teaching profession, as this is the profession for the mediocres?

4. Do you feel, there are enough opportunities of career advancement in your school?

5. Are you happy with the freedom given to you by the school principal to do your job well?

6. Do you feel, that you are given due respect by your pupils?
7. Do you feel, teaching is miserable?

8. Are you satisfied with the existing service conditions prevalent in your school, in terms of increments, leave conditions, salary and working hours?

9. Do you feel frustrated with your present teaching assignment?

IV MORALE

Tick Yes or No against each statement

1. Do you feel satisfied after delivering the lecture to the students?

2. Do you feel proud that you are working in this school?

3. Does your principal entrust you with all types of curricular/extra-curricular responsibilities of the school?

4. Do you have full confidence that whatever you teach is to the best of your ability?

5. Do your pupils regard you with high esteem?

6. Do the parents consult you/seek your advice about the studies of their wards?

7. Do you get due recognition from your school principal and colleagues?

8. Are you consulted about the important decisions to made in the institution like monthly/quarterly/half yearly/yearly tests, number of students in the class?

9. Do you rate the status of secondary school teachers professionally in the society at par with college teachers?

V AUTHORITARIANISM

Tick Yes or No against each statement

1. Pupils should be given freedom to express their views in the class.

2. Students learn more by love than punishment.
3. Do you believe in the maxim, ‘SPARE THE ROD AND SPOIL THE CHILD’?

4. Students’ should be given severe punishment for showing indiscipline in the school.

5. Students’ indiscipline should not be averted by compromises; rather it should be suppressed.

6. One who does not inflict corporal punishment on students, basically is a weak teacher.

7. One of the difficulties with modern schools is that discipline is often sacrificed at the cost of interests of the students.

8. Students should not be given decision making power while framing the curricular and extra curricular needs for themselves.

9. Do you expect the teacher to give corporal punishment to the pupils who do not show progress, commit mistakes & do not do home work?

VI RELATION WITH ROLE SET MEMBERS

Tick Yes or No against each statement

1. My relations with my colleagues are very good.

2. I am generally very sympathetic and kind towards my colleagues.

3. I willingly follow instructions of my school head.

4. I very often consult my colleagues about my personal problems.

5. I help my school head whenever he asks for it.

6. My relationship with my school head and colleagues are very warm.

7. I welcome professional suggestions from my colleagues.

8. I am considerate towards the needs of my colleagues.
VII  ATTITUDE, BEHAVIOUR AND COMMUNICATION

Give your opinion by ticking 'Yes' or 'No' against each statement

1. Do you agree, that a teacher who is hard working and able, stands a good chance of success in the profession?

2. Do you feel, that a teacher should forego his/her ambitions & aspirations in life?

3. Do you feel, that teachers can influence society by their characteristics?

4. Do you think, good teachers are respected irrespective of their cadre & economic status?

5. While teaching, do you allow late comers to enter the class?

6. Are you considerate to slow students?

7. Do you often remain serious in the class?

8. Do you help students in correcting their mistakes?

9. Do you check homework note-books regularly?

10. Do you allot some time for discussion after your lecture is over?

11. The important school matters are communicated to you through personal contacts by the school principal?

VIII  PROFESSIONAL AND SOCIAL AWARENESS

Note: Tick Yes or No against each statement.

1. Attendance should not be one of the criterion for promotion to the higher class.

2. I do not approve system of monthly tests, contributing towards the final assessment.

3. Do you agree that performance of students throughout the year should be taken into account for promoting them to the next class?

4. Are you a member of any social organization of your area?

5. Did you cast your vote during last general elections?
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