DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
DELHI SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS

MINUTES OF THE MEETING

Subject: B.A. (Hons.), IV Semester

Paper: (GE) Indian Economy-II

Convenor: Prof. Aditya Bhattcharjrea

A meeting of teachers of the above course was held on January 13, 2020 at 2.30 P.M.

The following members were present:

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In view of the fact that the Exam Branch randomly uses a previous year’s question paper, it was decided that no changes to the list of required readings or pattern of question paper will be possible. However, it was agreed to include some more recent supplementary readings by the same authors, so as to keep the descriptive material up to date. These readings are indicated as 'double-starred' (**) readings below. No direct questions should be set exclusively from these readings, but they should be incorporated into lectures, and students should read them and be given credit for drawing on them in their answers. The relevant chapters of the 2019-20 Economic Survey should also be used for this purpose. Teachers could also use the internal assessment component of the evaluation scheme to encourage students to make presentations on the basis of these readings as well as the related readings for teachers, which can be considered for the next formal syllabus revision.

**Topic-wise revised reading list for 2020**

Unit 1. Macroeconomic Policies and Their Impact:
Fiscal Policy; trade and investment policy; financial and monetary policies; labour regulation.
2. Editor’s notes, *Fiscal and Budgetary Developments*, Uma Kapila(ed.), *Indian Economy since Independence*, 28th edition, Academic Foundation, Delhi, Ch. 5.

**Readings for Teachers**

5. *Trade Policy Review- INDIA, WTO, 2015, Relevant sections of the (a) Secretariat report (especially Ch. 3 on trade policy and facilitation), (b) Government report. (www.wto.org)*

**Unit 2: Policies and Performance in Agriculture**

Growth; productivity; agrarian structure and technology; capital formation; trade; pricing and procurement.


**Readings for Teachers**


**Unit 3: Policies and Performance in Industry**

Growth; productivity; diversification; small scale industries; public sector; competition policy; foreign investment.


**Readings for Teachers**


2. *Readings by Pal & Saha, Deakin & Haldar, Chakraborty, and Nagaraj, as in Unit I above.*

**Unit 4: Trends and Performance in Services**