



APARAJITA

Political Empowerment of Women

Bi-Annual Operational Report

December 2012-May 2013



Schweizerische Eidgenossenschaft
Confédération suisse
Confederazione Svizzera
Confederaziun svizra



Format Snapshot

Implementing organization:	Democracywatch										
Project name: APARAJITA- Political Empowerment of Women	Type of report: Bi-Annual Operational Report										
	Reporting period: December ,2012 to May, 2013										
Phase duration: December, 2011 to November, 2015	Receiver of the report: APARAJITA: Project Steering Committee/SDC										
Main results achieved and implementation performance of the project/programme Summary: Democracywatch (DW) has been implementing the APARAJITA project, phase-1 funded by Swiss agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC) since December 2011 in ten districts of Bangladesh. The districts are Nilphamari, Dinajpur, Rangpur, Pabna, Sirajganj, Tangail, Mymensingh, Jessore, Magura and Narail. In the last six months DW has been achieved results in relation to outcome -1, 2, 3 and 0. After receiving a series of training regarding roles and responsibility, local service provision, Gender and public entitlement since inception 531 EWRs made lot of changes in their usual practice and following major changes have seen during the reporting period: 186 EWRs from UP visited 251 Primary school and they have ensured the reduction of drop out, Irregularities of stipend and Sanitation facilities of girl students, 26 EWRs have included as member of the primary school management committee, 239 EWRs have visited 249 community clinics and ensured the proper distribution of medicine by their monitoring visit, 86 EWRs ensured safe water and arranging for installation of 220 tube-wells for the community people through government project, 963 sets latrine including 3 rings and 1 slab have been distributed by 91 EWRs under the allocation of ADP, 8 EWRs included them in the district and 2 in divisional committee of Bangladesh Union Parishad Forum-BUPF, 1 EWR(Women Vice Chairmen of Upazilla) elected the Vice President of District Nari Unnayan Forum and it has been established 6 bill boards on Citizen Charter in 6 UPs under the leadership of EWRs by a systematic process. Six months achievement came out under following expenditure:											
<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Particulars</th> <th>Annual Budget</th> <th>Expenditure</th> <th>in %</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Total Expenditures of the period (six months)</td> <td>2,39,72562</td> <td>88,24,855</td> <td>37%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Particulars	Annual Budget	Expenditure	in %	Total Expenditures of the period (six months)	2,39,72562	88,24,855	37%		
Particulars	Annual Budget	Expenditure	in %								
Total Expenditures of the period (six months)	2,39,72562	88,24,855	37%								
Main steering implications for next period of interventions In the operational area of Democracywatch in last six months there was no considerable risk or opportunity occurred which may steering implication for next period of intervention.											
Date of report : 31 July, 2013		Faisal Mustafijur Rahman Project Coordinator-APARAJITA Democracywatch									

Democracywatch
APARAJITA: Political Empowerment of women
Bi-Annual Operational Reports
Reporting period: December 2012 to May 2013

Part 1

Chapter-1 Introduction:

During the reporting period (December 2012 - May 2013), DW has been implemented the project in all ten districts. Activities covered in 157 unions, 15 Upazilas, 12 Municipalities and 10 constituencies. 488 EWRs from the UP, 43 EWRs representing the Municipality, 298 P-EWRs, 431 Volunteers, 89 elected male representatives participated in the activities of the project during reporting period. Fifteen number of Upazilla Nirbahi Officer, Five Number of Upazilla Agriculture officer, Three number of Upazilla Education officer, Three number of Upazilla Health and Family planning officer, Two number of Operation in Charge from Upazilla police station, Sixteen number of Sub Assistant Agricultural Officer and Twelve number of Upazilla Assistant Education Officer facilitated various session of the training courses as the recourse person during reporting period. Beside this number of community people contributed their support to implement the activities through their responsive presence.

Chapter-2 Outcomes achieved for:

Outcome-1: Elected Women representatives are accountable to their constituencies and together with potential future EWR and former EWR are collectively requiring gender and poverty sensitive practice in local service delivery and assuming leadership roles.

Under the outcome-1 the following changes have found after the activity intervention regarding capacity building of EWRs.

- It has increased the number of VGF card by the EWRs. Now more 4933 beneficiaries are getting VGF then previous period. Beside this 534 number of beneficiaries have increased for getting VGD card by the efforts of EWRs.
- EWRs protected two cases of early marriage in Narail with the assistance of local administration.
- 186 EWRs from UP visited 249 Primary school and they have ensured the reduction of drop out, Irregularities of stipend and Sanitation facilities of girl students.
- 17 EWRs from Rangpur visited primary school and they have conducted session on primary health care for the students.
- 2 Councilor of Pabna municipality Visited School of "Horijon Colony" and they have motivated the dwellers of the colony as a result it has been increased the attendance of the student.
- In the reporting period 26 EWRs have included as member of the primary school management committee.

- EWRs Implemented more 97 development schemes (like TR, Kabikha, Kabita etc.) in the reporting period. In the previous period they have implemented total of 681 schemes.
- 239 EWRs of Rangpur, Tangail, Sirajganj, Mymensingh, Magura, Narail and Dinajpur have visited 249 community clinics and UP health center. They have ensured the proper distribution of medicine by their monitoring visit. Along with 4 councilors (EWR) of Pabna municipality made their regular monitoring visit of urban clinic on monthly basis.
- 86 EWRs ensured safe water and distributed 220 tube-wells for the community people through government project in Rangpur, Narail, Nilfamari, Dinajpur and Mymensingh.
- 963 sets latrine including 3 rings and 1 slab have been distributed by the EWRs in Rangpur, Narail, Nilfamari and Dinajpur for the community people under the ADP of Union Parishad.
- 8 Volunteers and 91 P-EWRs have been co-opted/included in the standing committees of UP and it has created an opportunity to work for the community people through the monitoring of local service providers.

Outcome-2: Provisions (legal framework incl. ordinance & directives), political commitment and public opinion conducive for inclusion and participation of EWR (and potential EWR) and for promoting gender sensitive service provision at community level

Under the outcome-2 the following changes have found after the activity intervention.

- 342 Participants (Male-70 Female-272) have participated in a Human chain for protection violence against women in Rangpur and Narail.
- Fifteen number of Exchange visit have conducted among the EWRs of 15 different Upazillas. During this visit EWRs have shared their experience regarding challenges, limitations, opportunities and threats through formal and informal interaction. From the visit it has developed some common strategies to mitigate the common problems of EWRs in LGL.
- Formed eight numbers of Upazilla Nari Unnayan Forum in Gangachara, Tangail sadar, Jessore Sadar, Narail Sadar, Lohagara, Ullapara, Magura, Sreepur as per the government rule by the active participation of EWRs.
- EWRs included in the district and divisional committee of Bangladesh Union Parishad Forum BUPF (Tangail sadar- 3 persons in district committee, Nilphamari-2 persons in divisional committee & 1 person in district committee, Rangpur-1 person is the Treasurer of district committee, Mymensingh-3 persons in district committee.
- Two EWRs of Mymensingh and one from Ullapara are included in the regional committee of Municipality association of Bangladesh (MAB).
- Thirty numbers of EWRs got position in the District, Upazilla and Union Committee of Political party.

- Vice Chairmen of Gangachara Upazilla parishad Khanto Rani has been elected the Vice President of District Nari Unnayan Forum of Rangpur and beside her Rokeya Alom (EWR of Gangachara) also been elected the member of same committee.

Outcome-3: Information, technical and advisory support for EWR valued, used and continuing

During the reporting period the following results have achieved regarding outcome-3

- Established 6 bill boards on Citizen Charter in 6 UPs of Nilfamari and Dinajpur under the leadership of EWRs.
- 471 (Male-73 and Female-398) Persons visited Gender Resource Center and collected information from different regional offices.

Special Outcome on the initiative of P-EWR

P-EWR Monoara Begum, Sonali Begum and Anufa Begum of Ramnagar union in Nilphamari Sadar have been working for their community since inception of **APARAJITA**. They have been trying to ensure proper wages for female workers. They organized a mass gathering in the locality regarding the mentioned issues. Numbers of women



workers, Job providing people (Land owners, Solvent Farmer, Local Institutional Chief) and UP members were present in the meeting. In the meeting women workers raised their voice with the support of P-EWRs and demanded the wage of female workers should be taka 180 instead of taka 100. In favor of their demand the citizen of Ramnagar union along with different organization, land owners and others supported them and took a decision that from now onwards the women worker will gate @Taka180 per day instead of Taka.100.

Chapter-3 Outputs and Performance according to the yearly plan of Operation:

According to the yearly plan of operation **Democracywatch** has performed to achieve outputs as follow:

- 531 EWRs received training on Public entitlement and 56 Government officials conducted the training session in different Upazillas.
- 382 persons EWR participated in exchange visit which conducted in different 11 Upazillas of APARAJITA's operational area.
- 136 Standing committees have reformed in different UPs as per the Union Parishad law of 2009.
- 382 EWRs 298 P-EWRs, 431 Volunteers (M-108 and F-323) and 89 EMR Participated in the observation of International Women day.

- 8 Volunteers co-opted in different standing committees of UP (Male-2 and Female-6)
- 91 P-EWRs have included in different standing committees of UP.
- 750 Diaries has printed and distributed among the EWRs as the monitoring tools
- 39 Project staff participated in Annual Coordination Meeting.
- Local service providers at Upazilla level facilitated the training course as the resource person. Fifteen number of Upazilla Nirbahi Officer, Five Number of Upazilla Agriculture officer, Three number of Upazilla Education officer, Three number of Upazilla Health and Family planning officer, Two number of Operation in Charge from Upazilla police station, Sixteen number of Sub Assistant Agricultural Officer and Twelve number of Upazilla Assistant Education Officer facilitated various session of the training courses on public entitlements as the recourse person..

Implementation constrains and way to overcome:

Constraints

- 1) UP Secretaries are keeping all the official docs in their own custody and are not willing to unfold in front of EWRs
- 2) Most of the EWRs have not been affiliated with the political parties as a result they are not getting enough and proper support from the political leaders.
- 3) Due to the different awareness and capacity building workshops for EWRs most of the EMRs have wrong perception about APARAJITA. They have a perception APARAJITA team is creating an intentional partition between EWRs and EMRs.
- 4) Selecting UP standing committee members is influenced by the UP chairman & male member's
- 5) Most of the EWR/P-FWR's aren't able to read and write even less words, as a result they are not capable any note, report, document & check or balance anything.

Way to overcome

- 1) Local Government Division should arrange a capacity building training program on Gender for all the LG units
- 2) The officials documents should maintain in a proper manner that everybody can have access to all the docs especially the EWRs
- 3) Based on the size of constituency resources should be increased for the EWRs
- 4) Continuous communication & motivational activities should performed by the APARAJITA in the policy level.

Chapter-4 Finances and Management

Please see in details in the Form-1(A) spend vs. planned in excel file

Significant Variances

The main reasons for low 'burn rate' under some particular overhead are:

1. As per output b.1.5 "Provide on the job coaching/mentoring and accompaniment to support existing training, including encouraging EWR to ensure women's active participation in existing state: civic space such as open budgets, ward assemblies, scrutinizing welfare provision, scrutinizing local services as well as developing ICT skills, competences such as preparation for meetings, tracking progress etc" titled activity shifted to the third Quarter due to unavailability of fund in the 1st six month.

2. As per the output b.1.1.9 and "Assist EWR in tracking their own progress (e.g. diaries) and EWR Networks to regularly reflect on progress" titled activity Printing and distribution has completed but numbers of Diary has been reduced due to high cost of printing as per project requirement.

3. As per the output b.1.3.2 and "Encourage regular linkages between EWR and local service providers (relationship building)" titled activities Planned for 1st , 2nd , 3rd and 4th Quarter as per APO but it was not possible to conduct the event in 1st and 2nd quarter due to unavailability of fund .

4. As per the output b.1.4.1 and "Encourage active participation of EWR in UMMC, thematic Standing Committees (Programme prioritized themes) or similar platforms" titled activity Planned for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Quarter as per APO but it was not possible to conduct the numbers of event in 1st and 2nd quarter due to unavailability of fund.

5. As per the output b.1.5.1 "Facilitate vertical and horizontal networks of EWR, helping them to develop & implement annual plans and track progress, raise voice and provide mutual support" titled event shifted to the third Quarter due to unavailability of fund and political unrest in the 1st six month.

6. As per the output b.1.5.2 "Facilitate linkage of WMP with grassroots electorate through EWR networks and NGOs" titled event shifted to the third Quarter due to unavailability of fund and political unrest in the 1st six month

7. As per the output b.1.5.5 "Support EWR networks to organize conferences, issue raising workshops, other events" titled event shifted to the third Quarter due to unavailability of fund and political unrest in the 1st six month.

8. As per the output b.2.1.1 "Undertake surveillance of proposed amendments in LG reform" titled activity was not possible to organize due to time and fund constraints.

9. As per the output b.2.1.2 “Undertake research (identified by EWR networking) participation of women” titled activity was not possible to organize due to time and fund constraints.

10. As per the output b.3.3.1 “Encourage EWR networks to reflect on their mandate, location and membership to ensure principles of representation and non partisanship. (Mapping reflection workshops)” titled activity was not possible to organize due to time and fund constraints.

11. As per the output b.4.4.1 “Based on gaps analysis (output 0.1), design IEC materials” titled activity is ongoing but Financial expenses will require in the next quarter

12. As per the output b.4.6.4 “Develop monitoring system, pilot & refine” titled tools/Activity developed by ANGO’s Joint efforts and Financial cost didn’t require.

13. As per the output b.4.6.5 “Orient facilitators and EWR on monitoring system” titled activity was not possible to organize due to time constraints.

14. As per the output b.4.7.2 “Pilot Hub portal/access and refine” titled activities is ongoing but Financial expenses will require in the next quarter

15. As per the output b.4.8.1 “Program & financial management training and coaching in innovative EWR-led monitoring” titled activity was not possible to organize due to time and fund constraints.

16. As per the output b.4.8.2 “Orientation to the program and principles of facilitation, EWR-led approaches & representational politics” titled activity was not possible to organize due to time and fund constraints.

The Significant variances in details are in Form-1(C)

Cash flow forecast: Detailed cash flow forecast in Form 2(A)

Management issue: The APARAJITA project is being implemented under the guidance of the senior management team of Democracywatch. Project coordinator is responsible for the field operation of the project which is being implemented in different ten constituencies through ten regional offices. DW Recruited 34 full time project staffs including 1 PC, 2 SPOs, 10FCs, 10 POs, 10 PORGs and 1 Finance officer. In addition to the full time staff, 5 DW core staff (Executive Director 20%, Directors Program 40%, Director Finance 40%, Director Operation 20% and M&E coordinator 50%) also contribute in APARAJITA partially. The project is running smoothly with the cooperation of all (34 full time and 5 shared) project staff and stakeholders. With the full support of senior management and project staff the project has been implementing smoothly.

Chapter-5 Lessons learnt

Good Practice

- Committee of Upazilla Nari Unnayan Forum had no specific place for regular sharing and meeting among them. Recently they have identified that Gender Resource Center might be serve their purpose. After identifying the resource they are able to use the Gender Resource Center of APARAJITA for mentioned purpose. Now GRC is using for the purpose of Upazilla Nari Unnayan Forum.

Operational Report (Part 2 and Annexes)

Chapter 2 Outcomes achieved for

Outcome-1: Elected Women representatives are accountable to their constituencies and together with potential future EWR and former EWR are collectively requiring gender and poverty sensitive practice in local service delivery and assuming leadership roles.

Under the outcome-1 the following changes have found after the activity intervention regarding capacity building of EWRs.

- It has increased the number of VGF card by the EWRs. Now more 4933 beneficiaries are getting VGF then previous period. Beside this 534 number of beneficiaries have increased for getting VGD card by the efforts of EWRs.
- EWRs protected cases of early marriage in Narail with the assistance of local administration.
- 186 EWRs from UP visited 249 Primary school and they have ensured the reduction of drop out, Irregularities of stipend and Sanitation facilities of girl students.
- 17 EWRs from Rangpur visited primary school and they have conducted session on primary health care for the students.
- 2 Councilor of Pabna municipality Visited School of "Horijon Colony" and they have motivated the dwellers of the colony as a result it has been increased the attendance of the student.
- In the reporting period 26 EWRs have included as member of the primary school management committee.
- EWRs Implemented more 97 development schemes (like TR, Kabikha, Kabita etc.) in the reporting period. In the previous period they have implemented total of 681 schemes.
- 239 EWRs of Rangpur, Tangail, Sirajganj, Mymensingh, Magura, Narail and Dinajpur have visited 249 community clinics and UP health center They have ensured the proper distribution of medicine by their monitoring visit. Along with 4 councilors (EWR) of Pabna municipality made their regular monitoring visit of urban clinic on monthly basis.

- 86 EWRs ensured safe water and distributed 220 tube-wells for the community people through government project in Rangpur, Narail, Nilfamary Dinajpur and Mymensingh.
- 963 sets latrine including 3 rings and 1 slab have been distributed by the EWRs in Rangpur Narail, Nilfamari and Dinajpur for the community people under the ADP of Union Parishad.
- 8 Volunteers and 91 P-EWRs have been co-opted/included in the standing committees of UP and it has created an opportunity to work for the community people through the monitoring of local service providers.

Outcome-2: Provisions (legal framework incl. ordinance & directives), political commitment and public opinion conducive for inclusion and participation of EWR (and potential EWR) and for promoting gender sensitive service provision at community level

Under the outcome-2 the following changes have found after the activity intervention.

- 342 Participants (Male-70 Female-272) have participated in a Human chain for protection violence against women in Rangpur and Narail.
- Fifteen number of Exchange visit have conducted among the EWRs of 15 different Upazillas. During this visit EWRs have shared their experience regarding challenges, limitations, opportunities and threats through formal and informal interaction. From the visit it has developed some common strategies to mitigate the common problems of EWRs in LGI.
- Formed eight numbers of Upazilla Nari Unnayan Forum in Gangachara, Tangail sadar, Jessore Sadar, Narail Sadar, Lohagara, Ullapara, Magura, Sreepur as per the government rule by the active participation of EWRs.
- EWRs included in the district and divisional committee of Bangladesh Union Parishad Forum BUPF (Tangail sadar- 3 persons in district committee, Nilphamari-2 persons in divisional committee & 1 person in district committee, Rangpur-1 person is the Treasurer of district committee, Mymensingh-3 persons in district committee.
- Two EWRs of Mymensingh and one from Ullapara are included in the regional committee of Municipality association of Bangladesh (MAB).
- Thirty numbers of EWRs got position in the District, Upazilla and Union Committee of Political party.
- Vice Chairmen of Gangachara Upazilla parishad Khanto Rani has been elected the Vice President of District Nari Unnayan Forum of Rangpur and beside her Rokeya Alom (EWR of Gangachara) also been elected the member of same committee.

Outcome-3: Information, technical and advisory support for EWR valued, used and continuing

During the reporting period the following results have achieved regarding outcome-3

- Established 6 bill boards on Citizen Charter in 6 UPs of Nilfamari and Dinajpur under the leadership of EWRs.

- 471 (Male-73 and Female-398) Persons visited Gender Resource Center and collected information from different regional offices.

Recommendation:

It should develop a smooth procedure regarding fund disbursement from SDC so that the program activities run properly.

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
b.1	<u>Outcome 1:</u> Elected Women representatives are accountable to their constituencies and together with potential future EWR and former EWR are collectively requiring gender and poverty sensitive practice in local service delivery and assuming leadership roles							
	<u>Output b.1.1:</u> EWR capacity, confidence built and understanding of the values /practices of representational politics actualized							
b.1.1.3	Develop and provide training on Democracy and representation, emphasizing skills such as communication, negotiation, assertiveness, leaderships (MPs)	10 Persons	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	10 Persons	

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
b.1.1.4	Develop and provide training on public entitlements (theme-wise starting with I. Primary education, ii. Health water and sanitation, iii. Police and justice, iv. Agriculture (also v. disaster preparedness /response (in vulnerable areas) and vi. pilot microfinance and banking)	535 Persons	535 Persons	531Persons	4 Persons	Due to Illness 4 persons were not able to participated	N/A	

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
b.1.1.5	Provide on the job coaching/mentoring and accompaniment to support existing training, including encouraging EWR to ensure women's active participation in existing state:civic space such as open budgets, ward assemblies, scrutinizing welfare provision, scrutinizing local services as well as	185 Visits	185 Visit	0	185	Shifted the Plan for Third Quarter due to unavailability of fund in 1 st six month.	185 Visit	

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
	developing ICT skills, competences such as preparation for meetings, tracking progress etc							
b.1.1.6	Facilitate peer to peer (horizontal and vertical) learning and mentoring.	15 Visits	15 Visits	11 Visits	4 Visits	Due to Political unrest	4 Batches	
b.1.1.8	Facilitate exposure visits	15 Participants	15 Participants	N/A	N/A	N/A	15 Participants	
b.1.1.9	Assist EWR in tracking their own progress (e.g.	750	750	750	N/A	N/A	N/A	

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
	diaries) and EWR Networks to regularly reflect on progress							
	Output 1.3. Electorate and institutional colleagues opinions on EWR contribution to good governance positively influenced							
B.3.2.2	Encourage pro active and regular engagement by EWR with their constituents (listening and responding) through ward assemblies & other (innovative) means	157	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	157	
	Encourage regular linkages between	60	10	00	10	Time constraints	60	

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
	EWR and local service providers (relationship building)							
	Output 1.4. EWR engagement (monitoring, raising voice) with service providers for better service provision enhanced							
	Encourage active participation of EWR in UMMC, thematic Standing Committees (Programme prioritized themes) or similar platforms	160	80	12	68	Time constraints	148	
	Output 1.5. EWR networking for advocacy and mutual support (collective action) enhanced							
	Facilitate vertical and horizontal networks of EWR, helping them to develop &	10	10	00	10	Time constraints and political unrest		

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
	implement annual plans and track progress, raise voice and provide mutual support							
	Facilitate linkage of WMP with grassroots electorate through EWR networks and NGOs	10	10	00	10	Time constraints and political unrest		
	Support EWR networks to organize conferences, issue raising workshops, other events	10	10	00	10	Time constraints and political unrest		
Outcome-2 Provisions (legal framework incl. ordinance & directives) , political commitment and public opinion conducive for inclusion and participation of EWR (and potential EWR) and for promoting gender sensitive service provision at community level								
Outcome-2	Output 2.1. Gender issues in LG reform influenced							

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
	Undertake surveillance of proposed amendments in LG reform	2	1	00	2	Political unrest and fund constraints	2	
	Undertake research (identified by EWR networking) on constraints to active political participation of women	1	1	00	1	Political unrest and fund constraints	1	
	Output 2.2. LG issues and debate (especially related to constraints for EWR inclusion/participation) raised in public domain to gather wider support for change in legislative framework							
	Link with local and national media to highlight issues	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	
	Promote debate and encourage airing of multiple	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
	perspectives (media, workshops, and internet) on LG issues							
Outcome-3								
Information, technical and advisory support for EWR valued, used and continuing								
Outcome-3								
Output 3.1. KCE Hub is functioning, recognized and used by EWR								
	Arrange workshops, conferences on women in government-sharing within and across programmes of LG	1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	
	Maintain drop-in facility and Information Desk for data on Local Government	10	2	00	2	Fund constraints	10	
	Support EWR Networks and	1	N/A	N/A	N/a	N/A	1	

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
	WMP to develop position papers, parliamentary questions on issues emerging from the grassroots (related to local service provision, allocations etc)							
	Publish and promote research studies	1	N/A	N/A	N/a	N/A	1	
	Output 3.2. Imp-NGOs and networks of activist volunteers (NAV) have adequate reach, competence , capacity and legitimacy to continue advancing political empowerment after the end of the project							
	Support team building	1	1	1	0	N/A	N/A	
	Output 3.3. Responsive support provided to emerging theme-based EWR networking initiatives							
	Encourage EWR networks to reflect on their mandate, location and	10	10	0	10	Fund and Time constraints	10	

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
	membership to ensure principles of representation and non partisanship. (Mapping reflection workshops)							
	Pilot Hub portal/access and refine	1	1	1	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Outcome- 0 Start up							
	Output: 4.6 EWR led monitoring system field tested and ready for roll out							
	Develop monitoring system, pilot and refine	1	1	1	00	N/A	N/A	
	Orientate facilitators and EWR on monitoring system	21 batches	21 batches	00	21 Batches	Time and fund constraints	21 batches	

Annual plan of operation and achievement of last six months:								
Reporting Period: Dec 2012 – May 2013								
Code No:	Narrative of outcomes, outputs, and activities	Annual Target	Target for the Reporting Period Dec 2012 – May 2013	Target Achieved	Deviations	Reasons for Deviation	Target for Next Six Months: June – Nov 2013	Remarks
	4.8 A-NGO capacity strengthened							
	Program and financial management training and coaching in innovative EWR-led monitoring	1	1	0	1	Time and Fund constraints		
	Orientation to the program and principles of facilitation, EWR-led approaches and representational politics	1	1	0	1	Time and Fund constraints		

Photograph of Events:



25

রেজি : রাজ ১৩ : ৩৭ তম বর্ষ : সংখ্যা ২৭৩ : বঙ্গভাষা বৃহস্পতি ৮ জ্যৈষ্ঠ ১৪২০ : ১১ জুন ১৪০৪ হিজরি : ২২ মে ২০১৩
www.karun.com.bd

নবাবগঞ্জে নির্বাচিত নারীদের
প্রশিক্ষণ অনুষ্ঠিত

[illegible]

সংভ্যক্ত সংকালে অনিচ্ছা THE DAILY SPANDAN

ଆମଦାନୀ

Downloaded from <http://ajphaphysiol.physiology.org/> by guest on September 11, 2015



ਸਰੋਤ : ਲਗਭਗ ਸਿਰਫ਼ ਇੱਕ ਸਰੋਤ ਹੈ ਜੋ ਕਿ ਇਸ ਬਾਰੇ ਕੁਝ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਦਿੰਦਾ ਹੈ।
ਪੰਨਾ 100 ਦੇ ਅੰਤ ਵਿੱਚ ਇਸ ਬਾਰੇ ਵੀ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਹੈ।

नकाशेज नदी ईडेनि सनाजोव सनर
हायलाव इतिहासे मानवदहन

[illegible]

□ যশোরের ইউপি সদস্যদের সাথে অভিজ্ঞতা বিনিময় সফর

করে ১৫ জন বিশিষ্ট সদস্য উপজেলা নারী ইউনিয়ন ঘোষণা করিত হইল। অন্যান্য সদস্যরা হালান বরখাড়া বেঙ্গল অফিসিয়াল ইউনিয়ন, হোয়েনো বেঙ্গল অফিসিয়াল ইউনিয়ন, সত্যা নারী বিকাশ শাহাবাদ ইউনিয়ন, অরুণা বেঙ্গল কলারামপুর ইউনিয়ন, কানন বালা শাহাবাদ ইউনিয়ন, নাসিরা বেঙ্গল মেডেগাট ইউনিয়ন, মালিগাড়া বিকাশ ইউনিয়ন, মালিগাড়া বঙ্গবন্ধু ইউনিয়ন, মালিগাড়া বঙ্গবন্ধু ইউনিয়ন, দুর্গালা বেঙ্গল বিজালী ইউনিয়ন, নারী বেঙ্গল চাঁদপুরবঙ্গ ইউনিয়ন, কবিতা শিকারগা আউজিয়া ইউনিয়ন, লাঙ্গলী বেঙ্গল অফিসিয়াল ইউনিয়ন, অরুণা বেঙ্গল মালিগাড়া ইউনিয়ন।

সদস্য উপজেলা নারী উন্নয়ন কেন্দ্রের গঠিত হইল। উপজেলা নারী উন্নয়ন কেন্দ্রের গঠিত হইল।

লোহাগড়া উপজেলা মহিলা আওতা সঞ্চালকের শাহাবাদা শাহী আলীকে এক আবেদনক এবং শৌর মহিলা আওতা সঞ্চালকের সাহোবা বেঙ্গল এক কথায় আবেদন করে ১৫ জন বিশিষ্ট লোহাগড়া উপজেলা নারী উন্নয়ন কেন্দ্রের গঠিত হইল।

অন্যদিকে লোহাগড়া উপজেলা নারী উন্নয়ন কেন্দ্রের গঠিত হইল।

লুইশালা ইউনিয়ন, কোটালী বেঙ্গল মালিগাড়া ইউনিয়ন, শরিক বেঙ্গল কাশাপুর ইউনিয়ন,

[illegible]

হোলে হোলে ১৫ মিনিটে প্রদান করে ও জন সমাজ সুস্বাক্ষর জিতে নেবে। এ প্রণব শুভ হাঙ্গামা তৈরি করে দেবে। এ সময় প্রদান করা হবে শুধু ওঠেন গানো এবং কবিতার নিয়েদের নির্দেশনো বাক্তর জীবনের একদিনের এই আনন্দ ভাষের মুখবর্তি করেদেবে। শুভ হাঙ্গামা তৈরি করে দেবে গাভীর কবিতা ও গান। এ সময় প্রদান করা হবে শুধু ওঠেন গানো এবং কবিতার নিয়েদের নির্দেশনো বাক্তর জীবনের একদিনের এই আনন্দ ভাষের মুখবর্তি করেদেবে। শুভ হাঙ্গামা তৈরি করে দেবে গাভীর কবিতা ও গান। এ সময় প্রদান করা হবে শুধু ওঠেন গানো এবং কবিতার নিয়েদের নির্দেশনো বাক্তর জীবনের একদিনের এই আনন্দ ভাষের মুখবর্তি করেদেবে। শুভ হাঙ্গামা তৈরি করে দেবে গাভীর কবিতা ও গান।

Abbreviations

A-NGO	:	Alliance NGO (i.e. Democracy Watch, Khan Foundations, PRRIP Trust and Steps Towards Development)
DW	:	Democracywatch (A-NGO)
EWR	:	Elected Woman Representative
GoB	:	Government of Bangladesh
KCE	:	Knowledge, Communication and Education
LG	:	Local Government
LGSP	:	Local Government Support Project
NILG	:	National Institute for Local Government
P-EWR	:	Potential elected woman representative
PIC	:	Project Implementation Committee
SDC	:	Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation
UP	:	Union Parishad (Council)
UNO	:	Upazila Nirbahi Officer
UZP	:	Upazila (sub-district) Parishad (Council)
PC	:	Project Coordinator
SPO	:	Senior Program Officer
PO	:	Program Officer
PROGs	:	Program Organizer