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Subject : Meeting Minutes of Hybrid Rice Technology Cooperation Project.

The Meeting Minutes of Hybrid Rice Technology Cooperation Project was held on 13/08/2014 at the office room of the Director General, Seed Wing, Ministry of Agriculture, Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka. Additional Secretary & Director General, Seed Wing, Ministry of Agriculture chaired the meeting. The minutes of the meeting is sent herewith for your kind persual and necessary action.

Enclosure : (a) Minutes (two pages)
(b) Attendance list (Annex-A)

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- 06 Mr. Tang Zhongfu, Vice Manager, Sichuan Nongda High-tech Agriculture Co. Ltd., China.
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Subject : Minutes of the meeting of Hybrid Rice Technology Cooperation Project.

The meeting of **Hybrid Rice Technology Cooperation Project** between Bangladesh & China was held on August 13, 2014 at 02:00 p.m. in the office room of the Additional Secretary & Director General, Seed Wing Anwar Faruque Ministry of Agriculture under his chairmanship.

The list of the participants is attached in Annex-A.


At the outset of the meeting the chair expressed his greetings and welcomed the participants. He briefly discussed the objective of the meeting and brief the purpose of the Hybrid Rice Technology Cooperation Project. He said it is a relationship between China and Bangladesh. We are thankful to Chinese Government as well as Sichuan Nongda High-tech Agriculture Co., Ltd. we welcomed Sichuan Nongda High-tech Agriculture Co., Ltd. for Hybrid Rice Development in Bangladesh. They got a Power of Attorney on Economic and Technical Consulting from the Ministry of Commerce of People's Republic of China, Department of Foreign Assistance. He also said, our honorable Prime Minister visited China two times. She is very much interested about Hybrid Rice Extension in Bangladesh for Food Security. So the Chinese grant will be helpful for our scientist & farmers to increase productivity of rice. He also said, this cooperation project will be tripartite in Bangladesh. Zhou Yijun, Vice General Manager from Sichuan Nongda High-tech Agriculture Co., Ltd. took part in the discussion and he also agreed with this proposal. He opined that for Chinese expert accommodation and visa processing is needed to come in Bangladesh.

After a threadbare discussion on the above issues following decision was taken.

Decision-1 : Ministry of Agriculture is principally agreed to use Chinese grant money for the development of Hybrid Rice Seed in Bangladesh according to existing rules, regulations of Bangladesh.

Decision-2 : Hybrid Rice Cooperation Project will consist under seed wing, MoA by three stakeholders, BRRI for Research & Development, Bangladesh Agriculture Development Corporation (BADC) for Seed Production, Processing & marketing & Private Sector for Seed Production, Marketing.

Decision-3 : Strengthening the Laboratory of Bangladesh Rice Research Institute (BRRI) for Hybrid Rice Research according to need of BRRI.



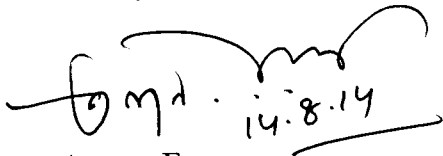
Decision-4 : Bangladesh will provide land and other facilities for Research & Demonstration in existing farm of BADC.

Decision-5 : A project concept note including BARI, BRRI & Private Sector under the guidance of Seed Wing, MoA will be prepared for getting Government approval.

Decision-6 : During visit Chinese expert they will halt near working area in BADC & BRRI rest house.

Before concluding the meeting the chair opined that concerned officials and Chinese Representatives will work together for development of Hybrid Rice Seed Project.

Finally the meeting ended with a vote of thanks from the chair.



Handwritten signature of Anwar Faruque, dated 14.8.14.

Anwar Faruque
Additional Secretary
Director General
Seed Wing, MoA.



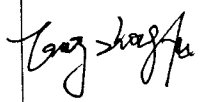


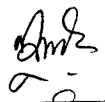
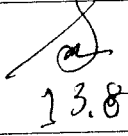
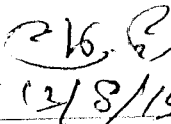
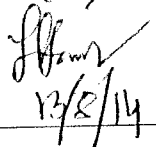
Annex A,

Attendance List of the Meeting of Hybrid Rice Technology Cooperation Project

Chair : Mr. Anwar Faruque, Additional Secretary & Director General, Seed Wing, Ministry of Agriculture, Bangladesh

Date : 13.08.2014, Time : 2.00 P.M.

Venue : Office of the Director General, Seed Wing, MoA, Bangladesh Secretariat.

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