

Rural Microenterprise Transformation Project (RMTP)

“Production and marketing of Safe Fishery Products” Sub Project

1. Project Goal

The project goal is to sustainably increase the income, food security and nutrition of marginal and small farmers, and micro-entrepreneurs across selected value chains.

2. Objective

The development objective is the sustainable growth of selected rural commodity value chains with comparative advantage, market demand, growth potential, and backward linkages to small farmers and micro-entrepreneurs.

3. Project Participants

The proposed sub-project will be implemented through 3,000 poor, ultra-poor and micro-entrepreneurs in 03 upazilas (Bakerganj, Wazirpur and Agailjhara) of Barishal district. Among members are ultra-poor (14%); poor (25%); and Small entrepreneurs (60%).



Major Activities

1. A Workshop on sub-project implementation progress and future action planning was held on 29 September, 2022.
2. Member registration was done from September 22 to December 22. About 3000 members were registered from three upazillas.



- 3 A ToT was conducted by James P. Biswas DED, BDS to the project Officers. It was about Instructions and Suggestions to Implement Project activities.



- 4 Information and Introductory Meeting on Financial Literacy for Micro Borrowers and Members of Producer Organizations. About 70 training has been Done.



- 5 Training on nutrition, climate, environment and social issues. About 70 training has been Done.



- 6 A Training was given to Members of RMTP on Nutrition, Environment, Climate and Social Issues. It was Provided by Higher Officials of PKSF.



7 Monthly meetings and progress reviewsOf RMTP



8 A QuarterlyCoordination Meeting of Value Chain Steering Committee was held on February 23 in DFO Office, Barisal.



9 Black Soldier Fly production inspection and consultation by PKSf and BDS RMTP Officials.



10 Inspection of hatchery operations and progress.





11 Inspection and consultation of semi-intensive fish farming enclosures By Dr. Akond Md. Rafiqul Islam, Co-ordinator, RMTP, PKSF



