SOCIOCOLOGICAL IMPLICATIONS OF DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS IN INDIA: WITH A CASE STUDY OF DUL AND HASTI PROJECT IN KISHTWAR, JAMMU AND KASHMIR INDIA

SUDESH KUMAR
PHD SCHOLAR
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY
GURU NANAK DEV UNIVERSITY
AMRITSAR INDIA

ABSTRACT
The present research paper seeks to reveal the various socio-economic implications of the power developmental projects both positive and negative. The social issues arising out of such projects include forced migration of the local population, employment and labor issues, educational transitions of the student folk besides gender issues. Attempts have been made during the present study to interrogate into the processes of social mobility, stratification and differentiation arising due to the transitions towards set back or forwards in the economic system of the areas under and near such developmental projects. The current study is partially based on the M.phil project done by the present scholar. Extensive fieldwork has been carried out with interview schedule used as the major research tool. Data has been collected from both primary and secondary sources. The primary methods of data collection included field work, through the use of interview which was supported by an interview schedule and observation which was mainly the non participant. For the present study one village Dul and one town Cinema colony were selected from which 25 households form each have been selected through purposive sampling. The secondary sources of data were collected through books, magazines, newspaper journals, internet, and government offices etc.

KEY WORDS: Compensation, Development, Displacement, Dul Hasti, Migration, Projects, Rehabilitation, Sustainable development.