



Report on Annual General Meeting and Executive Committee Election of NGCAF 2023-2025



As per the constitution of NGCAF, the Executive Committee Election is held every 02 years. Due to COVID 19, The last 2021-2023 Committee was formed in July 2021 by Online with Voice Voting. In view of this, NGCAF Annual General Meeting 2023 and Executive committee Election were held on July 20, 2023 at Bangladesh YWCA. Election was conducted in a fully democratic manner by taking and casting direct votes with spontaneous voter's participation. Out of 94 voters, 74 voted directly. The pre-conditions for becoming a voter were to Renew the Membership and Actively



Participate in various activities undertaken by NGCAF. Out of the total 16 candidates, 1 withdrew his candidate application. Initially 11 candidates won as executive members. Following this, an Executive Committee Formation meeting was held among the winning members on July 30, 2023 for Structuralized the committee. Members decided their designation through negotiation among themselves. Basically, through this process, the Executive Committee for the period 2023-2025 takes final shape.

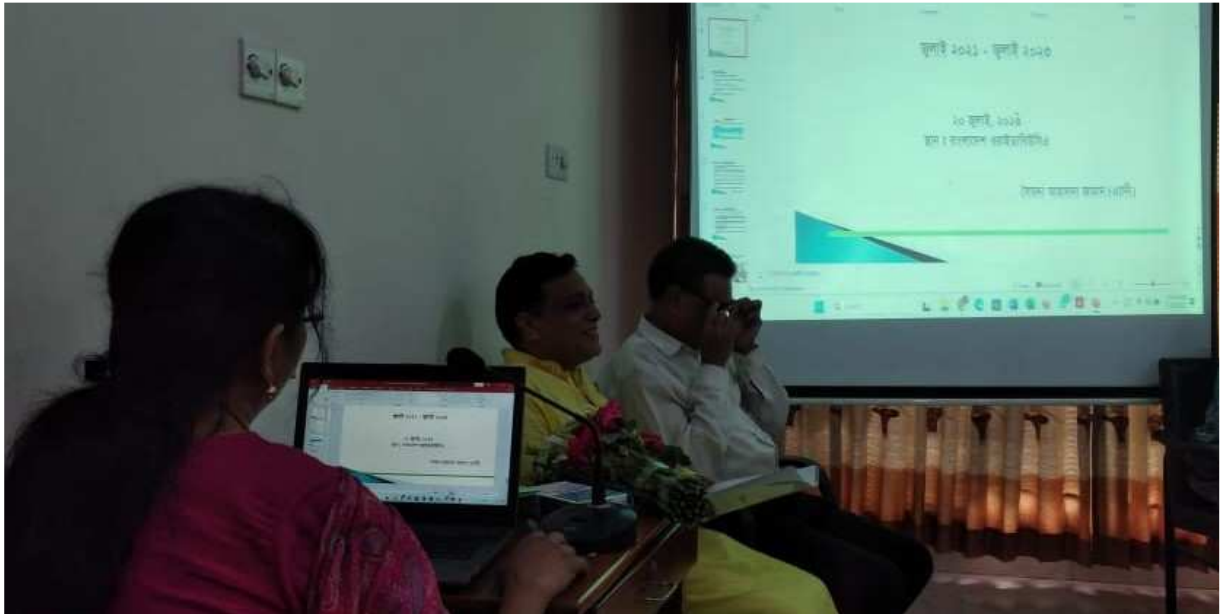
Before the election, a 03-members Election Commission was formed based on the opinion of General Committee Meeting. The Election was successfully conducted by the Election Commission.



The Election Commission members are Mr. Aminul Islam Sujon-Personal Member, Ms. Mausumi Sharmin- Concern Worldwide, Mr. Ashraful Alam Sagar-Islamic Relief Bangladesh.



Before holding the Election, the Annual General Meeting of NGCAF was held at 10:00 am. The Annual General Meeting was conducted by personal member Mr. Zahidul Haque Khan. At the beginning of the meeting, 01-minute silence was observed for the death of NGCAF members due to various causes including COVID. The introduction session ended with the self-introduction by the members. NGCAF Secretary Ms. Nasima Akhter Jolly gave a welcome address in the meeting. In the meeting, Central Coordinator of NGCAF Ms. Syeda Ahsana Zaman (Anny) presented the last term Executive Committee 2021-23 activities report.



After the presentation, the floor was opened for all to raise questions (if any). NGCAF Secretary and Central Coordinator briefed the meeting by analyzing their answers to the members' questions. Significant proposal and decision based on the meeting discussions:

Proposal-

Cluster wise Members Renewal Fee Determination: As 202 members include international/national and local organizations. It should be finalized the fee lower/higher as per the Members' Status.

Decision-

About Audit Report 2021-22:

The financial audit report is always presented at the Annual General Meeting. It was not possible to present at the meeting as last year's audit was ongoing. NGCAF Secretary expressed her great regret for this. It was decided, at any General Meeting, that it will be presented soon.

In the meeting, the committee members for the term 2021-23 were given mugs with NGCAF logo as memento.



After the AGM, NGCAF Vice President Ms. Shaheen Akter Dolly announced the dissolution of the Executive Committee for 2021-23. With this announcement, the election process for the 2023-2025 term begins. At the beginning of the process, the competing candidates presented their argument for themselves to the Voter, why they consider themselves worthy candidates and seeking vote for him/her. After that Election Commission took responsibility to complete the election process and called 2/3 voters to check the empty ballot boxes. First, the Commission informs the voters about the voting and polling processes.



Then started taking votes. Voters stood in line and casted their votes one by one in curtained rooms.



At the end of the voting, the commission counted the votes and announced 11 candidates as winners as a member. After the announcement, the winning candidates are felicitated with flowers by Election Commission.

The Elected Executive Committee Members in Alphabetical order:

SL	Name	Organization and Designation
1.	Ms. Wahida Banu	Executive Director, Aparajeyo Bangladesh
2.	Mr. Khandoker Shahidul Alam	Director, Help Foundation
3.	Mr. Zahangir Hossain	Chairperson, Kadomtoli Nayapara Bahumukhi Samaboy Samittee
4.	Ms. Nasima Akhter Jolly	Personal Member and Program Director, The Hunger Project
5.	Advocate Nighat Seema	Deputy Director, Bangladesh National Women's Lawyers Association (BNWLA)
6.	Dr. Badiul Alam Majumdar	Country Director & Global Vice President, The Hunger Project
7.	Ms. Bina Adhikary	Coordinator (Monitoring), Bangladesh YWCA
8.	Ms, Monowara Begum	General Secretary, Ekota Bahumukhi Cooperative Society Ltd and Councilor (4,5,6 Ward), Narayonganj City Corporation
9.	Mr. S. M. Mehedi Hasan	Director, Life Center
10	Ms. Razia Sultana	Head of Education and Health Unit, Good Neighbors Bangladesh
11	Ms. Shaheen Akter Dolly	Executive Director, Nari Maitree

After Election the first meeting of new Executive Committee was held on 30 July, 2023 at the NGCAF Secretariat (The Hunger Project Bangladesh Office).



The main objective of the meeting was to distribute the structural designation of NGCAF among the elected members. Based on the discussion, the elected members unanimously decided their designation.

Below is Executive Committee for 2023-2025:

SL	Name	NGCAF Designation	Organization
1.	Dr. Badiul Alam Majumdar	President	Country Director & Global Vice President, The Hunger Project
2.	Ms. Shaheen Akter Dolly	Vice President	Executive Director, Nari Maitree
3.	Ms. Nasima Akhter Jolly	Secretary	Director, The Hunger Project
4.	Ms. Wahida Banu	Joint Secretary	Executive Director, Aparajeyo Bangladesh
5.	Ms. Bina Adhikary	Treasurer	Coordinator (Monitoring), Bangladesh YWCA
6.	Ms, Monowara Begum	Executive Member	General Secretary, Ekota Bahumukhi Cooperative Society Ltd and Councilor (4,5,6 Ward), Narayonganj City Corporation
7.	Ms. Razia Sultana	Executive Member	Head of Education and Health Unit, Good Neighbors Bangladesh
8.	Mr. Khandoker Shahidul Alam	Executive Member	Director, Help Foundation
9.	Advocate Nighat Seema	Executive Member	Deputy Director, Bangladesh National Women's Lawyers Association (BNWLA)
10	Mr. S. M. Mehedi Hasan	Executive Member	Director, Life Center
11	Mr. Zahangir Hossain	Executive Member	Chairperson, Kadomtoli Nayapara Bahumukhi Samaboy Samittee

Above 11 winners, who have been playing a leading role to establish the rights of girl children and will be more active in this field in future.

New EC committee will sit together soon at an orientation meeting on the Constitution of NGCAF.

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