

## **Dhaka Ahsania Mission**

### **Health Sector**

**House: 152 Block: Ka, PC Culture Housing Society, Shyamoli, Dhaka-1207.**

**Project Title: "Strengthening advocacy for a comprehensive amendment of Tobacco Control Law and increase tobacco tax".**

## **[Media Coverage]**

# **Discussion Meeting on Tobacco Control Law Amendment Issue**

**Total 66 Media Coverage**

#### **Summary:**

Honorable Minister, Ministry of Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives (LGRD&C) Mr. Md. Tajul Islam, MP said that he will play pivotal role to speedy pass of the draft Tobacco Control Law finalized by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHF&W) with the aim to create a tobacco-free Bangladesh declared by the Honorable Prime Minister. The honorable Minister said this while was speaking as the Chief Guest at a discussion meeting organized by the Dhaka Ahsania Mission (DAM) at the Six Seasons Hotel in the capital on Thursday, October 27 at 10:00 a.m. titled "What should be done to amend the draft tobacco control law as declared by the Prime Minister to build a tobacco-free Bangladesh by 2040".

Professor Dr. AFM Ruhal Haque, MP and former State Minister of Youth and Sports and Member, Standing Committee on Ministry of Youth and Sports Mr. Biren Shikder, MP was the Special Guest in the discussion meeting. Mr. Hosen Ali Khandkar, Coordinator, National Tobacco Control Cell (NTCC) and Additional Secretary, Health Services Division, Ministry of Health and Welfare, Mr. Selim Reza, Chief Executive Officer (Additional Secretary), Dhaka North City Corporation (DNCC) and Mr. Abdus Salam Miah, Grants Manager, Campaign for Tobacco Free Kids (CTFK) was discussants in the meeting. Brigadier General Dr. Jobaidur Rahman, Chief Health Officer (CHO) of DNCC, Mr. Jalal Ahmed, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Bangladesh Railway and Advocate Syed Mahbubul Alam also spoke in the meeting.

Mr. Iqbal Masud, Director, Health and WASH Sector of DAM presided over the meeting and Md Mukhlesur Rahman, Deputy Director; Health Sector of DAM presented the keynote speech. Among other representatives from different anti tobacco organizations were participated in the meeting. Total 66 media reports were produced.

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