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**Urban Public and Environmental Health Sector Development
Project (UPEHSDP)**

**City Corporations: Dhaka North, Dhaka South, Chittagong,
Barisal, Khulna, Rajshahi and Sylhet City Corporations**

**Semi-Annual Social Monitoring Report on the Resettlement
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Section – 01: Introduction

This Semi-Annual (January to June 2017) Monitoring Report on the Resettlement Issue puts forward both resettlement and physical work progress status of all sub-projects/sub-components of 7 City Corporations viz. Dhaka North, Dhaka South, Chittagong, Rajshahi, Khulna, Barisal and Sylhet City Corporations under the UPEHSDP as on 30th June 2017. The sub-projects/components under the UPEHSDP are proposed STSs, Controlled landfills and Sanitary Landfill (both have been cancelled) located at 07 City Corporation areas. Two food laboratories are constructed and renovated one in Dhaka and another is in Chittagong.

Section – 02: The Sub-Projects/Sub-Components under UPEHSDP

Initially construction of STS's was 46, to be constructed in 07 City Corporations. The distributions were Dhaka South City Corporation–07 nos., Dhaka North City Corporation–05 nos., Chittagong City Corporation–12 nos., Khulna City Corporation–08 nos., Rajshahi City Corporation–06 nos., Barisal City Corporation–04 nos. and Sylhet City Corporation–04 nos. After deduction 14, now to be constructed 32 nos. of STS's. After construction of these STSs, service delivery of the STSs will be provided by the bidder for 01(one) year.

In addition, 01 Sanitary Landfill has been proposed to be established in Khulna and 04 Controlled Landfills (Both packages have been cancelled) in Chittagong, Rajshahi, Barisal and Sylhet City Corporations. Each location has been chosen strategically to attain maximum economies of scale by being located near the City Corporation areas and nearby peri-urban towns (Paurashavas).

Chittagong, Rajshahi, Sylhet and Barisal City Corporations already have their own land to develop Controlled Landfills (Package cancelled). Only Khulna City Corporation acquired approximately 10 hectares of land for establishing Sanitary Landfill (Package cancelled). The resettlement issues are already resolved and floated in ADB's Web site.

Section – 03: Physical Work Status as on 30 June 2017

The physical works under the sub-projects include scheduled time for selection of the sub-project sites, making the sub-project sites totally free and fit for development, completion of engineering design and drawing of the sub-projects, construction of the sub-projects and commissioning of the sub-projects and actual time taken for selection of the sub-project/sub-component sites.

Section – 04: Resettlement Issue under the Project as on 30 June 2017

4.1 Introduction:

The sites for construction of proposed STSs in Dhaka South, Dhaka North, Chittagong, Khulna, Rajshahi, Sylhet and Barisal City Corporations under UPEHSDP are free from resettlement issues.

4.2 Resettlement Issue at Dhaka South and Dhaka North City Corporation under UPEHSDP:

Five STSs were proposed to be constructed in Dhaka North City Corporation and 07 in Dhaka South City Corporation. Among them, none could be yet started in Dhaka North City Corporation and finally dropped from the project. In Dhaka South City Corporation, construction works of 07 STSs continues (STS-1, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12) and one STS (STS-7) has been inaugurated for service delivery, which are free from resettlement issues. Food Laboratories of Dhaka is also found free from resettlement issues and service delivery going on.

4.3 Resettlement Issue at Chittagong City Corporation under UPEHSDP:

In Chittagong City Corporation, construction works of 01 STS (STS-6) is going on and 05 STS (STS-5, 8, 9, 10 & 11) has been inaugurated for service delivery but work of one site (STS-7) is stopped due to local objection which are free from resettlement issues and all STSs have been finally found free from resettlement issues. The proposed Controlled Landfill (Package cancelled) site is free from resettlement issue. Food Laboratory is also free from resettlement issue and service delivery going on.

4.4 Resettlement Issue at Khulna City Corporation under UPEHSDP:

In Khulna City Corporation, construction works of 04 STSs (STS-2, 5, 7, 8) are completed and ready to service delivery and all sites are free from resettlement issues. The proposed Sanitary Landfill (Package cancelled) site is free from resettlement issue.

4.5 Resettlement Issue at Rajshahi City Corporation under UPEHSDP:

In Rajshahi City Corporation, construction works of 01 STSs (STS-2) continues, other 02 completed and ready for service delivery. Among them STS-6 has been inaugurated and service delivery going on, which all are free from resettlement issues. Construction work has

not yet started in 02(Dropped) other sites. However, resettlement issues of all these sites are not found. The proposed Controlled Landfill (Package cancelled) site is also free from resettlement issue.

4.6 Resettlement Issue at Sylhet City Corporation under UPEHSDP:

In Sylhet City Corporation, construction works of 01 STSs (STS-1) is going on and other 03 STS's (STS-2, 3, 4) has been completed and ready to service delivery. Resettlement issues of all these sites are not found. The proposed Controlled Landfill (Package cancelled) site is also free from resettlement issue.

4.7 Resettlement Issue at Barisal City Corporation under UPEHSDP:

In Barisal City Corporation, construction works of 02 STSs (STS-1, 3) are completed and ready to service delivery but construction of other 02(Dropped) sites not yet started. There were no resettlement issues in any of the four previously selected sites. The proposed Controlled Landfill (Package cancelled) site is free from resettlement issue.

Conclusion

Total 46 Secondary Transfer Stations are scheduled to be built in 7 City Corporations under UPEHSDP. Out of these 46 STS's, 14 nos. (Chittagong-03, Khulna-04, Barisal-02, Dhaka-03, Rajshahi-02) are dropped from the contract due to site problem. Among the rest 32 STS's, 30 STSs Sites construction works started but till now construction works of 11 sites are going on, construction works of 17 sites are completed and ready to service delivery, 1 STS shifted by the verdict of Honorable High Court of Bangladesh (Pantha Kunja STS-12 shifted to DMC Dhaka University Play Ground at Dhaka South City Corporation) and 01 STS stopped due to local objection of Bangladesh Army (Bayazid Bostami Road STS-7 at Chittagong City Corporation). All these 32 STS sites are free from resettlement issues. Two Modern Food Laboratories and All the Sanitary and Controlled Landfill (Both packages have been cancelled) sites are also free from resettlement issues. However, for the remaining STS's sites if there any resettlement issues with the new sites, Project Office will take necessary measures with ADB guidelines.

Appendix 6: Site Photographs¹



Dhaka Foodlab & Training Center



Dhaka Dhaka Foodlab & Training Center



Chittagong Foodlab



Chittagong Foodlab

¹All site photographs available from running construction sites are given



Chittagong STS-5 FIDC



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Chittagong STS-10 Tiger Pass



Chittagong STS-10 Tiger Pass



Chittagong STS-8 K-Block DT Road



Chittagong STS-8 K-Block DT Road



Chittagong STS-9 Port Connecting Road



Chittagong STS-9 Port Connecting Road



Chittagong STS-6 Airport Road



Chittagong STS-6 Airport Road



Chittagong STS-11 Nishkriti



Chittagong STS-11 Nishkriti



Barisal STS-1 Polashpur Bridge



Barisal STS-1 Polashpur Bridge



Barisal STS-3 North Alekanda



Barisal STS-3 North Alekanda



Khulna STS-2 Rail Station



Khulna STS-2 Rail Station



Khulna STS-5 250 Bed Hospital



Khulna STS-5 250 Bed Hospital



Khulna STS-7 Newsprint Mills BIDC



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Khulna STS-8 New Market Khalishpur



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Dhaka STS-5 Sikder Medical Hazaribag



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Dhaka STS-6 Dhalpur



Dhaka STS-6 Dhalpur



Dhaka STS-7 Hazaribag Progati



Dhaka STS-7 Hazaribag Progati



Dhaka STS-8 Hazaribag Matador



Dhaka STS-8 Hazaribag Matador



Dhaka STS-9 Jurain Koborsthan



Dhaka STS-9 Jurain Koborsthan



Dhaka STS-12 Dhaka University



Dhaka STS-12 Dhaka University



Rajshahi STS-1 Rokeya Hall



Rajshahi STS-1 Rokeya Hall



Rajshahi STS-2 Medical



Rajshahi STS-2 Medical



Rajshahi STS-3 Terokhadia



Rajshahi STS-3 Terokhadia



Rajshahi STS-6 Kajla



Rajshahi STS-6 Kajla



Sylhet STS-2 Shahi Eidgah



Sylhet STS-2 Shahi Eidgah



Sylhet STS-3 Rikabi Bazar

Sylhet STS-3 Rikabi Bazar



Sylhet STS-4 MC College

Sylhet STS-4 MC College

