

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]

Small-Group Meeting with Agriculture Ministry

Total 10 Media Coverage

Summary:

The Secretary of the Ministry of Agriculture Md. Sayedul Islam said that initiatives will be taken to reduce tobacco cultivation to build a tobacco-free Bangladesh announced by the Honorable Prime Minister. On 10 October 2022, he expressed this opinion in the speech of the chief guest in the discussion meeting titled 'Role of the Ministry of Agriculture in building a tobacco-free Bangladesh announced by the Honorable Prime Minister' in the meeting room of the Ministry of Agriculture of the Bangladesh Secretariat. The meeting is jointly organized by Dhaka Ahsania Mission and Ministry of Agriculture.

Md. Shajedul Qayyum Dulal, Executive Director of Dhaka Ahsania Mission gave a welcome address under the chairmanship of Md. Ruhul Amin Talukder, Additional Secretary of PPC Division of Ministry of Agriculture. Md. Benazir Alam, Director General, Directorate of Agricultural Extension, Abdullah Masud NDC, Additional Secretary, A Ghaffar Khan, Director General (Additional Secretary), Directorate of Agricultural Marketing, Hossain Ali Khandokar, Additional Secretary, Health Services Division and Coordinator, National Tobacco Control Cell also spoke in the discussion meeting. Md. Mostafizur Rahman, Lead Policy Advisor, Campaign for Tobacco Free Kids-Bangladesh, Professor Dr. Arup Ratan Choudhury, Founder President, MANAS, Md. Shafiqul Islam, Head of Programs - Bangladesh, Vital Strategies etc. Md. Mukhlesur Rahman, Deputy Director, Health Sector, Dhaka Ahsania Mission presented the keynote of the discussion meeting. The media coverage was 10.

Media Coverage Links:

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