### Ministry of Water Resources

#### 1) The Ministry

The Ministry	
Mission	Ensure fulfilling the requirements of water for the people and sustainable development through balanced and integrated management of water resources.
Major Functions	<ol> <li>Formulate national policy for irrigation, flood control, mitigation of water logging, improvement of drainage system, protection from the river erosion and prevention from salinity and desertification;</li> <li>Manage all issues related to flood forecasting and warning, flood control infrastructures, causes of flood and damage caused by floods; 2</li> <li>Conduct basic and applied research on river basin and flood control infrastructures and carry out hydrological survey and data collection; 3</li> <li>International cooperation n the areas of flood control and development of water resources;</li> <li>Excavate and maintain canals, and construct and maintain water control infrastructures under canal canal excavation programmes;</li> <li>Issues related to land conservation and reclamation;</li> <li>Issues related to construction of water reservoirs, embankments and barrages and</li> <li>Capital dredging to enhance capacity of water reservoirs and the rivers.</li> </ol>
Strategic Objectives	<ol> <li>Ensure sustainable management of water resources</li> <li>Control flood and protect township</li> <li>develop Haor and wetlands and water management of coastal regions</li> <li>River basin management</li> </ol>
Departments/Units	<ul> <li>Bangladesh Water Development Board (BWDB)</li> <li>Joint River Commission, Bangladesh (JRC)</li> <li>River Research Institute (RRI)</li> <li>Bangladesh Haor &amp; Wetland Development Board (BHWDB)</li> <li>Water Resources Planning Organization (WARPO)</li> </ul>

Education & Training Institution	Kaptai	Vaggokul	Baradi
Trainer (ADG, Director, Chief Engineer and others)	28 (per year)	20 (per year)	30 (per year)
Trainee (class 1 officers & staff)	180 (per year)	200 (per year)	300 (per year)

## 2) NIS Action Plan

### Institutional Arrangements

a)

Activities (Ministry Level)	Time Frame	Baseline No (DEC 2014)	Target No	Official In charge	
Formation of Ethics Committee	Done(30-04- 2013)	N/A	N/A	Secretary, MoWR	
Holding Ethics Committee Meeting	Continuous	4	6/year	Admin Wing NIS Focal Person	
Formation of Ethics Committee at: BWDB RRI WARPO JRC BHWDB	Done	04	N/A	NIS Focal Person, Respective organizational head.	
Formation of Innovation Team	Done (2013)	05	05	Secretary, MoWR	
Identify the Stakeholders Concerned to NIS Implementation	March 2015	00	All Possible Stake Holder	Admin Wing NIS Focal Person	

b)

Activities (Department/Unit/Field Level)	Time Frame	Baseline No	Target No	Official In charge
Formation of Ethics Committee at: BWDB RRI WARPO JRC BHWDB	Done 03.09.2013	03	04	NIS Focal Point , Respective organizational head.
Formation of Ethics Committee at District Level	June 2015	0	64 Committees	DG BWDB
Identify the Stakeholders concern to	April 2015	0	All Possible Stakeholders	Respective organizational head, BWDB

NIS Implementation		RRI
		WARPO
		JRC
		BHWDB

#### 3) Awareness & Capacity Building

Activities	Time Frame	Baseline No (Dec 2014)	Target No	Official In charge	
NIS Orientation Workshop for Ministry Officials	June 2015	00	30 Officials	Admin Wing NIS Focal Person	
NIS Orientation Workshop for (BWDB RRI WARPO JRC BHWDB) Officials	Sept 2015	00	50 Officials	NIS Focal Point, Respective organizational head.	
Stakeholder Meeting	April 2016	00	64 at District Level, 500 at Upazilla / Thana Level	BWDB RRI WARPO JRC BHWDB	

#### 4) E Governance (Ministry Level)

Activities(	Time Frame	Baseline No	Target No	Official In	
		(Dec 2014)		charge	
Website Update	Fortnightly	N/A	24/Year	Chief Innovation	
				Officer	
				MoWR	
Maintenance of	March 2015	N/A	All Officers of	All Official	
Email Accounts			Ministry (50)	MoWR	
Email account	June 2016	00	1,000	MoWR,	
for all Class 1				BWDB	
Officers				RRI	
				WARPO	
				JRC	
				BHWDB	
Video	March 2015	00	01	Secretary	
Conferencing				MoWR,	
system with				DG BWDB	
BWDB office					
Introduce E-	Done	N/A	N/A	DG, BWDB	
Procurement					

### 5) E Governance (Field Level)

Activities	Time Frame	Baseline No (Dec 2014)	Target No	Official In charge	
Maintenance of	June 2015	N/A	64 District	BWDB	
Email Accounts			485 Upzilla	RRI	
at Field Level				WARPO	
				JRC	
				BHWDB	
Email account	June 2016	00	1000	BWDB	
for all class 1				RRI	
officers				WARPO	
				JRC	
				BHWDB	
Disposal of	March 2016	00	64 District	BWDB	
officers				RRI	
Application for				WARPO	
R&R Leave,				JRC	
Maternity Leave				BHWDB	
through E-					
Channel					
Receiving	June 2016	00	64 District	BWDB	
Pension Case of				RRI	
all employee				WARPO	
Through				JRC	
Electronic				BHWDB	
Channel					

#### 6) Grievances Redress System

Activities	Time Frame	Baseline No	Target No	Official In
				Charge
Hot Line at	March 2016	00	02	Secretary MoWR
MoWR, BWDB				DG BWDB
Disposal of	June 2016		64 District	Secretary MoWR
Grievances at				DG BWDB
District Level				

### 7) Audit Objection Disposal

Activities	Time Frame	Baseline No	Target No	Official In	
				Charge	
Holding of Tri-	June 2016		2 meeting in	Secretary	
Partite Meeting			each District	MoWR,	
			/Month	Respective	
				organizational	
				head.	

#### 8) Right to Information

Activities	Time Frame	Baseline No	Target No	Official In Charge	
Proactive Disclosure	On Going		As Much	Admin Wing NIS Focal Person DGs	
Up Load all Approved DPPs in respective Website	December 2015		All Approved Project	Secretary MoWR, Respective organizational head.	

### 9) Budget for NIS

Activities	Time Frame	Baseline No	Target No	Official In	
				Charge	
Demand in	June 2015	3 lacs	15 lacs	Secretary	
2015-16 Budget				MoWR,	
				Respective	
				organizational	
				head.	

# 10) Monitoring & Evaluation

Activities	Time Frame	Baseline No	Target No	Official In Charge	
Interim	Dec 2015			Ethics	
Evaluation				Committee	
				MoWR	
Evaluation	31 June 2016			Ethics	
				Committee	
				MoWR	