#### **Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)**

Effective partnership is the cornerstone for achieving the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. The SDGs Financing Strategy: Bangladesh Perspective prepared by the GED provides an estimate that in Bangladesh, around 928.48 Billion US\$ additional funding would be required from 2017 to 2030 for implementation of the SDGs. Annual average cost would be 66.32 billion US\$. In this regard Economic Relations Division plays an instrumental role in attaining Bangladesh's SDGs through mobilizing foreign resources as well as strengthening relationships with the Development Partners and International organizations. For harnessing resources to support SDGs implementation in Bangladesh, it has undertaken several strategic institutional and policy measures to speed up resource mobilization and project implementation process through strengthening partnership with different line Ministries/Divisions.



# 17 Goals 169 Targets 231 Indicators

- The foundation of SDGs is inclusivity-embodied by the phrase "Leaving no one behind"
- Bangladesh has taken 'Whole of Society Approach' to implement the SDGs.

## **Role of ERD in implementing SDGs:**

As per Revised Mapping of Ministries/divisions Economic Relations Division is the Coordinating Ministry for the implementation of SDG-17: **Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the global partnership for sustainable development.** Economic Relations division has been assigned the role of Lead for 12 Targets, 12 Indicators and responsible for providing data for 23 different Indicators In this regards the role of ERD are:

Coordinating	Lead	Lead	Data Provider
Goal	(Targets)	(Indicators)	
SDG 17: Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the global partnership for sustainable development	4.b, 6.a, 7.a, 8.4, 9.a, 10.b, 12.a, 15.a, 15.b, 17.2, 17.3,	2.a.2, 3.b.2 4.b.1, 6.a.1 7.a.1,9.a.1 10.b.1, 15.a.1 15.b.1, 17.2.1 17.3.1, 17.9.1	1.a.1 ,2.a.2.3.b.2, 4.b.1, 6.a.1, 7.a.1 , 8.a.1, 9.a.1, 10.6.1, 10.b.1, 13.a.1, 15.a.1, 15.b.1, 16.8.1, 17.2.1,, 17.3.1, 17.4.1, 17.7.1 17.9.1, 17.15.1, 17.16.1, 17.17.1, 17.19.1
	12 Targets	12 Indicators	23 Indicators

## **As Coordinating Ministry/Division:**

- a) To coordinate the goal-wise implementation as directed by the SDGs Implementation and Review Committee.
- b) To organize bi-annual workshops by involving other (Lead, Co-Lead, Associate) Ministries/Divisions, Development Partners and relevant Stakeholders for reviewing goal-wise progress and attainment.
- c) To indentify goal-wise implementation challenges, figure out possible way outs for overcoming the challenges, promote innovation, adopt & replicate best practices.

## **As Lead Ministry/Division:**

a) To translate the respective targets/indicators into actionable programs/projects/activities,

- **b)** To include and coordinate Co-Lead and Associate Ministries/Divisions in policy formulation and implementation to achieve their respective targets/indicators.
- c) To communicate with the Co-Lead and Associate Ministries Divisions to determine the responsibilities according to their respective SDGs targets and indicators.

## **As Data Sources:**

- a) To provide timely and credible data to the Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) and SDG Tracker.
- b) To ensure the availability of quality data and coordinate among the Lead, Co-Lead and Associate Ministries/Divisions and Custodian Agencies.

## **Other Responsibilities:**

- a) To prepare Action Plan for the implementation of the Agenda 2030 (SDGs).
- b) To prepare report on the implementation and achievements of the respective Goal, targets and indicators for the participation of SDG Implementation Review (SIR) and Bangladesh Voluntary National Reviews (VNR).
- c) To attend two important meeting of National Data Coordination Committee (NDCC) held quarterly and SDGs Implementation and Review Committee organized by SID and GED respectively.
- d) To participate different meeting, seminar & workshops and training organized by GED, BBS, GIU and different Ministries/Divisions.

# **SDG Financing Oversight and Coordination Sub-Committee:**

As per the decision of the SDGs Implementation and Review Committee a sub-committee has been formulated on 'Bangladesh SDGs Financing Oversight and coordination' headed by the respected Secretary of the ERD. Joint Secretary of the UN Wing of ERD served as Member Secretary of this <u>Sub-Committee</u>.

## **How to Process Data for SDG Tracker:**

- Go to SDG Tracker website and log in by using e-nothi password.
- Entering data by the Provider and sending to the Data Approver.
- Data Approver will examine the inputs. If the inputs are okay then approve
  it and send to the DG of BBS.
- BBS will authenticate the data by the technical committee.
- After authentication by the technical committee the final data will publish in the SDG Tracker.