

## LCG "PSD-Trade" Working Group

### Action Points: Progress and Way Forward

*(Updated by EUD January 2012)*

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<b>LCG PSD-Trade Agreed Action Points and Strategy</b>					
1. Nominate focal leads for the groups	Government to nominate focal leads for the groups and sub-groups	As soon as possible, this is critical	GoB/ERD	Co-Chairs of the Group nominated  Nomination/confirmation for sub-groups ' co-chairs pending	Decision on GOB Co-Chair for "Employment Generation and Labour Welfare" and "Access-to-Finance" sub-groups
2. To become a regular event for reviewing achievements and agreeing future priorities	Finalise TORs	Re-actualise the TOR	GoB + DP Co-Chairs	TORs finalised but to be further adapted to new group definition and titles	Revised TOR for the Working Group has been prepared, shared with the members, and adopted
	Donors programmes review progress	At least once every 2 months		On-going	TORs for the sub-groups are pending, except for the EIF-Trade Sub-group  To continue
	Finalise and update action plan	Continuous		To be implemented for each subgroup and agreed with MoC	Revised Action Plan to be agreed upon and adopted as a living document

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3. Align DPs' assistance with GoB priorities as set out in the NSAPR-II and the 6 <sup>th</sup> 5Y plan	The donors' matrix is already aligned on priorities and indicators and is on website. <a href="http://www.lcgbangladesh.org/PSD/Matix/donor_mapping_matrix.html">http://www.lcgbangladesh.org/PSD/Matix/donor_mapping_matrix.html</a>	Continuous	EUD/GoB + all other DPs	Ongoing	Next step is to update the matrix, make it more visible, and opt for analysing gaps and defining strategies
4. Investment Climate and PPP Sub- group	Integrate the activity both in an investment forum to be defined and in the new Thematic groups	Continuous	IFC/GED	Ongoing Do not meet regularly, but active	Explore ways to involve relevant DPs and GoB line ministries/agencies to lead on the various core PSD indicators under the just-developed PSD M&E Framework
5. EIF/Trade Sub-group	DTIS and EIF progress  Inclusion of Trade objective and Indicators in Sixth 5 Year Plan	Dec 2010  June 2011	EUD/WB/MoC	Ongoing (Do not meet regularly, but active)  Complete	Expedite the finalisation of the "Concept Note" and share it with GoB and DPs for wider consultation  Monitoring of the indicators incorporated in the SFYP to continue
6. SME Development Sub-group	Build on the meetings/discussions held in 2011	Continuous	DFID/MoI	On going  Started to gather momentum recently	Next step is to finalise the TOR for the group, and decide on thematic areas (with special focus on the manufacturing sector) as well as on deploying an expert for gap analysis
7. Access-to-Finance Sub-group	Build on the meetings/discussions held in 2011	Continuous	DFID/BB	Recently formed	Next step is to finalise the TOR for the group, and decide on deploying the proposed expert for need assessment
8. Task Force on Food Safety and Fisheries	Build on the meetings/discussions held in 2011	Continuous	EUD/MoFL	On going Active, meets regularly	Need to activate GoB counterpart and enhance coordination especially with the new entrants