APPENDIX

INTERVIEW SCHEDULE FOR TRUCK DRIVERS

Notes:
(1) The contents of this form will be treated as strictly confidential.
(2) The information given will be used only for academic purposes and will be tabulated in such a manner that it would not be possible to identify therein the facts pertaining to any particular individual.
(3) Please tickmark (✓) appropriate boxes. The numbers in the boxes are codified. Please do not alter or overwrite.
(4) Please answer all the questions, else the entire form will be unuseful.

(A) PERSONAL AND FAMILY INFORMATION

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<td>(1) Unorganized Sector (2) Organized Sector (3) Owner-cum-Driver</td>
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1. Agegroup (in years) : (1) 21-30 (2) 31-40 (3) 41-50 (4) 51-60 (5) 61-70

2. Religion : (1) Hindu (2) Muslim (3) _____________ (specify)

3. Caste : (1) _____________ (specify)

4. Mother tongue : (1) Marathi (2) Hindi (3) Urdu (4) Kannada (5) Telugu/Tulu (6) _____________

5. If migrant to Solapur district, Reason for migration : (1) Employment (2) Parents migrated for employment (3) _____________ (specify)

6. Father’s education level : (1) Illiterate (2) Upto 5th Standard (3) 6 to 10th Standards (4) Above 11th Std.

7. Your education level : (1) Illiterate (2) Upto 5th Standard (3) 6 to 10th Standards (4) Above 11th Std.

8. Type of Family : (1) Joint (2) Nuclear

9. Family Size : (1) 2 Members (2) 3 Members (3) 4 Members (4) 5 Members (5) 6-10 Members (6) Above 11 Members
10. Monthly Family Income

(a) Owner-cum-Drivers:
- (1) Upto Rs.1,000/-
- (2) Rs.1,001-5,000/-
- (3) Rs.5,001-10,000
- (4) Rs.10,001-15,000/-
- (5) Above Rs.15,001/-

(b) Employed Drivers:
- (1) Upto Rs.1,000/-
- (2) Rs.1,001-5,000/-
- (3) Rs.5,001-10,000
- (4) Rs.10,001-15,000/-
- (5) Above Rs.15,001/-

11. Earning Family Members:
- (1) Only Self
- (2) Self+Father
- (3) Self+Brother
- (4) Self+Son
- (5) Self+Wife
- (6) Self+___________

12. Number of Children in the Family:

13. Educational Status of Children:
- (1) Illiterate
- (2) Primary School left
- (3) Secondary School left
- (4) Higher Secondary School left
- (5) Higher Secondary School completed
- (6) College Completed

14. Housing Status:
- (1) Own House
- (2) Rented House

15. Nature of House:
- (1) Tin Roof
- (2) RCC Roof
- (3) Tiled Roof
- (4) Asbestos Sheet Roof

16. Number of Rooms in House:
- (1) 1 to 2
- (2) 3 to 4
- (3) More than 5

17. Good Ventilation Status:
- (1) Yes
- (2) No

18. Availability of Tapwater:
- (1) Yes
- (2) No

19. Availability of Electricity:
- (1) Yes
- (2) No

20. Availability of Sanitary Facilities:
- (1) Yes
- (2) No

21. Monthly House Rent paid:
- (1) Upto Rs.500/-
- (2) Rs.501 to 1000/-
- (3) Above Rs.1000/-

22. Ownership of Agricultural Land:
- (1) Yes
- (2) No

(B) WORK-RELATED INFORMATION

23. Who taught you truck driving?
- (1) Self-taught
- (2) Driving School
- (3) Male Relative: __________________
- (4) Male Friend

24. Who motivated you to take up driving as an occupation?
- (1) Self-motivated
- (2) Friend
- (3) Family Member: __________________
- (4) Other Persons
- (5) Circumstances
25. What was your age when you first began driving a truck?  
   (1) Less than 15 years  (2) 16 to 20 years  
   (3) 21 to 25 years  (4) 26 to 30 years  
   (5) Do not Remember

26. How long is your driving experience?  
   _____________ years.

27. Approx. Kilometres clocked  
   (1) Upto 2.50 lakh  (2) 2.50 to 5.00 lakh  
   (3) 5.00 to 7.50 lakh  (4) More than 7.50 lakh

28. How many jobs you have changed so far?  
   (1) One  (2) Two  
   (3) Three  (4) Four  
   (5) Five  (6) Six and more

29. Reasons for changing the jobs  
   (1) _________________________________  
   (2) _________________________________  
   (3) _________________________________  
   (4) _________________________________

30. Distance between Residence and Workplace  
   (1) None (being owner-cum-driver)  
   (2) Upto 0.5 km.  (3) 0.5 to 1.0 km.  
   (4) 1.0 to 2.5 km.  (5) 2.5 to 5.0 km.  
   (6) Above 5.0 km.

31. Food Arrangement while on Duty  
   (1) Self-cooking  (2) Home tiffin  
   (3) Roadside Dhana  (4) Hotel/Restaurant  
   (5) Truck Owner/Company provided

32. Preferred Night-halt Places  
   (1) Own Home  (2) Roadside Dhaba  
   (3) Transport Office  (4) Petrol Pump  
   (5) Roadside  (6) _______________

33. Usual time taken to return to base  
   _____________ Days

34. Driving Arrangement during your absence from work  
   (1) Substitute Driver  (2) Driver Friend  
   (3) Owner becomes Driver  
   (4) Vehicle Stops  (5) _____________

35. Treatment received from Employers  
   (1) Good  (2) Bad

36. Amount of Daily Allowance received  
   Rs.___________ per day

37. Do you receive salary advance from the employer?  
   (1) Yes  (2) No

38. Do you receive monetary help from the employer during emergencies?  
   (1) Yes  (2) No

39. Are your wages deducted for your absence due to sickness?  
   (1) Yes  (2) No
40. What alternate work would you prefer to do to driving?: ____________________________

41. Type of your Major Savings: ____________________________

42. Briefly State your Expectations from the Government?:
   (1) ____________________________
   (2) ____________________________
   (3) ____________________________

(C) VEHICLE-RELATED INFORMATION

43. How long have you been driving your present vehicle?: _________ years.

44. What is the type of cargo that you generally carry in your vehicle?: ________________________________

45. Daily average running of the vehicle:
   (1) Upto 50 kms.  
   (2) 51 to 100 kms.  
   (3) 101 to 200 kms.  
   (4) 201 to 300 kms.  
   (5) Above 301 kms.

46. Crew Strength normally carried:
   (1) Second Driver  
   (2) Cleaner  
   (3) Coolies  
   (4) _____________

47. Causes of Detention on Road:
   (1) ____________________________
   (2) ____________________________
   (3) ____________________________

48. Approx.Monthly Vehicle Maintenance Cost:
   (1) Upto Rs.1,000/-  
   (2) Rs.1,001-2,000/-  
   (3) Rs.2,001-3,000/-  
   (4) Rs.3,001-6,000/-  
   (5) Rs.6,001-9,000/-  
   (6) Above Rs.6,001/-


(D) ACCIDENTS-RELATED INFORMATION

50. Were you ever involved in a road accident?:
   (1) Yes  
   (2) No

51. If Yes, How many times:
   (1) Once  
   (2) Twice  
   (3) Thrice  
   (4) More than 4 times

53. Describe the nature of accidents:
   (1) ____________________________
   (2) ____________________________
   (3) ____________________________

54. Estimated Property Damage: Rs._____________________________

55. Do you have Personal Accident Insurance Cover?:
   (1) Yes  
   (2) No

56. Do you willingly help the victims of the accident victims?:
   (1) Yes  
   (2) No
(E) LIFE STYLE-RELATED INFORMATION

57. Normally, how many hours do you spend in your home? : (1) Upto 8 hours   (2) 9 to 12 hours   (3) Above 12 hours

58. Describe your major activities while being in home : (1) _____________________________ 
                                             : (2) _____________________________
                                             : (3) _____________________________

59. What are the things in your life that satisfy you most : (1) _____________________________ 
                                             : (2) _____________________________
                                             : (3) _____________________________

60. What are the situations that make you feel guilty : (1) _____________________________ 
                                             : (2) _____________________________
                                             : (3) _____________________________

61. Do you listen to any type of music while driving? : (1) Yes   (2) No

62. If Yes, When did you pick up this habit?: ________________________________

63. Do you have tobacco chewing habit? : (1) Yes   (2) No

64. If Yes, When did you pick up this habit?: ________________________________

65. Do you have tobacco smoking habit? : (1) Yes   (2) No

66. If Yes, When do you smoke often? : ________________________________

67. Do you take alcoholic drinks? : (1) Yes   (2) No

68. If Yes, When do you drink often? : ________________________________

69. Do you indulge in petty gambling? : (1) Yes   (2) No

70. If Yes, When do you gamble often? : ________________________________

71. How do you spend your free time? : (1) _____________________________ 
                                             : (2) _____________________________
                                             : (3) _____________________________

72. What are your reading habits? : (1) Daily Newspapers   (2) Light Reading

73. Please list your major health problems : (1) _____________________________ 
                                             : (2) _____________________________
                                             : (3) _____________________________

74. Are you aware of HIV/AIDS? : (1) Yes   (2) No

75. Did you ever have sex with a prostitute?: (1) Yes   (2) No

76. What was your primary motive behind it?: (1) Curiosity   (2) Being unmarried 
                                             (3) Just for Fun   (4) Loneliness
                                             (5) ____________________________

THANK YOU