Country presentation
on
The Cost of Migration Pilot Survey-2019

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Presentation Plan

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An Introduction of BBS

• Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) is the centralized official statistical organization of Bangladesh.

• Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics was created in 1974 by merging four agencies namely
  – The Bureau of Statistics
  – The Bureau of Agriculture Statistics
  – The Agriculture Census Commission
  – The Population Census Commission

• About a year later in July 1975, the Statistics Division was created under the Ministry of Planning.

• BBS is now under the Statistics and Informatics Division (SID) headed by a secretary.
Vision and Mission of BBS

Vision:
❖ To become a *world-class* provider of authentic, relevant and timely data in a holistic and user-friendly manner.

Mission:
❖ To establish an integrated, professional, efficient and effective NSS, under the guidance and leadership of the BBS
❖ To *produce and publish* official statistics that *meet the current and growing needs* of national and international users in a transparent and timely fashion using *international standards* and the *best statistical practices*. 
BBS- at a glance

- The broad functions of BBS are to collect, compile, analyze and disseminate data and statistics on social, economic, demographic, environmental and agricultural sectors.
- BBS performs its activities through eight wings headed by Directors.
- Five Subject Matter Wings: Agriculture Wing, Census Wing, Demography & Health Wing, Industry & Labour Wing, National Accounting Wing
- Three Service Wings: Computer Wing, Statistical Staff Training Institute, and Finance, Administration, and Management Information System
BBS- at a glance

• BBS HQ is located at Dhaka
• 64 Districts Statistical Offices (class I)
• 483 upazila statistical offices at the upazila level (class II)
• 23 thana statistical offices in the metropolitan areas (class III)
According to the Statistical Act 2013, BBS is the sole organization for providing Government Statistics in Bangladesh.

Two major issues are as follows:

• All Ministry, Division and the attached Departments, Directorates or organizations must consider BBS Statistics as government statistics.

• For statistical requirement, BBS has been given authority to collect data from any individual, agency, organization or authority.
Major Censuses of BBS

• BBS Conducts various census:
  – Population and Housing Census
  – Agriculture Census
  – Economic Census
  – Handloom Census
Core surveys of BBS

• BBS Conducts following core surveys:
  – Sample Vital Registration System
  – Household Income & Expenditure Survey
  – Labor force Survey
  – Consumer Price Index
  – Health and Morbidity survey
  – Multiple Indicator Cluster Survey (MICS)
  – Literacy assessment survey
  and many more.
The Cost of Migration Pilot Survey

- The Cost of Migration Pilot Survey will be conducted in 2019.
- This Pilot survey will conduct on household where minimum one member migrant to work in Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (KSA).
- Already collected list of household from Ministry of Expatriates’ Welfare and Overseas Employment, Bangladesh.
The main objective of Migration Pilot Survey

• In total, How much did it cost to get the job in Kingdom Saudi Arabia (KSA).

And Also Boarder Sense:

• SDG 10.7.1 Indicators: Recruitment Cost borne by employee in country of destination.
The Cost of Migration Pilot Survey

• Questionnaire:

Questionnaire-The cost of Migration Pilot Survey- ppt (1).docx
### Why selected of KSA

#### Overseas Employment in 2018

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Policy and Coordination Needed

√ Ministries and government bodies
√ NGO
√ Development partner
√ Different stakeholders.
Thank You