2\textsuperscript{nd} National Capacity Development Workshop
Building institutional capacity for e-government data analysis and evidence-based decision-making to support the Sustainable Development Goals

Organized Jointly by
- United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UNDESA)
- Access to Information Programme (a2i), Prime Minister’s Office, Government of the People’s Republic of Bangladesh

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\section*{Background}
UNDESA and a2i are jointly implementing a project entitled, ‘Evidence-based E-government Policies for Advancing Governmental Service Delivery and Accountability in support of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).’ The project focuses on the integration of information communication technology (ICT) in achieving SDG, and hence has a short name ICT4SDG. It covers four SDGs, 10 targets (Appendix 1).

\section*{Main Objective of the project}
The project explores how ICT tools, techniques, processes, and policies can support evidence-based decision-making in the domain of implementing SDGs.

\section*{Structure of the Workshop}
The second national workshop has two substantial components: Training and Knowledge Sharing. There are seven thematic tracks split into two days of the workshop.

The first three tracks cover training on three major themes: public policy and governance; data and statistical capacity; and digital governance and digital services. Resource persons in these sessions will focus on best practices in public service delivery, data gaps analysis, and e-government.

The next three tracks cover knowledge sharing by various stakeholders involved in the process of implementing SDG targets in Bangladesh. During these knowledge-sharing sessions, SDG Focal Points from Lead Ministries and Divisions of Bangladesh Government will share their updated SDG Action Plan [implementation strategy]. Their perspectives will be complemented by field level government officials and members of the civil society.

The seventh track is a group activity dedicated to designing ICT4SDG frameworks. Senior officials and SDG focal points will be encouraged to explore/propose at least 2 digital strategies for implementation of relevant SDGs. They would also be invited to discuss which policy reforms would best support the implementation process of SDGs.

In the closing session, senior officials from UNDESA, A2i, and PMO will discuss lessons learned and future roadmaps for the project.
Objectives
The objectives of this workshop are:
• To acquire knowledge of ICT/e-government data and indicators in integrated implementation of SDGs in light of Lead Ministries'/Agencies’ SDG Action Plans;
• To encourage Lead GoB Ministries and Divisions to improve their institutional capacity to collect, use, publish, and visualize relevant e-government data with indicators for analysis, monitoring and evaluation of selected SDGs;
• Produce road maps to collect, use, publish, and visualize relevant e-government data with indicators for analysis, monitoring and evaluation.
• To develop plans for strengthening institutional capacity of GoB Lead Ministries and Divisions to implement e-government modalities (policies/strategies, tools and techniques etc.) in support of SDGs.

Expected Outcomes
The national workshop is expected to produce the following outcomes:
• Participants acquired knowledge of ICT/e-government data and indicators in integrated implementation of the SDGs in light of Lead Ministries'/Agencies' SDG Action Plans;
• Lead Ministries/Divisions/Agencies encouraged to improve their institutional capacity to collect, use, publish, and visualize relevant e-government data with indicators for analysis, monitoring and evaluation of selected SDGs;
• Stakeholders involved in the SDGs implementation process produced road maps to collect, use, publish, and visualize relevant e-government data with indicators for analysis, monitoring and evaluation;
• GoB Lead Ministries and Divisions developed plans for strengthening institutional capacity to implement e-government modalities (policies/strategies, tools and techniques etc.) in support of SDGs

Preparatory Works
The proposed workshop builds on the success of an earlier workshop held on 5-6 June 2017, and consultations between a2i-UNDESA project personnel and SDG Focal Persons at concerned GoB Lead Ministries and Divisions in August-November 2017.
Appendix 1: SDG Targets and Indicators covered under the ICT4SDG Project

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| 1   | 1.3        | 1.3.1 [Proportion of Population covered by social protection floors] | Cabinet Division | **Co-Lead:** General Economics Division (as National Poverty Focal Point)  
**Associate:**  
Bank and Financial Institutions Division,  
Ministry of Finance (BB);  
Financial Division;  
Information and Communication Technology Division;  
Local Government Division;  
Ministry of Agriculture;  
Ministry of Cultural Affairs;  
Ministry of Chittagong Hill Tracts Affairs;  
Ministry of Disaster Management and Relief;  
Ministry of Education;  
Ministry of Expatriates’ Welfare and Overseas Employment;  
Ministry of Food;  
Ministry of Fisheries and Livestock;  
Ministry of Housing and Public Works;  
Ministry of Labour and Employment;  
Ministry of Liberation War Affairs;  
Ministry of Primary and Mass Education;  
Ministry of Social Welfare;  
Ministry of Women and Children Affairs;  
Ministry of Youth and Sports;  
Rural Development and Cooperatives Division, |
| 1   | 1.4        | 1.4.1 [Proportion of population living in households with access to basic services] | Cabinet Division | **Co-Lead:** Rural Development and Cooperatives Division.  
**Associate:** Bank and Financial Institutions Division, Ministry of Finance (Bangladesh Bank);  
Financial Division;  
Information and Communication Technology Division;  
Local Government Division;  
Law and Justice Division;  
Legislative and Parliamentary Affairs Division;  
Ministry of Agriculture;  
Ministry of Chittagong Hill Tracts Affairs;  
Ministry of Environment and Forests;  
Ministry of Expatriates’ Welfare and Overseas Employment;  
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<td>Ministry of Education</td>
<td>Associate: Bank and Financial Institutions Division, Ministry of Finance (Bangladesh Bank); Financial Division; Information and Communication Technology Division; Information and Communication Technology Division; Ministry of Industries; Ministry of Information; Ministry of Labour and Employment; Ministry of Youth and Sports</td>
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<td>8.5</td>
<td>8.5.1 Average hourly earnings of female and male employees, by occupation, age and persons with Disabilities</td>
<td>Ministry of Labour and Employment</td>
<td>Legislative and Parliamentary Affairs Division; Ministry of Expatriates' Welfare and Overseas Employment; Bank and Financial Institutions Division, (Bangladesh Bank); Ministry of Foreign Affairs; Ministry of Industries; Ministry of Social Welfare; Ministry of Women and Children Affairs; Ministry of Youth and Sports; Ministry of Education; Statistics and Informatics Division</td>
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<td>8.5.2 Unemployment rate, by sex, age and persons with disabilities</td>
<td>Bank and Financial Institutions Division, (Bangladesh Bank); Legislative and Parliamentary Affairs Division; Ministry of Education; Ministry of Expatriates' Welfare and Overseas Employment; Ministry of Foreign Affairs; Ministry of Industries; Ministry of Social Welfare; Ministry of Women and Children Affairs; Ministry of Youth and Sports; Statistics and Informatics Division</td>
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<td>8.6</td>
<td>8.6.1 Proportion of youth (aged 15-24 years) not in education, employment or training</td>
<td>Ministry of Youth and Sports</td>
<td>Co-Lead: Ministry of Labour and Employment Associate: Information and Communication Technology Division; Ministry of Education; Ministry of Expatriates' Welfare and Overseas Employment; Ministry of Industries; Ministry of Primary and Mass Education; Statistics and Informatics Division</td>
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<td>8.9.1 Tourism direct GDP as a proportion of total GDP and in growth rate</td>
<td>Ministry Civil Aviation and Tourism</td>
<td>Co-Lead: Ministry of Cultural Affairs Associate: Bank and Financial Institutions Division, Ministry of Finance (Bangladesh Bank); Financial Division; Ministry of Chittagong Hill Tracts Affairs; Ministry of Education; Ministry of Environment and Forests; Ministry of Information;</td>
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<td>Number of commercial bank branch</td>
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<td>8.10.2</td>
<td>Proportion of adults (15 years and older) with an account at a bank or other financial institution or with a mobile-money-service provider</td>
<td>Bank and Financial Institutions Division, Ministry of Finance (Bangladesh Bank); Posts and Telecommunications Division</td>
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<td>Proportion of victims of violence in the previous 12 months who reported their victimization to competent authorities or other officially recognized conflict resolution mechanisms</td>
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<td>Co-Lead: Legislative and Parliamentary Affairs Division</td>
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<td>Primary government expenditures as a proportion of original approved budget, by sector (or by budget codes or similar)</td>
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<td>Local Government Division, LGRD Ministry</td>
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