

Decisions from 20th meeting of Central Management Committee (CMC)

12 February, 2025

Decision 1 Updating Beneficiary Lists



All Ministries/Divisions shall, in accordance with the respective policies related to their social protection programmes, verify the beneficiary lists through the Upazila Committee by appointing Tag Officers and update the lists by 30 March 2025. An interim report on the actions taken in this regard shall be submitted to the Cabinet Division by 16 March 2025, for the information of the Advisory Council.

Decision 2 Replacement of Ineligible Beneficiaries



In cases where ineligible allowance recipients are identified, they must be excluded, and recommendations should be made to include new eligible beneficiaries based on established criteria.

Decision 3 Mandatory Requirement of NID



No beneficiary may be selected without a National Identity Card (NID). Furthermore, in the case of ongoing social protection programmes, if a beneficiary does not possess an NID, the disbursement of their allowance shall be suspended after 30 April 2025.

Decision 4 Prevention of Double Dipping through MIS



The Finance Division shall take necessary steps to prevent duplication of beneficiaries in accordance with the relevant policies by verifying all beneficiary data through the Single Registry MIS, thereby ensuring the elimination of double dipping.

Decision 5 Interoperability for Long-term Verification



In the long term, interoperability must be established between birth registration/NID systems and the National Household Database of the Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) to facilitate verification of allowance programmes.

Decision 6 Strengthening Thematic Clusters



The activities of the thematic clusters must be made more dynamic and results-oriented.



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