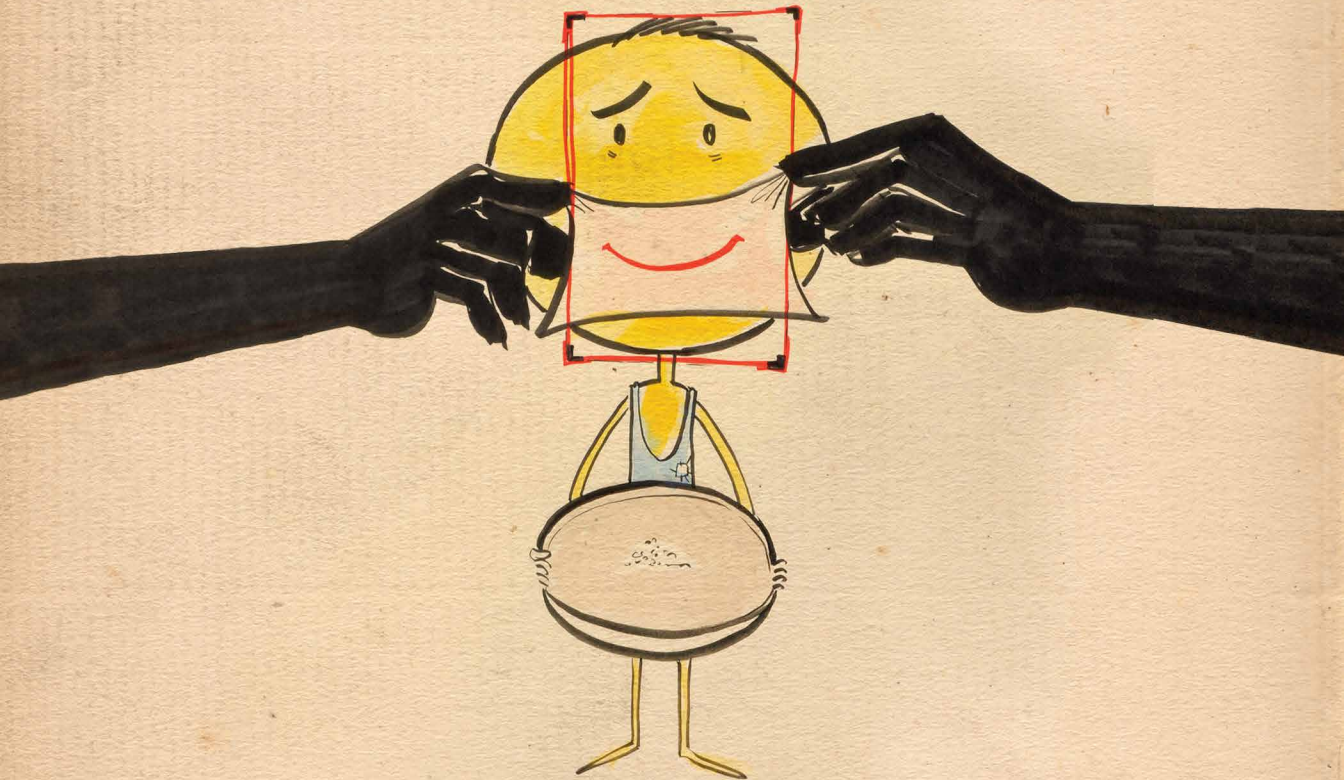


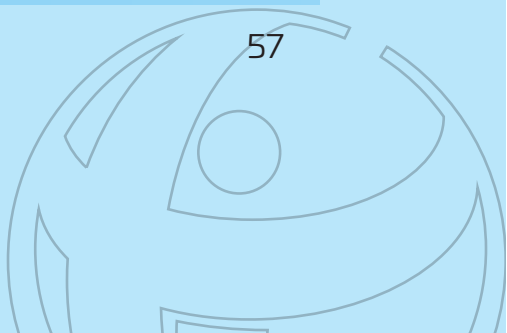
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# WHO WE ARE?

**Transparency International Bangladesh (TIB)** is the accredited national chapter of Transparency International, the Berlin-based global anti-corruption organisation.

TIB drives a participatory movement against corruption by advocating accountable and transparent institutions, laws, and practices. TIB has been working in Bangladesh since 1996. It strives to combat corruption and advance good governance in the country through advocacy and public awareness campaigns. TIB's work has a trilateral approach, where its three divisions are focused on research, civic engagement, and outreach & communications.



## VALUES

TIB is committed to the values of democracy, justice, rule of law, transparency, accountability, integrity and impartiality.



## MISSION

TIB's mission is to catalyze and strengthen a participatory social movement to promote and develop institutions, laws and practices for combating corruption in Bangladesh, and to establish an efficient and transparent system of governance, politics and business.



## GOAL

The goal of Building Integrity Blocks for Effective Change (BIBEC) II, the ongoing extended project of TIB, is to promote a more enabling environment for reducing corruption. Its objectives are:

- To advocate reforms in laws, policies, processes, practices and oversight for improving governance in targeted institutions and sectors.
- To generate people's demand for good governance and strengthen citizens' capacity to challenge corruption.



## APPROACH

TIB uses a three-pronged approach in its work. It engages in:

- Research for knowledge-based advocacy - aimed at law/policy reform;
- Engagement with local-level stakeholders for generating demand for transparent, effective and accountable governance; and
- Outreach and communication for fostering citizens' support and building networks, alliances and partnerships for driving the anti-corruption movement.

# RESEARCH HIGHLIGHTS



TIB's evidence-based research reports continued to identify and raise awareness on the types, magnitudes, reasons, and impacts of corruption in Bangladesh during the reporting period. Evidence generated in these research reports were widely circulated among citizens with the help of the media, and the recommendations provided by TIB's researchers were utilised to address the governance-related challenges. TIB's advocacy, outreach, and citizen engagement activities rely heavily on the research reports, as these amplify citizen engagement and create spaces for holding the institutions concerned accountable. Evidence from the research reports are highlighted to show how corruption is a systemic problem and how policy reformations can help reduce irregularities.



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**RESEARCH**  
Reports Released  
(July 2021-June 2022)



# Studies at a Glance

## Title of Research & Date of Release

**Pro-active Disclosure of Information by Government Institutions and NGOs on the Basis of Right to Information Act: An Assessment**

The study looks into government and non-government institution's proactive disclosure of information, which is crucial for transparency and accountability in organisations.

**05**  
August  
2021

**29**  
September  
2021

The study investigated how bribery and corruption is widespread in the secondary education sector and it adversely impacts the overall quality of education in Bangladesh.

**Secondary Education Programme: Governance Challenges and Way Out**

**Access of Marginalised Communities to Public Services: An Assessment of Accountability Mechanisms**

The research conducted surveys on how irregularities in service sectors impact accessibility that disproportionately effects marginalised communities, including women, Dalits and transgender communities.

**21**  
October  
2021

**04**  
November  
2021

Challenges faced by women UNOs due to societal norms and political pressure were highlighted in the research report, while recommendations in the research report portrayed how women UNOs can help establish good governance in local communities.

**ROLE OF WOMEN UPAZILA NIRBAHI OFFICER (UNO) IN ESTABLISHING GOOD GOVERNANCE AT THE LOCAL LEVEL: CHALLENGES AND WAY FORWARD**

**GOVERNANCE CHALLENGES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND WAY FORWARD**

The research report on governance challenges in the Department of Environment has highlighted how corruption has been institutionalised at the DoE, which adversely impacts the government's policy measures to protect the environment and control pollution.

**05**  
January  
2022

**"The Role of Non-Government Organisations in Response to COVID-19 Pandemic: Challenges and Way Forward"**

Tackling the COVID-19 pandemic required united efforts from public and non-government organisations, and the TIB study unearthed the challenges faced by the NGOs to generate the knowledge required face similar challenges in the future.

**13**  
January  
2022

**12**  
April  
2022

Despite concerted efforts, COVID-19 management in Bangladesh faced unprecedented challenges. The TIB study explores the potential benefits of inclusive policies and transparency to enhance the government's ability to combat the pandemic.

**GOVERNANCE CHALLENGES IN TACKLING COVID-19 CRISIS: INCLUSION AND TRANSPARENCY**

**COAL AND LNG-BASED POWER PROJECTS IN BANGLADESH: GOVERNANCE CHALLENGES AND WAY OUT**

This study on coal and LNG-based power plants in Bangladesh investigated how the energy sector in Bangladesh is essentially captured by foreign investors and how old technologies are rebranded as green technologies in Bangladesh.

**11**  
May  
2022

**16**  
June  
2022

The research report on 'Birangona' freedom fighters unearthed how corruption at the Ministry of Liberation War Affairs and social stigma deprives 'Birangona' of their rights.

**State Recognition and Rights of Birangona Freedom Fighters: Governance Challenges and Way-out**

**PHARMACEUTICAL PRICING POLICY AND MARKETING IN BANGLADESH**

The qualitative study is done in collaboration with SOAS, University of London, to test the hypothesis that the price of drugs does not necessarily depend on their quality only but on other related factors.

**30**  
November  
2021

# KEY FINDINGS

## Key Findings, Recommendations, and Impacts of TIB's work

### Election Commissioners' appointment gets a legal framework

Throughout multiple research studies and advocacy initiatives, TIB has been campaigning for election process reform, mainstreaming electoral process, and developing a roadmap for a constitutional law to form a neutral, effective, and transparent Election Commission.

TIB's research study, *Towards an Effective Election Commission: Challenges and Way Out*, published in September 2013, had recommended a law for appointing the Chief Election Commissioner and other commissioners. The civil society organisations (CSOs), along with TIB, also advocated for compulsory inclusion of a female Election Commissioner and the exclusion of convicted from being persons member of the commission.

On 27 January 2022, the Government of Bangladesh enacted the Appointment of the Chief Election Commissioner and Other Election Commissioners Bill 2022, making way for a constitutional process of forming the Election Commission that included the recommendations made by the CSOs.

Continuous advocacy efforts by these organisations, including TIB, helped materialise a legal framework in one of the most important constitutional bodies.

### Impacts on Health Sector and the COVID-19 recovery

Since the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic, TIB has conducted a series of studies on governance issues related to pandemic management, mass inoculation drives, and the government's expenditure in vaccine procurement. These studies played crucial roles in analysing the country's COVID-19 response. Advocacy efforts for improving the health sector also brought some positive results. The impacts of TIB's work included-

- As per TIB's recommendations, mass inoculation for COVID-19 prevention was expanded in rural and urban-slum areas by sidestepping the complex online registration process for marginalized communities.
- Anti-Corruption Commission pressed charges against the DGHS officials concerned in the Regent Hospital fake COVID-19 test report scam.
- Special provisions were undertaken for migrant workers so they could be vaccinated in time for their journey back to workplaces.
- The government accelerated the vaccine sourcing programme by diversifying procurement sources.

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Following the recommendations of TIB's study "Private Healthcare: Governance Challenges and Way Out", published in February 2018, the DGHS shut down around 1,500 unregistered hospitals, clinics, and diagnostic centres across Bangladesh in May 2022.

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### Government's response:

TIB investigation refuted the health minister's claim of spending BDT 40,000 crore (400 billion) for vaccine management. Later, the information gap was acknowledged by the ministry, and TIB's research was proved to be a correct estimation of costs.

## Gold import policy reform

Gold import in Bangladesh is mostly done through unofficial channels, making way for the businesses to make windfall unabated profits while the state loses huge revenue. TIB's research on the sector recommended ways of enabling transparency and accountability in gold import. In 2021, the Bangladesh Bank allowed import of unrefined and partially refined gold, as recommended by TIB in its study.



## Integrity reforms in public service

In 2021, the Ministry of Public Administration issued a letter to all the government ministries to ensure that the government employees disclose their wealth as per the Government Servant (Conduct) Rules 1979. TIB's study, Integrity in Public Administration: Policies and Practices, released in 2019, recommended full disclosure of wealth for the government officials in addition to filing tax returns.



## Land service gets a digital makeover

TIB's land-related research study suggested a number of ways to ensure smooth services for land-related work. Following the study's recommendations, the Bhumi Bhaban in Tejgaon area inaugurated 'One Stop Service', designed to provide all services from one place. The government also introduced an online land development tax payment system and a land data bank, while most land-related services were digitised for ensuring accountability.



## Expatriate workers get a legal framework for sending money home

To mitigate skill gaps in different industries, Bangladesh hosts around thousands of foreign workers. TIB's research study, Employment of Expatriates in Bangladesh: Governance Challenges and Way-out, looked into how a legal framework for the expat employees could be improved. Following TIB's recommendations, the government made new provisions for expatriate workers in Bangladesh, allowing them to send home 80% of their income through legal channels.



## Government prioritises housing for 'Birangona' freedom fighters

A TIB study unearthed that oppressed women freedom fighters, titled 'Birangona', were still marginalised due to their deplorable socio-economic position along with lack of social awareness and sensitivity of people. Institutional support for them was limited compared to any other support for women, although several non-government and women's organisations and media were working on it. Following TIB's recommendations in the study, the Ministry of Liberation War Affairs in November 2022 decided that all the 'Birangona' freedom fighters would get houses on a priority basis.



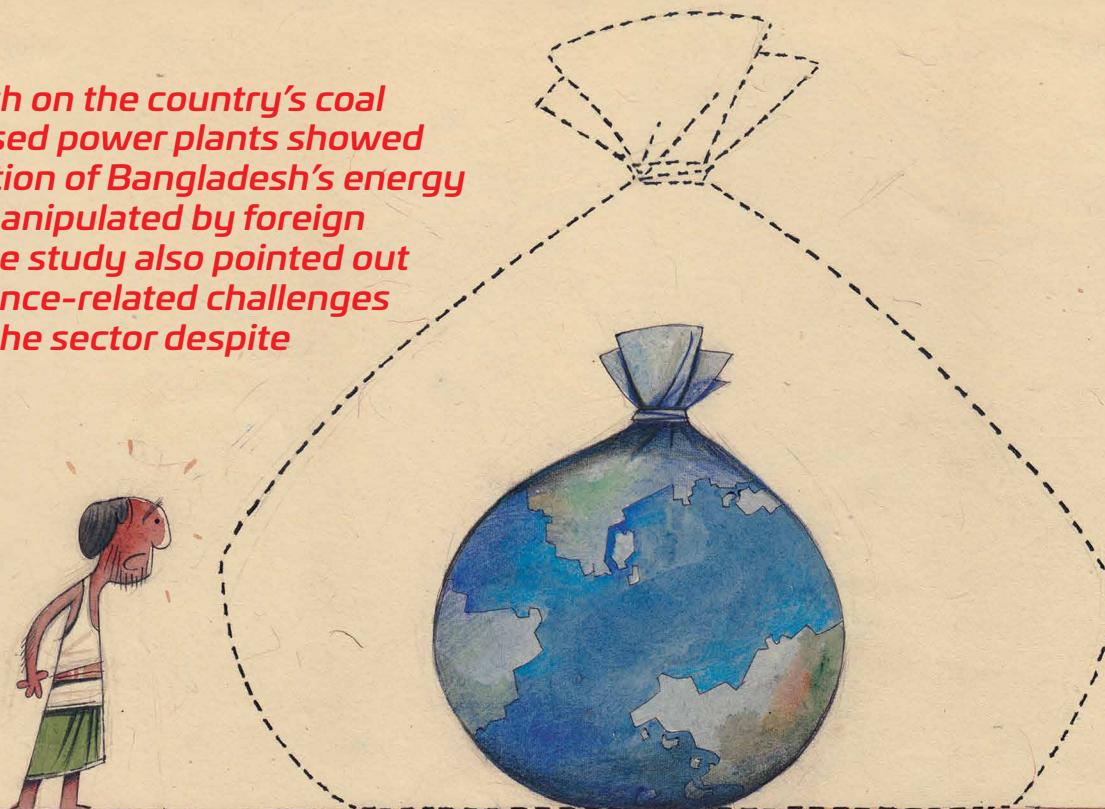


# TIB'S WORK ON **CLIMATE ACTION**

## **Research and Advocacy**

Bangladesh is committed to reducing greenhouse gas emissions and expanding renewable energy sources. The government has also pledged to provide cheap and environment-friendly energy to its population. Contrary to the national pledges, investment favouring coal and liquefied natural gas (LNG) continues.

***TIB's research on the country's coal and LNG-based power plants showed that formulation of Bangladesh's energy policy was manipulated by foreign investors. The study also pointed out that governance-related challenges prevailed in the sector despite progress.***



## **TIB research findings**

- The power and energy sector of Bangladesh is dominated by donor-based policies and planning.
- Local and foreign investors in the sector have captured the policy mechanism by taking the chance of legal loopholes that allow investors to make higher profits by importing surplus coal technology into Bangladesh.
- The authorities approve coal and LNG-based power plants as vested quarters can carry out illicit dealings and earn quickly from such projects.
- Projects are implemented based on faulty and biased environmental and social impact assessments, which demonstrate increased pollution risk and threats to ecologically critical areas.

## **TIB recommends–**

- i) Integrated Energy and Power Master Plan (IEPMP) should be formulated in an inclusive and participatory manner, excluding those having any conflict of interest in the power sector.
- ii) Construction of ongoing coal and LNG-based power plants must be suspended, and resumed only after conducting impartial and internationally acceptable strategic, social, and environmental impact assessments.
- iii) Strict legal action and punishment against the people involved in corruption must be ensured through due process without any fear or favour.



## Impacts of the study

- Based on the study findings, the authority concerned drafted a regulation to audit all power plants to identify corruption, whereas the government switched to on-demand use of quick rental power plants. The Government of Japan withdrew finance from the 2<sup>nd</sup> phase of the Matarbari Coal Power Plants.
- The then Japanese ambassador to Bangladesh criticised the report. In response, TIB issued a press statement raising concern over conflict of interest, as multiple Japanese companies were involved in preparing the upcoming Power Master Plan.
- President of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Ministry of Environment Forest and Climate Change (MoEFCC) pledged to work towards formulation of a new power master plan.
- Director General, Power Cell acknowledged the deficits in power sector with the note that solar energy has immense potential. He pledged to incorporate the recommendations in IEPMP, including those related to renewable energy generation.



*TIB issued two position papers to the COP-26, demanding a clear pathway to renewable energy sources and subsequent reduction of coal usage in power production. TIB also demanded that Bangladesh sign the Glasgow Leaders' Declaration on Forests and Land Usage.*

- TIB also called on the government to take a stronger position as a Climate Vulnerable Forum (CVF) leader, demanding a clear pathway for the promised 100 billion dollars in mitigation funds.

- Ensure transparency, accountability, and integrity of the developed nations in mitigation-related activities to achieve the 'net zero' target by 2050.
- Work together with Climate Vulnerable Forum (CVF) to provide adequate climate finance as well as transfer of necessary technology and technical assistance from the developed countries to meet renewable energy targets.

Take a strong position under

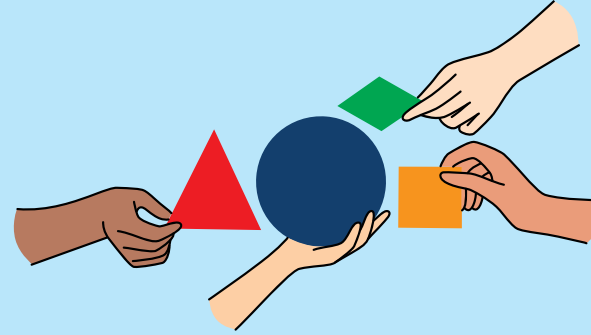
- the leadership of (CVF) to reach a legal agreement at the COP-26 conference to phase out coal.

TIB also issued a press release with concerns over deforestation rates in Bangladesh and criticised the government's stand of not signing the Glasgow leaders' declaration regarding deforestation. A few journalists questioned the minister, MoEFCC in the COP 26 venue referring to the TIB press release, and asked him why Bangladesh did not sign the declaration. After a row of criticism, the government signed the declaration on Glasgow Leaders' Declaration on Forest and Land Use to stop deforestation by 2030.





# Partnerships and Joint Initiatives



Partnerships, stakeholder engagement, citizen participation, and grassroots-level activities are the foundations of TIB's advocacy and outreach activities. The government entities, NGOs, local community groups, media houses, and educational institutions partner with TIB to drive the social movement against corruption in many forms.

During the reporting period, TIB restarted in-person events and activities following post-pandemic recovery, which encouraged people to join anti-corruption activities with renewed zeal and enthusiasm.



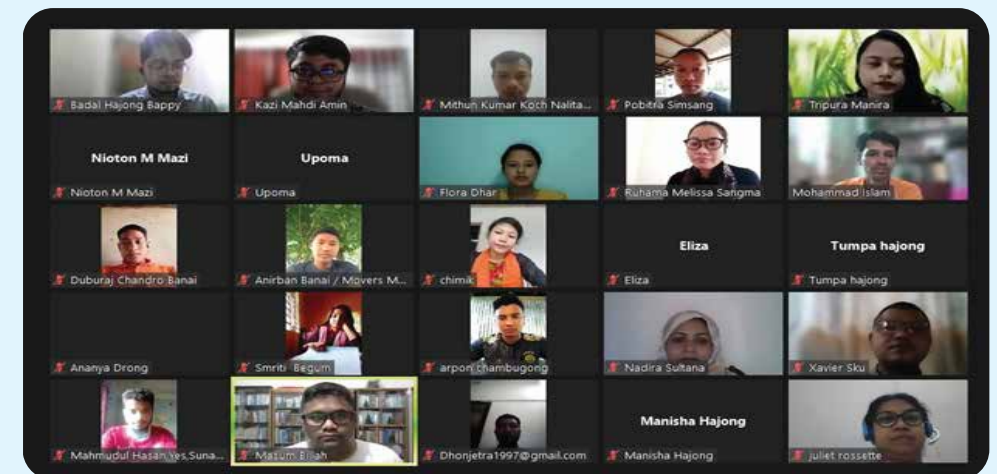
On International Women's Day 2022, TIB partnered with the Cabinet Division of the Government to host a workshop on 'Sustainable Development Goals, Good Governance and Women' for 23 women UNOs from eight divisions. This was the 6th edition of the workshop that started in 2017, focusing on SDG 5 and SDG 16 that deal with gender equality and good governance, respectively.



TIB and the Information Commission jointly took an initiative to provide training on RTI implementation for 29 officials from different government offices under the Rajshahi division.




Another crucial partner of TIB in the fight against corruption is the Anti-Corruption Commission (ACC). Under an MoU signed with the commission, TIB and its local offices take initiative to jointly celebrate the International Anti-Corruption Day with the ACC throughout the country every year on December 9. In the reporting year, TIB also forwarded 15 complaints, filed by citizens, to the ACC as part of TIB's 'Report Corruption' initiative.



TIB also partnered with Indigenous Peoples Development Service (IPDS) for RTI-related capacity building for 25 indigenous youths. The event was a part of TIB's month-long series of programmes to advocate free and fair access to information for all.

Partnership with local volunteer groups and civil society leaders also play a role in TIB's grassroots-level advocacy and civic engagement activities. TIB retains a membership policy and supports platforms for youth engagement and student participation in its anti-corruption movement.

# MEDIA ENGAGEMENT

Engaging with the media, promoting free access to information, and advocating the constitutional freedom of press are core mandates of TIB. Since its inception, TIB has been supporting journalists by arranging workshops, advocating press freedom, and presenting the Investigative Journalism Awards to reporters who risk their lives to unearth corruption and hold power accountable. 



As part of capacity-building initiatives, TIB hosted a three-day training workshop for 29 journalists, reporting on climate change, disaster management, climate financing, and mitigation projects. The workshop focused on project monitoring and investigative journalism for TV channels, newspapers, and online news portals.

## Investigative Journalism Awards 2021



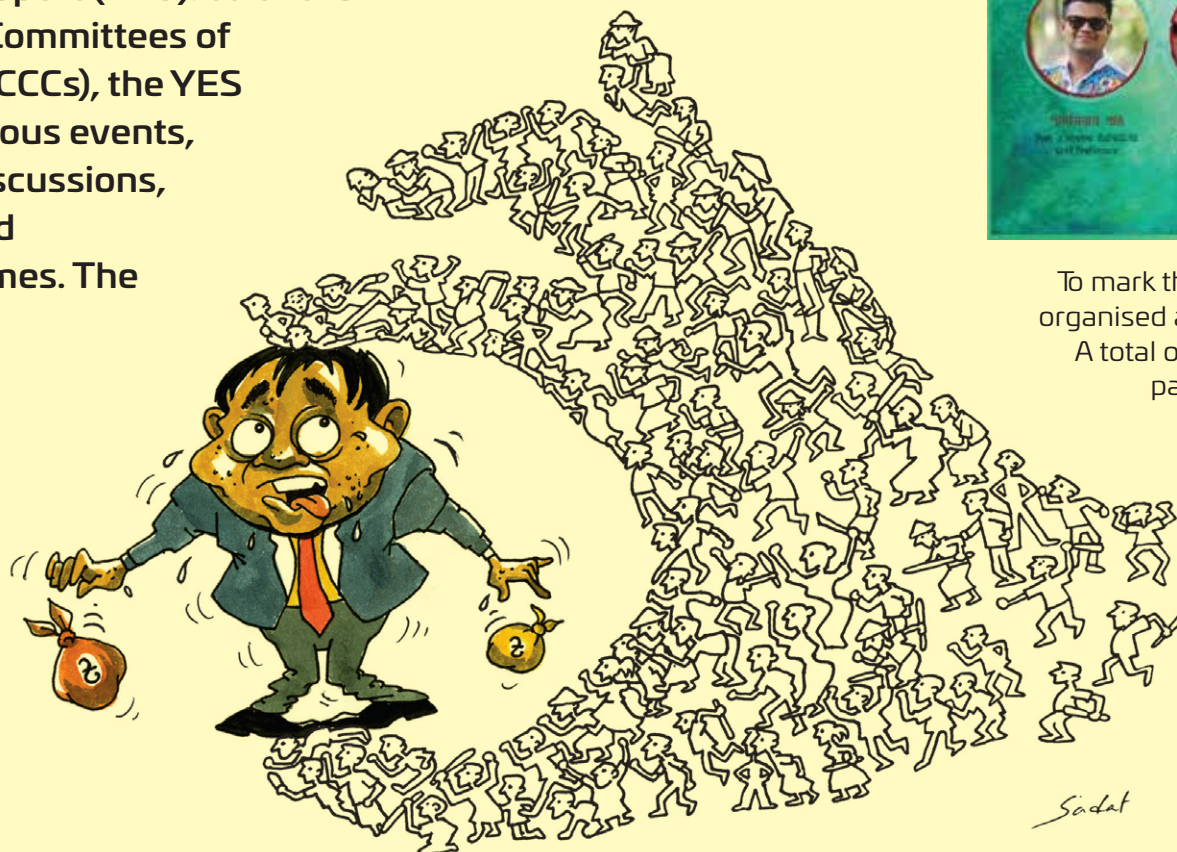
In the reporting period, TIB presented Investigative Journalism Award 2021 on the International Anti-Corruption Day to the journalists who uncovered corruption and irregularities in different sectors. TIB has been presenting the Investigative Journalism Awards since 1999, empowering and encouraging journalists to play their role in uprooting corruption.





# YOUTH ENGAGEMENT

TIB continued to involve young activists in its efforts to combat corruption in the reporting year. To achieve this, TIB organised several youth engagement programmes through its young volunteer groups called Youth Engagement and Support (YES). With the collaboration of the Committees of Concerned Citizens (CCCs), the YES groups arranged various events, such as webinars, discussions, training sessions, and awareness programmes. The volunteers also commemorated the International Anti-Corruption Day and Right to Information Day with various events.



In addition, the YES groups worked with the local authorities to ensure transparency and accountability in local-level services and thus played a crucial role in strengthening the grassroots-level anti-corruption movement.

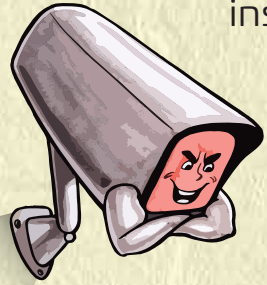


To mark the International Day for Universal Access to Information, TIB organised a monthlong policy contest on RTI on 1-28 September 2021.

A total of 68 teams, consisting of two members from 48 institutions, participated in the contest. The participants submitted a policy proposal for effective enforcement of the Right to Information Act 2009.



Moreover, TIB runs a flagship cartoon competition every year, where thousands of students from different educational institutions across the country participate, expressing their anti-corruption views through artwork.



# Anti-Corruption CARTOON EXHIBITION 2021

Age Group

- A** 13-18 year
- B** 19-25 year

Total Competitors

**118**  
Competitors

Till Now Participated

**3,230**  
(2006-2021)



## Anti-Corruption Cartoon Exhibition 2021



Outreach and campaign by

## YES groups

**388** events  
**77,530** participants



Marking the International Anti-Corruption Day, anti-corruption quiz competitions were held simultaneously in five clusters in participation of YES and YES Friend members from 45 CCCs.

Capacity building activities for

## YOUTH

A total of 13 capacity building events were organised, where 436 YES and YES Friend members attended.

They received orientation on the Right to Information Act 2009, social movement against corruption, code of ethics of TIB, basics of TI & TIB, new PACTA project, etc.






# Supporting the SDGs



TIB aligns its research and activities with the SDGs, with a focus on education, health, local government, land, and climate finance governance. The organisation prioritises Goal 16, promoting inclusive societies, providing access to justice, and building effective institutions at all levels. This approach is crucial, as Goal 16 has cross-cutting implications for all other SDGs.

<b>3</b> GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Study - The Role of Non-Government Organisations in Response to COVID-19 Pandemic: Challenges and Way Forward</li> <li>• Study - Governance Challenges in Tackling COVID-19 Crisis: Inclusion and Transparency</li> <li>• Study - Governance Challenges in Pharmaceuticals Industries</li> <li>• Local CCCs initiate advocacy measures to improve services in health centres and hospitals</li> </ul>
<b>4</b> QUALITY EDUCATION 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Study - Secondary Education Programme: Governance Challenges and Way Out</li> <li>• CCCs engage themselves in improving governance mechanism in local educational institutions</li> </ul>
<b>5</b> GENDER EQUALITY 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Study - Role of Women Upazila Nirbahi Officer (UNO) in Establishing Good Governance at the Local Level: Challenges and Way Forward</li> <li>• Study - State Recognition and Rights of 'Birangona' Freedom Fighters: Governance Challenges and Way-out</li> <li>• Workshop for women UNOs to ensure good governance and gender equality</li> </ul>
<b>7</b> AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Study - Coal and LNG-based Power Projects in Bangladesh: Governance Challenges and the Way Ahead</li> </ul>
<b>8</b> DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TIB and TI Malaysia jointly called for transparency in the recruitment process of expatriate workers</li> </ul>

<b>10</b> REDUCED INEQUALITIES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Study - Access of Marginalised Communities to Public Services: An Assessment of Accountability Mechanisms</li> </ul>
<b>13</b> CLIMATE ACTION 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Study - Governance Challenges of the Department of Environment and Way Forward</li> <li>• Position Paper - COP-26 Climate Conference: TIB's position and recommendations</li> </ul>
<b>16</b> PEACE AND JUSTICE 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Study - Pro-active Disclosure of Information by Government Institutions and NGOs on the Basis of Right to Information Act: An Assessment</li> <li>• RTI applications moderated by Committees of Concerned Citizens (CCCs) at local level increase transparency and accountability</li> <li>• Policy Stances –             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Access to information/press freedom</li> <li>Tax reformation/financial irregularities</li> <li>Forest protection</li> <li>Medical procurements/COVID-19 management</li> <li>Political and election-related issues</li> <li>Data Protection Act/Digital Security Act/Regulation for digital, social media, and OTT platforms</li> <li>Climate action</li> <li>Corruption in public service hiring</li> <li>Constitutional entity strengthening and reform</li> <li>Decent work/remittance inflows/worker safety</li> </ol> </li> <li>• Local Government Institutions (LGIs) become more responsive to serviceseekers due to the CCC's efforts</li> </ul>



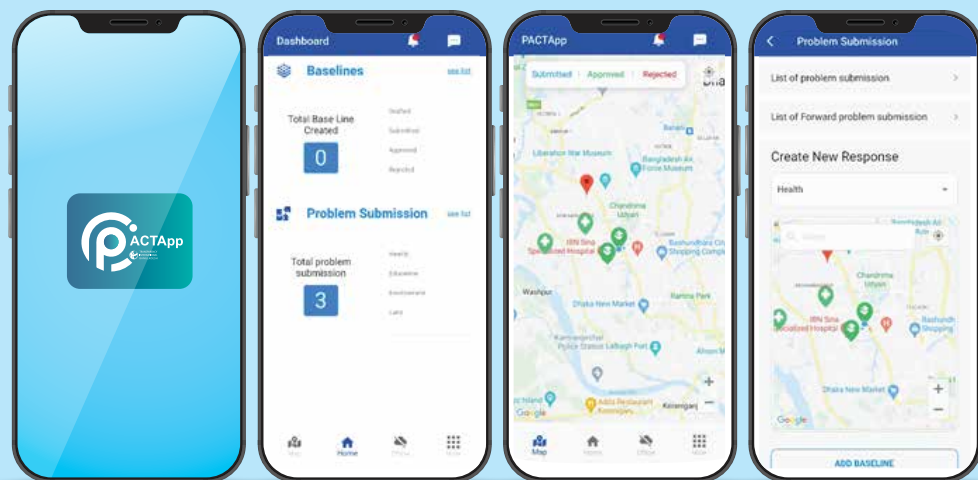
# PACTA

## Digital Resources Integrated in the Fight Against Corruption

Since January 2022, TIB has been executing its core project - Participatory Action Against Corruption - Towards Transparency and Accountability (PACTA). The project has a data-based approach to all its activities and engages TIB's core actors through technological resources.

Over the past two decades, TIB has established integrity groups throughout the country to facilitate discussions on policy changes, promote integrity in governance, and encourage transparent flow of information. Under the PACTA project, TIB utilises technological resources to engage these groups more directly in the fight against corruption at community level. The project aims to empower citizens to hold the authorities accountable as well as to work towards a more transparent and accountable society.

To feed data on governance deficiencies in TIB's flagship mobile application PACTApp, new volunteer groups called Active Citizens' Group (ACG) have been formed.



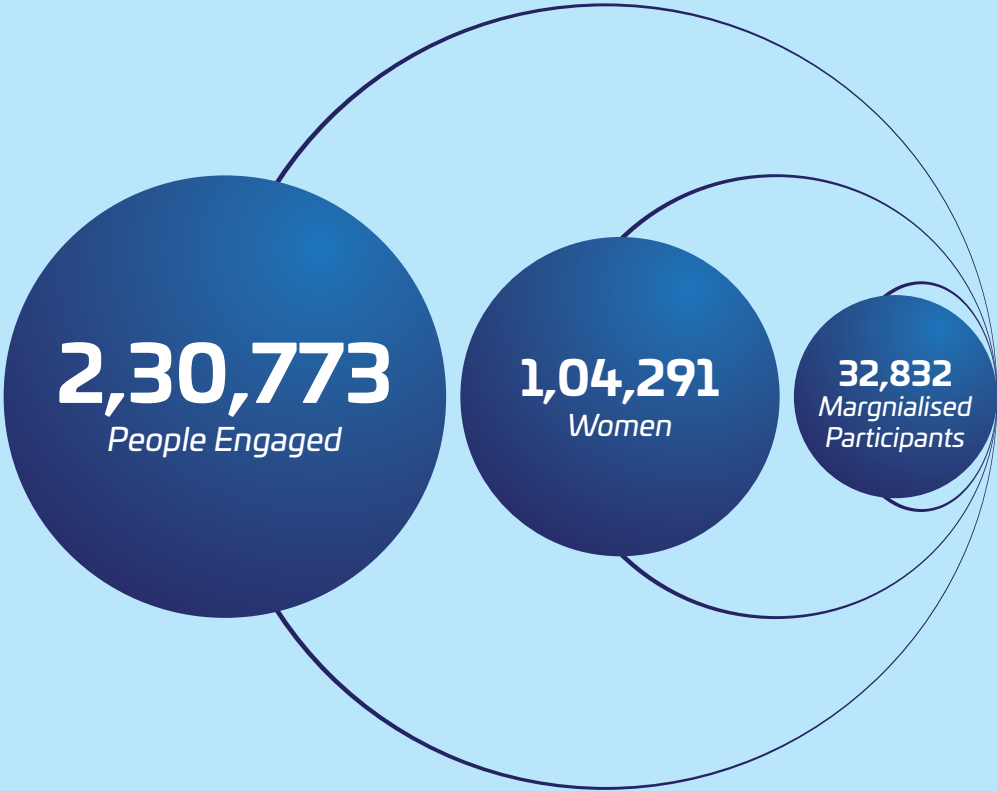
During the reporting period, TIB started piloting these groups in selected localities and is now introducing more in target areas. During the PACTA project, TIB aims to engage more than 12,000 ACG members to generate big data on governance deficiencies, irregularities, and corruption. The local CCCs and YES groups will continue to support the ACGs in the new phase.

In the reporting period, 25 CCCs held PACTA inception meetings with 1,345 people, including local administrations, public representatives, sectoral authorities, and like-minded CSOs. All stakeholders expressed their commitments to support PACTA implementation.



# CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

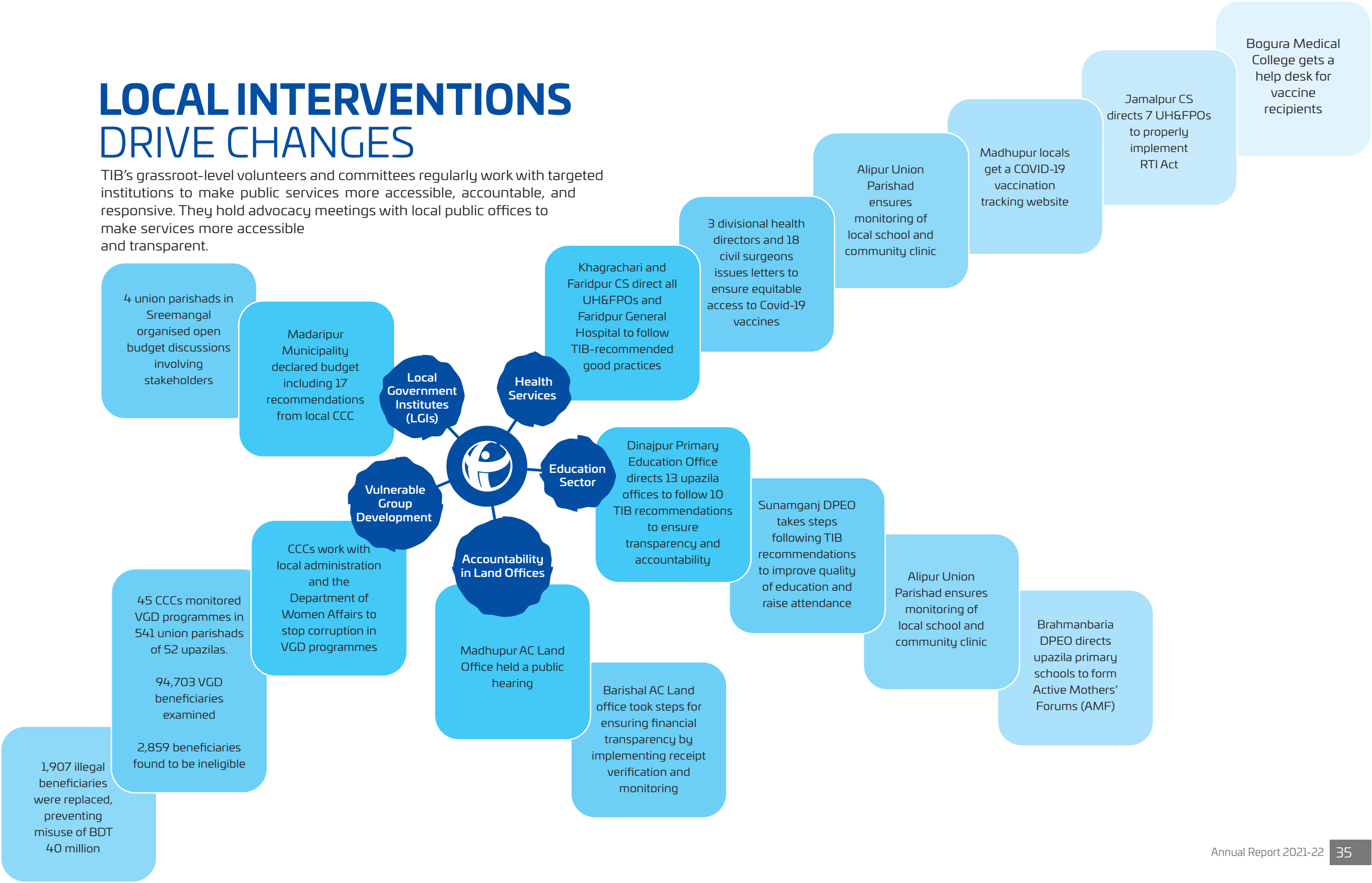
The Committees of Concerned Citizens (CCCs), the local level watchdog groups against corruption, spearhead the TIB’s civic engagement interventions. Citizens for Transparency (SWAJAN), Youth Engagement and Support (YES), and YES Friends have been working as the anti-corruption catalysts in association with the CCCs countrywide in order to improve governance, service delivery and institutional integrity in education, health, local government, climate finance governance, land administration, etc., through intensive engagement and evidence-based advocacy with the respective service delivery authorities.



Activities	Total Number of events
Engagement with different authorities	510
Outreach and campaign by core actors	676
Engagement of core actors	1,671
Capacity development of core actors	76
Local need-based special initiatives by core actors	108

# LOCAL INTERVENTIONS DRIVE CHANGES

TIB’s grassroots-level volunteers and committees regularly work with targeted institutions to make public services more accessible, accountable, and responsive. They hold advocacy meetings with local public offices to make services more accessible and transparent.

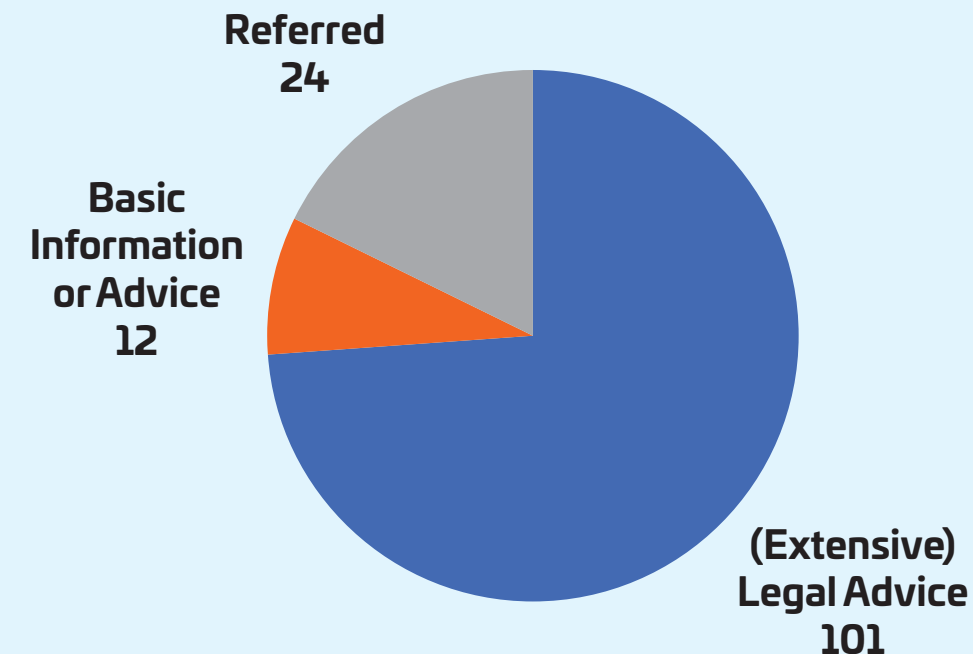


# Advocacy and Legal Advice Centre (ALAC)

A trustworthy legal advice platform for the marginalised

ALAC became a trustworthy platform for the community, especially for women and marginalised citizens. In the reporting period, ALAC provided services to a total of 126 citizens, including 40 women. During this time, ALAC received 137 complaints/issues, which were resolved through appropriate measures.

## Types of services provided by ALAC



# Success story of citizen interventions

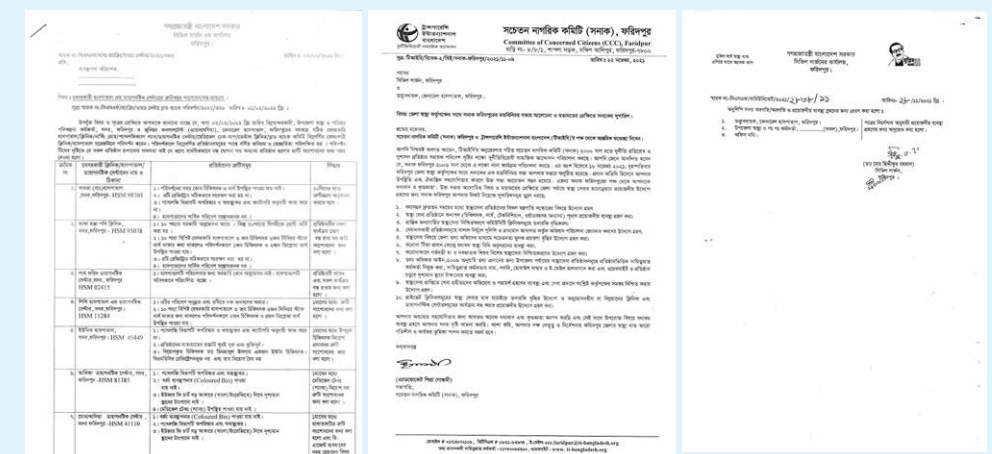
## Authority took punitive measures against corruption in Faridpur

5 private clinics shut down and 7 private clinics & diagnostic centres fined

CCC, Faridpur successfully advocated for closure of five private clinics and fining of seven private clinics and diagnostic centres in Faridpur that were violating the government orders, engaging in corrupt practices, and lacking transparency. This was achieved through a series of meetings, advocacy letters, and follow-up actions. The effort began with a virtual divisional discussion meeting, where citizens and stakeholders raised concerns over illegal private clinics and hospitals in Faridpur. CCC, Faridpur used this opportunity to provide an advocacy letter to the civil surgeon of Faridpur, requesting actions against irregularities. Dr. Md. Siddikur Rahman, the civil surgeon, then formed a Monitoring Team and issued an office order on 3 February 2022 to take corrective measures against the illegal clinics and diagnostic centres. As a result of the CCC's efforts, citizens in Faridpur are now receiving better health services.

## Complaint box at health complex helps terminate corrupt staff

The Savar Upazilla Health Complex, which provides low-cost government health services to community people, installed a "complaint and suggestion box" in response to the advocacy of YES Group of CCC, Savar. On 28 August 2021, following a follow-up initiative by the YES Group, the authority opened the complaint box and addressed the received issues. One of the

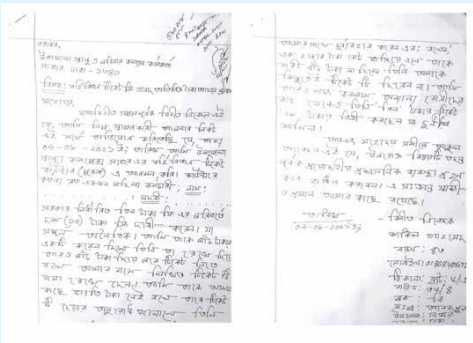




complaints was about a staff member at an outpatient ticket counter, who unethically charged an undue amount from patients. The Savar Upazilla Complex took the written complaint seriously and formed a three-member investigation committee, which found the discrepancy of an outsourced staff member involved in the case. The authority terminated the outsourced staff member based on the investigation findings. The complainer, Mr. Shakil Ahmed, expressed his gratitude towards the authority for considering his complaint and taking necessary actions. The upazilla health & family planning officer appreciated the YES Group's initiative in opening the complaint box, and said this action would help fight corruption and ensure transparency and accountability in providing service to the community people.



Authority opening the complaint box



Written complaint received in the complaint box

# TIB's core actors promoting RTI

TIB is in the forefront when it comes to ensuring the Right to information (RTI) as it ensures transparency and accountability, which are crucial in fighting corruption. To achieve this goal, TIB runs campaigns to promote the Right to Information Act 2009, on the occasion of Universal Access to Information Day every year. The CCCs and YES groups are actively involved in implementing the RTI campaign at local level, emphasising the importance of transparency and accountability in the fight against corruption.

## YES groups assist citizens in filing RTI applications:

- As part of its campaign, TIB's YES groups conducted training sessions for 26,483 citizens, including students, on how to fill out RTI application forms.
- During the reporting period, YES and YES Friend members provided support in filling out 6,210 RTI applications, resulting in 2,406 citizens obtaining information.

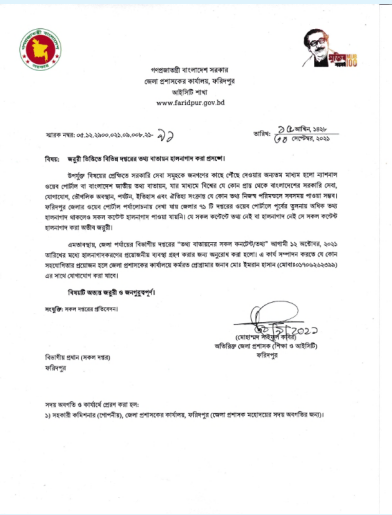
## Authorities' initiatives on RTI Act 2009:

- The District Primary Education Officer (DPEO) of Rajbari issued a letter in 2022 to all five upazilla education Officers to update web portals.
- Deputy Commissioner (DC) of Rangamati district issued a letter in 2022 to all institutions' heads and the upazilla nirbahi officers (UNOs) of Rangamati district to appoint designated officer and place their nameplates in visible places.
- The Bangladesh Road Transport Authority (BRTA) office in Gazipur installed an information board and updated Citizens Charter following continuous advocacy of CCC, Gazipur.
- The UNO of Sylhet Sadar issued an office order, instructing to update of the government's web portals and appoint of designated officers (DO) in various government offices. As a result, 15 DOs were appointed and their name boards were set up.

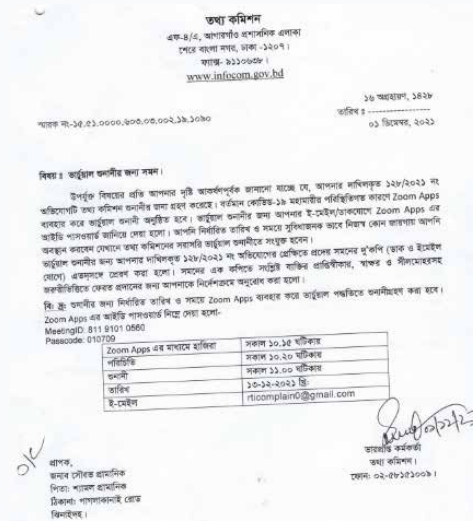
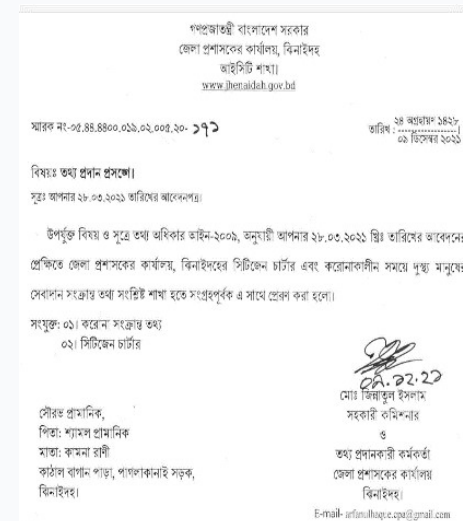


## Authorities' directives for updating web portals:

- 45 CCCs conducted a study on updating the government institutions' web portals.
- 8,222 web portals were monitored and the findings were submitted to the respective authorities.
- Relevant authorities took corrective measures based on evidence-based advocacy of the study's findings.
- 134 letters/follow-up letters were issued to instruct officials to update the web portals and maintain regular follow-up.



A member of the YES group of CCC, Jhenaidah, named Showrov Pramanik, applied for information about the Citizen's Charter to the Jhenaidah Deputy Commissioner's (DC) office and the number of distressed people who received humanitarian assistance during the Covid-19 pandemic. The Designated Officer (DO) of Jhenaidah DC office did not provide the information within the stipulated time. Showrov then filed an appeal with the Appellate Officer and later to the Chief Information Commissioner, who conducted a virtual hearing. During the hearing, the former DO of Jhenaidah DC office was disgraced for attempting to blame Showrov. The current DO informed in the hearing that he had provided information through a letter issued on 09 December 2021. After receiving the information, Showrov expressed his satisfaction and stated that this success would be an example for the DC office in establishing effective implementation of the RTI Act.



TIB develops a sticker every year to commemorate the International Day for Universal Access to Information. This artwork was created by cartoonist Arafat Karim. The virtual sticker was disseminated in September 2021.



# AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENT (July 2021 - June 2022)



## Independent Auditors' Report

To the Management of Transparency International Bangladesh (TIB)  
Report on the Audit of Financial Statements

### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Transparency International Bangladesh (TIB), which comprise the Statement of Financial Position at 30 June 2022, and the Statement of Income and Expenditure, Statement of Receipts and Payments for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the Financial Position of the organization as at 30 June 2022, and its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs), the Foreign Donation (Voluntary Activities) Regulation Act 2016 and other applicable laws and regulations.

### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the organization in accordance with the ethical requirement that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Bangladesh, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with IFRSs and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the organization's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the organization or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the organization's financial reporting process.





### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements


Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the organization's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Organization's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Organization to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that gives a true and fair view.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Signed for & on behalf of  
**MABS & J Partners**  
Chartered Accountants

  
**S H Talukder FCA**  
Partner  
ICAB Enrolment No: 1244  
DVC No: 22/024/1244AS917234

Dhaka, Bangladesh  
Dated: 24 OCT 2022

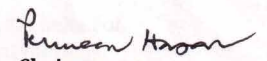
### Transparency International Bangladesh (TIB) Statement of Financial Position As at 30 June 2022

Particulars	Notes	Amount in BDT	
		30-Jun-2022	30-Jun-2021
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Non-current assets</b>			
Property, plant and equipment's	5.01	5,927,740	503,310
Intangible assets	5.02	7,806,711	20
		<b>13,734,451</b>	<b>503,330</b>
Work-in-progress	5.03	17,811,043	23,255,346
		<b>31,545,494</b>	<b>23,758,676</b>
<b>Current assets</b>			
Advances, deposits & prepayments	6	3,695,489	6,063,149
Receivables	7	7,743	500,000
Cash & cash equivalents	8	83,909,748	151,412,161
		<b>87,612,980</b>	<b>157,975,310</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<b>119,158,474</b>	<b>181,733,986</b>
<b>LIABILITIES AND FUNDS</b>			
Liabilities	9	6,942,912	15,965,916
<b>Represented by:</b>			
Due to donor	10	91,281,911	158,555,659
TIB general fund	11	6,824,200	6,709,081
Fixed asset fund- unfunded	12	14,109,451	503,330
<b>Total funds</b>		<b>112,215,561</b>	<b>165,768,070</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUNDS</b>		<b>119,158,474</b>	<b>181,733,986</b>

The accompanying notes from 1 to 26 and annexure 1 to 7 from an integral part of these Financial Statements.


  
Treasurer

  
Executive Director

  
Chairperson

Signed in terms of our separate report of even date annexed

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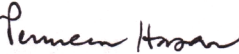
**Transparency International Bangladesh (TIB)**  
**Statement of Income and Expenditure**  
For the year ended on 30 June 2022

Particulars	Notes	Amount in BDT	
		1 July 2021 to 30 June 2022	1 July 2020 to 30 June 2021
<b>INCOME</b>			
Grants income	13	345,123,122	313,869,104
Fund transfer from general fund (Annexure # 6)		18,076	480,363
<b>Total income</b>		<b>345,141,198</b>	<b>314,349,467</b>
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>			
Salary and allowance	19	227,376,808	243,566,296
Travel cost	20	2,205,030	609,101
Staff training and capacity building cost	21	431,616	-
Operating cost	22	65,107,320	55,065,089
Activity cost	23	47,292,623	13,873,113
Capacity building of CCC, YES, YES Friends and Partners	24	50,792	14,745
Technical support and consultancy cost	25	2,672,389	1,199,175
Non-Consumable supplies	26	4,620	21,949
<b>Total expenditures</b>		<b>345,141,198</b>	<b>314,349,467</b>

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**Transparency International Bangladesh (TIB)**  
**Statement of Receipts and Payments**  
For the year ended on 30 June 2022

Particulars	Notes	Amount in BDT	
		1 July 2021 to 30 June 2022	1 July 2020 to 30 June 2021
<b>Opening balance</b>			
Cash in hand	8	222,749	329,723
Cash at bank		151,189,413	95,296,896
		<b>151,412,162</b>	<b>95,626,619</b>
<b>Receipts</b>			
Foreign grants	10.1	284,301,528	381,248,018
Other foreign grants (Travel reimbursements)			
Membership fee	14	18,646	17,800
Others- EOSB, Staff welfare and Loan refund	15	-	185,854
Bank interest	16	70,098	249,313
Other income	17	132,887	34,816
Insurance Received against death claim for staff			500,000
Insurance claim received against Capital Asset and Others	18	8,175,996	72,200
<b>Total receipts</b>		<b>292,699,155</b>	<b>382,308,000</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>444,111,317</b>	<b>477,934,619</b>
<b>Payments</b>			
Salary and allowance	19	226,368,893	242,241,311
Travel cost	20	2,202,906	647,466
Staff training and capacity building cost	21	360,826	-
Operating cost	22	60,978,011	52,259,313
Activity cost	23	47,831,813	13,259,381
Capacity building of CCC, YES, YES Friends and Partners	24	50,792	14,745
Technical support and consultancy cost	25	2,672,389	1,269,965
Non-Consumable supplies	26	4,620	21,949
Property, plant and equipment (capitalized expenditure)		16,913,150	16,808,328
Other adjustment/Refund to DANIDA		1,610,467	-
General Fund Payment		1,207,701	-
<b>Total payments</b>		<b>360,201,568</b>	<b>326,522,457</b>
<b>Closing balance:</b>			
Cash in hand	8	243,828	222,749
Cash at bank		83,665,920	151,189,413
		<b>83,909,748</b>	<b>151,412,162</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>444,111,317</b>	<b>477,934,619</b>

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## WHERE WE WORK



**LOCATION MAP**

Committees of Concerned Citizens (CCCs)

# List of Designated Information Officers

As a stakeholder in people's right to information and in accordance with the Right to Information (RTI) Act 2009, TIB's designated information request channels are: [yasmin@ti-bangladesh.org](mailto:yasmin@ti-bangladesh.org), or through phone or letter to Assistant Coordinator-Civic Engagement, Cell: +8801714092823.

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Executive Director

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The following list provides contact details of Designated Officer and Alternative Designated Officer of TIB Dhaka Office and Designated Officers of Committee of Concerned Citizens (CCC) areas:

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# ABBREVIATIONS

AC	Assistant Commissioner
ACC	Anti-Corruption Commission
ACG	Active Citizens' Group
AMF	Active Mothers' Forum
ALAC	Advocacy and Legal Aid Centre
BCDM	BRAC Centre for Development Management
BRTA	Bangladesh Road Transport Authority
CCC	Committees of Concerned Citizens
CE	Civic Engagement
COP	Conference of Parties
CFG	Climate Finance Governance
CS	Civil Surgeon
CSO	Civil Society Organisation
CVF	Climate Vulnerable Forum
DGHS	Directorate General of Health Services
DoE	Department of Environment
DO	Designated Officer
DPEO	District Primary Education Officer
EC	Election Commission
ECC	Environmental Compliance Certificate
IEPMP	Integrated Energy and Power Master Plan
IPDS	Indigenous Peoples Development Services
LGI	Local Government Institutions
LNG	Liquefied Natural Gas
MoEFCC	Ministry of Environment Forest and Climate Change
MoU	Memorandum of Understanding
NGO	Non-Government Organisations
PACTA	Participatory Action Against Corruption: Towards Transparency and Accountability
RTI	Right to Information
SMC	School Management Committees
SDG	Sustainable Development Goals
TI	Transparency International
TIB	Transparency International Bangladesh
UH&FPO	Upazilla Health and Family Planning Officers
UNESCO	United National Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation
UNO	Upazila Nirbahi Officer
UP	Upazila Parishad
VGD	Vulnerable Group Development
YES	Youth Engagement and Support



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