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1. EMERGING ISSUES IMPORTANT FOR THE UNDERSTANDING OF ECONOMIC GROWTH AND THE INFORMAL ECONOMY

1.1 negative labour elasticities with respect to agricultural growth

1.2 the persistence of small scale production

1.3 the informal economy in large registered organisations

1.4 forms of social regulation

1.5 tax evasion, state capacity and informal social security

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2. POINTS OF DEBATE/KEYS GAPS IN UNDERSTANDING FOR THE RESEARCH PROJECT (NB prior to reading the material)

2.1 non-state regulative order

a) engineered (collective action)

b) non-engineered (gender, caste, ethnicity, religion, language)

2.2 drivers of change (agency /deviance – the barrenness of theory – institutional destruction, resistance, reworking)

2.3 policy – politics - police

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3. Links

3.1 Current Indian Research in QEH – Oxford Socialisation and learning for work in the informal economy – Camilla Roman

- Social values of work inside value chains – sociology of the distributive share - Orlanda Ruthven
- Institutional change – informal credit – Christine Polzin
- Dalit business – Aseem Prakash with BHW
- Informalisation of labour – jute – Nandini Gooptu / cotton – Sumeet Mhaskar
- Dalit labour – Judith Heyer
- Gender – a feminist theory of policy – Bina Fernandez
- The social embeddedness of NGOs – Tom Harrison

3.2 CRIMPREV

[HTTP://www.fltr.ucl.ac.be/FLTR/HIST/CHDJ/CRIMPREV/crimprev/crimprev-project.doc](http://www.fltr.ucl.ac.be/FLTR/HIST/CHDJ/CRIMPREV/crimprev/crimprev-project.doc)