Appendix

Variables	Scores
Type of Cooking Fuel	Liquid gas/gas/electricity=4
	Wood=3
	Crop residue=2
	Dung cakes/Bio gas=1
	Other=0
Source of Drinking Water	Piped water (inside/outside of
	dwelling)=4
	Tube well (shallow/deep)=3
	Surface well/other well=2
	Pond/river=1
	Other=0
Sanitation Facility	Septic tank/Water-sealed=3
	Pit latrine=2
	Open/Hanging=1
	No facility/Bush/Field=0
Electricity	Yes=1
	No=0
	Car=8
	Generator=7
	Motorcycle/scooter=6
Ownership of Durable Goods	Computer=5
	Television=4
	Refrigerator=4
	Radio=3
	Bicycle=3
	Almirah /wardrobe=2
	Chair/bench=1
	Table=1
	Cot/bed=1
Main Roof Material	Cement/concrete/tiled=3
	Tin=2
	Katcha (bamboo/thatch)=1
	Other=0
Main Wall Material	Brick/cement=4

	Tin=3	
	Wood=2	
	Katcha (bamboo/jute/mud)=1	
	Other=0	
	Cement/concrete=2	
Main Floor Material	Katcha (bamboo/earth)=1	
	Other=0	
Standard of Living (SL)	Score range: 0-66	

 Table A1: Scoring of standard of living index.