

**UNIVERSITY OF DELHI  
DELHI SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS  
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS**

**Minutes of Meeting (combined)**

**Course** : **B.A. (Prog.) 6th Sem. – DSE & GE**  
**Subject** : **(iv) Economics Development and Policy in India II (DSE)  
& 2(b) The Indian Economy since 1947 (GE)**  
**Date of Meeting** : **12th January, 2018**  
**Venue** : **Department of Economics, Delhi School of Economics,  
University of Delhi**  
**Chair** : **Prof. Aditya Bhattacharjea & Prof. J.V. Meenakshi**

**Attended by :**

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1	Anita	Kalindi College
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18	Nadeem Ahmed	Deshbandhu College
19	Sakshi Jindal	Mata Sundri College
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22	Rakesh Kumar Singh	Ramanujan College
23	Kavita	ARSD College
24	Saumyajit Bhattacharya	Kirori Mal College
25	Komal Malik	Sri Guru Nanak Dev Khalsa College
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30	Varsha Gupta	Shaheed Bhagat Singh College (M)

It was agreed that **no change is to be made this year in the readings for GE Course 2(b).**

A few changes were made for **DSE Course 4**. The consolidated revised reading list is given below.

## **B.A. (P) DSE Course 4: Economic Development and Policy in India**

### **Topic 1 - AGRICULTURE**

Policies and performance; Production and productivity; credit; labour; markets and pricing; land reforms; regional variations.

1. Mahendra Dev (2012), *Agricultural Development*, in K. Basu and A. Maertens (eds), 2012, **New Oxford Companion to Economics in India** (referred to as **NOCE** hereafter), pp. 12-14.
2. *Overview, 2014*, in *Republic of India, Accelerating Agriculture Productivity Growth*, World Bank Group, (<http://documents.worldbank.org/curated/en/2014/05/23789323/india-accelerating-agricultural-productivity-growth>)
3. Maitreesh Ghatak (2012), *Land Reforms*, in **NOCE**
4. A. Vaidyanathan (2012), *Irrigation*, in **NOCE**.
5. \*Amit Bhaduri (2012), *Productivity and Production Relations: The Case of Indian Agriculture*, in Amit Bhaduri, '*Employment and Development*', Oxford University Press
6. T.C.A. Anant (2006), *Institutional Reforms for Agriculture Growth* in N. A. Majumdar and Uma Kapila (ed), *Indian Agriculture in the New Millennium, Changing Perceptions and Development Policy*, vol. 2, Academic Foundation
7. Chandrasekhar Rao and Mahendra Dev, 2010, *Agricultural Price Policy, Farm Profitability and Food Security*, **Economic and Political Weekly**, June 26. pp. 174-175 (Introduction), 180-181 (Section 5 & 6)
8. \*S. Nair and L. Eapen (2015), *Agrarian Performance and Food Price Inflation in India, Pre- and Post- Economic Liberalisation* in **Economic and Political Weekly**, August 1, 2015

### **Topic 2 - INDUSTRY**

Policies and Performance Production trends; small scale industries; public sector; foreign investment

1. R. Nagaraj (2017), *Economic Reforms and Manufacturing sector Growth*, in **Economic and Political Weekly**, 14 Jan 2017
2. Pulin B. Nayak (2012), *Privatization*, in **NOCE**
3. Nagesh Kumar, 2014, *FDI and Portfolio Investment Flows and Development: A Perspective on Indian Experience* in Uma Kapila (ed.), **Indian Economy Since Independence**, 26th edition, 2015-16. Academic Foundation, Delhi, Ch. 40 or 28<sup>th</sup> edition Ch. 35
4. *Clothes and Shoes: Can India Reclaim Small Scale Manufacturing?* in **Economic Survey 2016-17 Vol. I**, Ch 7

5. Uma Kapila, *Industrial Development and Policies since Independence*, Editorial Notes (pages 635-669), in Uma Kapila (ed.), **Indian Economy Since Independence**, 28th edition, Academic Foundation, Delhi

### **Topic 3 –TRADE**

Trends and Policies Balance of Trade and Balance of Payments; India and the World Trade Organisation.

1. Uma Kapila, *India's External Sector: Policies, Developments and Issues AND India and the WTO*, Editorial Notes in Uma Kapila (ed.), **Indian Economy Since Independence**, 28th edition, Academic Foundation, Delhi.
2. Biswajit Dhar (2015), *India's New Foreign Trade Policy*, **EPW**, May 24.
3. K Kanagasabapathy, Vishakha G Tilak, and R Krishnaswamy, (2013), *A Rethink on India's Foreign Trade Policy*, **EPW** August 3.

**Note:** Readings marked with a \* are for teachers only in the current semester. They may be considered for students in the next academic year.

**Examination Pattern:** Students will be expected to answer any five out of eight questions. One of the eight questions will involve writing short notes on any two out of four topics. **All questions will be based on the above readings only, but credit will be given for familiarity with more recent developments on the respective topics.**