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Q4(c)

Compare the pressing problems of a dalit poor family living in an urban slum with a similar type of family living in a rural setting

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2017 · Sociology GS 2 · 10 marks · Rural and Agrarian transformation in India

Rural and Agrarian transformation in India: Programmes of rural development, Community Development Programme, cooperatives, poverty alleviation schemes; Green revolution and social change; Changing modes of production in Indian agriculture; Problems of rural labour, bondage, migration.

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Numbers move. Confirm the latest Budget, Economic Survey or census round. This sheet is for revision, not a substitute for the model answer.

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Rampura insight

Local dominant caste still shapes rural Dalit labour even after legal abolition of untouchability.

Ambedkar on city

Urban life as a possible exit from village caste, only partly realised in slums.

Sanitation work

Caste occupation that follows Dalit families into municipal and informal urban labour.

Eviction

Slum clearance as an urban analogue of rural dispossession.

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