



CSOs for Global
Commitments
on Migration

Bangladesh in Abu Dhabi Dialogue

CGCM Notes on



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Prior to the 5th Ministerial Consultation of the Abu Dhabi Dialogue, CSOs for the Global Commitments of Migration (CGCM) highlighted a number of issues to the Bangladesh delegation for consideration.

Bangladesh delegation to ADD was

led by Honorable Minister Imran Ahmed MP, Ministry of Expatriates Welfare and Overseas Employment.

The CGCM members requested the delegation to consider the following **3 factors** during ADD meeting-



What the Prime Minister of Bangladesh emphasized at National Steering Committee on Migration -

- Skill development
- Regulation of middlemen
- Awareness campaign



What the 12th GFMD summit will focus on -

- Upholding rights
- Strengthening state agency
- Advancing development through partnerships and collective action



What the 5th Ministerial Consultation of ADD will focus on -

- Future of work and its impact on human mobility
- Inter-regional cooperation and regional contributions to global processes
- Financial literacy among domestic workers

Based on these, the CGCM requested the government to highlight the **3 issues** at the ADD -



The private sectors especially the employers and government should partner with the consulates to initiate a **post arrival orientation** at the destination countries for migrants.



Regularizing the local middlemen's counterpart in destination countries in partnership with the destination country government.



Higher engagement of migrant worker recipient countries in skills development for providing **demand-based training**.

About

The Abu Dhabi Dialogue (ADD) is a voluntary and non-binding inter-government consultative process, engaging twelve Member States of the Colombo Process (CP), as well as Malaysia. Regular observers include the IOM, ILO, private sector and civil society representatives.

Goal of ADD Better administering the temporary contract employment cycle and maximizing its benefits to contract workers, employers and the economies of countries of **origin** and **destination**.

3 principles of ADD



Ensuring the protection of migrant workers;

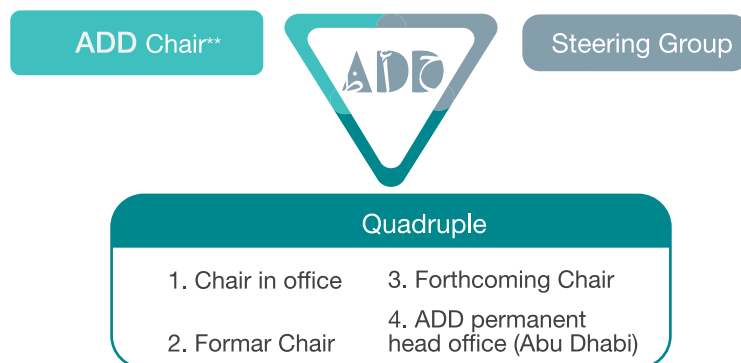


Empowering workers to fulfil their goals and aspirations; and

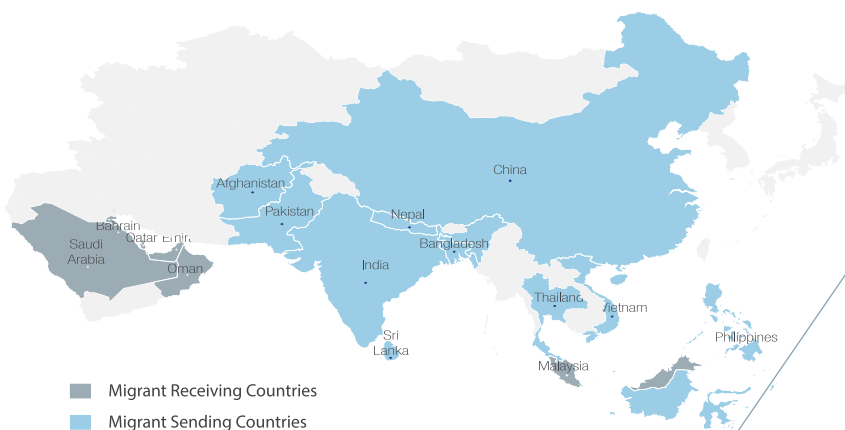


Affording workers the opportunity to benefit equitably from the outcomes of temporary labour migration

Structure of ADD



Members of ADD



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