

ADB National Workshop on New Customs Act and Respective Best Practices – Draft Programme -

Date: 17 to 20 August 2015; Location: Dhaka, Bangladesh

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Time	Monday 17 August (Ballroom 1 & 2)	Time	Tuesday 18 August (Meghna)	Wednesday 19 August (Meghna)	Time	Thursday 20 August (Meghna)
		10:00-11:00	The New Customs Act - Best practices applied, incl. RKC, SAFE and WTO TFA	Risk Management - Risk Management – Profiling and targeting -	10:00-11:15	The New Customs Act - Provisions on AEO - AEO – Overview, including SAFE Framework of Standards - AEO benefits
		11:00-11:30	Coffee/tea Break		11:15-11:30	Coffee/tea Break
		11:30-12:30	The New Customs Act - Best practices applied, incl. RKC, SAFE and WTO TFA	Risk Management - Risk Management – application areas (release, PCA, AEO, integrity, others)-	11:30-12:30	The New Customs Act - AEO – Application, validation and authorization
		12:30-13:30	Lunch Break (The Balcony)	Lunch Break (The Balcony)	12:30-13:00	The New Customs Act - Provisions facilitating integrity and preventing corruption - Integrity – Overview - Performance measurement - Codes of conduct for Customs and private sector
12:30-14:00	Opening Session 12:30- Arrival of the Chief Guest 12:35- Recitation from the Holy Book 12:40- Welcome speech of the Member of NBR 12:45- Speech of the ADB Country Director 12:55- Speech of His Excellency the Japanese Ambassador to Bangladesh 13:05- Speech of the President of FBCCI 13:15- Speech of the Honorable State Minister of the Ministry of Finance and Planning 13:25- Speech of the Chief Guest 13:45- Speech of the Chair	13:30-15:00	Risk Management - Provisions on risk management and risk assessment - Risk Management – Overview -	The New Customs Act - Customs Cooperation and exchange of information - Current practices and restrictions	13:00-13:15	Wrap-up Session
14:00-15:00	Lunch Break	15:00-15:30	Coffee/tea break		13:15	Closing Ceremonies
15:00-1630	The New Customs Act - Introduction and Overview - From old to new. The process	15:30-16:30	Risk Management - Risk Management – Process	The New Customs Act - Customs Cooperation and exchange of information - Opportunities and development		