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DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS**

**Minutes of the Meeting**

<b>Subject</b>	:	B.A. (Hons.) Economics
<b>Course</b>	:	Development Theory and Experience II
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<b>Venue</b>	:	Department of Economics, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi
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The members present decided on the following syllabus:

**1. Demography and Development**

- Population Growth and Economic Development: Debraj Ray, *Development Economics*, Oxford University Press, 2009, Chapter 9
- Debraj Ray, *Development Economics*, Oxford University Press, 2009, Chapter 10—The Lewis Model and the Harris-Todaro model (only sections 10.2 and 10.3 and excluding 10.3.5)

## **2. Land, Labor and Credit Markets**

- Overview of Rural Markets: Debraj Ray, *Development Economics*, Oxford University Press, 2009, Chapter 11
- Land Markets: Debraj Ray, *Development Economics*, Oxford University Press, 2009, Chapter 12 (12.1, 12.2 and 12.3)
- Labor Markets: Debraj Ray, *Development Economics*, Oxford University Press, 2009, Chapter 13 (excluding 13.5)
- Credit Markets: Debraj Ray, *Development Economics*, Oxford University Press, 2009, Chapter 14

## **3. Individuals, Communities and Collective Outcomes**

- Elinor Ostrom, Chapter 1, pp. 1-14.

Note: The purpose of repeating this reading, which the students have covered in an earlier course, was to de-emphasize this section of the syllabus.

## **4. Environment and Sustainable Development**

- Partha Dasgupta, *Economics: A Very Short Introduction*, Oxford University Press, 2007, Chapter 7
- Gerald M. Meier, James E. Rauch, *Leading Issues in Economic Development*, 7<sup>th</sup> Edition, Oxford University Press, Chapter 10 (Selections 10.1 and 10.5)  
(Selection 10.1 is from the World Bank ‘*World Development Report 1992*’;  
Selection 10.5 is from Pearce, Barbier and Markandya ‘Sustainable Development, Ecology and Economic Progress’)
- Charles D. Kolstad, *Intermediate Environmental Economics*, Oxford University Press, 2012, Chapters 1 (‘The Environment and Economics’), and Ch. 11 (‘Regulating Pollution’).

## **5. Globalization**

- Abhijit Banerjee, Roland Benabou and Dilip Mookerjee, *Understanding Poverty*, Oxford University Press, 2006, Chapters 6 and 7
- Dani Rodrik, *The Globalization Paradox: Why Global Markets, States and Democracy Can’t Coexist*, Oxford University Press, 2011, Chapter 4
- Raghuram Rajan, *Fault Lines: How Hidden Fractures Still Threaten the World Economy*, 2010, Introduction to the book

