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The Project for Construction of DBKP vocational training center for poor women

and vulnerable youths

By the funding of **Grant Assistance for Grass-roots Human Security Projects (GGHSP)**, DBKP Vocational Training Center in Narayangonj by local NGO DBKP was inaugurated on 4th June 2012.

DBKP received the grant amounting Tk 64 lac approximately (US\$94009) for this project, in which DBKP completed construction of Vocational Training Center for the women and children at Rupgonj. Through this project 960 Person per year will receive vocational training.

This vocational training center will develop life skill of poor and vulnerable people for getting them involved in job market, to make poor youths and adolescents dignified and valued in families, in work place and in the society, to promote self-help development, to alleviate discriminations and violence and develop social harmony by promoting gender equity and employment opportunities through training conduction like embroidery, handicrafts, carpentry etc.

The inauguration ceremony was attended by Mr. Masayuki Taga, Counsellor of Embassy of Japan.

While expressing his heartfelt congratulations to DBKP, Mr. Masayuki Taga hoped that this project would greatly contribute towards the betterment of the life of the people in rural areas of Narayangonj and therefore would accelerate the overall socio-economic development of Bangladesh.

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The Grant Assistance for Grass-roots Human Security Projects (GGHSP) began its operation in 1989 and has been contributing to social development at the grassroots level. In Bangladesh, a total number of 169 projects have received the grant amounting to US\$ 13,214,385 (Approximately Taka 90.3 Crore).



In the Photo, Mr. Masayuki Taga, Counsellor, Embassy of Japan in Bangladesh, attended the opening ceremony of 'The Project for Construction of DBKP vocational training center for poor women and vulnerable youths' in Narayangonj.

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