

Appendix: I

Questionnaire

For data collection self structured questionnaire was distributed to the selected respondents. These are following:

Name:

Age:

Marital status: single marriage

Vill/Town:

Education:

Occupation:

1. Are you engage more time in housework than study work?

a. Yes.

b. No.

c. Cannot say

2. Do you have face any kind of discrimination by your family for choice of stream or course in school?

a. Yes.

b. No.

c. Cannot say

3. How do you evaluate government's performance on women education in Baksa district?

a. Excellent

B. Good

C. poor

4. Are you satisfied with health care facilities specially in family planning and maternity service?

a. Yes.

b. No.

c. Cannot say

5. Does the health worker visit your village?

a. Yes.

b. No.

c. Cannot say

6. How do you calculate government's performance on women Health care facilities in Baksa?

a. very satisfied.

b. Satisfied.

c. Not-satisfied.

7. What are the causes for not-satisfaction?

a. Absence of doctors.

b. Shortage of medicine.

c. Lack of maternity facilities in emergency situation.

8. In your opinion why society shows the different approach about women compare to men?

- a. Physically weaker section.**
- b. Socially vulnerable groups.**
- c. Economically they are dependent.**

9. Was discrimination against women due to tradition and custom?

- a. Agree.**
- b. Disagree.**

10. Do you think that, in the society, a woman is considered as inferior to man?

- a. Yes.**
- b. No.**

11. Do you think that house hold work is not getting recognized because it is Non-Salaried in character?

- a. Yes.**
- b. No.**

12. Which factors you keep in mind while casting your vote?

- a. Candidate**
- b. Religion**
- c. Caste**
- d. Education**
- e. Party**
- f. other**

13. Who influence your voting behaviour?

- a. Family**
- b. Friends**
- c. Religion**
- d. Caste**
- e. Any other**

14. What are the sources of your political information?

- a. Members of the Family**
- b. News paper**
- c. Radio**
- d. Television**
- e. Other**

15. Do you think the male dominate the women in decision making process?

- a. Yes.**
- b. No.**
- c. Cannot say**

16. Are you satisfied with the present level of participation of women in politics?

- a. Yes.**
- b. No.**
- c. Cannot say**

17. Do you think that the Male dominated Society is the main reason of low participation rate of women in politics?

a. Yes.

b. No.

18. Have you heard about the National Commission for women?

a. Yes.

b. No.

19. Have you heard about CEDAW?

a. Yes.

b. No.

20. Do you think the national policy for the empowerment of women is properly implemented by the government?

a. Yes.

b. No.

c. Cannot say

21. Do you think that the State government plays an effective role in ensuring rights of the women?

a. Yes.

b. No.

c. To some extent

d. Cannot say

Thank you.

Appendix: ii

Baksa District Map:

