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| Journal Name:            | South Asian Journal of Social Studies and Economics   |
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| Manuscript Number:       | Ms_SAJSSE_111033  |
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#### **PART 1:** Review Comments

|  | Reviewer's comment   | Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here) |
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| Compulsory REVISION comments   |  | ,   |
| Is the manuscript important for scientific community?  (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)                           | Writing a scientific manuscript is an endeavor that challenges the best minds, yet it is very rewarding once the body of work comes to fruition. The researcher has carefully drafted a manuscript allowing to share original ideas with the community as well as with the general population. |   |
| 2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)  | Yes  |   |
| 3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?   |  |   |
| 4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?  | Yes<br>Yes   |   |
| 5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?  | W  |   |
| 6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form. | Yes  |   |
| (Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)                             | Fine   |   |
| additional suggestions/comments)   | 3,4 line paragraph can be adjusted in a main paragraph.  Headings in an ABSTRACT could have been removed to make it a single paragraph.  |   |
|  | I have struck through a few words that are not required. A few words need to be revised like EMPHASISE, UTILISE, SYNTHESISE, RECOGNISE, and RECCOMMANDATION. I am not sure whether the researcher is following AE or BE. RQs could have been added to it.                                      |   |
| Minor REVISION comments  |  |   |
| Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?  | Yes  |   |
| Optional/General comments  | Observation has been shared in the above section. Overall, it is a good attempt by a researcher in phrasing, expressing ideas, and concluding this paper that serves its purpose based on its title.   |   |
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