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APPENDIX-III

For the Designers/Trimmers

- 1 - i) Name of the respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
ii) Name of the unit \_\_\_\_\_

2 Background information of the respondent -

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| Sex |   | Age | Caste/<br>Religion | Family type<br>and size | No. of<br>earning<br>members |
|-----|---|-----|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| M   | F |     |                    |                         |                              |

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ii) What is your total family income (per month)?

- a) Rs. 500 or below
- b) Rs. 501/- to 1000/-
- c) Rs.1001/- to 1500/-
- d) Rs.1501/- to 2000/-
- e) Rs.2001/- to 2500/-
- f) Above Rs.2500/-

iii) What is your education level?

- a) Illiterate
- b) Primary
- c) Middle
- d) High/Higher Secondary
- e) Graduate
- f) Any other

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3 Is trimming/designing your family occupation?

Yes / No

If No, why did you take it up -

because you were

- a) interested
- b) good at it
- c) trained for it
- d) economic reasons
- e) Any other (specify)

4 From where did you learn designing/ trimming?

- a) Family member
- b) Institute
- c) Any other (specify)

5 Give the details of the floor coverings designed by you -

| F.C. | Design | Motifs | Colours |
|------|--------|--------|---------|
|------|--------|--------|---------|

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4/5/6

6 How long did it take you to master the craft?

Since how long you have been practising this craft?

7 Do the designs, motifs and colours used have any symbolic significance for you?

Yes / No

If Yes, give the following details -

| <u>Details</u> | <u>Symbolism</u> |
|----------------|------------------|
| Designs        |                  |
| Motifs         |                  |
| Colours        |                  |

8 How long does it take you to trim one carpet?

| <u>Size</u> | <u>No.of Workers Working on it</u> | <u>Time Taken</u> |
|-------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|
|             |                                    |                   |

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9 From where do you get inspiration for designs?

- a) Old carpets
- b) Other textiles
- c) Design books
- d) Any other  
(specify)

10 How do you illustrate the designs?

- a) Simple drawing
- b) With graph papers
- c) Any other  
(specify)

11 Are you familiar with with process of weaving?

Yes / No

If Yes, do you give any weaving instructions along-  
with the design? (specify)

12 What factors do you keep in mind while designing?

- a) Aesthetic appeal
- b) Market demand  
(Current/Future)
- c) Ease in weaving
- d) Any other  
(specify)

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13 Do you ever get any complaints?

Yes / No

If Yes, these are regarding -

- a) Lack of variety in designs
- b) Colour combinations
- c) Motifs
- d) Illustration
- e) Workmanship
- f) Any other  
(specify)

14 Do you face any problems while designing?

Yes / No

If Yes, these are regarding -

- a) Lack of space
- b) Non-acceptance of designs
- c) Lack of facilities
- d) Lack of proper light
- e) Any other  
(specify)

15 What are your suggestions for the upliftment and improvement of this industry?