APPENDIX 1

INTERVIEW SCHEDULE
(For the Cobblers Only)

A. Social Background
1. Name of the informant: ______________________
2. Caste and religion: ______________________
3. Family deity and place: ______________________
4. Totemic group/Khola: ______________________
5. (a) Are you a native of the Athani town? Yes/No
   (b) If no, from where did you migrate and when? ______________________
6. (a) Do you own a house? Yes/No
   (b) If no, where do you live? Rented house/Hut
7. Type of house: Hut/tiled/mud

B. Economic Background
1. What is your traditional occupation? ______________________
2. Primary source of family income: ______________________
3. Secondary source(s) of family income: ______________________
4. Given a chance which occupation will you choose? (Give in order): ______________________
5. (a) Do you own agricultural land?  
(b) If yes, how many acres?  

6. (a) Are you a beneficiary of the Charmalaya?  
(b) If yes, since when?  
(c) If not, why not?  
(d) If yes, what benefits did you get?  

7. If a few of your neighbours are not beneficiaries of the Charmalaya, why?  

8. (a) Are you happy with the working of the Charmalaya?  
(b) If so, why?  

9. What improvements do you suggest in the working of the Charmalaya?  

10. What would have happened if you had not taken benefits from the Charmalaya?  

C. Political Aspects  
1. (a) Are you a member of the VP/Municipal Council?  
(b) If yes, what is the position?  
(c) If not, why?
2. (a) What are the immediate needs of your locality? _______________________
   (b) Who can fulfil these? _______________________

3. (a) What are the immediate needs of your town? _______________________
   (b) Who can fulfil these? _______________________

4. Do you know the names of the following officials and leaders?
   (a) Municipal councillor of your ward _______________________
   (b) Municipal president _______________________
   (c) MLA of your taluka _______________________
   (d) MP of your region _______________________
   (e) Tahsildar _______________________
   (f) Superintendent of Police _______________________
   (g) District Welfare Officer _______________________
   (h) Deputy Commissioner _______________________

5. (a) Are you a member of any political party? _______________________
   (b) If yes, which one? _______________________
   (c) If no, why? _______________________

6. List the political parties of our state: _______________________

7. List a few names of the political leaders of your district and state: __________________________

8. In your opinion what are the qualities of a good leader? __________________________

9. (a) Do you think that women are equally capable of becoming leaders? Yes/No

   (b) If so, why? __________________________

D. Socio-Economic and Political Change

1. Whom do you consult for taking decisions of special importance with regard to:

   (a) Social matters (marriage, rites etc.) __________________________

   (b) Economic matters (to buy or sell property, to get loans etc.) __________________________

   (c) Do you approve cross-cousin and uncle-niece marriage? Yes/No

      (d) If so, why? __________________________

   (e) What type of family is ideal for today's conditions? Nuclear/Joint

      (f) If so, why? __________________________
(g) Do you think that kinsmen will help you out of your difficulties (social, financial etc.)?

(h) If so, how?

(i) Do you think a candidate with many relatives and caste members in the constituency can always win elections?

(j) If so, why?

(k) Do you expect your sons to live together in one family for times to come?

(l) If so, why?

(m) Do you agree that the oldest member should head the family?

(n) If so, why?

**E. Educational Aspect**

1. What is your opinion about the modern education?

2. (a) Are you for equal education for sons and daughters?

   (b) If so, why?

3. How much education is needed to make a living today?

   Primary/Secondary/PUC/Degree/Postgraduate
1. (a) What is the ideal size of a family?  
   (b) Why do you think so? ________________________________

2. Which of the following factors do you value when establishing marital relations? (tick)

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