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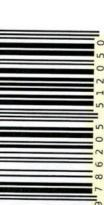
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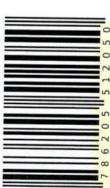
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Introduction

Women constitute one half of the India's population that is one half of the country's human resources. Apart from the fact that they constitute one half of the country's 'man power' resources, women play an important role in shaping the personalities of the nation's young human resources. Emancipation of women is one of the indicators of socioeconomic development of society and social change. The position of women in a society is an index of its level of civilization of the nation. In a metropolitan city when women do not get jobs in formal sector to run their house they are involved in informal sector for survival. According to the Central Statistical Organization, the informal sector is an unorganised sector which includes all those activities that are not regulated by any legislation and which do not maintain annual accounts and balance sheets. The informal sector in an extremely significant sector of the present society and of the urban areas. This is because majority of work force in the urban areas is involved in the informal sector. Women condition becomes more precarious if they are uneducated migrants. Due to lack of skill, knowledge and unavailability of training programs, for survival these women run a business with a very small amount of investment and flower-selling business is one of them.