



IPSU-MoEF



Institution & Policy Support Unit (IPSU)



**Sustainable Environment Management Programme
(SEMP)**

Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF)



Profile of the Project

SEMP Component	: Capacity Building for Environmental Legislation and Policy Analysis
Component No.	: 1.1.2
Sub-Implementing Agency	: Institution and Policy Support Unit (IPSU)
Funded by	: Government of Bangladesh & UNDP

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IPSU at a Glance

IPSU is a Policy support unit under Ministry of Environment and Forest, supported by Sustainable Environment Management Programme of UNDP

Goal of IPSU

To enhance capability for environmental governance in Bangladesh in partnership with other GoB Ministries, agencies and civil society organizations



Activities of IPSU

The activities of IPSU are categorized under the following six thrust areas:-

1. Policy Analysis and Advocacy
2. National Environmental Capacity Development
3. Environmental Regulatory Instruments
4. Environmental Monitoring and Reporting
5. Economic Instruments for Environment Management
6. Coordination and Follow-up

Achievements so far..

Policy Analysis & Advocacy



Jointly organized a workshop on **Integrating Environmental inputs into the Bangladesh PRSP** with LCG-Subgroup on Environment



Prepared the final report for PRSP **Sub-thematic group on Environment** to Integrate Environmental concerns in National PRSP.



Achievements so far..

Policy Analysis & Advocacy



Facilitated to Review and Update the National Energy Policy, 2006



Prepared Draft Wildlife Conservation Policy, 2005



Formulation of Medical Waste Management & Handling Rules and Regulation



Incorporation of Ecotourism into the National Tourism Policy

Achievements so far..

Policy Analysis & Advocacy

Utilization of Biodiversity & Overcoming seasonal crisis



Replicable Model Developed



Homestead-3 Decimal (sunny)	
Use for household :	1 decimal
Vegetables garden:	2 decimal
Number of Bed :	18
Bed size :	3' x10'
Gross income :	3,640.00
Gross cost :	259.00
Net income :	3,381.00

Model & Cost benefit Analysis



Beneficiaries skill developed



Homestead Gardening & Poultry rearing

Achievements so far..

National Environmental Capacity Development



Organized **GEF Follow-up Country Dialogue Workshop** to sensitize GOs/NGOs regarding GEF funding and prepared the report.



Organized a meeting on Indian River Linking Project to increase the national concern regarding the inhuman initiative taken by India.



Achievements so far..

National Environmental Capacity Development



Organized a discussion meeting on *CITES Enforcement Training Document* with stakeholders to enrich the prepared document



Facilitated MoEF to prepare the report for National committee on Restoration and Management of surrounding Rivers of Dhaka city.



Facilitated MoEF to prepare the report on Country Environmental Analysis in collaboration with World Bank and IUCN-Bangladesh

Achievements so far..

National Environmental Capacity Development



Facilitated MoEF to formulate the Mandate of **Proposed Standing Committee on Trade and Environment (SCTE)**



Jointly organized a regional public hearing workshop on GMO in Dhaka



Conducted meeting with BPATC for mainstreaming environment in GoB civil service training program

Achievements so far..

Facilitation of Environmental Regulatory Instruments



Conducted meeting with Bangladesh Scout about Environmental Issues



Facilitated MoEF regarding Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)

Achievements so far..

Environmental Monitoring and Reporting



Facilitated to finalize the 3rd National Report on CBD



Launching the national report on the MDGs



Sensitization on MDGs to the Journalist



Facilitated to prepare the NAPA project under UNFCCC

Achievements so far

Promotion of Environment Friendly Technology



Conducted Research Committee Meeting on Promotion of Bio-diesel in Bangladesh



Promoting Solar Water Heating System at Barind Area



Promoting Biogas at Maona, Gazipur and Jessore area



Promoting vermi-compost as a environment friendly technology

Achievements so far

Training Programme



Training Program on Bamboo Propagation through Kanchi Kalam



Conducted Beneficiaries Skill Development Training Programme on how to overcome the seasonal crisis period at Monga Prone Area



Facilitated Training Programme on Medical Waste Management at Rajshahi City Corporation Area



Conducted a Training Program on Date Palm and Palm Tree

Achievements so far..

Environmental Education



Provided Environmental Education at BRAC University, Social Welfare Academy, Bangladesh Girl's Guide and Bangladesh Scout

Achievements so far..

Partnership, Coordination & Networking



Established
Partnership
with BRAC &
Grameen
Shakti



Established
Network among
Env & SD related
degree holders in
Civil Service, Go-
Go, Go-NGO and
Academia



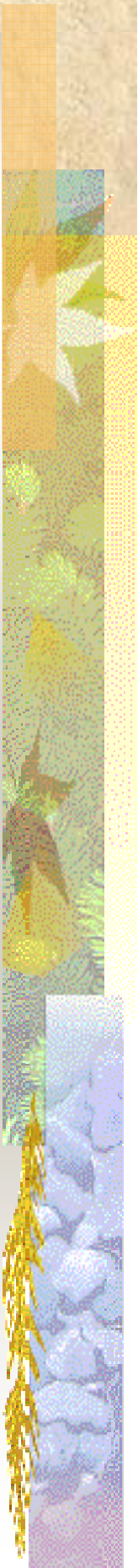
Documentation & Publication

- Striving for the Sustainable Development (Documentary Films)
- Bangladesh Environmental Postage Stamps
- Olympic Movement Agenda 21
- Ten Things for Better Future
- Tangoar Haor (Documentary Film on Migratory Bird)
- In-house Medical Waste Segregation Poster
- Date Palm and Palm Tree Cultivation Manual
- Bamboo Propagation Training Manual
- Biogas Training Manual (Draft)
- Vermi-compost Training Manual (Draft)
- Sojna Ghaher Madome Pustihenota Rash
- Plastics and Nature: The current situation and suggested remedies
- Translate and publish major conventions, protocols and other international documents in Bengali
- Jallpipi



Future Plan

Sustainable Environmental Governance in Bangladesh



Thank You