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FEDERATION OF BANGLADESH CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

**YEAR BOOK**

2021 - 2022



Father of the Nation  
**Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman**



*"I devoted myself to the task of welfare of my countrymen - not as a ruler but as a servant".*  
- Sheikh Hasina



Honorable Prime Minister  
**Sheikh Hasina, MP**

*"FBCCI works for accelerating the sustainable economic development of the country and gives the highest priority in resolving the challenges of the businesses".*

- Md. Jashim Uddin



**Md. Jashim Uddin**  
President, FBCCI

## Foreword

Greetings to all distinguished General Body Members of FBCCI.

We are pleased to publish the “FBCCI Year Book 2021-2022” on the occasion of the first anniversary of the present term of the Board 2021-23.

We express our sincere thanks and grateful acknowledgement for the generous support and cooperation received from the General Body Members in discharging our responsibilities in the first year of the term.

The present Board of Directors took over the charge for the term 2021-23 on May 19, 2021 with a commitment for strengthening the capacity of the apex trade body to become more proactive in fulfilling its responsibilities for protecting the interests of the business community, and for playing a pivotal role in policy advocacy and economic growth of the country.

Soon after assuming office, we prepared a ‘Plan of Action’ that was to be implemented within the first 100 days of the new Board. Most of those programs have already been successfully executed by now with the support of all concerned.

The agenda to which we attached the top most priority was to help the small and medium enterprises that were adversely affected by the Covid-19 pandemic. We made sincere efforts to create a linkage between banks and chambers outside Dhaka in order to facilitate loan disbursements. We had interactions with the CEOs of all Banks and urged them to implement the stimulus package fully and facilitate easy access to finance for the CSMEs. We also requested them to set up help-desks for SMES at all branches of the banks. After considering our plea, the Bangladesh Bank extended the Bank Moratorium facility up to December 2021. Taking into account the trend of the pandemic,

we again urged the Central Bank to extend the facility up to December 2022. We have also submitted a set of recommendations for economic-recovery policy support from Bangladesh Bank in the context of prevailing situation of Covid and Ukraine crisis.

With a view to attracting foreign investment and further developing networks with international strategic partners, a business delegation from Bangladesh led by FBCCI visited the UK and France as entourage of the Honourable Prime Minister last October. During the visit, we attended the Bangladesh Investment Summit 2021 in London, and signed six MoUs with local trade bodies and institutions in the UK and France for future collaborations in trade and investment. The business delegation also attended the 26th UN Climate Change Conference (COP 26) at Glasgow, Scotland during the visit. Earlier, a business delegation visited New York to attend the 76th UN General Assembly Session as entourage of Honourable Prime Minister last September.

Meanwhile, we have signed MoUs with the Mexican Business Council for Foreign Trade, Investment and Technology (COMCE) and the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Uzbekistan to strengthen mutual cooperation in trade and investment.

We have already organized a number of events on different issues, including the blue economy, circular economy, skill development, LDC Graduation Challenge, Workplace Safety, One Stop Service, etc.

Marking the Golden Jubilee of Bangladesh’s independence, a 16-day mega festival (Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Lal Sobujer Mahattshab) was organized by FBCCI at Hatirjheel Amphitheatre at the capital to express our gratitude and pay deep respect to all those who had sacrificed their lives for the country’s victory in the liberation war under the leadership of our Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman.

The Honourable Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina inaugurated the much publicised event virtually. Nine social and cultural organizations were accoladed at the event for their contributions during the liberation war and post-independence of Bangladesh.

As part of our CSR initiatives, we took the noble step of donating oxygen cylinders, high-flow nasal cannulas, oxygen concentrators, along with surgical and fabric-made face masks across the country during the Covid-19 pandemic. We have also distributed warm clothes among the winter-hit people through our district Chambers.

The present Board has been emphasizing on strengthening the FBCCI Secretariat, so that it can extend full support and assistance towards implementing the mission and vision of FBCCI. Two Advisors (full time) and nineteen Panel Advisors have already been appointed to work on different issues related to trade policy, revenue issues, investment, environment, energy & power, infrastructure, industrial safety, road safety, etc.

Besides, a total of 75 Standing Committees have been constituted to address the sector-based issues and prepare recommendations for policy advocacy. Twenty-Five meetings of these committees have already been held by May 19, 2022.

On policy issues, we have submitted our opinion on the industrial policy and the draft income tax law. We have recommended establishment of a legal entity under the upcoming National Industrial Policy, so that entrepreneurs can take advantage of the facilities and benefits supported by the policy. Regarding the income tax law, we have opined that the basic aspects of the law must be in line with international best practices and the country’s investment needs. Income tax should be levied only on the incomes of taxable entities, and should not be imposed on transactions, sales, or receipts. We have also submitted a set of recommendations on the Trade Organization (T.O.) Act 2022 to the Government.

FBCCI submitted pre and post Budget proposals for the FY 2022-23 on the basis of opinion received from our Member Bodies. In Budget proposals, we emphasized on reduction of cost of doing business, infrastructural development, investment protection, increasing port capacity, ensuring balanced investment-friendly tax management, etc.

FBCCI Safety Council has been formed to work on decent workplace and safety of the employees and industries. The Safety Council is conducting joint inspection cum survey of factories with BIDA. The Council will also take various programs for promoting Occupational Health & Safety (OHS) for improving productivity.

On another front, FBCCI is actively participating in the meetings of the National Committee and sub-committees formed for dealing with the challenges of Bangladesh’s graduation from the LDC status. FBCCI deems it necessary to complement the official outcome documents with the corresponding thematic advocacy agenda. In this context, we have brought out a publication titled ‘FBCCI Handbook on Sustainable Development: 2021-2026 & Beyond’ for policy advocacy in order to face the challenges of the graduation.

The present Board is trying to give the best efforts as committed to the members for further development of the private sector and projecting the interest and image of FBCCI.

We seek whole-hearted support and all-out cooperation from all of our members and stakeholders in discharging our responsibilities during the whole tenure of the present Board.

Joy Bangla.

**Md. Jashim Uddin**  
President

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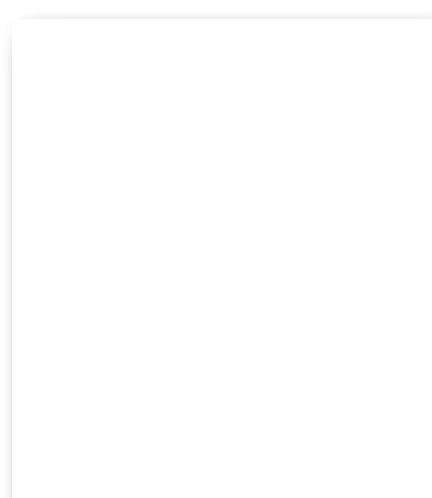
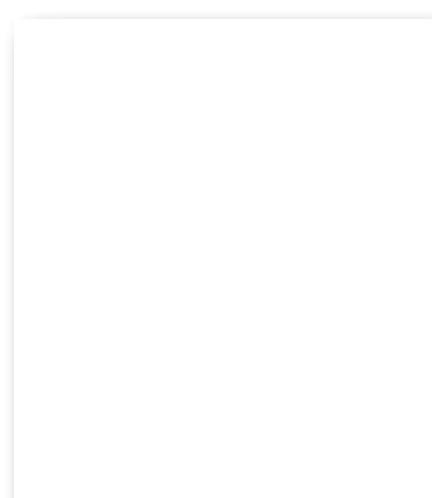
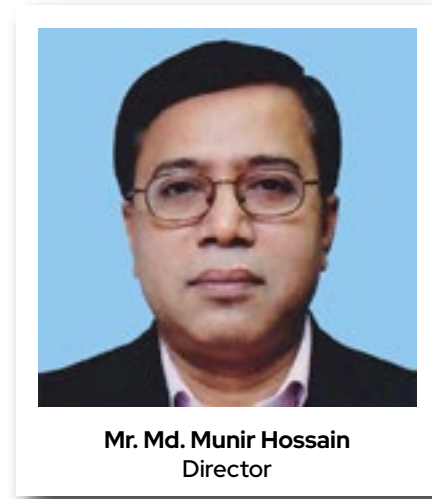


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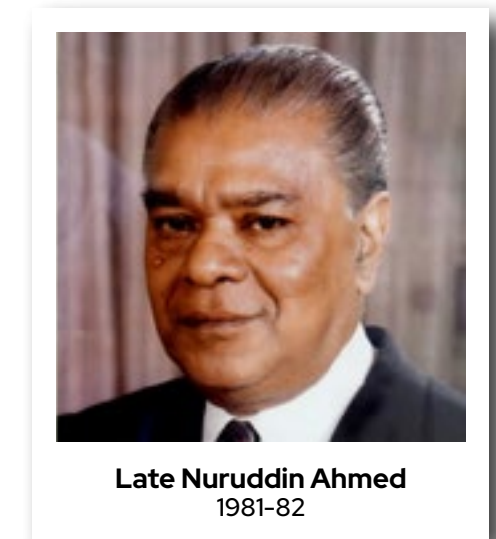
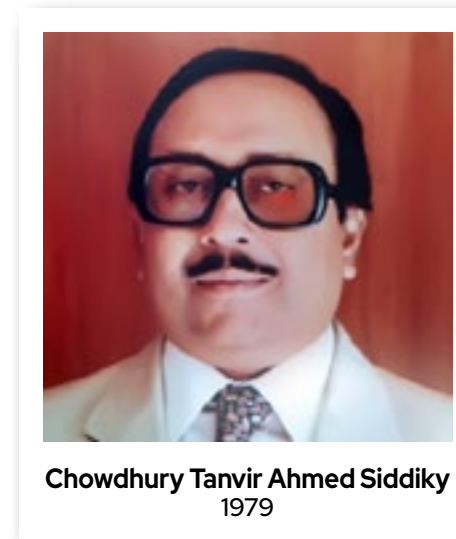
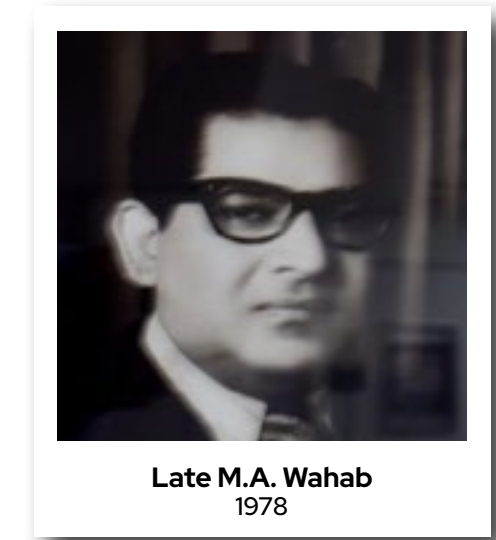
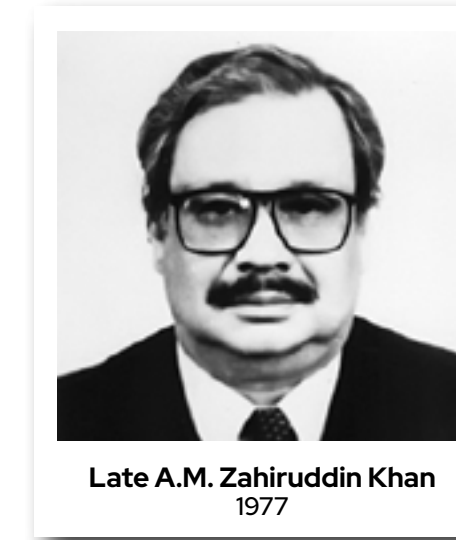


**Mr. Md. Shamsuzzaman**  
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## BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2021-2023



## FORMER PRESIDENTS OF FBCCI





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**Late M.S. Islam**  
1982-84



**M.A. Sattar**  
1984-85



**M.A. Kashem**  
1985-87



**Late Akhteruzzaman Chowdhury**  
1987-89



**Late Alhaj Muhammad Akram Hussain**  
1990-92



**Mahbubur Rahman**  
1992-94

## FORMER PRESIDENTS OF FBCCI



**Salman F. Rahman, MP**  
1994-96



**Yussuf Abdullah Harun, MP**  
1996-98 and 2000-2003



**Abdul Awal Mintoo**  
1998-2000 and 2003-2005



**Mir Nasir Hossain**  
2005-2007



**Late Annisul Huq**  
2008-2010



**A.K. Azad**  
2010-2012

## FORMER PRESIDENTS OF FBCCI



**Kazi Akram Uddin Ahmed**  
2012-2015



**Abdul Matlub Ahmad**  
2015-2017



**Md. Shafiul Islam Mohiuddin MP**  
2017-2019



**Sheikh Fazle Fahim**  
2019-2021

## Former First/Senior Vice Presidents of FBCCI

1.	Kamaluddin Ahmed	2003-2005	5.	Monowara Hakim Ali	2012-2015
2.	Mohammad Ali	2005-2007	6.	Md. Shafiul Islam Mohiuddin MP	2015-2017
3.	Late Abul Kashem Ahmed	2008-2010	7.	Sheikh Fazle Fahim	2017-2019
4.	Md. Jashim Uddin	2010-2012	8.	Md. Muntakim Ashraf	2019-2021

## Former Vice Presidents of FBCCI

1.	Late Ashraf Ahmed	1974-76	15.	Abul Quasem Haider	2003-2005
2.	Late M.A. Wahab	1977	16.	Dewan Sultan Ahmed	2005-2007
3.	A.K.M. Ziauddin	1978	17.	Abu Alam Chowdhury	2008-2010
4.	Late Iftekharul Alam	1979	18.	Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu	2010-2012
5.	Late Sekander Husain Meah	1980	19.	Md. Helal Uddin	2012-2015
6.	Late Alhaj M.A. Huq	1981-82	20.	Mahbubul Alam	2015-2017
7.	Late Mesbahuddin Ahmed (Bablu)	1982-84	21.	Md. Muntakim Ashraf	2017-2019
8.	Late Muhammad Akram Hussain	1984-85	22.	Hasina Newaaz	2019-2021
9.	Late Abdur Razzaque Khan	1985-87	23.	Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP	2019-2021
10.	Late Alhaj Muhammad Akram Hussain	1987-89	24.	Dilip Kumar Agarwala	2019-2021
11.	Late Md. Abul Ahsan	1990-92	25.	Md. Siddiqur Rahman	2019-2021
12.	Alhaj Kazi Md. Shafiqul Islam	1996-98	26.	Mir Nizam Uddin Ahmed	2019-2021
13.	Late M.A. Mumin	1998-2000	27.	Nizamuddin Rajesh	2019-2021
14.	Mohammad Ali	2000-2003			



# Charge Takeover by the Board 2021-2023

## Newly elected Board of Directors of FBCCI for the term 2021-23 assumed office

The newly elected Board of Directors of FBCCI for the term 2021-2023 took over of the office on May 19, 2021 at an online charge handover – takeover program. Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, newly elected President of FBCCI took the charge from the outgoing President of FBCCI Mr. Sheikh Fazle Fahim.

Mr. Salman F Rahman, MP, Private Industry and Investment Adviser to the Prime Minister graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. Former Presidents of FBCCI Mr. Mir Nasir Hossain, Mr. A.K. Azad, Mr. Abdul Matlub Ahmad and Mr. Md. Shafiul Islam Mohiuddin M.P were present as special guests. Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, President of Rangpur Chamber of Commerce and Industry took over as the new Senior Vice President.

The newly elected Vice-Presidents are Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn from the Association Group, and Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir and Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan from Chamber Group.



## Tribute to the Father of the Nation

### Newly elected Board of Directors of FBCCI paid tribute to the Portrait of Bangabandhu at Dhanmondi

Members of the newly elected Board of Directors of FBCCI for the term 2021-2023 led by President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin paid tribute to Father of the nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman by placing floral wreaths at Mujib's portrait at Dhanmondi on May 20, 2021.

Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn,

Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan Raj, Directors of FBCCI also attended the program.

After placing the wreaths, they stood in solemn silence for some time as a mark of respect to the memory of the great leader of Bangladesh.





## Newly elected Board of Directors of FBCCI paid tribute to the graveyard of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman at Tungipara

Members of the newly elected Board of Directors of FBCCI for the term 2021-23 led by President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin paid tribute to the graveyard of Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman at Tungipara, Gopalganj on May 29, 2021.

Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah

Dawn, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. M. A. Razzak and other Directors also paid homage to the Father of the Nation.

After placing the wreaths, they stood in solemn silence for some time as a mark of respect to of the great leaders of Bangladesh.



## Virtual Seminar titled Bangabandhu's Economic Philosophy: Bangladesh in industrial and trade development

FBCCI organized a virtual seminar titled "Bangabandhu's Economic Philosophy Bangladesh in industrial and trade development" on August 11, 2021 at FBCCI, ahead of 46th martyrdom anniversary of the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and National Mourning Day-2021.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin delivered the Welcome Speech, while closing remarks were made by Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI.

Mr. Tofail Ahmed, M.P, Former Industry and Commerce Minister was the chief guest while Mr. M.A Mannan, M.P, Hon'ble Planning Minister, Mr. Salman F Rahman, MP, Private Industry and Investment Advisor to the Hon'ble Prime Minister were special guests. Dr. Mohammed Farashuddin, Former Governor of Bangladesh Bank presented the key note paper.

Speakers mentioned that the current economic success story of Bangladesh was mainly founded by the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman as he took visionary steps after the Independence of the Country in 1971.

The Philosophy of Bangabandhu was to improve the livelihood of the citizens of the country and to ensure their freedom, Speakers added.





## Webinar Titled Bangabandhu's Agricultural Thought: Future Challenges and Prospects

FBCCI organized a virtual seminar titled "Bangabandhu's Agricultural Thought: Future Challenges and Prospects" ahead of 46th martyrdom anniversary of the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and National Mourning Day-2021 on August 12, 2021 at FBCCI.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin delivered the Welcome Speech while closing remarks were made by Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI.

Dr. Muhammad Abdur Razzaque, Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture was present as the Chief Guest, and Dr. Shamsul Alam, State Minister for Planning attended the seminar as the Special Guest.

Keynote Paper was presented by Dr. Atiur Rahman, Former Governor of Bangladesh Bank.



Speakers highlighted the various steps taken by Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman for the development of the agriculture sector.

They also opined that, adequate funding and the use of the technology must be ensured to make the agriculture sector more dynamic and productive.

## FBCCI Leaders placed Floral wreath at the Bangabandhu's Portrait on the occasion of National Mourning Day



Hossain Bhuiyan (Ranu), Mrs. Priti Chakraborty, Mr. M.G.R. Nasir Majumder, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Mr. Md. Aslam Serniabath, Dr. Ferdousi Begum, Former Director S.M. Jahangir Hossain were present among others.

Board of Directors and general body members of FBCCI placed floral wreath at the Portrait of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman at Dhanmondi on the occasion of the 46th Martyrdom Anniversary and National Mourning Day on August 15, 2021, led by Mr. Mostafa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice-President of FBCCI.

Vice Presidents of FBCCI Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan, Directors Mr. Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, Mr. Dilip Kumar Agarwala, Mr. Md. Naser, Mr. Abul Kasem Khan, Mr. K.M Akhtaruzzaman, Mr. Md. Nizam Uddin, Mr. Abu



## Doa Mahfil on the occasion of National Mourning Day

FBCCI organized a Doa Mahfil on the occasion of the 47th martyrdom anniversary of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and National Mourning Day at FBCCI Conference Room on August 15, 2021.

Business Leaders prayed for salvation of the departed soul of the Bangabandhu and his slain family members.

Earlier in the morning, the FBCCI distributed food to orphanages and a madrasa.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice-President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan, Director Mr. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, Mr. Md. Naser, Mr. Harun Or Rashid, Mr. K. M. Akhtaruzzaman, Mr. Abu Hossain Bhuiyan (Ranu), Mr. M.G.R. Nasir Majumdar, Mr. Jahangir Alam Manik, Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Dr. Ferdousi Begum, Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque, General Body members and other business leaders were present at the Doa Mahfil.



## 16-day Celebration of Golden Jubilee of the Independence Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab



## 16-day Celebration of Golden Jubilee of the Independence: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab

The 16-day mega celebration was inaugurated by Hon'ble Prime Minister

Hon'ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh Sheikh Hasina virtually inaugurated the 16-day grand celebration program titled "Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab " organized by FBCCI to commemorate the country's 50 years of independence on December 01, 2021 at the Hatirjheel Amphitheatre.

Speaking as the Chief Guest, Hon'ble Prime Minister asked the business community to take necessary preparations for the possible challenges they will face due to the graduation of Bangladesh to a developing country.

The Private Industry and Investment Adviser to Hon'ble Prime Minister Mr. Salman F Rahman also attended the program and spoke about the exploitation of West Pakistan and the growth story of the Bangladesh as an independent country.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said, today's businessmen can do business because of the ultimate sacrifice of the 3 million heroic freedom fighters. If Bangladesh was not independent, Bangladeshi people would not have the opportunity to do business, they would not have the chance to be entrepreneurs. As a tribute to those heroic Bangladeshis, FBCCI arranged this mega program.

Hon'ble Mayor of Dhaka North City Corporation Mr. Md. Atiqul Islam was also present at the inauguration ceremony.

In collaboration with Dhaka North City Corporation (DNCC), the country's apex business body arranged the gala celebration event.





## Day 02: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshob dedicated to the Children and Special Child

The second of the of the 16-day mega celebration of “Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab” was dedicated to children and special child. The youngsters, performed on stage and beyond showed the courage and patriotism inherited from their predecessors.

A number of students from different schools enjoyed the program as audience.

Gracing the event as the Chief Guest, Dr. Dipu Moni, MP, Minister of Education narrated the history of the liberation war, the leadership of Bangabandhu, the progress of Bangladesh, the development plan of the present government in a form of story telling to the children and teenagers.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said that the Prime Minister of Bangladesh Sheikh Hasina is determined to build a better future for the children following the path of Bangabandhu. As part of the initiative, she has launched free textbooks and free education programs across the country.





## Day 03: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab recognized women contribution

3rd day of the event focused the contribution of the women of the country to the development of Bangladesh in terms of Economy, Society, Health, Education and all other aspects.

Hon'ble Speaker of the National Parliament of Bangladesh Dr. Shirin Sharmin Chowdhury, MP as Chief Guest graced the occasion. She said, not only the women who are in important positions, but also the grassroots women are the main artisans of women's empowerment in this country. Because the women of the remote areas are the ones who have to deal with storms, floods, river erosion and other natural calamities.

The FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin mentioned that, the FBCCI has 21 women's chambers and associations across the country. FBCCI has always been supportive to women entrepreneurs.

After the brief speeches of the guests, a pleasant cultural program was held with songs and dances.





## Day 04: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab performed Nazrul Utsav to commemorate National Poet's Legacy

Noted artistes performed Nazrul Sangeet and promoted Nazrul's influence in music and poetry. The 4th day of the FBCCI's celebration inspired the younger generation of artistes to carry Nazrul's legacy forward.

While speaking, FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu remembered Nazrul's works and said, his poems and songs had inspired the freedom fighters during the difficult days of the liberation war. Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman brought the Nazrul Islam back to the country soon after independence and conferred on him the status of National Poet.

Hon'ble Minister for Social Welfare Mr. Nuruzzaman Ahmed, MP graced the event as the Chief Guest with the Hon'ble State Minister for Culture Mr. KM Khalid, MP as Special Guest and Mr. Kazi Akram Uddin Ahmed, Former President of FBCCI as Guest of Honor.





## Day 05: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab; Rabindra Sangeet enraptured the audience

On the 5th day of the 16-day gala celebration "Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab", renowned Singers entertained an enraptured audience with Rabindra Sangeet at Hatirjheel Amphitheater.

The Ambassador of Japan to Bangladesh, Mr. Ito Naoki also sang a Rabindra Sangeet on the stage.

Speaking as the chief guest, Hon'ble Minister for Information and Broadcasting, Mohammad Hasan Mahmud, MP thanked the FBCCI for organizing this mega event marking the 50th victory of Bangladesh. Cultural Movement is necessary to prevent the spread of fundamentalism, the Minister opined.

Speaking on the occasion, FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said, besides doing business, businessmen also have responsibility towards those for whom the country has become independent.





**Day 07: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab showcased Regional Culture of Dhaka and Mymensing**

The 7th day of the 16-day gala celebration of “Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab” was designed with the performance focused on the culture of Dhaka and Mymensing Division. The rich heritage and folksongs of the two divisions were displayed with colorful presentation.

The history of Liberation war, victory and growth trajectories of Bangladesh were depicted through the performance on stage.

Hon’ble Minister for Home Affairs Mr. Asaduzzaman Khan attended the program as the Chief Guest.



\*\* 6th day celebration was postponed due to heavy rain and bad weather.



## Day 08: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab displayed the rich culture of Chattogram and Rangpur

The 8th day of the 16-day long celebration "Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab" showcased the culture and lifestyles of Chattogram and Rangpur division. Folksongs, Stage Drama, Pala-Gaan performed on stage brought the essence of daily life and aspirations of those two divisions.

Attending as the Chief Guest, Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP said, "The economists of Pakistan, the country which once exploited us, now want to follow the economy of Bangladesh,"

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said, Chattogram and Rangpur have come up with their own culture. The words, rhythms of songs and poems have become an integral part of the national culture beyond its own geography.





## Day 09: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab depicted the folklore and heritage of Rajshahi and Barisal

Folklore of Rajshahi and Barisal Divisions enraptured the audience at the Hatirjheel Amphitheater. The 9th day of the 16-day gala festival "Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab" focused the culture of Rajshahi and Barisal divisions.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said that these two divisions have a rich folklore and heritage. These two also contribute a lot to the national economy.

Hon'ble Minister for Food, Mr. Sadhan Chandra Majumder, MP graced the event as the Chief Guest.







## Day 10: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab highlighted Khulna and Sylhet Division

The 10th day of the 16-day mega festival focused the culture of Khulna and Sylhet division. Renowned Performers from these two divisions enthralled the audience with the folklore and palagaan.

Hon'ble Minister for Foreign Affairs Mr. A. K Abdul Momen MP graced the program as Chief Guest and said, along with economic development; achievements in the social sector in Bangladesh are commendable. In just 50 years, the achievement of Bangladesh has been recognized by the whole world.

Speaking as the special guest, State Minister for Public Administration Mr. Farhad Hossain MP said, "Bangabandhu has brought Bangladesh on the path of development, and Bangladesh has now become a role model of development under the visionary and dynamic leadership of his worthy daughter Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina.





## Day 11: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab concentrated on the contribution of the Bangla Film

The 11th day of the 16-day mega festival “Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab” remembered the contribution of Bangla Film to the liberation war in 1971 and construction of Bangladesh after the independence. Star actors and actresses performed on December 11, 2021 at the Hatirjheel Amphitheater.

Mr. Amir Hossain Amu MP, member of the Bangladesh Awami League advisory council and former minister attended the program as the Chief Guest. At his speech, he said, in order to prevent the development of Bengali nationalism, Pakistanis allowed no film industry to flourish in Bangladesh. If Bangladesh was not independent, Bengalis could not be businessmen.

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI said, The Cinema explores the history, past and present social and political context of a country. Many full-length and short films have been made incorporating the spirit of our liberation war.







## Day 12: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Shobujer Mohotshab paid tribute to folksongs

The 12th day of the 16-day mega celebration of "Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Shobujer Mohotshab" was dedicated to the folk songs performed by renowned singers from different part of the country.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin termed the Folk Songs as Country's very own song revealed the joys and sorrows of rural peoples' life. He paid tribute to Fakir Lalon Shah, Abbas Uddin, Hasan Raja, Abdul Alim and other famous folk music artists.

Mr. MA Mannan, Hon'ble Planning Minister attended the program as the Chief Guest, while Mr. AKM Enamul Haque Shamim, State Minister for Water Resources was present as the Special Guest.

Mr. Abdul Matlub Ahmad, Former President of FBCCI also attended the event as the Guest of Honor.





## Day 13: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab glittered with dance performance

The Colorful Dance festival performed at the Hatirjheel Amphitheatre turned the 13th day evening cheerful. Artists on stage showcased the lifestyle, history of Liberation war, Leadership of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and the Bangladesh development stories under the visionary Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina through their aesthetic performance.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said, the dance is an impeccable creation of Bengali culture. It showcases the way of life and culture of the people of Bengal.

The program was attended by the Hon'ble Minister for Textiles and Jute Mr. Golam Dastagir Gazi, Birpratik, MP as the Chief Guest and Member of Parliamentary Standing Committee on the Ministry of Science and Technology Mr. Morshed Alam MP as the Special Guest.





## Day 14: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Lal Sobujer Mohotshab; FBCCI accoladed Social & Cultural organizations

FBCCI accoladed nine organizations for their contribution during the war of liberation and post-independence of Bangladesh.

Marking the Martyred Intellectual day, on December 14, 2021, FBCCI honored Chhayanaut, Bangladesh Udichi Shilpi Gosthi, Khelaghar, Bangladesh Group Theater Federation, Bangladesh Graam Theater, Kachi-Kanchar Mela, Shadhin Bangla Football Team, Liberation War Museum and Projonmo '71.

Hon'be Minister for Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives, Mr. Tazul Islam MP attended the event as the Chief Guest.





## Day 15: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab upheld the Youths' triumph with Band Music

Popular Band singers enthralled the audience at the amphitheater. The Audience also sang along with the singers as they performed their hit numbers.

Mr. Nurul Majid Mahmud Humayun MP, Hon'ble Minister for Industries termed the youths as the key players of Bangladesh's growth and development as he graced the event as the Chief Guest while Mr. Md. Zahid Ahsan Russel MP, Hon'ble State Minister for Youth and Sports attended the event as the Special Guest.

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI in his welcome speech said that Bangladeshi people could not be entrepreneurs if Bangladesh was not independent. Bangladesh's independence has made today's business success and economic development possible.







## Day 16: Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab ended with colorful fireworks

The 16-day gala celebration titled “Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab” ended on 16 December 2021 with colorful fireworks.

The glittering fireworks proudly re-symbolized the glorious march of the Bangladesh towards the development, wellbeing and the prosperity.

At his remarks at the closing ceremony of the mega event, Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI said, the 16-day long celebration marking 50th Victory of Bangladesh is unique and will further encourage other organizations to celebrate the victory of the country. FBCCI feels proud to be the host of the celebration program.





## Nation's Pride-Padma Multipurpose Bridge



### Congratulations to Hon'ble Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina for Indomitable Courage and Capable Leadership



The Padma Multipurpose Bridge symbolizes our pride of Self-dependence and Economic resilience and the vision we have been dreaming for – Bangabnadhu's Sonar Bangla.

The credit goes to the PM who showed her Indomitable courage and prudent leadership to make this dream come true. The entire world has again witnessed that no obstacles can stop Bangladesh to conquer what it desires and cherishes. In 1971, the country was carved out of Pakistan through a bloody war under the great leader Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman. Repeating the splendid history, over the last decade, Bangladesh has successfully anchored itself to numerous milestones of prosperity under the able and visionary leadership of Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina. Leaving all obstacles behind, Padma Multipurpose Bridge is now a living reality standing tall with grace and elegance.

*The Federation of Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FBCCI) believes, the Padma Multipurpose Bridge is undoubtedly going to begin a new episode to the country's development triumph.*

## The entire world has acknowledged and praised this great achievement

*'The United States congratulates Bangladesh on the momentous opening of the Padma Bridge. Building sustainable transportation infrastructure to connect people and goods efficiently is important to fostering inclusive economic growth. The Padma Bridge will create new and important linkages within Bangladesh, boosting commerce and improving the quality of life. It is also another example of Bangladesh's leadership in promoting regional connectivity in South Asia.'*

- **US Embassy, Dhaka**



*'The long-cherished bridge is the outcome of the 'continuous and consistent courageous decision' of Bangladesh Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina. It is a major infrastructure project not in terms of brick, stone and steel, but because it is a symbolic connection between the two parts of Bangladesh. The bridge is a connector of more than businesses, it is a connector of people, a connector of emotion.'*

- **H.E Mr. Vikram K Doraiswami, High Commissioner of India.**

*'Without doubt, it will largely contribute to the national GDP growth and will benefit the comprehensive development of the southwestern parts of Bangladesh. It is commendable that this ambitious mega-project has been completely funded by Dhaka's own resources. The dream of Sonar Bangla cherished by Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman is coming true right before our eyes.'* - **The Embassy of the Russian Federation.**



*'This bridge will have a very tangible impact in terms of growth of GDP of Bangladesh and I have full appreciation for the government of Bangladesh which has implemented this project.'*

- **H.E ITO Naoki, Ambassador of Japan.**



*'I feel particularly proud of and connected to the bridge, not only because it is built by a Chinese company, but also because it is a milestone in China-Bangladesh cooperation. The project involves 13 technologies which have never been used in the world. So, the whole project was full of experiments that nobody has ever done before. With the bridge in use, a more integrated Bangladesh will surely contribute to a more integrated and prosperous South Asia and beyond.'*

- **H.E Li Jiming, Chinese Ambassador to Bangladesh**

*"I wish to extend our sincere felicitation to your Excellency and the people of Bangladesh on the completion of the Padma Multipurpose Bridge Project. The inauguration of the bridge is an important landmark in the development journey of fraternal Bangladesh. It is also a testament to Your Excellency's strong resolve to carry forward Bangladesh into a phase of inclusive and sustained growth."*

- **Prime Minister of Islamic Republic of Pakistan**



*'The inauguration of the Padma Bridge is going to be an 'unforgettable moment' for the country's development, We look forward to using the bridge ourselves and to seeing what it does to facilitate people-to-people, family and commercial links. Congratulations, Bangladesh'*

- **Charles Whiteley, Ambassador and Head of Delegation of the European Union to Bangladesh**

*'I admire Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina for taking the revolutionary step of self-financing to build the Padma Bridge. The Padma Bridge will help open up the eyes of international investors including the Saudi companies to give a serious look at Bangladesh as an investment destination.'*

- **H.E Mr. Essa Yousef Essa Al Duhailan, Ambassador of Saudi Arabia**



*'Korea is very happy to take part in this very proud history-making project. A Korean company, Korea Expressway Corporation has supervised the construction process of the Padma Bridge and this company will also be in charge of the operation and maintenance of the bridge'*

- **H.E Mr. Lee Jang-keun, Ambassador of the Republic of Korea**



## First 100 Days Achievements of the Board

### Achievements in First 100 Days

- Tributes to the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman.
  - ◆ New FBCCI Board paid homage to Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman by placing floral wreaths on his grave in Tungipara of Gopalganj;
  - ◆ National Mourning Day was observed with due solemnity. FBCCI Board placed floral wreaths at Bangabandhu's portrait at Dhanmondi;
  - ◆ 2 Virtual Seminars were organized on the occasion of the National Mourning Day titled:
    - *Bangabandhu's Economic Philosophy: Bangladesh in industrial and trade development.*
    - *Bangabandhu's Agricultural Thought: Future Challenges and Prospects.*
- Meeting held with
  - ◆ Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP, Hon'ble Commerce Minister
  - ◆ Mr. Salman F Rahman, MP., Private Industry and Investment Adviser to Hon'ble Prime Minister
- Leaders of different Chambers and Associations met FBCCI President and discussed on problems and prospects of their respective sector.
- House Committee, Finance Committee, Arbitration Tribunal and Law & Membership Committee were formed.
- Reviewed Proposed National Budget 2021-22 and submitted post budget proposals to the Government.
- Representation of FBCCI in Govt. Committees have been updated.
- Bangladesh Bank extended moratorium period of loans till December 2021 considering the plea of FBCCI in the context of Covid situation.
- Panel of Advisors has been formed with renowned professionals to work on issues related to trade policy, revenue, investment, environment, energy & power, infrastructure, industrial safety, road safety, LDC graduation, SDGs etc.
- Restructuring and Strengthening the FBCCI Secretariat.
- Maintenance and security of FBCCI Building have been updated.
- Standing Committees were formed.
- As Part of Policy Advocacy meeting held with CEOs of all Banks to discuss on present situation of implementation of stimulus package and facilitation of access to finance of MSMEs.
- Virtual dialogue on Skill Development was held.
- Under CSR program, FBCCI distributed 2,000 oxygen cylinders with 1 crore face masks, 200 high flow nasal canola, 200 oxygen concentrate and oxygen booths at various hospitals across the country.



## Policy Advocacy Activities

### FBCCI Published FBCCI-Handbook on Sustainable Development 2021-2026 & Beyond

FBCCI published 'FBCCI-Handbook on Sustainable Development 2021-2026 & Beyond' to meet the challenges of Graduation from LDC status in 2026. In the publication, FBCCI mentioned that meeting the dual challenges of adverse global impact of prolonged chain of Covid 19 pandemic and the graduation out of the list of LDCs in 2026 Bangladesh has no other option but to expedite:

- Sustainable and competitive regional and global market access in goods and services;
- Facilitation of investment and trade finance for sustainable inclusive development;
- Ensure a sustainable, predictable, effective and investment, business & revenue friendly Tax & Tariff regime;
- Sustainable Export Development, Subsidies and Incentives; and

- Reform and streamlining of supply and demand-side policy regimes.

FBCCI's recommendations have been published under the following 4 chapters in the publication:

- Internal Resource Mobilization & Tariff Rationalisation.
- Global Market Access 2021-2026 & Beyond
- Investment Measures for Sustainable Inclusive Development
- Sustainable Export Development, Subsidies and Incentives



### FBCCI Submitted Proposals on Draft Income Tax Law prepared by NBR

FBCCI submitted its proposals on Draft Income Tax Law to NBR on February 8, 2022. In its proposals, FBCCI mentioned that the basic aspects of income tax law must be in line with international best practices and the country's investment needs, to formulate a timely income tax law. FBCCI also urged to take measures to increase the revenue by expanding the net of income tax. FBCCI proposed to set up income tax offices at all

Upazila level to increase revenue and tax-to-GDP ratio. Income tax should be levied only on the income of a taxable entity. It should not be imposed on transactions, sales or receipts.

FBCCI emphasized on Standard Operating Procedure and applicable rules for carrying out all related activities in a transparent and easy manner by incorporating the provisions of the tax and digitalization based source

tax activities, income tax return filing, audit selection, tax assessment, appeal and refund process, etc. into the law.

FBCCI's proposals have been formulated in light of the recommendations of the Sub Committee formed to formulate proposals on draft Income Tax Law and consultation with its Members Bodies and stakeholders.



## Proposals on Industrial Policy -2021

FBCCI submitted its proposals on next Industrial Policy 2021 to Ministry of Industries on January 29, 2022. FBCCI has urged to have a legal basis for the upcoming National Industrial Policy to be formulated by the Government.

FBCCI in its proposals mentioned that due to lack of the legal entities, entrepreneurs are not able to take advantage of the benefits of the current industry policy. As a result, both local and foreign investment is being hampered. Coordination among concerned Ministries is essential for the implementation

of industrial policy under a legal format.

FBCCI's proposals have been formulated in light of the recommendations of FBCCI Standing Committee on Industry and Industrial Policy and consultation with its Members Bodies and stakeholders.

## Proposals on Proposed Trade Organization Bill 2022

FBCCI submitted a set of recommendations on proposed Trade Organization (T.O.) Bill 2022 on February 2, 2022. Recommendations of FBCCI have been formulated in consultation with its Members Bodies and stakeholders.

FBCCI President had meeting with Senior Secretary of Ministry of Commerce on the proposals of FBCCI. Vice President of FBCCI

M A Momen and Advisor Mr. Manzur Ahmed attended the Meeting of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Ministry of Commerce on February 10, 2022 and briefed the recommendations of FBCCI on the Trade Organization Bill.

## FBCCI urged for extending the Moratorium on Loan Classification until June 30, 2022

FBCCI urged Bangladesh Bank for unconditional extension of loan classification facility until June 30, 2022 in consideration of pandemic-induced impacts on businesses.

Earlier, Bangladesh Bank extended the loan repayment

facility until 31 December, 2021 as per the plea of FBCCI.

FBCCI mentioned that extending the loan classification period would bring relief to businessmen and speed up the economic recovery.

FBCCI mentioned that rising raw material prices, and shipping and other costs have adversely affected the country's international trade. In this situation, due to the huge economic pressure on the traders, it would not possible

to repay the loan installments on time. With view to keeping business activities normal, loan moratorium facility should be extended till 30 June, 2022.

## Urged to increase the limit for Working Capital Loan

FBCCI urged to increase the limit for working capital loan by minimum 40 per cent from the existing level - to help businessmen offset price hike of raw materials in the international market along with increased freight costs. FBCCI placed the

submission to the Bangladesh Bank on March 30, 2022

FBCCI mentioned that the pandemic situation still exists in different parts of the world which is affecting the trade and economic activities of the country. In addition, due to the

situation in Russia and Ukraine, the prices of raw materials in the international market and shipping costs are increasing constantly. So it is necessary to increase the limit of working capital loan for the businesses.

According to the plea of FBCCI,

Bangladesh Bank has directed Banks to lift the limit of working capital loans to keep business activities dynamic and ensure additional money supply as the cost of raw materials in the international market and transportation has increased.

## Comments on draft Regulations on Submission of Financial Report and draft Rules on Fine & Administrative Fine to FRC

FBCCI submitted comments on draft Regulations on Submission of Financial Report and draft Rules on Fine & Administrative Fine to Financial Reporting Council (FRC) on February 23, 2022 and March 27, 2022.

In its proposals FBCCI has urged to amend the definition of Public Interest Company (Jonoshartho Songstha). FBCCI proposed to

enhance the minimum limit of the annual revenue to Tk. 300 Cr. to submit financial report to FRC. FBCCI mentioned that according to FRC Circular No. 169 dt March 11, 2020, if the annual revenue is fixed Tk. 5 crore to submit financial report, millions of traders including SMEs need to be listed as public Interest company, which is totally unimaginable, unrealistic and unnecessary.

## Budget proposals for FY 2022-23

FBCCI submitted Budget proposals for FY 2022-23 to the Government. The Budget proposals have been formally placed at the 42nd Consultative Committee Meeting of NBR organized jointly by NBR and FBCCI on March 22, 2022. Hon'ble Finance Minister was present in the meeting as Chief Guest.

FBCCI's budget proposals have been

prepared on the basis of opinion received from its Member Bodies. A number of meetings of Standing Committee on Budget, Sub Committees on VAT, Customs Duty & Income Tax were held to finalize the proposals.

In its Budget proposals, FBCCI emphasized on reduction of cost of doing business, infrastructural development, investment

protection, increasing port capacity, ensuring balanced investment-friendly tax management, reducing transportation costs including shipping, electricity and fuel, etc to prepare the upcoming Budget.

FBCCI also proposed to ensure efficiency, transparency and accountability in budget implementation. FBCCI proposed to increase



the amount of revenue by reducing the tax rate by expanding the net of income tax and VAT, separation of revenue policy activities from revenue collection and withdrawal of advance income tax (AIT) and advance tax (AT) levied on all industrial materials including imported raw materials, intermediate raw materials.

FBCCI also proposed for uninterrupted and same facilities for all export sectors, and

integration into the global supply chain. It was also proposed to implement investment-friendly and productive product-based customs duty for all segments, including importers, micro, small, medium, women and new industrial entrepreneurs. Income tax should be levied only on the income of a taxable entity.

FBCCI viewed that all related activities should be performed in a transparent and easy

manner by incorporating the provisions of IT and digitalization-based source tax activities, filing income tax returns, audit selection, tax assessment, appeal and refund process into law.

FBCCI also urged to keep the prices of daily necessities at a tolerable level in the context of upcoming Holy Ramadan ensuring more strengthening of Government's monitoring system.

## Proposals on FDI Policy

FBCCI submitted its recommendations on Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) Policy-2022 to BIDA on March 5, 2022. In its proposals, FBCCI emphasized on among others, One Stop Service, easing business registration requirements, streamlining administrative procedures to quicken and to reduce the cost of establishing new investment,

ensuring post-investment facilitation, business friendly law, regulations, administrative policy reform, investment financing with low transaction cost, cost effective quality power & energy, quality of available humane capital, trade facilitation, capacity of ports, etc.

## Recommendations on Draft National Pension Authority Act 2022

FBCCI submitted its recommendations on Draft National Pension Authority Act-2022 to Ministry of Finance on April 24, 2022. FBCCI proposed that Bangladeshi citizens aged 18 to

65 years should participate under the pension scheme on the basis of national identity card. It was also proposed that the contributors should be guaranteed to receive their pension

within 30 working days of retirement and the voluntary retirees within 45 working days of retirement.

## Proposals to facilitate bank loan repayments of classified and sick industries

FBCCI submitted proposals to Bangladesh Bank on August 21, 2021 to facilitate bank loan repayments of classified and sick industries of non-textile sector identified by the Ministry of Industries under Exit Policy.

industries (identified by the Ministry of Industries) who are not able to continue their business to repay their loan under Exit Policy paying 2% down payment.

FBCCI proposed for policy support to classified and non-textile sick

## Proposals on Bangladesh Overseas Investment Policy 2021

FBCCI submitted its proposals on Bangladesh Overseas Investment Policy 2021 to BIDA on August 29, 2021. FBCCI proposed that prime objective of the Overseas Investment policy is to create opportunities for beneficial integration of goods and services of Bangladesh internationally and provide all kinds of assistance in order to strengthening sustainable economic development by

expanding the jurisdiction of Bangladesh's economy maintaining the country's interests.

In its proposals, FBCCI emphasized on maintaining the security and effectiveness of foreign investment of Bangladesh by developing and coordinating trade and investment relations with the invested countries. FBCCI also emphasized on

Creating employment opportunities for Bangladeshis in the country invested through foreign investment, integrating Bangladesh into regional and global supply chains, assisting in establishing forward linkages and making arrangements for return of capital with profit.

## Views on draft Guidelines on Green Bond Taxonomy

FBCCI submitted its views on draft Guidelines on Green Bond Taxonomy prepared by Bangladesh Bank on June 22, 2021. FBCCI welcomes the initiatives of green bond taxonomy for Bangladesh. FBCCI feels this initiative will support the development of the bond market in Bangladesh and enable

financial flows aligned with the objectives of transitioning to a low-carbon climate resilient and environmentally sound economy. FBCCI mentioned that the Green Bond document should clearly articulate the company's proposed use of proceeds from the bond. The framework should include information on

the eligible categories as per the Green Bond Principles under which the projects being financed or re-financed fit. This transparency and disclosure will enable investors to better assess the green eligibility of the projects and make more informed investment decisions.

## FBCCI submitted Post- Budget Proposals 2021-22

FBCCI submitted Post- Budget Proposals 2021-22 to the Government. FBCCI applauded some initiatives proposed in the budget, which include focus on skills development, tax cut facility for companies with 10 per cent of employees from the third gender community, and others. FBCCI appreciated the government moves taken to attract more investments and protect local industries.

FBCCI mentioned that the longstanding challenges for budget implementation are good governance, proper monitoring, increasing investments and production, and fulfilling the revenue collection target by ensuring a business-friendly revenue system.

FBCCI urged the government to meet the budget deficit from foreign sources and special local bonds instead of taking loans

from domestic banks. Federation also proposed to remove advance income tax (AIT) and advance tax (AT) in the proposed budget to reduce cost of business.

FBCCI emphasized on separation of the policy wing and implementation wing of the NBR to reform the tariff and tax structures and people-friendly, investment-friendly, and productive revenue system.



Seminars

Workshops

Press Conferences

### First Press Conference of Newly Elected Board

A day after taking over the charge of FBCCI for the term 2021-23, newly elected board led by its' President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin hold a press conference at FBCCI on May 20, 2021.

Federation President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said, the new board will work for the capacity building of the Private sector to deal with the Post-LDC Challenges. During the tenure, the board will focus on SME and Micro Enterprises development, the President added.

FBCCI Chief called upon the businessmen to work for achieving the goals of Hon'ble Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina to make Bangladesh a developed country.





## FBCCI President expressed instant response on Budget 2021-22



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin expressed instant reactions on the proposed National Budget for the financial year 2021-22 to the journalist on June 03, 2021 at FBCCI.

Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. M. A Razzak Khan and Directors of FBCCI were also present at the event.

## Press Conference on Proposed National Budget 2021-22

FBCCI Press Conference was held on June 05, 2021 at FBCCI to express the formal reaction on the proposed National Budget for FY 2021-22. FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin expressed the reaction on Budget.

FBCCI welcomed the various initiatives proposed in the budget including lowering the corporate tax rate to 30% to 32.50% and 25% from 32.5% for the single owner company, tax waiver on Cloud service, system integration, e-learning, e-book publications, mobile application development service and IT Freelancing till 2024, 10 years tax waiver on Agri machineries manufacturers, and made in Bangladesh three and four-wheeler automobile, tax rebate on 70 lac BDT turnover of women entrepreneur in the SME, VAT rebate on the production stage of refrigerator, freezer, compressor, polypropylene, staple fiber, air-condition and its compressor, and motorcars.

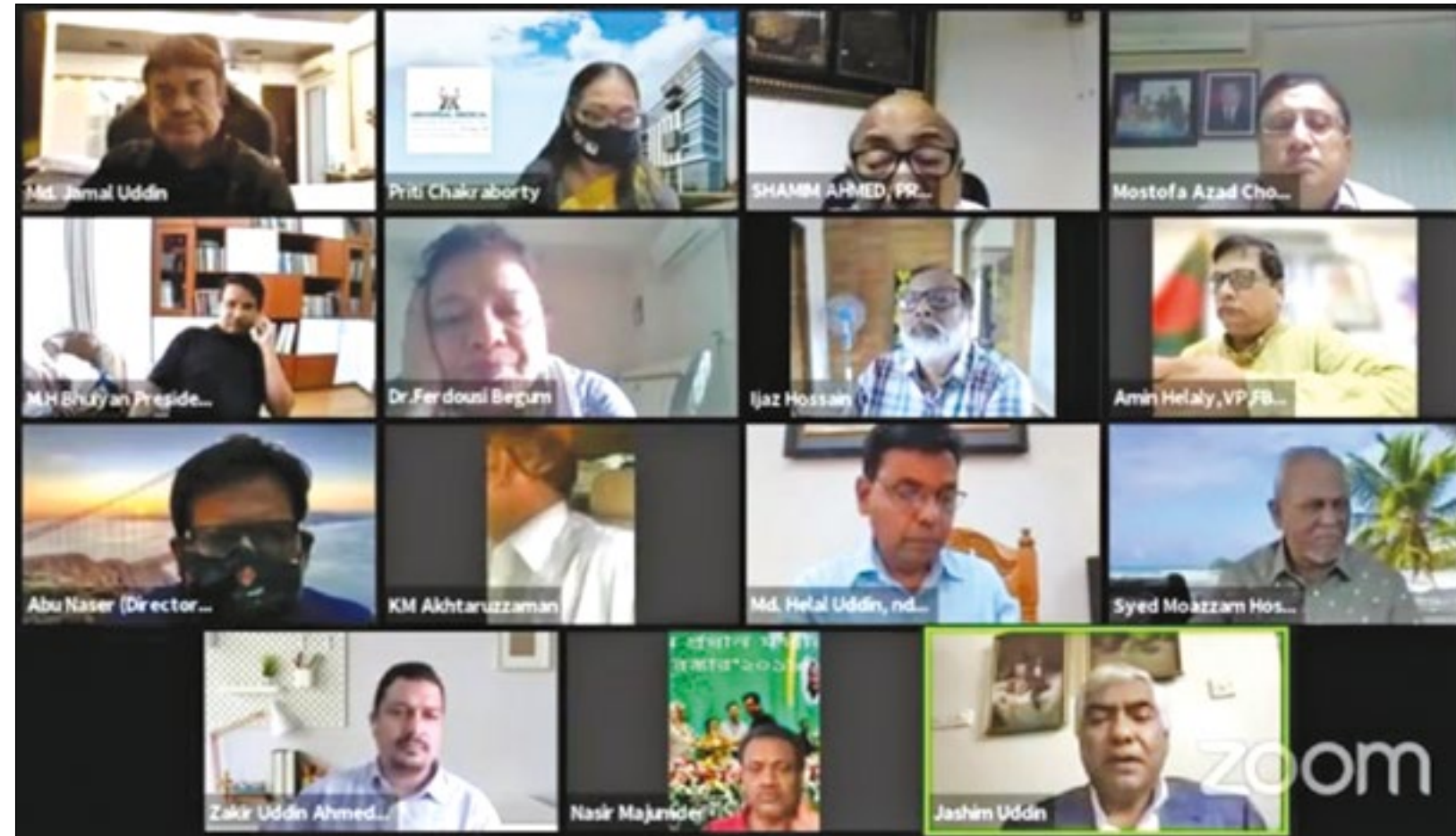
At the press conference, FBCCI recommended a number of issues to the government to reconsider including withdrawal of AIT and AT, reimposing of tax waiver on Software and IT services, Income Tax withdrawal on Private Medical, dental and engineering college, setting up tax office at upazilla level, separating implementation wing from policy wing at NBR etc.

Senior Vice-President of FBCCI, Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice-Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. M. A Razzak Khan and Directors of FBCCI and members of budget expert team of FBCCI were also present in the Press Conference. Mr. Rizwan Rahman, President of DCCI and Ms. Nihad Kabir, President of MCCI Dhaka were also present.





## Virtual dialogue on Skilled Manpower and Managers



FBCCI hosted a virtual dialogue on Skilled Workers and Managers on August 01, 2021, presided over by the President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin. Dr. Md. Helal Uddin, Director General, Directorate of Technical Education graced the occasion as Chief Guest.

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI said that, there is a huge gap between Industry and academic Institution. Dealing with post-LDC Challenges requires Strong Private and Public sector relation.

Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu and other Directors of FBCCI were also present at the dialogue.

## Briefing on the inspection, methods and checklist of the industry by a joint team of concerned government and non-government authorities led by BIDA



The briefing took place at FBCCI office on September 29, 2021. A Video Message of Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI had been played at the event.

Speaking at the event, Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI assured that, the factory owners do not have to be worried about the factory inspection.

Mr. M A Momen, Vice President of FBCCI, presided over the briefing session, said, the FBCCI has partnered with the initiative to facilitate factory owners.

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI, and Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI were also present at the meeting.

Directors of FBCCI, representatives from BIDA, Fire Service and Civil Defense and other Govt. agencies were also present at the event.

Three presentations on the context and method of factory inspection and monitoring, sector-wise priority list and checklist were presented at the briefing.



## Workshop on the Prospects of Blue Economy and Course of Action



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin Presided over the workshop on the prospects of Blue Economy and Course of Action was held on October 24, 2021 at FBCCI Icon.

He said, the maritime economy could play an effective role in attracting foreign investment and creating employment in post LDC era. FBCCI will submit recommendations to the government on this issue.

Private Industry and Investment Adviser to the Hon'ble Prime Minister, Mr. Salman F. Rahman MP, was present as the Chief Guest of the event. He

said the blue economy is a new potential sector for investment in Bangladesh. It is possible to export billions of dollars from this sector in the next few years.

Hon'ble Deputy Minister for Water Resources Mr. AKM Enamul Hoque Shameem M.P and BIDA Executive Chairman Mr. Md. Sirajul Islam graced the event as the Special Guests.

Rear Admiral (Retd.) Mr. Md. Khurshed Alam, Secretary, Maritime Affairs Unit, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh delivered the keynote speech.

CPD's research director and FBCCI's panel advisor Dr. Khandaker Golam Moazzem, East West University professor and FBCCI panel advisor Dr. A.K. Enamul Haque took part in the panel discussion.

Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and other directors and advisors of the FBCCI were also present at the workshop.

## Press conference on the recent visit to UK and France as Entourage of Hon'ble Prime Minister to join COP 26



The press conference held on November 25, 2021 at FBCCI Icon. Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI chaired the Press Conference and highlighted the outcome of the visit.

Explaining on the tour of the UK and France, the FBCCI president said the FBCCI signed six memoranda of understanding with the apex trade bodies of the UK and France to expand trade and increase investment.

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin underscored the need for developing skills to improve negotiation capacity for branding Bangladeshi products to achieve the developed country status by 2041.

Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Aminul Haque Shamim and other Directors of FBCCI and Secretary General Mr. Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the Press Conference.





## Press conference on 16 day gala celebration Bijoyer 50 Bochhor: Laal Sobujer Mohotshab



At the Press conference held on December 04, 2021 at FBCCI Office, The FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin presented the detail 16-day celebration program marking the golden jubilee of the Independence of the Bangladesh.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said that the biggest challenge in post-LDC period is to increase sector-based capacity to meet the changing global demand. To address this challenge, FBCCI is going

to set up an innovation center to enhance the capacity of domestic industries.

Also present at the press conference were FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan Raj and other Directors.

## Seminar titled Current Scenario of Circular Economy: Problems and Prospects



The seminar titled "Current Scenario of Circular Economy: Problems and Prospects" was held on January 16, 2022 at FBCCI Icon.

Speaking at the seminar the FBCCI president Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said, unplanned consumption of natural resources results in Climate change and global warming. Therefore, conservation of Climate and biodiversity, prevention of waste and environmental pollution have become major challenges for the next generation.

The Chief Guest at the seminar, Industry Minister Mr. Nurul Majid Mahmud Humayun MP said a separate cell would be set up in the ministry to work on the circular economy.

Speaking as the special guest, Minister for Environment, Forests and Climate Change Mr. Md. Shahab Uddin Ahmed MP informed that, the Ministry of Environment has taken initiative to prepare a working paper on plastic management.

Dr. Mohammad Sujauddin, Assistant Professor of North South University presented the



keynote at the seminar. Ms. EunJoo Allison Yi, Senior Environmental Specialist of the World Bank, Mr. Mohammad Mosharraf Hossain, PhD, Professor of Chattogram University, Prof. Dr. Mizan R. Khan, Deputy Director, International Centre for Climate Change and Development, Independent University and FBCCI panel advisor and East West University Professor Dr. A K Enamul Haque also participated in the panel discussion.

Also present at the seminar were FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and other directors.

FBCCI Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque moderated the seminar.



## Meeting of the Council of the Chamber Presidents 2022



Among the directors of FBCCI Mr. Md. Rejaul Kareim Rejnu, Mr. Tahmin Ahmed, Ms. Priti Chakraborty, Mr. Md. Nizam Uddin, Mr. Anwar ul Alam Chowdhury (Parvez) and Mr. Ali Hossain Shishir spoke at the meeting.

FBCCI Vice-President Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. M.A. Razzak Khan Raj and Secretary General

Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the meeting.

The FBCCI organized a meeting of the council of the Chamber Presidents 2022 on January 22, 2022 at FBCCI Icon.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as chief guest, attended the meeting chaired by Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, President of the Council of Chamber Presidents and Senior Vice President of the FBCCI.

Presidents, Senior Vice Presidents and Vice Presidents of the district, city and women chamber across the country attended the meeting.

Speaking at the meeting, The FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged Bangladesh Bank to extend the loan moratorium facility up to December 2022.

President of the Council of Chamber Presidents and Senior Vice President of the FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu said businessmen are still being harassed for collecting taxes and VAT. Company law, import and export law are being renewed. The FBCCI is working to make these laws business friendly, he informed.



## Workshop titled Promoting Occupational Safety and Health for improving productivity



"There is no substitute for sustainable productivity in an improved work environment to survive the competition of globalization. To this end, the FBCCI, along with the government, has taken a number of initiatives to address the issue of occupational health and industrial safety."

The FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu made this remark at the workshop titled "Promoting Occupational Safety and Health for improving productivity" held at FBCCI on March 29, 2022 jointly organized by FBCCI and ILO.

While speaking as the Chief Guest Mr. Salman F Rahman, MP, Adviser to the Hon'ble Prime minister on Private Industry & Investment said that, all industry will be secured like export-oriented factories. The national committee has already inspected 5,200 factories, and the rest of the factories will also be brought under inspection, the adviser informed.

Secretary for Labor and Employment Mr. Md. Ehsan-E- Elahi, ILO's technical adviser Mr. Gorge Faller attended the workshop as the Special Guests.

Also present at the workshop were FBCCI Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Director Mrs. Hasina Newaaz, Mr. Khondokar Moinur Rahman (Jewel), Mr. Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu CIP, Mr. M.G.R Nasir Majumder, Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain, Mr. Harun Or Rashid, Dr. Ferdousi Begum, Mr. Amzad Hussain, Mr. Md. Shaheen Ahamed, Ms. Shomi Kaiser, Mr. Md. Naser. Dr. Joshoda Jibon Debnath, CIP, Mohammed Mahbubur Rahman Patwari, Mr. Abu Hossain Bhuiyan (Ranu), Mr. Md. Rezaul Islam Milon and Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque.

Brigadier General (Retired) Abu Nayeem, Advisor of the FBCCI moderated the workshop.





## Live program titled Budget a Protyasha 2022-23 jointly organized by the FBCCI and RTV

The businesses want emphasis on local industries and urged government to take initiative to reduce the cost of doing business in the country.

Businessmen came up with this call at a live program titled "Budget a Protyasha 2022-23" jointly organized by the FBCCI and RTV on March 30, 2022.

In response to the demands from the businessmen, Agriculture Minister Mr. Muhammad Abdur Razzaque, MP said the next budget will be an inclusive budget where both rich and poor will get priority.

Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP said the country will be deprived of several facilities after attaining LDC graduation in 2026. Therefore, the upcoming budget will be challenging.

Presiding over the function, FBCCI President Mr. Md Jashim Uddin said all businesses and consumers are worried due to the Covid-19 pandemic and Ukraine-Russia war as prices of essentials keep hiking due to these crises.

"So, the upcoming budget should consider everyone," he also said.



Among others, Executive Chairman of BIDA Mr. Sirazul Islam, BSEC Chairman Professor Shibli Rubayat-UI-Islam, BKMEA executive President Mr. Mohammad Hatem, BGMEA Vice President Mr. Shaidullah Azim, Dhaka Chamber of Commerce & Industry (DCCI) President Mr. Rizwan Rahman, MCCI, Dhaka President Mr. Saiful Islam, BCI President Mr. Anwar-ul Alam Chowdhury (Parvez), BTMA Vice President Mr. Abdullah Al Noman, media personality, agriculture development activist and FBCCI Panel Advisor Mr. Shykh Seraj, CPD Executive Director Dr Fahmida Khatun,

PRI Executive Director Dr. Ahsan H Mansur, SME Foundation Chairperson Dr. Md. Masudur Rahman also spoke at the event as panel discussants.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Directors and distinguished business leaders were also present at the live event.

## Seminar titled Export Challenges of Bangladesh after Graduation from LDC Status: Options for the Private Sector

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI called for giving equal opportunities to all industries in the country without prioritizing a few sectors for export diversification and capacity building.

The President made the call at a seminar titled "Export Challenges of Bangladesh After Graduation from LDC Status: Options for the Private Sector" organized by FBCCI on April 16, 2022.

The Chief Guest of the Seminar, Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Prime Minister Dr. Ahmad Kaikus said, the Prime Minister herself branded the trade and commerce of Bangladesh.

Presenting the keynote, former member of Bangladesh Trade and Tariff Commission Dr Mostafa Abid Khan said, "The private sectors' major challenges in post-LDC era are the Loss



of Duty-Free Quota-Free (DFQF) market access, loss of flexibility to provide export subsidy, and loss of flexibility under Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS).

BIDA Executive Chairman Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam, Senior Commerce Secretary Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh, Industry Secretary Ms Zakia Sultana, Planning Commission Member Ms. Sharifa Khan as special guest attended the seminar.

Former Chairman of Bangladesh Trade & Tariff Commission Dr. Mozibur Rahman, FBCCI Advisor & former director Mr. Manzur Ahmed, Senior Partner of PwC Bangladesh Mr. Manun Rashid, Apex Footwear MD Mr. Syed Nasim Manzur and FBCCI Panel Advisor and CPD Research Director Mr. Khondakar Golan Moazzem attended the seminar as panel discussants.



## Seminar on Present Situation of One Stop Service System jointly organized by FBCCI and BIDA



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin called for an end to the complexities in obtaining and renewing licenses to reduce the cost of doing business.

The FBCCI Chief made the call at a seminar on "Present Situation of the One Stop Service System of BIDA" jointly organized by FBCCI and Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA) held at FBCCI on April 21, 2022.

Urging to withdraw the renewing policy every year, FBCCI chief said that Government organizations may audit but the renewal policy should not exist.

Speaking as the chief guest on the occasion, Executive Chairman of BIDA Mr. Md. Sirajul Islam urged the businessmen to avail the services from BIDA One Stop Service.

Director of BIDA Jibon Krishna Saha Roy

delivered the Key Note Presentation on BIDA OSS.

FBCCI Director Md. Naser, Former Director S M Kamal Uddin, BPGMEA President Shamim Ahmed, FBCCI Adviser Brig. General (Retired) Abu Nayeem Md. Shahidullah, Panel Adviser Dr. Mostafa Abid Khan and other business leaders took part in the Open discussion on the keynote presentation.

## US-Bangladesh Business Summit MoU signed between FBCCI and USBCC



US businesses will continue their long-standing interest to be a part of Bangladesh's development and private sector transformation. They expressed their spirit of collaboration with Bangladeshi business and the Bangladesh government at the US-Bangladesh Business Summit jointly organized by FBCCI and US-Bangladesh Business Council.

FBCCI hosted the largest and historic business delegation from the United States to have come to Dhaka. The event was presided over by the Hon. Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi who noted that "Now is the Golden Time for investment in Bangladesh."

Mentioning some of the mega projects including Dhaka-Chattogram Elevated Expressway, Dhaka-Chattogram High Speed Train, Marine Economy, Hi-Tech Park, 100 economic zones across the country, FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said that, USA should choose Bangladesh as their next investment destination.

Speaking on the occasion, Chevron's Vice President for Business Development and Mission Lead of the Trade Delegation Mr. Jay R Prior noted that Bangladesh has made remarkable economic progress across a diversity of sectors. He noted that 100% electrification of Bangladesh and energy

development in Bangladesh is key to Bangladesh's success.

FBCCI Former president Mr. Shafiul Islam Mohiuddin, MP, Mr. Sheikh Fazle Fahim, FBCCI Vice President Mr. MA Momen, DCCI President Mr. Rizwan Rahman, FICCI President Mr. Naser Ezaz Bijoy, BASIS President Mr. Russell T Ahmed, USBCC Director Mr. Sidhanta Mehra also spoke at the summit. FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu delivered the vote of thanks.

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between the FBCCI and the US-Bangladesh Business Council to enhance bilateral trade at the first U.S.-Bangladesh Business Summit.

Among others, FBCCI former President Mir Nasir Hossain, Kazi Akram Uddin Ahmed, Abdul Matlub Ahmad, FBCCI Vice President Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. M.A. Razzak Khan Raj, Director Engr. Ghulam Mohammad Alomgir, Mr. Amzad Hussain, Mr. Mohammad Ali Khokon, Mrs Shomi Kaiser, Mr. Md. Nazrul Islam Mazumder were also present at the summit



## Kemon Budget Chai jointly organized by FBCCI and NTV

The FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended at the “Kemon Budget Chai” TV program jointly organized by FBCCI and NTV on May 14, 2022.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged NBR to separate the implementation wing form the policy wing and also to establish more LTU as the Unit generates 85% of the total revenue at live event.

The Senior Vice President of the FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu urged the government to keep the power price unchanged at least for one year.

Mr. Dr. Muhammad Abdur Razzaque, Hon’ble Agriculture Minister, Mr. M A Mannan, Hon’ble Minister for Planning, Dr. Abdul Moyeen, Member of the BNP’s standing Committee, and the distinguished fellow of CPD Dr. Debapriya Bhattacharya also graced the event.

The program was broadcasted live on NTV.



## Press conference regarding price increase of electricity and gas



Amid the Russia-Ukraine War and the post Covid period, a rise in power and energy tariffs would further increase the cost of doing business and make it difficult to maintain competitiveness. Therefore, The FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged the government to postpone the process till the World Situation gets normal.

The President made the remarks during a press conference organized by FBCCI at its office on May 21, 2022. FBCCI urged for postponing the Price hike process of Power and Gas.



“An increase in electricity and gas price would result in a negative reaction by inciting inflation, which would stall the lives and livelihoods of the mass people and would seriously hinder the flow of development”, he said.

He speculated whether the proposals to increase gas and electricity prices are made to put the government into an uncomfortable situation.

FBCCI Director and BCI President Anwar Ul Alam Chowdhury (Parvez), FBCCI Director and BTMA President Mohammad Ali Khokon, Executive President of BKMEA Mohammad Hatem, BGMEA Vice President Shahidullah Azim, BSMA president Manwar Hossain, NASCIB President Mirza Nurul Ghani Shovon, REHAB President Alamgir Shamsul Alamin also spoke at the press conference.

Amongst others, FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Former First Vice President Mr. Mohammad Ali, Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Salahudidn Alamgir, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and other Directors were present at the event.



## Meetings



## FBCCI Meeting with Bank CEO's (Exchange of Views)

FBCCI Called for faster implementation of stimulus packages



To identify and to find the solutions of the problems and challenges, FBCCI organized a view exchange meeting titled "Role of Banking Sector: Problems and Prospects for Economic Development of the Country in the context of Prevailing Situation" with Bank CEO's on September 09, 2021 at a city hotel.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin called for proper and faster implementation of stimulus packages in the CMSME sector to recover the economy. He also urged for extending term loan for 10 to 15 years and 2 years grace period for the SME sector.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI in his closing speech said, if one of the business entities of a group goes bankrupt, the rest of the entities also do not get loan, which makes the overall economic situation of that group fragile.

FBCCI Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. MA Razzak Khan Raj, Directors of FBCCI and Chairman of Association of Bankers, Bangladesh Mr. Ali Reza Iftekhar and CEO of the different commercial Banks attended the View Exchange Meeting.





## Introductory Meeting with Panel of Advisors



In order to make FBCCI more dynamic, research-oriented, FBCCI appointed a panel of Advisors.

First meeting with the distinguished panel advisors was held on September 11, 2021 at FBCCI.

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of the FBCCI chaired the meeting. Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, FBCCI, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Mr. M.A. Razzak Khan Raj, Vice Presidents of FBCCI were also present at the meeting.

Among the Directors Mr. Mohammad Anwar Sadat Sarker, Syed Moazzem Hossain, Mr. Mohammed Bazlur Rahman, Mr. Md. Naser, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, and Mr. Abul Kasem Khan attended the meeting. BPGMEA President Mr. Shamim Ahmed and BEIO President Mr. Md. Abdur Razzak spoke at the meeting.

Among the advisors, Mr. Manzur Ahmed, Brig. Gen. (rtd) Abu Nayeem Md. Shahidullah, Mr. Shubhashish Bose, Mr. Shykh Seraj, Md. Farid Uddin, Dr. Ijaz Hossain, Dr. Kazi Iqbal, Dr. Khondaker Golam Moazzem, Mohammed Nurul Amin, Mr. Delwar Hossain, Mohammed Humayun Kabir, FCA, Dr. A.K. Enamul Haque, Dr. Md. Shahjahan were present.





## Meeting with Turkish Business Delegation

An 11-member Turkish Business Delegation led by Ms. Hülya GEDİK, Chairperson, Turkiye-Bangladesh Business Council of Foreign Economic Relation Board of Turkiye (DEIK) took part in a discussion meeting with FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on November 29, 2021 at FBCCI.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. M. A. Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly and Director Engr. Ghulam Mohammed Alomgir were also present in the meeting.

The delegation lauded the economic development that Bangladesh secured in recent years and expressed to strengthen bilateral ties.

The head of the delegation Ms Hülya GEDİK, Chairperson, DEIK informed that, Bangladesh business center had been set up in turkiye to help entrepreneurs explore more about the business and investment opportunities in Bangladesh.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin informed the Turkish businessmen about different potential sectors where they can find their investment suitable in Bangladesh.



## Meeting with British Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (BBCCI)



FBCCI president said that apart from readymade garments, no other Bangladeshi product is exported to Britain on a large scale. The main buyers of Bangladeshi products in the UK are Bangladeshi expatriates. To change the scenario, FBCCI will work jointly with the British-Bangladesh Chamber of Commerce and Industry (BBCCI).

Speaking at the meeting, BBCCI president Mr. Bashir Ahmed said that Bangladeshi exporters are lagging behind in marketing strategy in Britain. Had there been information about the progress of Bangladesh, the interest of British buyers to buy the products of this country would have increased.

FBCCI organized a meeting with British Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (BBCCI) at FBCCI on November 30, 2021 to reap out the bilateral trade potentials between UK and Bangladesh.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said, the meeting is initiated with the view to promoting export to UK main stream Market, and enhancing B2B networking.

The presidents of the two trade organizations have agreed to form a sector-based working group between businessmen of the two countries in the future.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan, Vice Presidents of FBCCI along with other directors and representative from different potential sectors were present at the meeting.



## Discussion meeting with NOAB



The discussion meeting with Newspapers Owners Association of Bangladesh (NOAB) leaders was held on December 07, 2021 at a city hotel.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin chaired the meeting and called upon the industrialists, businessmen and the media to work together for the implementation of the forthcoming development plan.

Mr. A. K. Azad, President of NOAB noted that, the high price of newsprint, Advertisement crisis due to the Corona pandemic, no waiver on VAT and Tax are the main challenges of this sector. He urged the government to allocate incentive package for Newspapers.

Senior vice president of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. M A Razzak Khan, Directors Mr. Anwar-ul Alam Chowdhury (Parvez) and Mr. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu and Mr. Matiur Rahman, the editor of Daily Prothom Alo, Mr. Mahfuz Anam, the editor of The Daily Star, Mr.

Shah Hossain Imam, editor of The Financial Express, Mr. Dewan Hanif Mahmud, editor of Banik Barta, Mr. Mozammel Haque, editor of Daily Karotoa and were also present at the discussion meeting.

## Annual General Meeting 2019-2020



The Annual General Meeting of FBCCI for the year 2019-2020 was held on December 26, 2021 at the Officers Club in the capital.



Chairing the meeting the FBCCI Chief Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin informed that the FBCCI has urged to extend the loan repayment moratorium till June 30, 2022 as the country's economic activity in the Corona pandemic has not returned to normal, the affected businesses are still in dire straits.

FBCCI President said that the FBCCI is actively participating in the meetings of the National Committee headed by the Chief Secretary to the Prime Minister and various sub-committees under it to address the post-transformation challenges in developing countries. Also, as part of policy advocacy to address post-2027 challenges, "Internal Resource Mobilization and Tariff Rationalization", "Global Market Access 2021-2026 and beyond", "Investment Measures for Sustainable Inclusion" these four strategy papers have been formulated in the form of handbooks.





Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. M.A. Razzak Khan and Directors and general body members were also present.

The 2019-2020 Annual Report and Audit Report was unanimously approved at the meeting.

Extra-Ordinary General Meeting was also held on the same day after the AGM.



## Staff Meeting with the President



FBCCI Staff Meeting with the President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin was held on January 03, 2022 at FBCCI.

FBCCI Chief reiterated his commitment to build the FBCCI as a research based and most dynamic organization.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Directors Mr. M.G.R. Nasir Majumder, Mr. Md. Naser, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin and Secretary General Mr. Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the meeting.



## Preparatory meeting ahead of the Meeting of Council of Chamber Presidents



A preparatory meeting was held at FBCCI on January 10, 2022, ahead of the Council of Chamber Presidents Meeting.

Senior Vice President of FBCCI and the President of Chambers Council Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu chaired the meeting.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu urged the presidents and directors of different chambers across the country to come up with their problems related to trade and regional economy. FBCCI is ready to facilitate the

chambers with utmost sincerity in order to further develop the country's business climate.

Vice Presidents of FBCCI, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly and Directors were also present at the meeting.

## CWEIC CEO met FBCCI President



Commonwealth Enterprise and Investment Council (CWEIC) will assist Bangladesh sustain its robust economic growth after LDC graduation.

Ms. Samantha Cohen, CEO of Commonwealth Enterprise and Investment Council (CWEIC) made this remark at the meeting with Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, president of FBCCI, held on January 23, 2022 at a city hotel in the capital.

She assured that CWEIC will assist Bangladesh to enter the mainstream market of its major and highly potential trade partners including the UK, Canada and Australia as well as highlight Bangladesh's

remarkable development accomplishments and innumerable potentials to its member states.

FBCCI Chief Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said that the businessmen around the world are still not well-aware of Bangladesh's rapid transformation that took place in the recent years and also about the tremendous opportunities that the "New Bangladesh" offers. FBCCI is keen to connect with the private sector of the Commonwealth countries to promote the government's "Branding Bangladesh" initiative.

Mr. Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque, Secretary General of FBCCI was also present at the meeting.

FBCCI is the strategic partner of Commonwealth Enterprise and Investment Council (CWEIC) and Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI is one of the members of CWEIC's Advisory Board.



## Meeting on proposed Trade Organization Law



A meeting on the proposed Trade Organisation Law was held at FBCCI on January 29, 2022.

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI chaired the meeting.

Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, and directors were also present at the meeting.

Discussion took place to prepare FBCCI's Proposals on the Proposed Trade Organization (T.O.) Law.

## Meeting with leaders of Steel, Iron & Construction Sectors



Leaders of the Steel, Iron and Construction Sectors met FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, on February 02, 2022 at FBCCI Icon.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI, Mr. Manwar Hossain, President of Bangladesh Steel Manufacturers Association (BSMA) and Engr. Shafiqul Haque Talukder, President of

Bangladesh Association of Construction Industry (BACI) and Members of the (BSMA) & (BACI) were present at the meeting.

Issues related to prevailing problems of the Iron & Steel and Construction sectors were discussed in the meeting.



## Meeting on proposed Income Tax Law



A meeting with a view to preparing FBCCI's recommendation on the proposed Income Tax Law was held on February 02, 2022 at FBCCI.

At the meeting, FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin emphasized on investment and business friendly income tax law.

Among others, FBCCI Senior Vice-President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, DCCI President Mr. Rizwan Rahman, FBCCI Directors

Mr. Anwar-Ul-Alam Chowdhury (Parvez), Mr. Abul Kasem Khan, Ms. Shomi Kaiser, Mr. Md. Naser, FBCCI Advisor Mr. Manzur Ahmed, Panel Advisors Mr. Mohammed Humayun Kabir, FCA and Mr. Aminur Rahman and Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque and were also present at the meeting.

## NBR Committee on the formulation of perspective plan on VAT management held meeting with FBCCI





Bangladesh will need additional revenue after it graduates LDC. To collect this extra revenue, FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged NBR to ease the tax payment system at a meeting with the NBR Committee on the formulation of Perspective plan on Infrastructural reform in VAT management, Enhancing VAT net, held at FBCCI on February 03, 2022.

Calling for full automation of the VAT system, FBCCI President said, NBR has implemented partial automations in VAT payment which cannot minimize the harassment of tax officials.

Presiding over the meeting, FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu said that, the formulation of perspective plan should be participatory, therefore, discussions should be taken place at divisional level, he suggested.

The Convenor of the Perspective Plan Committee and the DG of the Customs Intelligence and Investigation Directorate, Dr. Md. Abdur Rouf informed the meeting that the VAT System should be based on automation, simplification, good governance and physical infrastructure.

Amongst others, BKMEA Executive President Mr. Md. Hatem, FBCCI Directors Mr. Md. Naser, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Mr. Abul Kasem Khan, President of Narshingdi Chamber of Commerce Mr. Md. Ali Hossain Shishir, FBCCI secretary General Mr. Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque, Advisor Mr. Manzur Ahmed and representatives from other trade bodies attended the meeting.



## Preparatory Meeting ahead of Inauguration of UAE Bangladesh Business Council



A Preparatory Meeting ahead of the Inauguration of UAE Bangladesh Business Council was held at FBCCI on February 26, 2022.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said that the establishment of Business Council with the Federation of UAE Chambers of Commerce and Industry would make it easier to capture the export market of the Middle East and Africa. Trade with Europe will also increase.

The attendees at the meeting came up with the recommendation for including agricultural and halal food products, light engineering especially car parts, financial sector, petrochemical, port management, ICT, ITES, artificial intelligence, private equity, aviation, shipping and value-added

agro services, Plastics and Electronics.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. M.A. Razzak Khan Raj, Directors Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Syed Sadat Almas Kabir and Mr. Abul Kasem Khan, DCCI President Mr. Rizwan Rahman, FICCI President Mr. Naser Ezaz Bijoy, BPGMEA President Mr. Shamim Ahmed, DG of the International Trade and Investment wing of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Mr. Syed Muntasir Mamun, FBCCI Secretary General Mr. Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque and FBCCI Panel Advisors Mr. Shykh Seraj, Dr. Khandaker Golam Moazzem and Dr. Kazi Iqbal attended the meeting.





## Meeting of Sub Committee on Income Tax



Meeting of the sub-committee on Income Tax to Prepare FBCCI Budget Proposals on Income Tax was held on March 3, 2022 at FBCCI.

FBCCI Senior Vice-President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu chaired the meeting.

Among others, FBCCI Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Director Mr. Md. Naser, Mr. Anwar-UI-Alam Chowdhury (Parvez), Secretary General

Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque, Panel Adviser Mr. Aminur Rahman and Mohammad Humayun Kabir FCA were also present at the meeting.

Representatives from BGMEA, BKMEA, DCCI, MCCI-Dhaka, FICCI were also attended the meeting.



## Meeting of the FBCCI Sub Committee on Customs Duty



A meeting of the FBCCI Sub-Committee on Customs Duty held at FBCCI on March 8, 2022 to prepare the FBCCI's proposal on Customs Duty for the ensuing national budget 2022-23.

FBCCI Vice-President Mr. M A Momen chaired the meeting

Among others, members of the Committee Mr. Abdul Haque, Mr. Abdul Razzaque, Mr. S M Kamal Uddin, Mr. Enayet Hossain Chowdhury and the President of BPGMEA Mr. Shamim Ahmed were present at the meeting.

## FBCCI and NBR jointly organized 42nd Budget Consultative Committee Meeting

The FBCCI wants to see the reflection of specific guidelines and long-term plans to address the global situation and the challenges of graduation in the upcoming budget 2022-23.

The President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin made this remark at the 42nd consultative meeting of National Board of Revenue (NBR) ahead of national budget for FY23 at a city hotel on March 22, 2022 jointly organized by NBR and FBCCI.

The FBCCI chief urged the government to emphasize on digitization of tax management and separating the policy and implementation wing to ensure revenue friendly tax management.

Finance Minister Mr. AHM Mustafa Kamal, MP graced the event as Chief Guest and said, no one will be unfairly burdened as NBR is considering a win-win tax rate in the upcoming national budget" the minister assured.

The NBR Chairman Mr. Abu Hena Md Rahmatul Muneem said the revenue board has been focusing on facilitating the expansion of growing trade and investment by policy support instead of targeting increased revenue collection.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu delivered the vote of thanks.

Vice Presidents of FBCCI and different chamber and association leaders spoke in the function.





## Meetings of Canada-Bangladesh Joint Working Group on strengthening commercial relations



In 2017, Governments of Canada and Bangladesh agreed that a Working Group of private sector experts from both countries should be formed to take a forward-looking and fresh look at ways to strengthen the commercial relationship. The Canada-Bangladesh Working aims work towards fostering friendship and understanding between the business communities of Bangladesh and promote cooperation in trade, investment, technology transfer and other industrial sectors.

The first meeting of JWG was held on 26 October 2021 followed by the meetings on 17th December 2021, 11th January 2022, 25th January 2022, 07th February 2022, 22th February 2022, 15th March 2022, 12th

April 2022 and 17th May 2022 on virtual platform.

Presentations on Leather & leather, Investment Cooperation, Skills development and ICT, Plastic, Tourism, Jute sector were delivered from Bangladeshi part, and Canadian Counterpart delivered their presentations on Bilateral Trade Enhancement.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin Co-Chaired the joint working group from Bangladeshi Part while, Ms. Nuzhat Tam-Zaman, Co-Founder and VP Consumer Health, Sinoveda counterparts for Canada.





### Board Meeting of FBCCI



Board meeting on progress

### House Committee Meeting



FBCCI House Committee meeting on progress

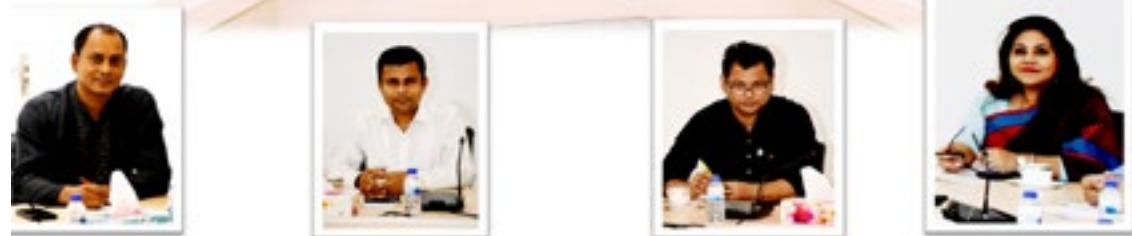




## Finance Committee Meeting



FBCCI Finance Committee meeting on progress



## Business Delegation Abroad



## Business delegation attended 76th UNGA as Entourage of Hon'ble Prime Minister on September 20 - 27, 2021

### President of FBCCI joined a virtual meeting organized as side line program of 76th UNGA



The meeting titled "Bangladesh Forward: The New Frontier for Growth" was organized by US-Bangladesh Business Council held on September 21, 2021. Hon'ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh Sheikh Hasina delivered the key note at the program. While addressing, FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged more US investment in Bangladesh.





## Business Delegation joined the Conference on New World, New Hope: United Nations and Bangladesh



Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI, leading the delegation joined the conference titled "New World, New Hope: United Nations and Bangladesh". FBCCI President sought the assistance of the United Nations in tackling the post-LDC transition challenges and achieving the SDGs.

The conference was organized by the Center

for Non-Residence Bangladeshis on the sidelines of the 76th General Assembly of the United Nations, with the support of the New York Police Department on September 23, 2021.

The conference was chaired by Mr. Shekil Chowdhury, Leader of the NRB World Wide and member of the Greater New York Chamber.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, FBCCI, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan Raj, Vice Presidents of FBCCI, and members of the delegation also attended the Conference.

## FBCCI Delegation attended Annual Business Summit of American Bangladeshi Business Alliance

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged the expatriate Bangladeshi Businessmen to come forward for the development of bilateral trade and economic relations at the Annual Business Summit organized by the American Bangladeshi Business Alliance in New York on September 24, 2021.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, FBCCI and members of the business delegation were also present at the summit.

Mr. A K M Fazlul Haque, President, American Bangladeshi Business Alliance (ABBA) presided over the summit.





## President of FBCCI joined discussion meeting on Bangladeshi Immigrant Day in New York



Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as special guest, attended a discussion meeting organized by Muktaadhara Foundation on the occasion of "Bangladeshi Immigrant Day" in New York on September 25, 2021. Federation Chief said, Bangladesh's economic and trade expansion is based on the strong foundation laid by the Father of the Nation, Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman.

Mr. Dr. A.K. Abdul Momen, M.P., Hon'ble Minister, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, graced the meeting as the Chief Guest.

Mr. Md. Shafiul Islam (Mohiuddin), MP, Former President, FBCCI, Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, FBCCI, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Vice President, FBCCI, and Mr. Faruque Hassan, President, BGMEA were also present at the meeting.



## Meeting with Mr. John Liu Senator, New York State

A meeting was held between Mr. John Liu Senator, New York State and Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on September 25, 2021 in New York.

FBCCI President urged his support for further development of trade and economic relations between USA and Bangladesh. He presented

publications on Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman to Mr. John Liu during the meeting. Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President and Mr. Salauddin Alamgir, Vice President, of FBCCI were also present in the meeting.





## FBCCI Business Delegation Visited UK and France on the occasion of COP 26 as Entourage of Hon'ble Prime Minister

A high-level business delegation composed of different sectoral leaders headed by Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI joined 26th UN Climate Change Conference of the Parties (COP 26) as entourage of Hon'ble Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina MP. They attended the several events in UK and France during the visit.

### Business delegation attended Cop-26 as Entourage of Hon'ble Prime Minister

Bangladesh Business Delegation led by Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI attended the 26th UN Climate Conference of the Parties (Cop 26) held at Glasgow, Scotland on October 31, 2021. Hon'ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh Sheikh Hasina addressed the Conference.

The Business Delegation members visited the

pavilions of different countries at the COP 26 venue and shared knowledge and experience on climate issues on trade and industry.

Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Directors Mr. Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, Mr. Tabarakul Tosaddek

Hossain Khan Tito, Dr. Kazi Ertaza Hassan, CIP, Ms. Shomi Kaiser, Syed Sadat Almas Kabir, Ms. Priti Chakraborty, Syed Moazzem Hossain, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Khan Ahmed Shuvo, MP, Dr. Ferdousi Begum, Former Vice President Mr. Md Halal Uddin, Former Directors Mr. Prabir Kumar Saha, Mr. Khandaker Mashiuzzaman (Romel), Engr. Mohd. Mohabbat Ullah, Mr. Samiul Haque Shafa, attended the program among others.





## Bangladesh Investment Summit 2021: Building Sustainable Growth Partnership at London, UK



Bangladesh Business delegation led by President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the Bangladesh Investment Summit 2021: Building Sustainable Growth Partnership organized by the Bangladesh Security Exchange Commission in London on November 04, 2021.

Hon'ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh Sheikh Hasina was the Chief Guest of the program. She joined the program virtually.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin addressed at the business sessions on 'The Rise of Bengal Tiger: Trade and Investment

Potentials in Bangladesh' and 'Showcase Bangladesh: Your One Stop Access to the Fastest Growing Economy of the World' during the summit.

Mr. Salman F. Rahman, MP, Private Industry and Investment Advisor to the Hon'ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh was the Chief Guest of the Session on Showcase Bangladesh: Your One Stop Access to the Fastest Growing Economy of the World while Mr. Zunaid Ahmed Palak, M.P, Hon'ble State Minister for ICT Division, was the Special Guest. H.E. Ms. Saida Muna Tasneem, High Commissioner of Bangladesh to UK also addressed the session,

among others. Dr. A. K Abdul Momen, MP, Hon'ble Minister, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Bangladesh was the Chief Guest of the parallel session on 'The Rise of Bengal Tiger: Trade and Investment Potentials in Bangladesh' while Mr. Zunaid Ahmed Palak, MP, Minister of State, Information and Communication Technology (ICT) was Special Guest.

Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice

Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Directors Mr. Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, Mr. Tabarakul Tosaddek Hossain Khan Tito, Dr. Kazi Ertaza Hassan, CIP, Ms. Shomi Kaiser, Syed Sadat Almas Kabir, Ms. Priti Chakraborty, Syed Moazzem Hossain, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Khan Ahmed Shuvo MP, Dr. Ferdousi Begum, Former Vice President Mr. Md Halal Uddin, Former Directors Mr. Prabir Kumar Saha, , Mr. Khandaker Mashiuzzaman (Romel), Engr. Mohd. Mohabbat Ullah, Mr. Samiul Haque Shafa also attended the program, among others.

## MoU signed between FBCCI and HSBC for joint study on UK and Bangladesh markets



A memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between FBCCI and HSBC for joint study on UK and Bangladesh markets to foster the bilateral trade and investment as the sideline program of the "Bangladesh Investment Summit 2021: Building Sustainable Growth Partnership" held on November 04, 2021 in London.

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI and Mr. Mahbubur Rahman, CEO of HSBC signed the MoU on behalf of their respective organization.

Among others, Mr. Salman F. Rahman MP, Private Industry and Investment Advisor to the Hon'ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh and H.E Ms. Saida Muna Tasneem, High Commissioner of Bangladesh to UK were present at the signing ceremony.



## FBCCI President met Vice Chairman of CWEIC



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin met Rt Hon Sir Hugo Swire, Vice Chairman of Commonwealth Enterprise & Investment Council (CWEIC) on November 04, 2021 at London.

FBCCI President stressed on building of heritage of cooperation for targeted time bound goals for renewed sustainable engagements within the Commonwealth.

Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Directors Ms. Shomi Kaiser, Ms. Priti Chakraborty, Dr. Ferdousi Begum were also present at the meeting.

## FBCCI signed MoU with UKBCCI



FBCCI and UK Bangladesh Catalysts of Commerce and Industry (UKBCCI) renewed Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) during the business meeting on November 04, 2021 in London.

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI and Mr. Nazmul Islam Nuru, President of UKBCCI signed the MoU on behalf of their respective organization.





## Business Meeting with London Chamber of Commerce and Industry



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin had Business Meeting with Mr. Richard Burge, CEO of London Chamber of Commerce and Industry (LCCI) on November 05, 2021 in London.

The meeting agreed on signing a MoU between the FBCCI and LCCI under which both can undertake business promotion activities including regular exchange of delegations, business information exchange, joint

research, trade fairs and networking events.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, FBCCI, Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim and Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice Presidents of FBCCI were also present at the Business Meeting.

## Networking Business Meeting with the BBCI in London

Bangladesh Business Delegation led by President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the Networking Business Meeting with the British Bangladesh Chamber of Commerce and Industry (BBCI) on November 05, 2021 in London.

Mr. Salman Fazlur Rahman MP, Private Industry and Investment Advisor to the Hon'ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh was the Chief Guest of the program. Mr. Bashir Ahmed, President of BBCI chaired the meeting.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, FBCCI, Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice Presidents of FBCCI, Mr. Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, Mr. Tabarakul Tosaddek Hossain Khan Tito, Dr. Kazi Ertaza Hassan, CIP, Ms. Shomi Kaiser, Syed Sadat Almas Kabir, Ms. Priti Chakraborty, Syed Moazzem Hossain, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Khan Ahmed Shuvo MP, Dr. Ferdousi Begum, Directors of FBCCI, Mr. Md Halal Uddin, Former Vice-President, FBCCI, Mr. Prabir Kumar Saha, Mr. Khandaker Mashiuzzaman (Romel), Engr. Mohd. Mohabbat Ullah, Mr. Samiul Haque Shafa, Former Directors, FBCCI were also present at the program, among others.





## FBCCI President met Deputy Minister for Social Services of Wales at Cardiff



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin had a courtesy meeting with Ms. Julie Morgan, Deputy Minister for Social Services of Wales at Cardiff on November 08, 2021.

They discussed on bilateral trade and economic issues on two countries.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, FBCCI, Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly,

Vice Presidents of FBCCI, Mr. Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, Mr. TabarakulTosaddek Hossain Khan Tito, Syed Sadat Almas Kabir, Syed Moazzem Hossain, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Khan Ahmed Shuvo, MP, Dr. Ferdousi Begum, Directors of FBCCI, Mr. Md Halal Uddin, Former Vice-President, Mr. Prabir Kumar Saha, Engr. Mohd. Mohabbat Ullah, Former Directors of FBCCI also joined the meeting.

## FBCCI inked MoU with Chamber Wales and Wales – Bangladesh Chamber of Commerce



Memoranda of Understanding (MoU)s were signed between FBCCI & Chamber Wales and FBCCI & Wales – Bangladesh Chamber of Commerce on November 08, 2021 at a Business Meeting at Cardiff.

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI and Mr. Paul Slevin, President of Chamber Wales and Mr. Abdul Alim, President of Wales – Bangladesh Chamber of Commerce signed the MoUs on behalf of their respective organization.



Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, FBCCI, Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice Presidents of FBCCI, Mr. Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, Mr. Tabarakul Tosaddek Hossain Khan Tito, Syed Sadat Almas Kabir, Syed Moazzem Hossain, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Khan Ahmed Shuvo, Dr. Ferdousi Begum, Directors of FBCCI, Mr. Prabir Kumar Saha, Former Director, FBCCI, Mr. Md Halal Uddin, Former Vice-President, FBCCI, Engr. Mohd. Mohabbat Ullah, Former Director, FBCCI also joined the meeting.



## UNESCO Bangladesh Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman International Prize for the Creative Economy



Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI attended the Award giving Ceremony of UNESCO Bangladesh “Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman International Prize for the Creative Economy” held on November 10, 2021 at Paris.

Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina handed over the award to MoTIV, A Uganda-based integrated creative studio. Noel Collin Kaijabwango, business and operations lead of MoTIV, received the prize and certificate on behalf of the team.

Private Industry and Investment Adviser to Hon’ble Prime Minister Mr. Salman F Rahman, Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, and other members of the delegation were also present at the ceremony, among others.



## MoU signed between FBCCI and MEDEF International

Bangladesh Business Delegation led by Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the France-Bangladesh Business Council Meeting organized by MEDEF International (Mouvement des Entreprises de France International) and Embassy of Bangladesh in France on November 10, 2021 at Paris.



Hon’ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh, Sheikh Hasina MP addressed the event virtually as the Chief Guest.

Dr. A. K Abdul Momen MP, Hon’ble Foreign Minister of Bangladesh, Mr. Salman F. Rahman, Private Industry and Investment Advisor to the Hon’ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh, Khondker M. Talha, H.E. Ambassador of Bangladesh to France were also present in the meeting.

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI and Mr. Pierre – Jean Malgouyres, Chairman of the France – Bangladesh Business Council, MEDEF International signed the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on behalf of their respective organization.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, FBCCI, Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice Presidents of FBCCI, Mr. Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, Mr. Tabarakul Tosaddek Hossain Khan Tito, Ms. Priti Chakraborty, Ms. Shomi Kaiser, Syed Sadat Almas Kabir, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Mr. Md. Saiful Islam,

Khan Ahmed Shuvo, MP, Dr. Ferdousi Begum, Directors of FBCCI, Mr. Md Halal Uddin, Former Vice-President, FBCCI, Ms. Jesmin Akhter, Director, Bengal Group of Industries, Mr. Prabir Kumar Saha, Khondaker Mashuazzaman (Romel), Engr. Mohd. Mohabbat Ullah, Former Directors of FBCCI, Ms. Nihad Kabir, President, MCCI Dhaka, Mr. Saiful Alam, Director, Bengal Group of Industries, Ms. Sajeda Zaman, Director, Peoples Energy Ltd. also joined the meeting, among others.





## MoU inked between FBCCI and France-Bangladesh Economic Chamber at Paris

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between FBCCI and France Bangladesh Economic Chamber on November 12, 2021 in Paris for greater cooperation and partnership.

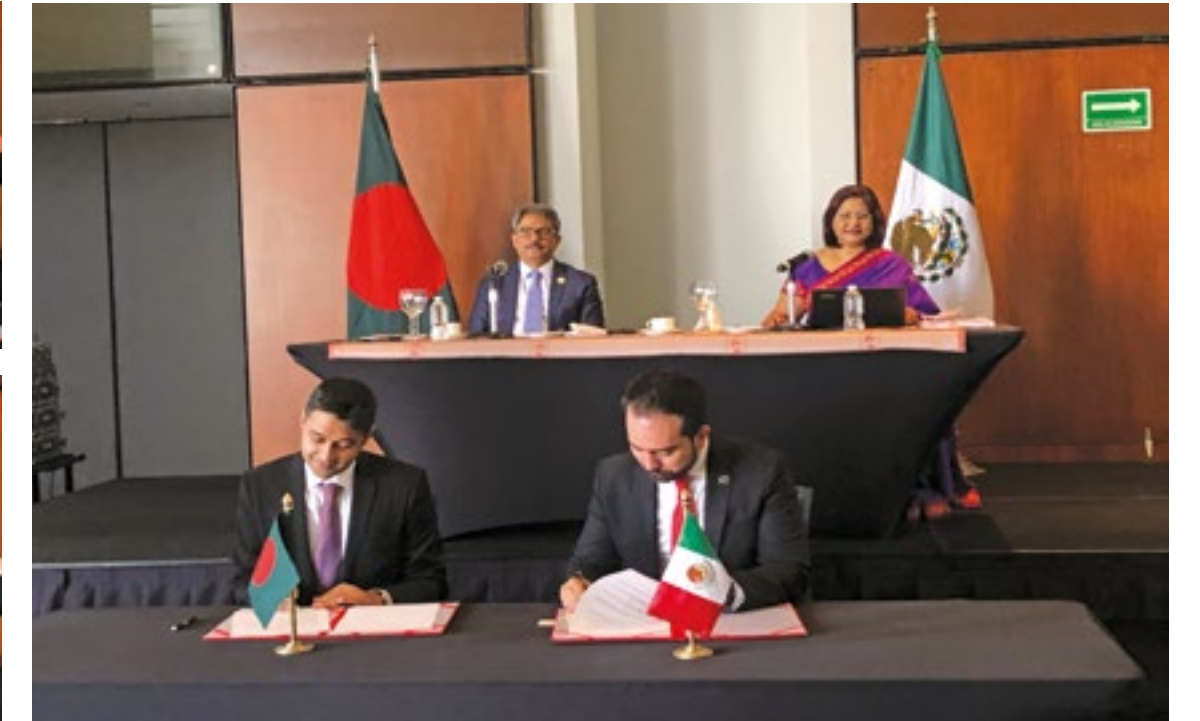
Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI and Mr. Kazi Enayet Ullah, President of France – Bangladesh Economic Chamber signed the MoU on behalf of their respective organization at the Business Meeting organized by the France – Bangladesh Economic Chamber at Paris.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, FBCCI, Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Vice President of FBCCI, Mr. Md Halal Uddin, Former Vice-President of FBCCI, Dr. Ferdousi Begum, Shomi Kaiser, Khan Ahmed Shuvo, Ms. Priti Chakraborty, and Mr. Md. Saiful Islam, Directors of FBCCI were also present at the meeting.

Leaders of France – Bangladesh Economic Chamber and NRB businessmen of Paris attended the signing ceremony.



## FBCCI signed MoU with Consejo Empresarial Mexicano de Comercio Exterior (COMCE)



On behalf of the FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, FBCCI Director Mr. Amzad Hussain attended the ceremonial signing between Federation of Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FBCCI) and Consejo Empresarial Mexicano de Comercio Exterior (COMCE) on 28th September 2021 at Mexico City in Mexico and handed over the MOU copy which was signed by President of FBCCI.

Hon'ble State Minister for Foreign Affairs Mr. Shahriar Alam, MP and Hon'ble Ambassador of Bangladesh to Mexico Ms. Abida Islam were present at the ceremonial signing.



## Participation in EXPO 2020, DUBAI

### FBCCI Business Delegation visited Expo 2020, Dubai



A 45-member delegation from the Federation of Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FBCCI) visited Expo Dubai 2020 in UAE during 23-28 February 2022. The delegation members represent diverse sectors including energy, e-commerce, IT, RMG, textiles, jute, footwear, chemical, agro, construction etc.

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice-President of FBCCI was assigned to supervise and coordinate Bangladesh's private sector's participation in the Expo. According to his advice, a delegation from FBCCI led by the Vice

President Mr. M A Momen, was organized

with an aim to assisting the business community of Bangladesh to experience and learn from the participating 192 countries' technological advancement and its integration in trade and investment. Undoubtedly, the visit turned out to be one of the most technologically impressive and memorable experiences for the members of the delegation.

The delegation was received by the Consul General at the Bangladesh pavilion of the expo in the morning of the first day of the visit. FBCCI prescheduled pavilion visits of some countries which are important for bilateral trade, investment and technology and knowledge transfer i.e. Korea, India, Saudi Arabia and Thailand.

The delegation also visited a factory in Ajman.

Among others, the delegation includes FBCCI Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Director Mr. Md. Riadh Ali, Ms. Shomi Kaiser, Mohammad Mahbubur Patwari, former director Mr. Khandakar Ruhul Amin.





## FBCCI inked MoU with Dubai International Chamber



The FBCCI inked MoU with the Dubai International Chamber. The signing ceremony was held at the Leadership Pavilion of Expo 2020 on March 08, 2022 in the presence of the Hon'ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh H.E Sheikh Hasina and the Hon'ble Prime Minister of UAE H.E Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum.



## FBCCI President joined Bangladesh Economic Forum in Dubai organized by Pan Asia Group and BIDA



FBCCI President Mr. Md Jashim Uddin joined Bangladesh Economic Forum in Dubai organized by Pan Asia Group and BIDA on March 10, 2022.

He called upon the investors of United Arab Emirates (UAE) to choose Bangladesh as their next investment destination.



FBCCI president noted that geographical advantage makes Bangladesh the gateway of South Asia and ASEAN countries. Moreover, investors could enter into the Chinese market by investing in Bangladesh as it is located very close to China.

Among others, Hon'ble Minister for Foreign Affairs Mr. A K Abdul Momen MP, Private Industry and Investment Advisor to the Hon'ble Prime Minister Mr. Salman F Rahman MP, Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA) Executive Chairman Mr. Md. Sirajul Islam, BSEC Chairman Prof Shibli Rubayat-UI-Islam and President of Bangladesh Business Council, Dubai Mr. Mahtabur Rahman Nasir were also present the forum.





## Bangladesh - UAE Joint Business Council launched



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin and the the Chairman of Abu Dhabi Chamber of Commerce and Industry Mr. Abdullah Mohammed Al Mazrouei signed the agreement in Dubai on March 10, 2022 in the presence of the Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi MP and the Private Industry and Investment Advisor to the Hon'ble Prime Minister Mr. Salman F Rahman MP.



Hon'ble Prime Minister of Bangladesh H.E Sheikh Hasina joined the ceremony virtually. FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. Amin

Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Mr. M A Razzak Khan were also present at the signing ceremony.





## MoU signed with BBC-Dubai to setup FBCCI Trade Center in Dubai

FBCCI is going to setup FBCCI Trade Center in Dubai to further explore the business potential and strengthen the bilateral trade and investment between Bangladesh and UAE.

In this regard, FBCCI signs a MoU with Bangladesh Business Council (BBC)-Dubai on March 11, 2022 in Dubai.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin and founder President of BBC-Dubai Mr. Mohammed Mahtabur Rahman CIP signed the agreement on behalf of their respective organization.

BSEC Chairman Prof. Shibli Rubayat-Ul-Islam attended the signing ceremony as the Chief Guest. FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Directors Mr. M.G.R Nasir Majumder, Mr. Mohammed Bazlur Rahman and Mr. Md. Nizam Uddin were also present at the event.



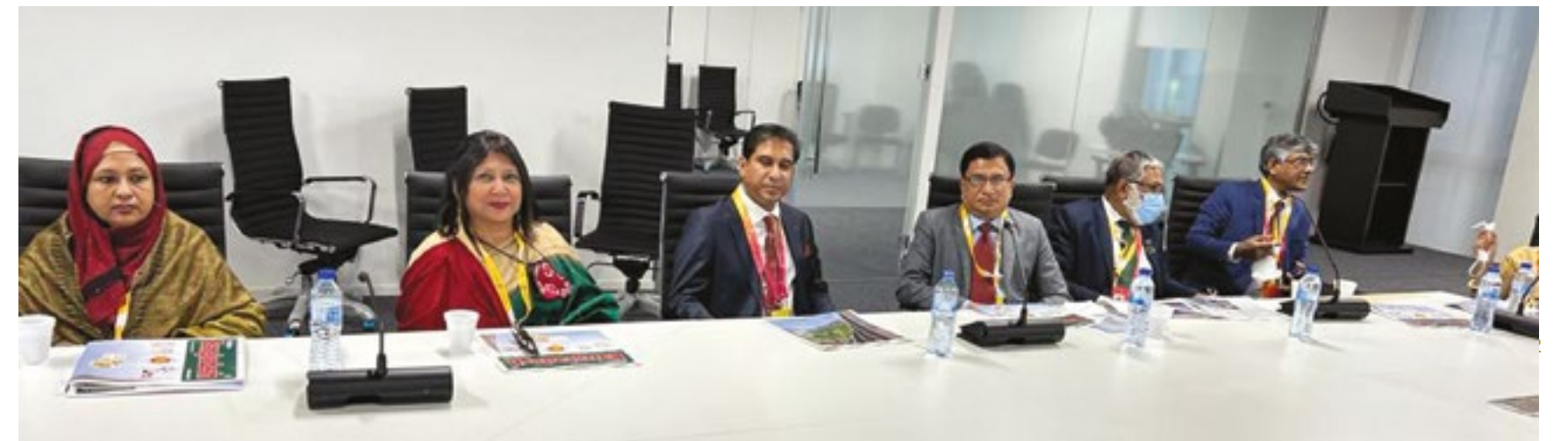
## Bangladesh Country Day Event in Dubai



FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu attended the Bangladesh Country Day and Bangladesh Country Briefing on December 16 & 17, 2021 in Dubai as the Entourage of Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi MP.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu in his speech delivered on 17th December at the Country Business Briefing urged the UAE businessmen to choose Bangladesh as their next investment and trade destination as geographically, Bangladesh is the gateway of South Asia and ASEAN countries and China through Kunming.

FBCCI Former President Mr. Shafiul Islam Mohiuddin, M.P, Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Director Dr. Nadia Binte Amin also attended the event.





## FBCCI delegation visited Morocco as an entourage of Hon'ble State Minister for Foreign Affairs



FBCCI delegation visited Morocco as an entourage of Hon'ble State Minister for Foreign Affairs Mr. Md. Shahriar Alam, MP on 05-09th March 2022.

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI led the delegation which included Directors Dr. Nadia Binte Amin and Mr. Shaheen Ahmed.



During the visit, delegation met H.E Mr. Mohammed SADIKI, Minister of Agriculture and Maritime Fishing and H. E. Mr Ryad MEZZOUR, Minister of Industry and Trade, Kingdom of Morocco. In the meetings, both countries considered establishing contract farming in Morocco with participation of Moroccan agriculture entrepreneurs as Bangladesh has expertise in this sector. Besides, FBCCI delegation also met Mr. Chakib ALI, President, General Confederation of Moroccan Enterprises (CGEM) and Secretariat of Investment and Exports Development Agency (AMDIE).

## 50th Anniversary of Bangladesh USA relationship in USA



FBCCI Vice President Mr. M A Momen joined the celebration program marking the 50th anniversary of Bangladesh-USA relationship in USA organized by Embassy of Bangladesh, Washington DC during April 2-6, 2022.





## 2nd Global Business Summit-2021" in Dubai

A FBCCI delegation led by Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the 2nd Global Business Summit-2021 in Dubai held on September 29-30, 2021.

FBCCI Directors Syed Moazzem Hossain, Engr. Ghulam Mohammed Alomgir, Ms. Priti Chakraborty also joined the delegation, among others.



## FBCCI Delegation attended Bengal Global Business Summit 2022

A FBCCI delegation attended a 2-day Bengal Global Business Summit 2022 held on April 20-21, 2022 in Kolkata, India.

The Delegation was consisted of Directors Ms. Priti Chakraborty, Mrs. Hasina Newaaz, Mr. Bijoy Kumar Kejriwal, Mr. Mohammad Iqbal Shahriar, Dr. Joshoda Jibon Deb Nath.





## Business Leaders performed Omrah

FBCCI leaders performed Omrah in the last February 2022.

They also offered prayers seeking divine blessings for the people of Bangladesh, Business Community as well as Peace, progress and prosperity of the entire Muslim Ummah.

Among others, FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Directors of FBCCI performed Omrah.



## Courtesy Meeting with Dignitaries



### Turkiye Ambassador paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President



H.E Mr. Mustafa Osman Turan, Ambassador of Turkiye to Bangladesh paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on June 02, 2021 at FBCCI. They discussed on bilateral issues relating to economic co-operation and trade expansion.

### The newly elected Board of Directors of FBCCI paid a courtesy call on Mr. Salman F Rahman, MP



The newly elected Board of Directors of FBCCI for the term 2021-2023 led by the President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin paid a courtesy call on Mr. Salman F Rahman, MP, Private Industry and Investment Adviser to Hon'ble Prime Minister at Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA) on June 08, 2021.

Issues related to Prevailing trade and economic situation of the country were discussed in the meeting.

Senior Vice-President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. M A Razzak Khan and Directors were present at the meeting.



## Chambers and Association Leaders congratulated the Newly elected President of FBCCI

The newly elected FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin had been greeted by the leaders from different chambers and associations at FBCCI on June 09, 2021.

Bangladesh–Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and Industry (BMCCI), Bangladesh Re Rolling Mills Association, Bangladesh Steel Mill Owners Association, Bangladesh Electrical Association, Electronics Traders Association of Bangladesh, Bangladesh Knit Dyeing Owners Association, Bangladesh Imitation Jewelry Manufacturers, Exporters and Merchants Association, Bangladesh Association of International Recruiting Agencies (BAIRA), Bangladesh Ceramic Manufacturers and Exporters Association congratulated to the FBCCI President at that time.

FBCCI President said, we have to work together to formulate policies related to protection of businesses and its expansion along with private entrepreneurs.

Greetings are also paid on behalf of many social organizations during the period.

FBCCI Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn were also present at the program.



## DCCI Delegation met FBCCI President



Dhaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry Delegation led by its President Mr. Rizwan Rahman paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on June 13, 2021 at FBCCI. FBCCI Vice–Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Director Mr. Shaheen Ahmed were also present at the meeting.



**FBCCI Board of Directors paid a courtesy call on Hon'ble Commerce Minister**



The newly elected Board of Directors of FBCCI for the term 2021-23, led by its President Mr. Md. Jasim Uddin, paid a courtesy call on the Hon'ble Commerce Minister of the Government of Bangladesh Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP at the minister's office on June 14, 2021.

Secretary of Ministry of Commerce Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh, FBCCI Senior-Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice-

President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan and Directors of FBCCI were present at the courtesy call.

**FBCCI Election Board and Election Appeal Board 2021-2023 paid courtesy call on newly elected President of FBCCI**



The FBCCI Election Board 2021-2023 led by The Chairman Prof. (late) Ali Ashraf MP and the FBCCI Election Appeal Board 2021-2023 led by the Chairman Mr. Jahangir Alamin paid courtesy call on the newly elected FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on June 16, 2021 at FBCCI.





### High Commissioner of Bangladesh to UK paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President



High Commissioner of Bangladesh to UK Ms. Saida Muna Tasneem paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President at FBCCI on June 20, 2021.

Issues related to the bilateral trade and commerce between Bangladesh and UK are discussed in the meeting.



Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Mr. M A Razzak Khan Raj were also present at the meeting.



### Women leaders from different Associations paid courtesy call on the Newly Elected President of FBCCI



Women leaders from different associations paid courtesy call on the newly President of FBCCI Uddin Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on June 21, 2021 at FBCCI. They presented flower bouquet and discussed about their sectoral issues during the meeting. FBCCI Director Dr. Nadia Binte Amin was also present, among others.





### Bangladesh Ambassador to Kuwait paid a courtesy call on the President of FBCCI



H.E. Major Gen Md. Ashikuzaman, Bangladesh Ambassador to Kuwait paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on June 24, 2021 at FBCCI.

ICT, Skill development, Plastic, Pharmaceutical, RMG sector, Light Engineering, Fish & Vegetables, Fresh Fruits, Processing food, Manpower were highlighted as the potential products of Bangladesh to export in Kuwait market at the meeting.

### FBCCI President met Bangladesh Bank Governor



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin met the Governor of Bangladesh Bank Mr. Fazle Kabir, at governor's office on June 30, 2021. FBCCI President thanked the Governor for extending the loan moratorium period till 31st August 2021 and for providing other policy support

considering the Covid situation. Vice-Presidents of FBCCI Mr. M A Momen and Mr. Md. Amin Helaly were also present during the meeting.



**Director of Taiwan Trade Center paid a Courtesy call on FBCCI President**



Mr. Timonty Tso, Director, Taiwan Trade Center, Dhaka paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, president of FBCCI on August 31, 2021 at FBCCI. They discussed on the issues related to trade and investment between Bangladesh and Taiwan.

**Ambassador of Kosovo Paid a Courtesy Call on the President of FBCCI**



H.E Mr. Guner Ureya, Ambassador of Kosovo to Bangladesh paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on 14th September 2021 at FBCCI. They discussed on economic and trade potential of Kosovo with Bangladesh during the meeting. Among others, Senior Vice-President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice-President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were present at the meeting.



### Ambassador of Vietnam paid a Courtesy Call on the President of FBCCI



Ambassador of Vietnam to Bangladesh Mr. Pham Viet Chien paid a courtesy call on the President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on September 14, 2021 at FBCCI. They talked on prevailing situation related to trade and commerce in covid situation. Among others, FBCCI Senior Vice-President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. Aminul Haque Shamim and Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the meeting, among others.

### Ambassador of Nepal to Bangladesh paid a courtesy call on the Senior Vice-President of FBCCI



Dr. Banshidhar Mishra, Ambassador of Nepal to Bangladesh paid a courtesy call on Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI on September 16, 2021 at FBCCI. The Ambassador expressed Nepal's interest on Bangladeshi ports in international trade to reduce its dependence on Kolkata port. Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu urged the Ambassador to import potatoes from Bangladesh during the call.

FBCCI Vice-Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Director Mr. Abu Motaleb and Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the courtesy meeting.



### Ambassador of Spain paid a Courtesy Call on the President of FBCCI



Ambassador of Spain to Bangladesh H.E. Mr. Francisco de Asis Benitez Salas paid a courtesy call on the President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on October 21, 2021 at FBCCI.



Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice-Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Director Mr. Mohammed Riyad Ali and Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the event.



### High Commissioner of Canada met FBCCI President



High Commissioner of Canada H.E. Mr. Benoit Prefontaine paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on October 21, 2021. FBCCI Senior Vice-President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice-President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the meeting.





### Ambassador of Iraq paid a Courtesy Call on FBCCI President



H.E. Mr. Abdussalam Saddam Mohaisen, The Charge De Affairs of Embassy of Iraq to Bangladesh paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on October 24, 2021.

Mr. Abdussalam Saddam Mohaisen expressed his interest in signing a cooperation agreement with FBCCI.

Senior vice-president of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu was also present at the meeting.



### ILO Country Director paid a Courtesy Call on FBCCI President



ILO Bangladesh Country Director Mr. Tuomo Poutiainen paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on November 22, 2021. Mr. Tuomo Poutiainen expressed keen interest in incorporating FBCCI in the development process of the Bangladesh Labour and Industry sector.

FBCCI Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque and FBCCI Safety Council Adviser Brig. General (Retd.) Abu Naeem Md. Shahidullah were also present at the meeting.





### Ambassador of Thailand paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President



H.E. Mrs. Makawadee Sumitmor, Ambassador of Thailand to Bangladesh paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on November 23, 2021 at FBCCI. They talked on bilateral trade relations and ways to further strengthen the economic ties between two countries.

FBCCI Senior Vice-President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Secretary General Mr. Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque, were also present during the call.

### Ambassador of Algeria to Bangladesh paid a Courtesy Call on the President of FBCCI



H.E. Rabah Larbi, Hon'ble Ambassador of Algeria to Bangladesh paid a Courtesy Call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on November 24, 2021 at FBCCI. The Hon'ble Ambassador expressed his interest in signing MoU between FBCCI and Algerian Chamber of Commerce and Industry that was warmly accepted by the FBCCI Chief.

Among others, Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President and Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President and Directors of FBCCI were also present at the meeting.





## Chairperson of DEIK paid a courtesy call on the President of FBCCI



Ms. Hülya GEDİK, Chairperson, Türkiye-Bangladesh Business Council of Foreign Economic Relation Board of Turkey (DEIK) paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on November 29, 2021 at FBCCI. An 11-members Turkish Business Delegation took part in a

discussion meeting with FBCCI President.

They discussed on further strengthening of bilateral trade and economic relations between Bangladesh and Türkiye.

## The newly appointed Economic Counsellor of Bangladesh Embassy in Beijing paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President

Mr. Md. Mominul Haque Bhuiyan, the newly appointed Economic Counsellor of Bangladesh Embassy in Beijing paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on December 06, 2021.

FBCCI President called upon the newly appointed Economic Counsellor to identify the potential and problems of Bangladeshi products in the Chinese market.

Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Directors Mr. Abu Motaleb, Mohammed Bazlur Rahman were also present at the courtesy meeting.





## Bangladesh Ambassador to Indonesia paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President



Bangladeshi Envoy to Indonesia H.E Air Vice Marshal Mohammad Mostafizur Rahman, GUP, ndc, psc, paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on January 03, 2022. The FBCCI President called upon Indonesian investors to invest in economic zones in Bangladesh at the meeting.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Director Mr. M.G.R Nasir Majumder and Secretary General Mr. Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the meeting, among others.

## Newly elected committee of Dhaka Reporters Unity met FBCCI President



Mr. Nazrul Islam, President of Dhaka Reporters Unity along with the General Secretary Mr. Nurul Islam Hasib and Organizing Secretary Mr. Abdullah al Kafi met Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on

January 9, 2022 at FBCCI. FBCCI Chief welcomed the new committee and wished the committee success in the days ahead.



## Newly Elected Committee of BGAPMEA met FBCCI President



Mr. Mohammad Moazzem Hossain Moti, President, Mr. Mohammad Belal, First Vice-President and Heroic Freedom Fighter AKM Mostafa Salim, Second Vice-President of BGAPMEA along with other vice-presidents and directors met Mr. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on January 9, 2022 at FBCCI Icon. They talked about the rising demand of garments accessories and the problems prevailing in the industry.

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI was also present at the meeting.



## FBCCI President met the Brazilian Envoy



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin met the Ambassador of Brazil H.E. João Tabajara de Oliveira Junior on January 10, 2022 at the Embassy of Brazil, Dhaka. They discussed on the current bilateral trade relations

between Bangladesh and Brazil and the way forward to strengthening the economic ties.



## Leaders of Bangladesh Crop Protection Association paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President

Mr. M. Sayeduzzaman, Chairman of Bangladesh Crop Protection Association along with other leaders paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on January 12, 2022 at FBCCI. During the call, the sector leaders thanked Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin for his outstanding leadership. The FBCCI Chief assured that the cooperation of FBCCI will continue for further flourishing of the Crop Protection Activities in the country.

Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly was also present at the meeting, among others.



## Bangladesh P.V.C Pipe Manufacturer Association leaders paid a courtesy call on the President of FBCCI



Mr. Md. Abul Khair, President of Bangladesh P.V.C Pipe Manufacturer Association along with his fellow colleagues paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on January 12, 2022 at FBCCI. They came up with a call for VAT reduction in the upcoming budget. FBCCI President assured them to look after the issue and work to solve the problem.

## Leaders from Bangladesh Electrical Cables Manufacturers Association paid a Courtesy Call on FBCCI President



President of Bangladesh Electrical Cables Manufacturers Association Mr. ABM Arshad Hossain, along with the Senior Vice President, Vice Presidents and Directors paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on January 12, 2022 at FBCCI. FBCCI Chief said that Bangladesh is going through a huge industrialization process and the country will demand for more cables in the days ahead. Hence, the Association should take steps for further capacity building and strengthening the compliance as well.

Among others, Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Amin Helaly was present at the meeting.

## President of Habiganj Chamber paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President

Mr. Mizanur Rahman Shamim, President of Habiganj Chamber of Commerce & Industry (HCCI) paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on February 20, 2022 at FBCCI.





## High Commission of India paid a courtesy call on the President of FBCCI

H.E Vikram K Doraiswami, Hon'ble High Commissioner of India to Bangladesh paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on January 18, 2022 at FBCCI. H.E Vikram K Doraiswami said that India is keen to boost up the bilateral trade with Bangladesh. He sought FBCCI's cooperation to further strengthen the business ties between the two countries.

Among others, Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Directors Mr. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, Mr. Bijoy Kumar Kejriwal, Mr. Md. Shah Jalal, Mr. Mohammed Bazlur Rahman, Dr. Joshodha Jibon Deb Nath, CIP, Ms. Priti Chakraborty were present at the meeting, among others.



## Bangladeshi Envoy to Sri Lanka paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President



Bangladesh High Commissioner to Sri Lanka H.E. Mr. Tareq Md Ariful Islam paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on January 18, 2022, at FBCCI. The High Commissioner informed that Sri Lanka is keen to sign a Preferential Trade Agreement (PTA) with

Bangladesh and the Country is interested in importing paper, rice, potatoes and electronics. Federation Chief said that signing PTA and FTA with various countries would facilitate Bangladesh to deal with the Post-LDC Challenges.



## Ambassador of Japan paid a Courtesy Call on the President of FBCCI

H.E. Mr. ITO Naoki, Ambassador of Japan to Bangladesh paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI at FBCCI on 27th January 2022. They discussed about the Prevailing bilateral trade and investment relation between Bangladesh and Japan.

Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Directors Mr. Md. Naser, Ms. Priti Chakraborty and Secretary General of FBCCI were also present at the meeting.



## A number of Association leaders and Sectoral Representatives paid courtesy call on the FBCCI President

The leaders of Bangladesh Steel Manufacturers Association, Cellular Phone Accessories Importer & Merchants Association, Electrical Merchandise Manufacturers Association and Foreign Admission & Career Development Consultants Association of Bangladesh paid courtesy calls on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on February 02, 2022 at FBCCI.

Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, and Directors Mr. Md. Amzad Hussain, Mr. Md. Naser were also present among others at the meetings.





## Director General of Wales- Bangladesh Chamber of Commerce paid a courtesy call on the FBCCI President



Mr. Imtiaz Hussain (Jackie), Director General of Wales- Bangladesh Chamber of Commerce paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI at on February 02, 2022 at FBCCI Office.

Among others, Directors Mr. Md. Naser, Ms. Priti Charaborty and BGMEA Vice President Mr. Shaidullah Azim were also present at the meeting.

## Leaders of the France Bangladesh Economic Chamber of Commerce met FBCCI President

A delegation of the France-Bangladesh Economic Chamber of Commerce led by its President Mr. Kazi Enayet Ullah met FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on 19th February, 2022 at FBCCI.

They took part in a discussion meeting and discussed the various issues to be solved to tap the export potentials of Bangladeshi Products to the France Market.

Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Directors Dr. Ferdousi Begum and Ms. Priti Chakraborty were also present at the meeting among others.

The delegation members also visited FBCCI's Mujib Corner.





## Korean Envoy paid a courtesy call on the FBCCI President

The Ambassador of the Republic of South Korea H.E Mr. Lee Jang-Keun paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on February 20, 2022 at FBCCI.

The envoy conveyed the interest of the Seoul to take the bilateral relations between Bangladesh and South Korea to a new height in 2022, marking the 50th anniversary of two countries diplomatic relations. FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin called upon Korea to invest in Bangladesh's infrastructure sector and man-made fiber sector.

Senior Vice-President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice-Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Directors Mr. Anwar Sadat Sarkar, Mr. Md. Rezaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Mr. Md. Nizam Uddin, Ms. Naaz Farhana Ahmed, President of KBCCCI and Chairman and MD of Meghna Group of Industries Mr. Mostafa Kamal, Advisor Sahab Uddin Khan, Director General of Korea Trade-Investment Promotional Agency Mr. Kim Dong Hyon, First Secretary of the embassy of the Republic of Korea Lee Jungyoul were present at the meeting.



## VCPEAB President paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President



Mr. Shameem Ahsan, President of Venture Capital & Private Equity Association of Bangladesh (VCPEAB) paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on February 20, 2022 at FBCCI.

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Director Mr. Abu Hossain Bhuiyan (Ranu) were present at the meeting among others.

Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President



## UAE Ambassador paid a courtesy call on the FBCCI President

The UAE Ambassador H.E Abdulla Ali AlHmoudi paid a courtesy call on the FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on March 2, 2022 at FBCCI. The Envoy lauded the Bangladeshi expatriates and said, the number of Bangladeshis in white color professions including engineers, doctors and nurses is increasing in the UAE.

Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Salauddin Alamgir, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Director Mr. Amzad Hussain and Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the meeting.



## High Commissioner of Sri Lanka paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President



H.E Professor Sudharshan Seneviratne, High Commissioner of Sri Lanka paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on April 03, 2022 at FBCCI. The Envoy sought Bangladesh's cooperation in the development of shipping network between Bangladesh and Sri Lanka. High Commissioner informed that, the Colombo Port now has

four harbors and is equipped with more modern facilities.

Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Director Ms. Shomi Kaiser and Dr. Nadia Binte Amin and Secretary General Mr. Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the meeting.



**Ambassador-designate to Sweden and Director General (Administration), MOFA paid a courtesy call on FBCCI President**



Mr. Mehdi Hasan, Ambassador-designate to Sweden and Director General (Administration), Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Dhaka paid a courtesy call on Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI on April 03, 2022 at FBCCI. During the meeting, FBCCI President expressed his interest in signing a MoU with Swedish chamber and urged the

ambassador to take necessary initiative in this regard.

Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the meeting.

**Participation in Different Meetings**



### Senior Vice President Attended a Virtual Discussion Meeting on The Effects of Coronavirus in Tourism Sector and the Measures can be taken for quick recovery

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI as a special guest joined a virtual discussion meeting on the effects of coronavirus in Tourism sector and the measures can be taken for quick

recovery organized by TOAB on May 25, 2021. Mr. Md. Rafeuzzaman, President, Tour Operators Association of Bangladesh presided over the meeting.

### FBCCI President attended Inauguration Ceremony of BSCIC OSS

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the Inauguration Ceremony of BSCIC One Stop Service on June 17 2021. Hon'ble Minister for Industry Mr. Nurul Majid Mahmud Humayun, MP attended the

function as the chief guest. Hon'ble State Minister for Industry Mr. Kamal Ahmed Majumder, MP and Senior Secretary of the Ministry of Industries Mr. KM Ali Azam were also present as Special Guests.



### Senior Vice President attended National Export Trophy Selection Committee meeting

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the National Export Trophy selection committee meeting

held at Ministry of Commerce on June 17, 2021. Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh, Secretary, Ministry of Commerce presided over the meeting.

### FBCCI President joined the inauguration of 15th IPF



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the inauguration of the 15th Bangladesh Int'l Plastics, Printing & Packaging Industry Fari (IPF) as the special guest held on June 19, 2021. Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP graced the program as the Chief Guest. IPF

online expo was joined by 483 exhibitors from 19 countries and regions including Austrailia, Austria, Bangladesh, China, Egypt, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Pakistan, Singapore, South Korea, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkiye, UAE, USA and Vietnam.



## FBCCI President attended Light Engineering Industry Development Policy Workshop

FBCCI President Mr. Md Jashim Uddin as the Special Guest attended the National Workshop on “Light Engineering Industry Development Policy” organized by Bangladesh Engineering Industry Owners Association (BEIOA) on June 20, 2021 at Ministry of Commerce. Hon’ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP graced the program as the Chief Guest.



## Senior Vice President attended the Presidents Industry Development Award-2019 at Ministry of Industries

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the Presidents Industry Development Award-2019 at Ministry

of Industries on June 20, 2021. Mr. Nurul Majid Mahmud Humayun, MP, Hon’ble Industry Minister presided over the meeting.

## FBCCI president joined meeting on Industry-Academia Collaboration

FBCCI president Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin joined the program titled “Industry-Academia Collaboration” organized by North South University held at its premise on June 22, 2021. Mr. M.A Kashem, Chairman of NSU & Former President of FBCCI and Professor Mr. Atiqul Islam, Vice-Chancellor of NSU were also present at the program.



## Senior Vice President attended the meeting on VAT & Customs

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the meeting on VAT & Customs at NBR Office on June 23, 2021.

Chairman of the NBR Mr. Abu Hena Md. Rahmatul Muneem presided over the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn joined CICA Business Council and CICA Business Forum

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI virtually joined ‘CICA Business Council and CICA Business Forum’ on June 24, 2021 organized

by Conference on Interaction and Confidence Building Measures in Asia (CICA).



## Vice President Mr. M.A. Momen attended the signing ceremony between EPB and BUFT

Mr. M.A. Momen, Vice President of FBCCI attended the signing ceremony between Export Promotion Bureau (EPB) and BGMEA University of Fashion and Technology (BUFT) held on June 29, 2021 at Ministry of Commerce. Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP as the chief guest graced the event.

EPB and BUFT signed an agreement to launch diploma courses for mid-level managers and employees of garment factories to develop their professional skills.

## Vice President Mr. M.A. Momen joined the 1st Meeting of Sub-committee on Internal Resource Mobilization & Tariff Rationalization formed by PMO

Mr. M A Momen, Vice President of FBCCI virtually joined the 1st Meeting of Sub-committee on Internal Resource Mobilization & Tariff Rationalization formed by the Prime Minister's Office to tackle potential

challenges in transitioning from a least developed country on July 04, 2021. The meeting was chaired by Senior Secretary, Finance Division, Ministry of Finance.

## FBCCI President attended Food and Cash Assistance Program by BSOA

Mr. Md. Jasim Uddin, President of FBCCI as Special Guest attended the Food and Cash Assistance Program hosted by Bangladesh Shop Owners Association on July 08, 2021. Mr. Benazir Ahmed, Inspector General of Police (IGP) was present as the Chief Guest at the event.



## Senior Vice President Met Deputy Governor of Bangladesh Bank regarding Transport sector incentives and other issues

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a meeting with Deputy Governor of Bangladesh Bank Mr. Farah Md. Naser to discuss on Transport sector incentives and other issues at

Bangladesh Bank on July 13, 2021. Mr. Abu Naser, Director of FBCCI and Mr. Ramesh Chandra Ghosh, President, Bangladesh Bus Truck Owners Association were also present.

## FBCCI President attended the discussion meeting at DIFE



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin joined the discussion meeting organized by the Department of Inspection for Factories and Establishments on July 14, 2021. Private Industry and Investment Adviser

to Hon'ble Prime Minister, Mr. Salman F. Rahman MP and Secretary to Hon'ble Prime Minister Mr. Md Tofazzel Hossain Miah were present at the meeting.



## Senior Vice President met TCB Chairman

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI met Bregd. Gen. Ariful Hasan, psc, Chairman at TCB to discuss on problems of the Potato sector. Mr. Md. Mosarraf Hossain, President, Bangladesh

Cold Storage Association & Vice President Mr. Istiaq Ahmed were also present.

## Senior Vice President met Deputy Governor of Bangladesh Bank

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a meeting with Deputy Governor of Bangladesh Bank Mr. Farah Md. Naser to discuss on Transport sector incentives and other

issues at Bangladesh Bank on August 09, 2021. Mr. Md. Naser, Director of FBCCI and Mr. Ramesh Chandra Ghosh, President, Bangladesh Bus Truck Owners Association were also present.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined the Prize Distribution Ceremony of Poster Design Competition on Clean and Energy Efficient Cooking

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI as Special Guest joined the Prize Distribution Ceremony of Poster Design Competition on Clean and Energy Efficient Cooking virtually on August 09, 2021 organized by Sustainable and Renewable Energy Development Authority (SREDA), Ministry of Power, Energy and Mineral Resources.

Ms. Zuena Aziz, Principal Coordinator (SDG Affairs), Prime Minister's Office was the Chief Guest. Mr. Mohammad Alauddin, Chairman (Additional Secretary) chaired the event.

## Senior Vice President met Hon'ble Agricultural Minister

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI met Hon'ble Agricultural Minister Dr. Md. Abdur Razzque, MP on August 10, 2021 at Ministry of Agriculture to discuss on food management specially potato issues. Mr. Md. Naser, Director of FBCCI, Mr. Mosharraf Hossain,

President, Bangladesh Cold Storage Association & Vice President Mr. Istiaq Ahmed, Mr. Sarwar Hossain, Chairman, Moynakuti Cold Storage Limited were also present.

## Senior Vice President joined a virtual Seminar organized by TOAB

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI as special guest, joined the virtual seminar titled "Contribution of Father of the Nation in the Introduction of Tourism in Bangladesh" organized by Tour Operators Association of Bangladesh on August 14, 2021.

Hon'ble State Minister of Civil Aviation and Tourism Mr. Md. Mahbub Ali, MP was the chief guest. The Seminar was presided over by Mr. Md. Rafeuzzaman, President of TOAB.

## Senior Vice President joined a discussion meeting on Bangabandhu's Thoughts on Economy: Strong Economic Progress of Bangladesh

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI was special guest at the discussion meeting on Bangabandhu's Thoughts on Economy: Strong Economic Progress of Bangladesh organized by BARVIDA.

Mr. Abdul Haque, President of BARVIDA presided over the meeting. Dr. Mohammad Abdul Majid, Former Chairman of NBR was chief guest.

## Senior Vice President attended the Electricity Licensing Board Meeting

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the Electricity Licensing Board Meeting at Eskaton, Dhaka on

August 17, 2021. Mr. Abul Khair Md. Akkas Ali, Joint Secretary, Electricity Licensing Board presided over the meeting.

## Senior Vice President attended the CIP Export 2018 Selection Committee meeting

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the CIP Export 2018 selection committee meeting at Ministry

of Commerce on August 24, 2021. Mr. Md. Hafizur Rahman, Additional Secretary (Export), Ministry of commerce presided over the meeting.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined the virtual meeting with American Chamber of Commerce in South Africa

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the virtual meeting with American Chamber of Commerce in South Africa held on August 24, 2021. The discussion took place on a wide range of issues of mutual interests between South Africa and Bangladesh, and promoting partnership between two countries for sustainable development through trade and investment.

## Senior Vice President attended the meeting on Essential Commodities at Ministry of Commerce

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the meeting on Essential Commodities held at Ministry of Commerce on August 25, 2021. Commerce Secretary Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh presided over the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the Meeting on Draft Rules of Dangerous Cargo Act, 1953 and Draft Standing Orders for the Working of Vessels Carrying Dangerous Cargo in the Sea Ports of Bangladesh

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended the Meeting on "Draft Rules of Dangerous Cargo Act, 1953" and Draft "STANDING ORDERS FOR THE WORKING OF VESSELS CARRYING DANGEROUS CARGO IN THE SEA PORTS OF BANGLADESH" on August 25, 2021 at Ministry of Defence. Additional Secretary (Wing-1) of Ministry of Defence Ms. Selina Haq chaired the meeting.

## Senior Vice President attended the Export Diversification Meeting at BEZA

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the Export Diversification Meeting at Bangladesh Economic Zone Authority office, Dhaka on August 26, 2021. Mr. Shaikh Yusuf Harun (Senior Secretary), Executive Chairman, BEZA presided over the meeting. Mr. Anwar Ul Alam Chowdhury Parvez, Director of FBCCI and Mr. Manzur Ahmed, Adviser of FBCCI were also present at the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the meeting of Feasibility Study Committee

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI and Member of Feasibility Study Committee took part in the Meeting of the Committee formed to study the feasibility of the proposed project titled "Establishment of BSTI Regional Offices in 10 Districts" on August 29, 2021. The meeting chaired by Convenor of the Committee, Director (Administration) Mr. Md. Taher Jamil.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined the 2nd stakeholder Meeting of Matarbari 2\*600 MW Ultra-Supercritical Coal Fired Power Plant

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the 2nd stakeholder Meeting of Matarbari 2\*600 MW Ultra-Supercritical Coal Fired Power Plant (Phase-2) through Zoom Platform on August 31, 2021 organized by Coal Power Generation Company Bangladesh Limited. The meeting was held under the chairmanship of Additional Secretary of Power Division (Planning).

## Senior Vice President met Hon'ble Agricultural Minister

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI met Hon'ble Agricultural Minister Dr. Muhammad Abdur Razzaque MP on September 02, 2021 at Ministry of Agriculture regarding Potato issues. Mr. Abu Naser, Director of FBCCI, Mr. Mosharraf Hossain, President, Bangladesh Cold Storage Association were also present.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn joined the Meeting of Sub-committee on Internal Resource Mobilization & Tariff Rationalization

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI joined the 2nd Meeting of Sub-committee on Internal Resource Mobilization & Tariff Rationalization formed by the Prime Minister's Office to tackle potential challenges in transitioning from a least developed country held virtually on September 5, 2021. Senior Secretary, Finance Division, Ministry of Finance chaired the meeting. Mr. Manzur Ahmed, Trade and Tariff Policy Advisor of FBCCI was also present.



## FBCCI President joined the Closing Ceremony of Social Compliance, Occupational Health and Safety & Gender workshop

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as the special guest attended at the closing ceremony of the workshop on Social Compliance, Occupational Health and Safety & Gender organized by Export Competitiveness for Jobs

(EC4J), Ministry of Commerce held at the office of BPGMEA on September 06, 2021. Commerce Secretary Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh was present as the chief guest.



## Trade Bodies of Narayanganj hosted Reception Program in honor of New Board of Directors of FBCCI

Trade Bodies of Narayanganj hosted Reception Program in honor of New Board of Directors of FBCCI for the term 2021-23 on September 11, 2021 in Narayanganj. FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Directors of FBCCI, BKMEA President Mr. A.K.M Salim Osman, M.P. were also present at the reception program.



## Senior Vice President met Hon'ble Minister for Textile & Jute

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI met Hon'ble Textile & Jute Minister Mr. Golam Dastagir Gazi Birprotik MP at Ministry of Textile & Jute to discuss the issues related to Jute goods on September 12, 2021.

Mr. Md. Mosharraf Hossain, President, Bangladesh Cold Storage Association was also present in the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended the Webinar titled Bangladesh-Oman Bilateral Trade & Investment: Challenges and Opportunities



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin joined a webinar titled "Bangladesh-Oman Bilateral Trade & Investment: Challenges and Opportunities" organized by Bangladesh Embassy in Oman to celebrate Mujib Borsho and Golden Jubilee of the independence of Bangladesh on September 13, 2021. Hon'ble Minister for Foreign Affairs Dr. A.K. Abdul Momen graced the webinar as the Chief Guest.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the 4th meeting on Civil Engineering Committee of BSTI

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the 4th meeting on Civil Engineering Committee of Bangladesh Standards and Testing Institution (BSTI) on September 14, 2021 at BSTI.

Dr. Khan Mahmud Amanat, Professor, Department of Civil Engineering, Bangladesh University of Engineering, Dhaka chaired the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended a meeting on Dubai expo at Ministry of Commerce



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended a meeting held on September 15, 2021 organized on the occasion of the six-month long international exhibition to be held in Dubai. Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Mnushi, MP presided over the meeting.



FBCCI vice-president Mr. Md. Amin Helaly was also present at the meeting.

## FBCCI President joined LEADS-2021

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin joined the 2nd day of two-day long "LEADS-2021" on September 15, 2021 virtually organized by Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry-FICCI. While speaking on the occasion, FBCCI President urged the South Asian countries to work together to reap the maximum benefits of information technology.



## Vice President Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir attended in the 84th meeting of BERG

Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Vice President of FBCCI attended the 84th meeting of Bangladesh Energy Regulatory Commission (BERG) to finalize the Bangladesh Energy Regulatory Commission License

(Amendment) Regulations, 2021 (Draft) on September 16, 2021 at BERG under the chairmanship of Mr. Md. Abdul Jalil, Hon'ble Chairman of the Commission.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn joined the 2nd Meeting of NSDC

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI virtually joined the 2nd Meeting of National SME Development Council (NSDC) organized by the Ministry of Industries (SME and BITAC) on September 19, 2021

Hon'ble State Minister for Industries and Vice President of NSDC Mr. Kamal Ahmed Mojumder MP was also present in the meeting.

Hon'ble Minister for Industries and President of NSDC Mr. Nurul Majid Mahmud Humayun, MP chaired the meeting.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended the 204th Meeting of Board of Directors, Teletalk Bangladesh Limited

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI attended the 204th Meeting of Board of Directors, Teletalk Bangladesh Limited on September 19, 2021 at Department of Posts and Telecommunications, Bangladesh Secretariat organized by Teletalk Bangladesh Limited.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn participated in the preparatory meeting at EPB

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI participated in the preparatory meeting to ensure the smooth opening of the Bangabandhu Bangladesh-China Friendship Exhibition Center organized by EPB at its premise on September 21, 2021. Hon'ble Commerce Secretary Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh chaired the meeting.

## Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Amin Helaly and Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended the DITF-2022 Steering Committee meeting at EPB

Vice Presidents of FBCCI Mr. Md. Amin Helaly and Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended the meeting of the Steering Committee of Dhaka International Trade Fair (DITF)-2022 at Export Promotion Bureau (EPB) on September 21, 2021. Hon'ble Commerce Secretary Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly participated in 142nd Board Meeting of EPB

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI participated in the 142nd meeting of the Board of Directors of the Export Promotion Bureau (EPB) at EPB on September 22, 2021 organized by EPB.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn joined the 2nd Meeting of the Advisory Committee formed under the Modernization of National Accounts Statistics Project

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI virtually joined the 2nd Meeting of the Advisory Committee on September 22, 2021 formed under the Modernization of National Accounts Statistics Project with the aim of smooth implementation of GDP estimating activities. Chairman of the Advisory Committee Prof. Dr. Wahid Uddin Mahmud presided over the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the Roundtable discussion organized by the Daily Star and UNDP

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended the Roundtable discussion on "Consultation with wider stakeholders on SDGs 5, 8 & 13 through whole of society approach on September 23, 2021 at The Daily Star Centre, Dhaka jointly organized by The Daily Star and United Nations Development Programme (UNDP). Honourable State Minister for Planning Dr. Shamsul Alam graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended the 7th meeting of National Data Coordination Committee (NDCC)-Economic

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI attended the 7th meeting of National Data Coordination Committee (NDCC)-Economic at Parishangkhan Bhaban, Agargoan, Dhaka on September 23, 2021 organized by Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS). Additional Secretary (Administration), Ministry of Planning Mr. Muhammad Mesbahul Alam chaired the meeting.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn participated in meeting of Skill and Productivity enhancement Thematic Group

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI participated in the First meeting of 'Skill and Productivity enhancement Thematic Group' under the Sub-committee on Investment, Domestic Market Development and Export Diversification on preparation, planning, implementation and monitoring of the potential challenges facing Bangladesh as a result of

its transition from a least developed country to a developing country held at National Skills Development Authority (NSDA) on September 26, 2021. The meeting was presided over by Executive Chairman (Secretary) of NSDA.

## Vice President Mr. M A Momen attended the meeting of the Study Group on Subsidy

Mr. M A Momen, Vice President of FBCCI attended the 3rd meeting of the "Study Group on Subsidy" constituted as per the decision of the Sub-Committee on Internal Resource Mobilization & Tariff Rationalization on September 27, 2021 at Bangladesh Secretariat.

Director General, Monitoring Cell, Ministry of Finance chaired the meeting.

Mr. Manzur Ahmed, Advisor of FBCCI was also present in the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended meeting of the National Consumer Rights Protection Council

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI attended the 23rd meeting of the National Consumer Rights Protection Council on September 27, 2021 at Ministry of Commerce.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister and President of the Council Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. M A Momen joined the 42nd Board Meeting of BAB

Mr. M A Momen, Vice President of FBCCI virtually joined the 42nd Board Meeting of Bangladesh Accreditation Board (BAB) on September 28, 2021.

Hon'ble Industry Secretary and Chairman of the Board Ms. Zakia Sultana chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. M A Momen joined the meeting of the Working Group on Improvement of Investment Climate

Mr. M A Momen, Vice President of FBCCI virtually joined the meeting of the "Working Group on Improvement of Investment Climate" formed by the action agenda of the 2nd meeting of 'Bangladesh-Japan Public-Private Economic Dialogue' on September 29, 2021.

Convener of the Working Group and Director General -1, Prime Minister Office chaired the meeting.

## Senior Vice President attended a press conference on Potato related issues at Dhaka Club Limited

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a press conference on Potato related issues on October 02,

2021 at Dhaka Club Limited organized by Bangladesh Cold Storage Association.

## Senior Vice President attended a meeting on Formation of a New Authority at BIDA

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the to provide licenses and other services from the same place to prevent fires and other accidents in factories and formulate a guideline under BIDA on October 04, 2021 at BIDA office.

Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam, Executive Chairman, BIDA presided over the meeting.

Mr. Anwar Ul Alam Chowdhury (Parvez), Director of FBCCI and President of BCI was also present, among others.

## Vice President Mr. M A Momen attended the Meeting of SDG Implementation and Review Committee

Mr. M A Momen, Vice President of FBCCI attended the Meeting of SDG Implementation and Review Committee at Bangladesh Planning

Commission, Ministry of Planning on October 06, 2021 chaired by Ms. Zuena Aziz, Principal Coordinator of SDG Affairs at PMO.



## President of FBCCI attended the Launching of Bangladesh Business Climate Index (BBX)

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as special guest, joined the launching program of Country's First Ever homegrown "Bangladesh Business Climate Index (BBX)" a joint venture of MCCI and Policy

Exchange Bangladesh, virtually held on October 07, 2021. Mr. Salman F. Rahman MP, Private Sector Industry and Investment Advisor to Hon'ble Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.



## Vice President Mr. M A Momen attended the meeting of the JTT regarding the preparation of STS for the LDC Graduation of Bangladesh

Mr. M A Momen, Vice President of FBCCI attended the 2nd meeting of the JTT regarding the preparation of Smooth Transition Strategy (STS) for the LDC Graduation of Bangladesh virtually held on October 10, 2021.

Mr. Farid Aziz, Wing Chief, Development Effectiveness Wing, ERD chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined the Meeting on draft submission on LDC graduation for Ministerial Conference

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the Meeting on draft submission on LDC graduation for MC12 through Zoom Meeting

Platform on October 10, 2021 under chairmanship of Respected Director General, WTO Cell of Ministry of Commerce.

## Senior Vice President attended the meeting on Essential Commodities

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the Essential Commodities meeting especially onion price hike on October 11, 2021 at Ministry of Commerce. Hon'ble Commerce

Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP was the Chief Guest in the meeting and Commerce Secretary Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh presided over the meeting.

## Senior Vice President attended discussion meeting on land ports at NBR office

Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu attended a discussion meeting on land ports on October 13, 2021 at NBR.

NBR Chairman Mr. Abu Hena Md. Rahmatul Muneem presided over the meeting.



## FBCCI President attended a discussion meeting titled Shared Vision for a better world -Standards for SDGs

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI attended a discussion meeting titled "Shared Vision for a better world -Standards for SDGs" organized by BSTI on the occasion of World Standard Day on October 14, 2021. Hon'ble Minister of Industries Mr. Nurul Majid Mahmud Humayun, MP as the Chief Guest and Ms. Zakia Sultana, Hon'ble Secretary of the Ministry of Industries as special guest were present at the meeting.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the Asia Apparel Expo, Berlin, Germany Participation Committee Meeting

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the meeting of the Committee to discuss a participation at "Asia Apparel Expo, Berlin, Germany (22-24 February, 2022)" on October 17, 2021 at Export Promotion Bureau (EPB).

Director General-1 of EPB chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended the meeting of the Sub-committee on Branding Bangladesh Abroad

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI participated in the meeting of the Sub-committee on 'Branding Bangladesh Abroad' on October 18, 2021 at Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA).

The meeting was presided over by Executive Chairman of BIDA

## FBCCI President attended Doa Mahfil and virtual Discussion program organized by BIA

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as the Chief Guest attended the Doa Mahfil and Virtual Discussion Program organized by Bangladesh Insurance Association (BIA) on the occasion of Sheikh Russel's birthday

and "Sheikh Russel Day-2021" on October 18, 2021. The meeting was chaired by the First Vice President of BIA Mr. Nasir Uddin Ahmed.





## FBCCI President attended a training program organized by BIDA

FBCCI President as the chief guest, attended a training program of integrated inspection and monitoring team to ensure accident prevention and safe working environment in factories, industries and commercial establishments, organized by BIDA on October 19, 2021.

Mr. Md. Ehsan-E-Elahi, Secretary, Ministry of Labour and Employment presided over the function.



## FBCCI President attended a Meeting on E-Commerce at Commerce Ministry



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended a meeting on E-commerce at Ministry of Commerce on October 25, 2021.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP chaired the meeting.

Hon'ble Minister for Post and Telecommunication Mr. Mostafa Jabbar, Private Industry and Invest Advisor to Hon'ble Prime Minister, Mr. Salman F Rahman, and ICT state Minister Mr. Zunaid Ahmed Palak were also present at the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. M A Momen attended the Seminar on Post COVID Investment Promotion Strategy at BIDA

Mr. M A Momen, Vice President of FBCCI attended the Seminar on Post COVID Investment Promotion Strategy on October 25, 2021 at Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA) presided over by Executive Member of BIDA, Ms. Mohsina Yasmin.

The Executive Chairman of BIDA, Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam was the Chief Guest of the event.

## FBCCI President attended the Inaugural Ceremony of Bangladesh Trade & Investment Summit 2021

Mr. Md. Jasim Uddin, President of FBCCI as special guest, attended the Inaugural Ceremony of Bangladesh Trade & Investment Summit 2021 on October 26, 2021 at BICC jointly organized by DCCI and Ministry of Commerce. Hon'ble Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.

Mr. Salman F Rahman, MP, Private Industry and Investment Adviser to the Hon'ble Prime Minister was also present at the summit.





## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined the webinar on Bangladesh: A right destination for your business and investment

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the webinar on 'Bangladesh: A right destination for your business and investment' held on October 26, 2021 organized by Bangladesh Investment Development

Authority (BIDA) and hosted by the Embassy of Bangladesh, Stockholm, Sweden.

## FBCCI President attended the discussion meeting titled Role of Sheikh Hasina in the Development of Industry and Trade amidst Corona

Mr. Md. Jasim Uddin, President of FBCCI, as guest of honor, joined the discussion meeting titled "Role of Sheikh Hasina in the Development of Industry and Trade amidst Corona" on October 27, 2021 organized by the Central Sub-Committee on Industry and Commerce of Bangladesh Awami League. Hon'ble Minister for Road Transport and Bridges and General Secretary of Bangladesh Awami League Mr. Obaidul Quader MP was present as the chief guest at the meeting. The meeting was chaired by Mr. Kazi Akram Uddin Ahmed, Member of the Advisory Council of Bangladesh Awami League and Chairman of the Central Committee on Industry and Commerce and former President of FBCCI.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended a meeting of the Halal Certification Committee at BSTI

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended a meeting of the Halal Certification Committee to issue Halal Certificate from Bangladesh

Standard and Testing Institution (BSTI) on October 27, 2021 at BSTI.

## FBCCI President joined the Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujib Industrial Award giving ceremony

President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as special guest joined the Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujib Industrial Award giving ceremony on October 28, 2021 held at Osmani Memorial Auditorium in the capital.



## FBCCI President inaugurated New Branch of Bengal Commercial Bank

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin inaugurated Islami Banking Branch of Bengal Commercial Bank at Dilkusha in the Capital on October 28, 2021.

Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir and Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn were present at the inaugural ceremony.





## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the Meeting of Jury Board of National SME Entrepreneur Award-2021

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended the 1st Meeting of Jury Board "National SME Entrepreneur Award-2021" on October 28, 2021 at SME Foundation.

Convenor of the Committee Dr. Mohammed Farashuddin, Former Governor of Bangladesh Bank and Chairperson of Board of Trustees, East West University chaired the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended BAJUS's Gunijan Shammanona Ceremony.

President of FBCCI, Md. Jasim Uddin, as the chief guest attended BAJUS's "Gunijan Shammanona" Ceremony at the Bangladesh Jewelers Association's Meritorious Awards "Gunijan Shammanona" held on October 29, 2021. Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President, FBCCI was present as special guests at the event.

Mr. Enamul Haque Khan, President of Bajus presided over the function.



## FBCCI President attended WEND Book Unveiling Ceremony



Mr. Md. Jasim Uddin, President of FBCCI as guest of honor, attended the Unveiling Ceremony of the book titled "Shadhinatar 50 Bochaor: Din Bodoley 50 Nari Agrodoot" organized by Women Entrepreneurs Network for Development Association (WEND) at FBCCI Auditorium on October 30, 2021.

Hon'ble Minister for Education Dr. Dipu Moni, MP was the the Chief Guest of the unveiling ceremony.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn participated in awarding the highest value added tax payer in the financial year 2019-2020 Committee Meeting

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI participated in the meeting of the committee on awarding the highest value added tax

payer in the financial year 2019-2020 on November 01, 2021 at National Board of Revenue (NBR).

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended the meeting regarding the issuance of tax cards in the tax year 2020-2021

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI attended the meeting regarding the issuance of tax cards in the tax year 2020-2021 in accordance with the "National Tax Card Policy, 2010 (Revised)" on November 03, 2021 at National Board of Revenue (NBR).

The meeting was presided over by Member of National Board of Revenue (Tax Administration and Human Resource Management).

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended the meeting of the committee formed by the Cabinet Division to work on e-commerce

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI attended the 3rd meeting of the committee formed by the Cabinet Division to decide on the steps to be taken to bring e-commerce institutions under supervision on November 09, 2021 at Ministry of Commerce.

Additional Secretary (Import and Domestic Trade), Ministry of Commerce presided over the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn joined the Meeting of LIDWC

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI joined the 2nd Meeting of Logistics Infrastructure Development Working Committee (LIDWC) held virtually on November 13, 2021.

The meeting was Co-Chaired by Mr. Md. Tofazzel Hossain Miah, Secretary of Prime Minister's Office and Mr. Abul Kasem Khan, Chairperson of Business Initiative Leading Development (BUILD).



## Senior Vice President attended the 199th Anti-smuggling Task Force Committee meeting at NBR

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the 199th Anti-smuggling Task Force Committee meeting at NBR on November 14, 2021.

Mr. Abu Hena Md. Rahmatul Muneem, Senior Secretary, Internal Resources Division & Chairman, NBR presided over the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended the Inauguration Ceremony of Sourcing Bangladesh 2021

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI, as a special guest, attended the Inaugural Ceremony of Sourcing Bangladesh 2021-Virtual Edition (online Sourcing Exhibition) organized by Export Promotion Bureau (EPB) on November 15, 2021 at Dhaka. Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP, Hon'ble Minister, Ministry of Commerce, Bangladesh graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.



## FBCCI President joined preparatory meeting of International Investment Summit 2021



Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI joined a preparatory meeting hosted by Bangladesh Investment Development Authority at its' Office on November 16, 2021, ahead of "International Investment Summit 2021". Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam, Executive Chairman of BIDA was present at the meeting.

## Senior Vice President attended meeting on Bangladesh India trade at Rangpur Chamber

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu attended a meeting on Bangladesh-India Bilateral Trade organized by Rangpur Chamber in Rangpur on November 16, 2021.

He delivered a key note presentation on Bilateral trade & commerce between Bangladesh and India.

H.E. Mr. Vikram K Doraiswami, High Commissioner of India to Bangladesh was the Chief Guest.

Mr. Mostofa Sohrab Chowdhury Tito, President of Rangpur Chamber of Commerce and Industry presided over the meeting.

## Senior Vice President attended the 79th EC meeting of Bangladesh Cold Storage Association

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the 79th EC meeting of Bangladesh Cold Storage Association

on November 16, 2021 at the conference room of the Bangladesh Cold Storage Association in Dhaka.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined the meeting of Engineering (Mechanical) Divisional Committee at BSTI

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the 5th meeting of the Engineering (Mechanical) Divisional Committee for the period 2019-21 on November 17, 2021 at Bangladesh Standard and Testing

Institution (BSTI) chaired by chairman of the Committee, Dr. Alope Kumar Mozumder, Professor of Department of Mechanical Engineering organized by BSTI.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined Webinar on Bangladesh-South Africa Bilateral Relations

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the Webinar on "Bangladesh-South Africa Bilateral Relations: Exploring the Potentials for Future Engagement and Cooperation on November 18, 2021 organized by Bangladesh Institute of International and Strategic Studies (BISS).

H.E. Dr A K Abdul Momen, MP, Hon' ble Minister for Foreign Affairs graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.



## Senior Vice President attended the reception on Armed Forces Day-2021

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a reception on Armed Forces Day-2021 at Senakunja, Dhaka Cantonment on November 21, 2021 organized by Prime Minister & Minister of Defense.

Hon'ble Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina MP graced the reception as the Chief Guest.

## Vice President Mr. M A Momen attended meeting of the editorial board set up by BIDA

Mr. M.A. Momen, Vice President of FBCCI attended the meeting of the editorial board set up by the Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA) to publish special newsletters and souvenirs on the occasion of Bangladesh International Investment 2021 at BIDA on

November 21, 2021.

Ms. Parvin Akter, Executive Member -2 (Marketing and Communication) chaired the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended Investment Dialogue at BIDA

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the Investment Dialogue jointly organized by Bangladesh Investment Development Authority and Foreign Investors Chamber of Commerce and Industry on November 22, 2021 at BIDA Office. Mr. Salman F Rahman, Hon'ble Private Industry and Investment Advisor to Prime Minister, Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam, Executive Chairman, BIDA, Mrs. Rupali Haque Chowdhury, President, FICCI were also present at the Dialogue.



## FBCCI President attended National Dialogue on LDC Graduation

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as the guest of Honor, attended at the National Dialogue on LDC Graduation on November 22, 2021 at a city Hotel, organized by Centre for Governance Studies in association with Friedrich Ebert Stiftung and TEAM.



## FBCCI President attended the Tax Card Giving Ceremony 2020-2021

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as Special Guest, attended the "Tax Card Giving Ceremony 2020-2021" organized by National Board of Revenue on November 24, 2021 at Officers Club, Dhaka.

Hon'ble Finance Minister Mr. A H M Mustafa Kamal, MP graced the ceremony as the Chief Guest. The occasion was chaired by Mr. Abu Hena Md. Rahmatul Muneem, Chairman, NBR.





## Vice President Mr. M A Momen attended meeting of the BIDA editorial board

Mr. M.A. Momen, Vice President of FBCCI attended the 3rd meeting of the BIDA editorial to publish special newsletters and souvenirs on the occasion of Bangladesh International Investment 2021 at BIDA on November 24, 2021.

Ms. Parvin Akter, Executive Member -2 (Marketing and Communication) chaired the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended discussion meeting on Creating Awareness at Old Dhaka



Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI attended a discussion meeting at Old Dhaka on Creating Awareness in preventing Fire Incidents in Industries organized by three trade associations on November 25, 2021.



Vice Presidents of FBCCI Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly were also present at the meeting.

Mr. Haji Mohammad Selim, MP graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the presentation of policy paper on Development for Technical and Vocational Education System

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended the presentation of policy paper on Development for Technical and Vocational Education System in Bangladesh: Lessons from the German Experience held at SME Foundation on November 23, 2021.

Hon'ble Deputy Minister for Education Mr. Mohibul Hassan Chowdhury graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the presentation of policy paper on Financing SMEs in Bangladesh

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the online presentation of policy paper on Financing SMEs in Bangladesh: Lessons from the German Experience on November 28, 2021 jointly organized by SME Foundation and Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung (FES).

Mr. Sheikh Mohammad Saleem Ullah, secretary of the Financial Institutions Department (FID), Ministry of Finance was present as the Chief Guest.

## FBCCI President joined Inaugural Ceremony of International Investment Summit 2021

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI joined the Inaugural Ceremony of "International Investment Summit 2021" organized by Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA) at a City Hotel on November 28, 2021. The Summit was inaugurated by Shiekh Hasina, Hon'ble Prime

Minister of Bangladesh.

Mr. Salman F Rahman, Private Industry and Investment Advisor to Hon'ble Prime Minister and Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam, Executive Chairman were also present at the ceremony





## FBCCI President attended seminar on the occasion of National Income Tax Day 2021

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as Special Guest, attended a seminar organized by the National Board of Revenue on the occasion of National Income Tax Day 2021 held on November 30, 2021.



Mr. Anisul Huq, Hon'ble Minister for Law, Justice, and Parliamentary Affairs graced the seminar as the Chief Guest.

NBR Chairman Mr. Abu Hena Md. Rahmatul Muneem chaired the seminar.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended a meeting on Expo 2020, Dubai

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended a meeting on Expo 2020, Dubai on December 02, 2021 at Ministry of Commerce.

Issues related to Bangladesh Country Day on December 16, 2021 and Country Business Briefing on December 17, 2021 have been discussed

in the meeting.

Additional Secretary (Export) of Ministry of Commerce presided over the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended the ABCD 2021

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as a panel discussant attended the Annual BIDS Conference on Development (ABCD) 2021 on December 03, 2021 held at a city hotel, along with Former Finance Minister Mr. M Syeduzzaman, Principal Secretary to the Honorable Prime Minister Mr. Ahmad Kaikus, Governor of Bangladesh Bank Mr. Fazle Kabir, Senior Finance Secretary Mr. Abdur Rouf Talukder, Planning Secretary Mr. Pradip Ranjan Chakraborty, Chairman of Policy Research Institute (PRI) Mr. Zaidi Sattar, Executive Director of BRAC Mr. Asif Saleh, Former Lead Economist of World Bank Syed Akhtar Mahmood, Distinguished Fellow of Centre for Policy Dialogue (CPD) Mr. Mustafizur Rahman, President of MCCI Dhaka Barrister Nihad Kabir, Director General of BIDS Mr. Binayak Sen.



Dr. Wahiduddin Mahmud, Chairman, Economic Research Group (ERG) delivered the key note speech.

The 3rd day session of the 3-day conference was chaired by Dr. Shamsul Alam, Honorable State Minister for Planning.

## FBCCI President joined Reception Program hosted by Noakhali District Samity, Dhaka

Noakhali District Samity, Dhaka hosted a reception program in honour of the President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin on December 04, 2021 pm

at the Council Hall (3rd Floor), Institution of Diploma Engineers.





## FBCCI President attended Inaugural ceremony of 9th National SME product fair 2021

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as the chief guest, attended the Inaugural ceremony of the 9th National SME product fair 2021” organized by SME Foundation on December 05 at Bangabandhu International Conference Center. Hon’ble Prime Minister H.E Sheikh Hasina, MP virtually inaugurated the fair. Hon’ble Minister for Industries Mr. Nurul Majid Mahmud Humayun, MP chaired the event.



## FBCCI President joined India-Bangladesh Friendship Day Celebration program at Bangabandhu International Conference Center

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI attended the Celebration program on the occasion of India- Bangladesh Friendship Day hosted by High Commission of India, Dhaka at BangaBandhu International

Conference Center on December 06, 2021. Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI also attended the celebration.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended Meeting of Sub-Committee of 26th Dhaka International Trade Fair (DITF)-2022

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended the 1st Meeting of Sub-Committee of 26th Dhaka International Trade Fair (DITF)-2022 on December 6, 2021 at Export Promotion Bureau (EPB).

Vice President and Convenor of the Sub-Committee of DITF Mr. A.H.M Ahsan chaired the meeting.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the workshop on Improvement of Economic Opportunity of Cox's Bazar

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI as the Guest of Honour joined the workshop on "Improve Economic Opportunity for the Host Communities of Cox's Bazar & reflecting on the Development initiatives of Cox's Bazar jointly organized by Cox's Bazar Chamber of Commerce & Industry and International Labour Organization (ILO) held on December 07, 2021 at Cox's Bazar.

Different stakeholders from Government & Private Sector, Entrepreneurs, Business Community, Media, Youth Group, Chamber members, UN agencies representatives participate in the workshop.



## FBCCI President received Green Factory Award 2020

FBCCI President Mr. Md Jashim Uddin received Green Factory Award -2020 given by Ministry of Labour and Employment on December 08, 2021 at Osmani Memorial Auditorium. Ms Tasfia Jashim, Daughter of Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin and Managing Director of Designer Fashion also received the Green Factory Award 2020.

The Award Giving Ceremony was virtually inaugurated by Hon'ble Prime Minister H.E Sheikh Hasina, MP. Begum Munnujan Sufian, MP, Hon'ble Minister for Labour and Employment chaired the ceremony.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended Meeting of Steering Committee of DITF 2022

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI joined the 3rd Meeting of Steering Committee of Dhaka International Trade Fair (DITF)-2022 on December 9, 2021 at Export Promotion Bureau (EPB).

Hon'ble Commerce Secretary and Chairman of the Committee Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh chaired the meeting.



## FBCCI President attended the seminar and Highest VAT payers' award giving ceremony

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as special guest, attended the seminar and Highest VAT payers' award giving ceremony on the occasion of VAT day & VAT Week organized by NBR on December 10, 2021.

Speaking on the occasion, FBCCI chief emphasized on setting up a sustainable revenue infrastructure to tackle the adverse impact brought by Corona Epidemic and to continue the pace of the economy.



## FBCCI President attended Inaugural of newly extended DCCI Gulshan Center

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as Special Guest attended the Inaugural of newly extended DCCI Gulshan Center in North Dhaka on December 11, 2021.

Speaking at the program, FBCCI Chief said, Bangladesh still lags behind in the logistic sector, but it is necessary to prioritize the logistic sector

to attract FDI. Traffic Congestion in the Dhaka-Chattogram Highway also needs to be solved and ensuring faster service at the sea ports will help boost the economy, the President emphasized. Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi MP as the chief guest was present at the event.



## Senior Vice President attended seminar on VAT Day & VAT Week-2021 & Award giving ceremony of the highest VAT payers

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a seminar on VAT Day & VAT Week-2021 & Award giving ceremony of the highest VAT payers in district level at Customs, Excise and VAT Commissionerate, Dhaka (North), Dhaka on December 12, 2021. Alhaj Mohammad Habib Hasan, M.P was the chief guest. Ms. Farjana Afroz, Commissioner, Customs, Excise and VAT, Dhaka (North) presided over the seminar.



## Senior Vice President attended a meeting on Incentives on Export like Plastic, Detergent & Pet flake

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a meeting on Incentives on Export like Plastic, Detergent & Pet flake at Ministry of Commerce on December 13, 2021. Mr. Md. Hafizur

Rahman, Additional secretary (Export), Ministry of Commerce presided over the meeting. Mr. Shamim Ahmed, President of Bangladesh Plastic Goods Manufacturers & Exporters Association was also present.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended Meeting of Bangladesh - Russia Intergovernmental Commission.

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI joined the 3rd Meeting of Bangladesh - Russia Intergovernmental Commission on Trade, Scientific, Economic and Technical Cooperation (BR-IGC) on

December 13, 2021 and the Plenary Meeting on December 15, 2021 at NEC-2 Conference Center organized by the Ministry of Finance.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn joined online meeting of the National Final Selection Committee

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI joined the online meeting of the National Final Selection Committee to examine and finalize the national level applications for the event "Sheikh Hasina Youth Volunteer Award 2020" being implemented by the Ministry of Youth and

Sports under Dhaka OIC Youth Capital 2020 on December 14, 2022.

Hon'ble State Minister for Youth and Sports Mr. Md. Zahid Ahsan Russel, MP chaired the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended inaugural ceremony of the REHAB Fair 2021

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as Special Guest attended the inaugural ceremony of the REHAB Fair 2021 on December 23, 2021 at Bangabandhu International Conference Centre.

Speaking on the occasion, The FBCCI Chief called upon all to work together for the successful LDC Graduation. He also urged the government to engage REHAB in building Economic Zones across the country.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP graced the occasion as Chief Guest, Housing and Public Works Secretary Mr. Md. Shahid Ullah Khandaker and RAJUK Chairman Mr. A B M Amin Ullah Nuri also attended as Special Guest.

Mr. Alamgir Shamsul Alamin (Kajal) presided over the inaugural session of the Fair.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn joined meeting on drafting the new Companies Act 2020

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI attended a meeting on drafting the new Companies Act 2020 at Ministry of Commerce on December 28, 2021.

Hon'ble Commerce Secretary Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh chaired the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended the Annual General Meeting of BPGMEA

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as Special Guest attended the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Bangladesh Plastic Goods Manufacturers and Exporters Association (BPGMEA) on December 29, 2021 at Bangladesh Institute of Plastic Engineering and Technology (BIPET).

In the meeting, the FBCCI Chief urged the entrepreneurs of this sector to work together to take the industry towards the zenith success.



## FBCCI President attended the workshop on the Income Tax Law-2022

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the workshop on the Income Tax Law-2022 (draft) on December 30, 2021 at NBR office.





## FBCCI Vice President Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan has been honored with Sheikh Hasina Youth Volunteer Award-2020

FBCCI Vice President Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan has been honored with Sheikh Hasina Youth Volunteer Award-2020 in recognition of his tireless contribution during the covid-19 pandemic. The award was conferred on him during the closing ceremony of OIC Youth Capital 2020 held at Osmani Memorial Auditorium on December 30, 2022.

His excellency President Mr. Abdul Hamid joined the ceremony as the chief in attendance of Foreign Affairs Minister Dr. A.K. Abdul Momen, MP, State Minister for Youth and Sports Mr. Md. Zahid Ahsan Russel, MP and OIC Secretary General Hussain Ibrahim Taha.



## FBCCI President attended inaugural ceremony of 26th Dhaka International Trade Fair

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as Special Guest attended the inaugural ceremony of the 26th Dhaka International Trade Fair at Purbachal on January 01, 2022.

FBCCI Chief urged for signing FTA or PTA with Competitor Countries like India, Vietnam, Cambodia, Indonesia, China and Sri Lanka as these countries are already enjoying free trade facilities in EU. He also stressed

on signing Free Trade Agreement with six major economic blocs; The Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership, European Economic Union, USA EU, Post BREXIT UK and African continental free trade agreement.

Hon'ble Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina MP virtually inaugurated the month-long Dhaka Int'l trade fair. The event was presided over by Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP.



## FBCCI President attended seminar on Fourth Industrial Revolution: The Role of Academia and Industry in Bangladesh

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as the Chief Guest attended the seminar titled "Fourth Industrial Revolution: The Role of Academia and Industry in Bangladesh" held at BUET on January 03, 2022.

FBCCI President urged the BUET to join the initiative of FBCCI Innovation Center which will work on Private sector capacity development. He also emphasized on close collaboration between Industry people and academicians for further growth of the economy.

Prof. Dr. Muhammad Anisuzzaman Talukder, Director, RISE delivered the welcome speech and the closing remarks were given by the vice-chancellor of the BUET Prof. Dr. Satya Prasad Majumder.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined an inter-ministerial meeting to discuss contract farming in Congo

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended an inter-ministerial meeting to discuss contract farming in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, held at Ministry of Foreign Affairs on January 03, 2022.

Hon'ble Foreign Secretary Mr. Masud Bin Momen presided over the meeting.

## Senior Vice-President attended the Review Meeting on the Progress of the Private Sector Initiatives to Meet the Challenges of the 4IR

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice-President of FBCCI as the Special Guest attended the Review Meeting on the "Progress of the Private Sector Initiatives to Meet the Challenges of the 4IR" held on January 04, 2022 at Cabinet Division, Bangladesh Secretariat.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu said that, to tackle the challenges and catch the potential of 4IR, halves of the schools and colleges should be converted into technical and vocational institutions.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined the meeting of evaluation committee for Awards

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended the evaluation committee meeting for the award of “National Productivity and Quality Excellence Award and Institutional Appreciation Award 2020” held at Industry on January 04, 2022.

Additional Secretary (Ship Recycling, BIRA, Private Sector & BIM) Mr. Md. Zafar Ullah chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined the meeting of CIP (Industry) -2018 Selection Committee

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the meeting of the selection committee formed for selection of Commercially Important Person (Industry) -2018 held at Ministry of Industries on January 04, 2022.

Additional Secretary for Industries Mr. S M Alam chaired the meeting.

## Senior Vice President attended the Exchange of Views with private sector stakeholders on challenges of the 4 IR

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the Exchange of Views with private sector stakeholders on future course of action to meet the challenges of the 4th Industrial Revolution at Cabinet Ministry, Bangladesh Secretariat on January 04, 2022.

Hon’ble Cabinet Secretary Mr. Khandaker Anwarul Islam presided over the meeting.



## Senior Vice President attended a virtual inter-ministerial meeting on action plan for implementation of the direction to stop Single Use Plastic

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a virtual inter-ministerial meeting on action plan for implementation of the direction to stop Single Use Plastic made to stop use of 3-year term action plan implementation held at Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change on January 05, 2022.

Mr. Md. Mostofa Kamal, Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change presided over the meeting. Mr. Shamim Ahmed, President of Bangladesh Plastic Goods Manufacturers & Exporters Association was also present.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended meeting of the SME Foundation’s Working Committee

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended the 19th meeting of the SME Foundation’s Working Committee on Technology Development at SME Foundation on January 05, 2022.

Convener of the Committee and Director General of Bangladesh Industrial Technical Assistance Center (BITAC) Mr. Anwar Hossain Chowdhury chaired the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended the Inaugural Ceremony of the Integrated Inspection and Monitoring Team

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as special guest attended the inaugural ceremony of the Integrated Inspection and Monitoring Team of 11 districts (Narsingdi, Narayanganj, Brahmanbaria, Munshiganj, Faridpur, Shariatpur, Madaripur, Gopalganj, Rajbari, Manikganj and Tangail) to prevent incidents at factories and commercial establishments. Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA) and Department of Inspection for Factories and Establishments (DIFE) jointly organized the day-long training program at BIDA Multipurpose Hall on January 09, 2022.





## FBCCI President attended Meet the Reporters organized by DRU

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin joined the "Meet the Reporters" organized by Dhaka Reporters' Unity on January 12, 2022.

FBCCI Chief discussed on the issues related to Covid-19 pandemic, Lockdown impact on economy, Economic recovery process, Stimulus

Package implementation status, global supply chain, etc.

President of the Dhaka Reporters Unity Mr. Nazrul Islam, General Secretary Mr. Nurul Islam Hasib and Organizing Secretary Mr. Abdullah Al Kafi were present at the program, among others.



## Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the CIP Export 2019 Selection Committee meeting

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the CIP Export 2019 selection committee meeting on January 12, 2022 at Ministry of Commerce.

Mr. Md. Hafizur Rahman, Additional Secretary (Export), Ministry of commerce presided over the meeting.

## Senior Vice President attended Central Procurement Technical Unit Committee meeting

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the Central Procurement Technical Unit Committee meeting on restructuring the existing review panels to ensure transparency

and accountability in government procurement at Ministry of Planning on January 12, 2022. Mr. Abu Hena Murshed Zaman, Secretary, IMED presided over the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended meeting on road show in Qatar

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI took part in the meeting on setting up a preliminary work plan for organizing a road show in Qatar to promote investment held at Bangladesh Investment Development

Authority (BIDA) on January 12, 2022.

Executive Chairman of BIDA Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam chaired the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended Installation Ceremony of the Newly Elected Board of ESSAB

Mr. Md Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as the Chief Guest, attended the Installation Ceremony of the newly elected board of Electronics

Safety and Security Association of Bangladesh (ESSAB) on January 13, 2022 at a city hotel.





## FBCCI President attended the Bengal Islami Life Insurance Limited's Celebration of Achieving Yearly Business Target-2021

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the Bengal Islami Life Insurance Limited's Celebration of Achieving Yearly Business Target-2021 held at the Premise of Bengal Islami Life Insurance Ltd. on January 16, 2022.

Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu and Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly were also present, among others at the celebration program.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended preparatory meeting on Bangladesh's offer list for Sri Lanka under the BS-PTA

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI attended the meeting on the preparation of Bangladesh's offer list for Sri Lanka under the Bangladesh-Sri Lanka Priority Trade Agreement (BS-PTA) at

Bangladesh Trade & Tariff Commission, Dhaka on January 17, 2022. Chairman of the Commission Mr. Md. Afzal Hossain chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended a discussion meeting on simplification of various services

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI took part in a discussion meeting on simplification of various services provided by the Office of the Chief Controller of Imports and Exports and review of fixed

fees for various services at Ministry of Commerce, Dhaka on January 17, 2022.

Senior Secretary for Commerce presided over the discussion meeting.

## FBCCI Team attended meeting of Joint Working Committee of NBR and FBCCI on VAT Law-2012

Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Director Mr. Abul Kasem Khan, Former Director Mr. Md. Abdur Razzaque and the Advisor Mr. Manzur Ahmed attended a meeting of the Joint Working Committee of NBR and FBCCI on VAT Law-2012 held at NBR on January 19, 2022.

Various aspects of VAT implementations and field level problems were discussed at the meeting.

Mr. Hossain Ahmed, Member, VAT Audit and Intelligence, NBR chaired the meeting.



## Senior Vice President attended a discussion meeting on foreign reserve

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a discussion meeting on scope to learn, save and retain USD 15-20 Billion per year to increase the foreign exchange reserve \$40

billion to \$100 billion within next 3-5 years held at Ministry of Commerce on January 19, 2022. Senior Secretary of Commerce Ministry Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh, presided over the meeting.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the meeting of Sub-Committee on DITF-2022's Best Pavilion, Stall, Institutional Evaluation and Selection

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI participated in the meeting of Sub-Committee on DITF-2022's Best Pavilion, Stall, Institutional Evaluation and Selection at Export Promotion Bureau (EPB) on January 19, 2022.

Convener of the Sub-Committee and Director General of EPB Mr. Mahbubur Rahman chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended preparatory meeting on road show in Turkey

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended a preparatory meeting with the delegation on various issues related to the arrangement of the road show in Turkey at Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA) on January 19, 2022.

Executive Member (Marketing and Communication) Ms. Parvin Akter presided over the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended meeting with edible oil traders at Ministry of Commerce

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI attended a meeting with edible oil traders at Ministry of Commerce, Dhaka on January 19, 2022.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP chaired the meeting.

## FBCCI President and Directors received the CIP Card 2018

The government awarded commercially important persons (CIP)-2018 cards to 176 businessmen for their commendable performance in trade and export category on January 20, 2022. Commerce Minister Tipu Munshi, MP handed over the cards to the recipients at a city hotel at a

ceremony organized by the ministry.

Among them, 138 were selected by the ministry for CIPs card for excellence.



## FBCCI President attended the Certificate Awarding Ceremony of IVTI

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as the Chief Guest attended the "1st Batch Certificate Awarding Ceremony" organized by International VAT Training Institute (IVTI) on January 20, 2022 at a city Hotel. Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI, Dr. Md. Shahidul Islam, Member

National Board of Revenue, Mr. Ali Akber Khan, Chairman, Bangladesh Technical Education Board were present at the program.

Dr. Md. Abdul Rouf, chairman of International VAT Training Institute (IVTI) chaired the ceremony.





## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the meeting of selection committee formed for the election of CIP (Industry) -2018

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI took part in the meeting of the selection committee formed for the election of Commercially Important Person (Industry) -2018 at Ministry of Industries on January 23, 2022.

Additional Secretary Mr. S M Alam chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended inter-ministerial meeting of the sub-committee on Branding Bangladesh Abroad

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI participated in the inter-ministerial meeting of the sub-committee on 'Branding Bangladesh Abroad' on preparation, planning, implementation and monitoring of the potential challenges facing Bangladesh as a result of its transition from

a least developed country to a developing country at Ministry of Foreign Affairs on January 23, 2022.

Foreign Secretary chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined Meeting of Halal Food Products Sectional Committee (AFSC-26) in BSTI

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the 2nd Meeting of Halal Food Products Sectional Committee (AFSC-26) in BSTI virtually organized by the Bangladesh Standard and Testing Institution (BSTI) on January 25, 2022.

Professor Dr. Mohammad Golzarul Aziz, Department of Food Technology and Rural Industries, Bangladesh Agricultural University, Mymensingh chaired the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended RTV talk show on the occasion of the World Customs Day-2022

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended RTV talk show on the occasion of the World Customs Day-2022 on January 26, 2022. Mr. Abu

Hena Md Rahmatul Muneem, Chairman of the NBR also attended the talk show.



## Senior Vice President attended Online Job Fair for Persons with Disabilities

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI as a Special Guest, attended online Job Fair for Persons with Disabilities organized by Bangladesh Business & Disability Network on January 26, 2022.

Among others, Mr. Ardashir Kabir, President of Bangladesh Employers Federation and Mr. Tuomo Poutiainen, Country Lead, ILO were also present.

Hon'ble Deputy Minister for Education Mr. Mohibul Hasan Chowdhury, MP was the chief guest at the fair.



## FBCCI President attended the program of NBR on the occasion of World Customs Day-2022

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as a Special Guest attended a program organized by the National Board of Revenue and World Customs Organization (WCO) on the occasion of the World Customs Day 2022 on January 26, 2022 at a city hotel.

Federation Chief urged the NBR to separate the Policy and Collection departments and to form a trade facilitation department to further facilitate trade in the country. He also emphasized on tariffs and tax rates rationalization, implementation of National Single Window and fast settlement of disputes.

Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture Dr. Muhammad Abdur Razzaque, MP graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and Hon'ble State Minister for Shipping Mr. Khalid Mahmud Chowdhury MP, was also present as a special guest.

Chairman of NBR Mr. Abu Hena Md Rahmatul Muneem chaired the event.



## FBCCI President attended the Bangladesh Excellence Awards-2022

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as Special Guest attended the Bangladesh Excellence Awards-2022 ceremony organized by Bangladesh

American Chamber of Commerce on January 28, 2022 at a city hotel.



## FBCCI President attended the Closing Ceremony of the 26th Dhaka International Trade Fair (DITF) -2022

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as a Special Guest attended the Closing Ceremony of the 26th Dhaka International Trade Fair (DITF) -2022, at Bangabandhu Bangladesh-China Friendship Exhibition Center, Purbachal on January 31, 2022.

Hon'ble Minister for Ministry of Textiles and Jute Mr. Golam Dastagir Gazi (Birpratik) MP, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi MP was present as a Special Guest.

Senior Commerce Secretary Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh presided over the function.

Among others, Vice Chairman and CEO of the Export Promotion Bureau (EPB) Mr. A. H. M. Ahsan was also present at the closing ceremony of the 26th Dhaka International Trade Fair 2022.





## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended the 208th Board Meeting of Teletalk Bangladesh Ltd.

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI participated in the 208th Board Meeting of Teletalk Bangladesh Ltd held at Head office on

January 31, 2022. Chairman of the Teletalk Bangladesh Ltd. chaired the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended the Sector Leaders and CEO Conference on Food Safety Improvement

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as special guest attended the "Sector Leaders and CEO Conference on Food Safety Improvement" organized by Bangladesh Food Safety Authority held on February 02, 2022 at a city hotel.

Hon'ble Minister for Food Mr. Sadhan Chandra Majumder, MP graced the conference as the Chief Guest.

Mr. Md. Abdul Kayowm Sarker, Chairman of Bangladesh Food Safety Authority was also present at the program.



## Vice President Mr. M A Momen attended a meeting of CIP (Export) Selection Committee

Mr. M.A. Momen, Vice President of FBCCI attended a meeting of CIP (Export) selection committee 2019 at Ministry of Commerce on February 09, 2022.

Additional Secretary (Export), Ministry of Commerce chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. M A Momen attended meeting of the Standing Committee on the Ministry of Commerce of the Eleventh National Assembly

Mr. M A Momen, Vice President of FBCCI along with Mr. Manzur Ahmed, Advisor of FBCCI participated in the 11th meeting of the Standing Committee on the Ministry of Commerce at Bangladesh National

Parliament Bhaban on February 10, 2022. The issue related to proposed Trade Organization Act bill-2022 was discussed in the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. M A Momen attended Discussion Meeting on Exporting Agri Products at Sylhet

Mr. M.A. Momen, Vice President of FBCCI as Special Guest attended a discussion meeting on Exporting Agri-Products from Sylhet organized by Sylhet Chamber of Commerce & Industry (SCCI) held in Sylhet on February 15, 2022.

Hon'ble Agriculture Minister Dr. Muhammad Abdur Razzaque, MP graced the meeting as the Chief Guest, Hon'ble Foreign Minister Dr. A. K. Abdul Momen, M.P. was also present in the meeting as Special Guest.





## FBCCI President addressed the Inauguration Ceremony of JCI Dhaka Sparks

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as the chief guest, addressed the "Inauguration Ceremony of JCI Dhaka Sparks" organized by National Governing Board of JCI Bangladesh held on February 18, 2022 at Gulshan Club Dhaka.

The ceremony was presided over by the National President, JCI Bangladesh Mr. Niaz Morshed Elite.



## FBCCI President attended the webinar titled Bi-annual Economic State and Future outlook of Bangladesh Economy: Private Sector Perspective

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as Special Guest attended the webinar titled "Bi-annual Economic State and Future outlook of Bangladesh Economy: Private Sector Perspective" organized by DCCI held on February 19, 2022.

FBCCI Chief urged government to enhance port capacity and provide adequate logistics support to achieve additional 5 to 10 percent export earnings.





## Senior Vice President virtually joined the 200th Anti-Smuggling Taskforce Committee meeting of NBR

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI virtually joined the 200th anti-smuggling Taskforce Committee meeting of NBR on February 22, 2022.

Chairman of National Board of Revenue Mr. Abu Hena Md. Rahmatul Muneem presided over the meeting.

## Senior Vice President attended the meeting on Sick Industries, Non-textile at Ministry of Finance

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the meeting on Sick Industries and Non-Textile held at Ministry

of Finance on February 23, 2022.

## Senior Vice President attended a discussion meeting on draft rules of the Financial Reporting Council (FRC)

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a discussion meeting on the draft rules of the Financial Reporting Council (FRC) on February 24, 2022.

Mr. Abul Kasem Khan, Director of FBCCI, Ms. Nihad Kabir, Former Director

of MCCI, Dhaka and Mr. Manzur Ahmed, Advisor of FBCCI accompanied him in the meeting.

Dr. Md. Hamid Ullah Bhuiyan, Chairman, Financial Reporting Council presided over the meeting

## FBCCI President inaugurated Sirajganj SME industry & Trade Fair-2022

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin inaugurated Sirajganj SME industry & Trade Fair-2022 in Sirajganj Islamia Govt. College Playground on February 25, 2022 organized by Sirajganj Chamber of Commerce and Industry in association with Manipuri Tant Shilpa and Jamdani Benarashi Kallyan Foundation.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi MP as the Chief Guest graced the occasion with Organizing Secretary of Bangladesh Awami League Mr. Shafiul Alam Chowdhury Nadel as Special Guest.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended a meeting on the UNCTAD Voluntary Peer Review of the Competition Act, 2012

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI along with Mr. Manzur Ahmed, Advisor of FBCCI attended an emergency meeting on the UNCTAD Voluntary Peer Review of the Competition Act, 2012 on

February 26, 2022 at Bangladesh Competition Commission under the chairmanship of Mr. Md. Mofizul Islam, Chairperson of the Commission.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended a meeting on the restructuring of three new slabs

Mr. Md. HabibUllah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI attended a meeting on the restructuring of three new slabs, with the aim of expanding the automobile industry at Ministry of Commerce on February 28, 2022.

Additional Secretary of Ministry of Commerce presided over the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended the post event Workshop on the International Investment Summit 2021

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as a Guest of Honor attended the post event Workshop on the International Investment Summit 2021 organized by BIDA on February 28, 2022 at a city hotel.

Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP, Hon'ble Commerce Minister joined the program as the Chief Guest, while Mr. Salman F Rahman, MP, Private Industry and Investment Advisor to the Hon'ble Prime Minister and Dr. Ahmad Kaikaus, Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Prime Minister attended the workshop as Special Guests.

Ms. Nuzhat Anwar, Acting Country Manager, IFC and Mr. Naser Ezaz Bijoy, President, FICCI were also present at the workshop as Guests of Honor.

Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam, Executive Chairman, BIDA Chaired the workshop.



## Senior Vice President attended a discussion meeting on Import, Stocks, supply and Price situation of essential commodities.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a discussion meeting with the stake holders on the Import, Stocks, Supply and Price situation of the essential commodities ahead of the month of Ramadan held at Ministry of Commerce on March 02,

2022. Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP presided over the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended the 2-day long workshop on VAT Compliances: Role of CMAs Concluding Session

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as the Special Guest attended the "2-day long workshop on VAT Compliances: Role of CMAs Concluding Session" organized by ICMAB on 05 March, 2022 at ICMAB Bhaban Auditorium.

Chairman of NBR Mr. Abu Hena Md. Rahmatul Muneem graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.





## FBCCI President attended the 2nd HSBC Business Excellence Awards

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI as Special Guest attended the 2nd HSBC Business Excellence Awards, celebrating 25 years of progress in Bangladesh organized by HSBC on March 13, 2022 at a city hotel.

Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP Hon'ble Commerce Minister graced the program as the Chief Guest.

H.E. Mr. Robert Chatterton Dickson, High Commissioner of Britain to Bangladesh was also present at the event.



## FBCCI President attended a workshop titled Safe Sewage Management

President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as Special Guest attended a workshop titled "Safe Sewage Management" organized by Dhaka North City Corporation on March 14, 2022 at the Nagar Bhaban.

Mr. Salman F Rahman MP, Private Industry and Investment advisor to the Hon'ble Prime Minister graced the workshop as the Chief Guest.

Mr. Md. Mostafa Kamal, Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Mr. A B M Amin Ullah Nuri, Chairman of RAJUK, Mr. Rizwan Rahman, President of DCCI and Mr. Zaid Jurji, Chief of WASH, UNICEF were present as special guests.

Mr. Md. Atiqul Islam, Mayor, DNCC chaired the workshop.





## FBCCI President attended discussion meeting on World Consumer Right Day 2022



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as Special Guest attended the discussion meeting on the occasion of the World Consumer Right Day-2022 organized by Directorate of National Consumers Rights Protection on March 15, 2022.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi MP graced the event as the Chief Guest.



Among others, Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh, Senior Secretary, Commerce Ministry, Miss Jakia Sultana, Secretary, Industry Ministry, Mr. Golam Rahman, President, CAB and Mr. A.H.M Shafiquzzaman, DG, Directorate of National Consumers Rights Protection were also present at the event.

## Senior Vice-President attended the Seminar on Skills Trend of the 21st Century: Country Perspectives, Policy Options and Interventions



Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI as Special Guest attended the seminar on Skills Trend of the 21st Century: Country Perspectives, Policy Options and Interventions held at NSDA on March 20, 2022.

Mr. Dulal Krishna Saha, Executive Chairman, NSDA presided over the seminar.

Dr. Ahmad Kaikus, Principal Secretary to Hon'ble Prime Minister graced the seminar as the Chief Guest with Mr. Sheikh Yousuf Harun, Executive Chairman, BEZA as Special Guest.

Dr. M. Mashrur Reaz, Chairman, Policy Exchange of Bangladesh delivered the keynote presentation in the seminar.

## CCCI hosted Reception Program in honor of FBCCI President



Chittagong Chamber of Commerce and Industry hosted a reception program in honor of FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin followed by a discussion meeting on March 21, 2022 at the World Trade Center, Chattogram.

Mr. Mahbulul Alam, President of the Chittagong Chamber of Commerce and Industry chaired the event and other business leaders of the Chamber attended the program.



## Senior Vice President attended the AGM of Bangladesh Cold Storage Association

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI Club limited on March 22, 2022. attended the AGM of Bangladesh Cold Storage Association at Dhaka

## FBCCI President attended the BCIM Business Forum

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the BCIM Business Forum virtually held on March 23, 2022.

FBCCI President called upon the BCIM member countries to invest more in Bangladesh mentioning the Bangladesh's market access to SAARC, BIMSTEC, Asia Pacific Trade Agreement (APTA), free market access to EU, Australia, India, Chile, Japan, New Zealand.

The forum was chaired by Mr. Liu Qilin, Chairman of CCPIT Yunnan Sub-Council.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined the 7th AGM and Introduction of newly elected committee of the FEBOAB

FBCCI Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly as the Chief Guest joined the "7th Annual General Meeting 2021 and Introduction of newly elected committee of the Fire Fighting Equipment Business Owners' Association of Bangladesh (FEBOAB) held on March 27, 2022 at a city hotel.

Lt. col. Zillur Rahman, psc, Director (Operation & Maintenance), Fire Service & Civil Defense Directorate was also present as Special Guest.

Among others, FBCCI Directors Mr. Abu Motaleb, Mr. Md Shafiqul Islam Vorosha, Mr. Harun Or Rashid, Mr. Khondokar Moinul Rahman (Jewel), Directors and Members of FEBOAB also joined the meeting.

Mr. Md. Niaz Ali Chisty, President of FEBOAB chaired the meeting.



## Senior Vice President attended a discussion meeting at FRC

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a discussion meeting on finalizing the Financial Reporting Council's draft fine and administrative penalty rules 2022 and the public interest body's financial statements, annual reports, and other information to be submitted to the Financial Reporting Council Regulations 2022 held at FRC Board Room on March 28, 2022.

Dr. Md. Hamid Ullah Bhuiyan, Chairman, Financial Reporting Council presided over the meeting.

## FBCCI President joined the inaugural session of Revenue Department Automation



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, as Special Guest joined the inaugural session of Revenue Department Automation organized by Dhaka North City Corporation held on March 30, 2022.

Mr. Md. Tajul Islam, Hon'ble Minister, Ministry of Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives graced the event as the Chief Guest.



## FBCCI President joined the Pre-Budget Discussion Meeting 2022-23 jointly organized by DCCI, Channel 24 and the Daily Samakal

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the pre-budget discussion meeting 2022-23 jointly organized by DCCI, Channel 24 and the Daily Samakal held at BICC on March 31, 2022.

FBCCI Chief sought minimizing the cost of doing business and extended policy support in the national budget for FY 2022-23. Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged government to ensure level playing field for all the export-oriented industries.

Mr. M A Mannan MP, Hon'ble Minister for Planning graced the event as the Chief Guest. The event was moderated by the DCCI President Mr. Rizwan Rahman.



## FBCCI President joined the Launching Ceremony of Decent Work Country Program (DWCP) 2022-26

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, as a Guest of Honor joined the Launching Ceremony of Decent Work Country Program (DWCP) 2022-26 organized by International Labour Organization held on March 31, 2022 at a city hotel.

Hon'ble State Minister for Labour and Employment Begum Monnujan Sufian, MP graced the event as the Chief Guest.

Mr. Tuomo Poutiainen, Country Director, ILO Bangladesh, Mr. Mesbah Uddin Ahmed, President, Jatiyo Sramik Jote and Chairman, National Coordination Committee on Workers Education (NCCWE), Mr. Ardashir Kabir, President, Bangladesh Employers Federation and Mr. Masud Bin Momen, Senior Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Md. Ehsan-E-Elahi, Secretary to the Ministry of Labour and Employment, Mr. Md Kamal Hossain, Secretary, Technical and Madrasah Education Division, Ministry of Education, Dr. Ahmed Munirus Saleheen, Secretary, Ministry of Expatriates Welfare and Overseas Employment, Dr. Md. Anwar Hossain Howlader, Secretary, Ministry of Women and Children Affairs, were present as special guests.



## Senior Vice President attended a discussion meeting on VAT reforms related issues of Cost of Goods Sold (COGS)

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a discussion meeting on VAT reforms related issues of Cost of Goods Sold (COGS) at Customs Intelligence and investigation Directorate, IDEB Bhaban, Dhaka on March 31, 2022.

Dr. Md. Abdur Raouf, DG, Customs Intelligence and investigation Directorate presided over the meeting. Mr. Abul Kasem Khan, Director of FBCCI, Mr. Manzur Ahmed, Adviser of FBCCI, Mr. Snehasish Barura, Panel adviser of FBCCI were also present.

## FBCCI President attended the Seminar on Ceramic Industry in View of Bangladesh's LDC Graduation: Prospects and Challenges



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as a Special Guest attended the Seminar on "Ceramic Industry in View of Bangladesh's LDC Graduation: Prospects and Challenges" organized by Bangladesh Ceramic Manufacturers & Exporter Association (BCMEA) held on April 02, 2022 at a city hotel.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.



## FBCCI President joined the launching ceremony of the Mexico-Bangladesh Virtual Business Platform.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin joined the launching ceremony of the Mexico-Bangladesh Virtual Business Platform held on April 03, 2022 through a webinar organized by Mexican Business Council for Foreign Trade, Investment and Technology (COMCE).

FBCCI President said, the relations between the Bangladesh and Mexico have gradually enhanced, but have not yet reached to its fullest potential. Therefore, FBCCI Chief urged Mexico to invest in R&D in the thriving sectors with new innovation like agro-based products, frozen fish, FMCG, diversified jute and leather goods, automobile pharmaceuticals, plastic goods, home furnishings and home textiles, light engineering, ceramics, home appliances furniture and information technology.

Ambassador of Mexico to India (concurrent to Bangladesh) Federico Salas Lotfe, Ambassador of Bangladesh to Mexico Ms. Abida Islam, Vice Chairman and Chairman of the Asia Pacific Business Section, COMCE Amb. Sergio Ley, Vice-chairman of the Asia Pacific Business Section, COMCE Agustin Garcia Rechy, FBCCI Directors Ms. Priti Chakraborty, Mr. Abul Kasem Khan and Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were present at the webinar.

Manager of the Asia Pacific Business Section, COMCE Ms. Jessica Ortiz moderated the webinar.



## Senior Vice President attended the first Taskforce Committee meeting on Essential Commodities and Market situation assessment

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended the first Taskforce Committee meeting on Essential Commodities and Market situation assessment at Ministry of Commerce on April 04, 2022.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP was the chief guest.

Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh, Senior Secretary, Ministry of Commerce presided over the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended a discussion meeting on Investment Summit on Bangladesh Economy and Capital Markets in Qatar and Saudi Arabia

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI participated in a discussion meeting on Investment Summit on Bangladesh Economy and Capital Markets in Qatar and Saudi Arabia' at Bangladesh Securities and

Exchange Commission (BSEC) jointly organized by BSEC and BIDA on April 4, 2022. Professor Shibli Rubayat-UI-Islam, Chairman, BSEC chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended Meeting of National Advisory Council on Statistics-NACS

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI took part in the 1st Meeting of 2022 of National Advisory Council on Statistics-NACS at Ministry of Planning on April 6, 2022.

Hon'ble Minister for Planning Mr. M.A. Mannan, MP presided over the meeting.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended an Iftar Party



Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI attended a Doa Mahfil and Iftar Party organized by Bangladesh Cotton Association in the capital on April 09, 2022.



## FBCCI President attended a webinar titled Sustainable Export Growth in Post LDC World: Strategies for the Plastic Sector

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as Special Guest joined the webinar titled "Sustainable Export Growth in Post LDC World: Strategies for the Plastic Sector" organized by Dhaka Chamber of Commerce and Industries on April 09, 2022. FBCCI president urged the government for policy support to develop backward linkages and to remove hidden cost of the business.

Dr. Ahmad Kaikaus, Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Prime Minister as the Chief Guest graced the webinar.



## FBCCI President attended the National Export Trophy-2017-18 giving ceremony



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin joined the 'National Export Trophy-2017-18' giving ceremony held on April 07, 2022.

Hon'ble President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh H.E Md Abdul Hamid as the Chief Guest virtually addressed the program from Bangabhaban.

The event was jointly organized by the Ministry of Commerce and the Export Promotion Bureau with Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP in the chair at a city Hotel.

Parliament members, dignitaries, business leaders, and senior civil and military officials were also present in the event.

## FBCCI President attended an Iftar and Dua Mahfil

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended Iftar and Dua Mahfil organized by Noakhali District Samiti in Dhaka on April 11, 2022 at Institution of Diploma Engineers, Bangladesh Auditorium.



## Senior Vice President attended an Iftar party hosted by e-CAB President

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended an Iftar party hosted by Ms. Shomi Kaiser, President, E-Commerce Association of Bangladesh held at ROWA Convention Hall, Mohakhali, on April 15, 2022.

Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP, Hon'ble Commerce Minister attended the iftar party as the Chief Guest.

## FBCCI President attended the Workshop on LDC Graduation Challenges: Preferential Market Access & Trade Agreement and WTO Issues (Other than Market Access and TRIPS)



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as a Special Guest attended the Workshop on LDC Graduation Challenges: Preferential Market Access & Trade Agreement and WTO Issues (Other than Market Access and TRIPS) organized by Ministry of Commerce on April 17, 2022 at Parjatan Bhaban in the city.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and Dr. Ahmad Kaikaus, Principal Secretary to the Honorable Prime Minister joined the workshop as Special Guest.

Senior Commerce Secretary Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh, Additional Commerce Secretary Mr. Md. Abdur Rahim Khan were also present in the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended the meeting of the Sub-committee on 'Branding Bangladesh Abroad'

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI participated in the 3rd meeting of the Sub-committee on 'Branding Bangladesh Abroad' on preparation, planning, implementation and monitoring of the potential challenges facing Bangladesh as a result of its transition from a least

developed country to a developing country at Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA) on April 17, 2022.

Executive Chairman of BIDA Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam presided over the meeting.



## FBCCI President attended the Celebration Program of 22nd Anniversary of DGIC



President of FBCCI Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the Celebration Program of 22nd Anniversary of DGIC held on April 19 2022 at Gulshan Club. Mr. Md. Morshed Alam MP, Chairman of Bengal Group and RTV graced the event as the Special Guest.

FBCCI Vice President Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir was also present in the celebration program.

## FBCCI President joined the 2nd inter-ministerial preparatory meeting of Bangladesh-USA High Level Economic Partnership Consultations.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin joined the 2nd inter-ministerial preparatory meeting of Bangladesh-USA High Level Economic Partnership Consultation held at BIDA on April 19, 2022. Federation Chief urged the government to invite USA's entrepreneurs to invest in logistics, shipping and port facilities in Bangladesh for overall development of supply chain.

The Private Industry and Investment Advisor to Hon'ble Prime Minister Mr. Salman F Rahman, MP chaired the Meeting.



## FBCCI President attended a discussion meeting on Possibilities of Bangladesh Toy Sector organized by the BPGMEA Standing Committee on Toys

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as a special guest attended a discussion meeting on "Possibilities of Bangladesh Toy Sector" followed by an Iftar Mahfil organized by the Bangladesh Plastic Manufacturers and Exporters Association (BPGMEA)'s Standing Committee on Toys held at Prison Convention Center, Bakshi Bazar on April 20, 2022.

Hon'ble Minister for Industries Mr. Nurul Majid Mahmud Humayun, MP graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.



## Senior Vice President attended a discussion meeting on edible oil at Ministry of Commerce

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a discussion meeting with the stakeholders on edible oil held at Ministry of Commerce on April 20, 2022.

Senior Secretary of the Ministry of Commerce Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh presided over the meeting.

## Senior Vice President attended an Iftar party hosted by Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Vice President of FBCCI at Westin Hotel, Dhaka

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended an Iftar party hosted by Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Vice President of FBCCI and Chairman, LABIB group on April 23, 2022 at a city hotel.



## FBCCI President attended the National Dialogue on Agricultural Production in Hostile Climate: Unstable Global of Trade Agricultural Products

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, as the panelist attended the "National Dialogue on Agricultural Production in Hostile Climate: Unstable Global of Trade Agricultural Products" organized by Bangladesh Agricultural Journalists Forum (BAJF) at KIB Convention Hall, Khamarbari, Farnagata on April 24, 2022.

Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture Dr. Muhammad Abdur Razzaque, MP was present as the Chief Guest at the dialogue.

Hon'ble Planning Minister Mr. MA Mannan, MP and Hon'ble Minister for Fisheries and Livestock Mr. Sham Rezaul Karim, MP were present as Special Guests.



## FBCCI President attended the Preparatory Workshop for the Second National Conference on SDGs Implementation Review

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI attended the Preparatory Workshop for the Second National Conference on SDGs Implementation Review held on April 27, 2022 at Prime Minister's Office.

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President, Mr. Abul Kasem Khan, Director, Mr.

Manzur Ahmed, Advisor of FBCCI and Mr. Farooq Ahmed, Secretary General of MCCI Dhaka accompanied him.

Ms. Zuena Aziz, Chief Coordinator (SDGs) was the Chief Guest of the workshop.



## FBCCI President attended the discussion meeting between the high-level USA trade Delegation and the Private Industry and Investment Advisor to Hon'ble Prime Minister

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the discussion meeting between the visiting high-level USA Executive Business Delegation and the Private Industry and Investment Advisor to Hon'ble Prime Minister Mr. Salman F Rahman MP held at BIDA Office on May 09, 2022.

FBCCI Chief highlighted the economic strength, business and investment potentials and urged the US delegates to invest in Bangladesh.





## FBCCI President attended the Discussion Meeting between Hon'ble Foreign Minister and Executive USA Trade Delegation

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin as a special guest attended the discussion meeting between Hon'ble Foreign Affairs Minister H.E. Dr. A.K. Abdul Momen, MP and Executive Business Delegation of USA organized by Foreign Ministry held on May 09, 2022 at Foreign Service Academy.

Among others, Mr. Sheikh Fazle Fahim, Former President of FBCCI was also present at the discussion meeting.



## Senior Vice President attended a discussion meeting on edible oil at Ministry of Commerce

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President of FBCCI attended a discussion meeting on edible oil held at Ministry of Commerce on May 09, 2022.

meeting. Among others, Senior Commerce Secretary Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh was also present in the meeting.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi, MP presided over the

## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly joined the virtual meeting of the salt demand assessment, salt policy implementation and monitoring committee

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI joined the virtual meeting of the salt demand assessment, salt policy implementation and monitoring committee on May 10, 2022.

Convener of the committee and Secretary of Ministry of Industries chaired the meeting.

## Vice President Mr. M.A. Momen attended the 3rd preparatory inter-ministerial meeting of Bangladesh-USA 2nd High Level Economic Partnership Consultations

Mr. M.A. Momen, Vice President of FBCCI took part in the 3rd preparatory inter-ministerial meeting of Bangladesh-USA 2nd High Level Economic Partnership Consultations at Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA) on May 12, 2022.

Private Industry and Investment Adviser to the Hon'ble Prime Minister Mr. Salman F Rahman presided over the meeting.

## FBCCI President attended the seminar on Role of Trade Bodies in Ensuring Fair Competition in Trade and Commerce

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, as a Special Guest attended the seminar on "Role of Trade Bodies in Ensuring Fair Competition in Trade and Commerce" organized by Bangladesh Competition Commission on May 16, 2022.

Mr. Nazmul Hassan Papon MP, Managing Director of Beximco Pharmaceuticals Ltd & President of the Bangladesh Cricket Board (BCB), Ms. Priti Chakraborty, Director of FBCCI, Mr. Mofizul Islam, Chairperson, Bangladesh Competition Commission and Mr. Abdus Sabur, Secretary, Bangladesh Competition Commission were also present in the Seminar, among others.





## Vice-President Mr. M A Momen attended National Symposium on Private Sector Participation and Leadership in Disaster Risk Management

Mr. M.A. Momen, Vice President of FBCCI as Special Guest attended the Parallel Session on Role of Private Sector Working Group & Private Sector Emergency Response Team to make PEOC functional on the occasion of 'National Symposium on Private Sector Participation and Leadership in Disaster Risk Management' held at a city hotel, Dhaka on

May 17, 2022. Mr. Md. Atiqul Huq, Director General of Department of Disaster Management was present as the Chief Guest.

## FBCCI President attended 2nd National Conference on SDGs Implementation Review 2022

Mr. Md Jashim Uddin, President of FBCCI addressed at the Plenary Session "Reviewing SDGs Activities undertaken by Development Partners, Private Sector, NGOs & CSOs" of the 2nd National Conference on SDGs Implementation Review 2022 on May 18, 2022 at BICC.

Mr. M A Momen, Vice President of FBCCI made a presentation on Roles of Private Sector towards SDGs at the session.

Dr. Mashur Rahman, Economic Affairs Adviser to the Hon'ble Prime Minister attended the conference as the chief guest. Hon'ble State Minister of Planning Dr. Shamsul Alam graced the event as special guest with Mr. Muhammad Ibrahim, CEO (Secretary), Public Private Partnership Authority as Guest of Honor.



## Senior Vice President attended the public hearing of Bangladesh Energy Regulatory Commission

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu urged the government not to increase electricity (bulk) price at the public hearing organized by Bangladesh Energy Regulatory Commission on May 18, 2022. He highlighted that, the price hike will further increase the price of daily necessary commodities, which will result in public sufferings and the development trend will be affected adversely.

Among others, FBCCI Director Mr. Abul Kasem Khan, Former President of MCCI, Dhaka Ms. Nihad Kabir, and FBCCI Panel Advisor Dr. Ijaz Hossen were also present at the hearing.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly attended the Meeting of Task Force Committee on Review of Commodity Prices and Market Conditions

Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Vice President of FBCCI participated in the 2nd Meeting of Task Force Committee on Review of Commodity Prices and Market Conditions at Ministry of Commerce on May 18, 2022.

Hon'ble Sr. Secretary of the Ministry of Commerce Mr. Tapan Kanti Ghosh chaired the meeting.



## Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn attended discussion meeting on Bangladesh Investment Summit in Turkiye

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Vice President of FBCCI took part in meeting regarding the organization of 'Bangladesh Investment Summit' in Turkiye held at Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA) on May 18, 2022.

Executive Chairman Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam presided over the meeting.

## FBCCI team participated Capstone Course of NDC

FBCCI Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Directors Ms. Priti Charaborty, Syed Sadat Almas Kabir and Ms. Nadia Binte Amin attended Capstone Course organized by National Defence College took place from March 13, 2022 to March 31, 2022.

Eminent intelligentsia and personalities from both military and civil society also attended the course.



## Director's Participation in Different Meetings

**Ms. Priti Chakraborty** virtually joined the 4th meeting of Working Group for Women's Trade/Empowerment under the Regional Connectivity Project of WTO Cell on June 09, 2021.

**Ms. Naaz Farhana Ahmed** attended the meeting on Productivity for reviving Post Covid-19 Economy organized by National Productivity organization (NPO) on June 13, 2021.

**Ms. Shomi Kaiser** joined the 3rd meeting of the steering committee on the project "A2I Program" on June 13, 2021.

**Mr. Dilip Kumar Agarowala** joined the meeting Gold Policy 2018 on June 14, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Sadat Almas Kabir** joined the meeting of Commonwealth Connectivity Agenda-Second Virtual Deep Dive Session on ICT Infrastructure Development Policy on June 15, 2021.

**Mr. Amzad Hussain** joined the Virtual REAP RICE EXPO 2021 on June 16, 2021.

**Ms. Shomi Kaiser** attended a seminar titled "Digital Business: Animal selling Policy" jointly organized by Ministry of Commerce and E-Cab on June 21, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Saiful Islam** attended the meeting on Export goals for the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 at Ministry of Commerce on June 22, 2021.

**Ms. Naaz Farhana Ahmed** joined the National Productivity Organization (NPO) meeting on June 24, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Naser** attended the 6th meeting of the Technical Committee for implementation of Green Economic Zone Guideline by Bangladesh Economic Zones Authority (BEZA) on June 24, 2021.

**Mr. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu** attended the meeting of Advisory Board for Food Safety Management on June 24, 2021.

**Dr. Nadia Binte Amin** attended the workshop on Draft Inception Report for sectoral Diagnostic to Assess Female Traders and Entrepreneurs Export potential in the ICT sub-sector Under BRCP-1 on June 29, 2021.

**Ms. Naaz Farhana Ahmed** joined "Effectiveness of Productivity Improvement Training Program of NPO" on June 29, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Shaheen Ahmed** attended the meeting on Leather Pricing and Management ahead of Eid-ul-Adha on June 29, 2021 at Ministry of Commerce.

**Mr. Md. Naser** joined a virtual meeting on finalizing the Agro Food Industry Development policy-2021 on June 29, 2021.

**Ms. Shomi Kaiser** attended the meeting on finalizing the Digital Commerce Operation 2021 Guidelines on June 30, 2021.

**Mr. Amzad Hossain** attended a meeting on sunset review on anti dumping imposed by India on June 30, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Saiful Islam** joined a meeting on Sourcing Bangladesh virtual edition 2021 on July 6, 2021.

**Mr. A. M. Mahub Chowdhury** attended a meeting on the issues raised while shipping products at Chittogong Port on July 07, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Naser** virtually joined the meeting of the Committee formed to formulate proposals for making skilled workers and managers in the Country on July 10, 2021.



**Mr. Amzad Hussain** attended the MoU signing of BIDA with (i) DIP, (ii) DIFE, (iii) EPB, (iv) MCCI and (v) The City Bank Ltd. on July 14, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Shaheen Ahmed** attended a meeting on Proper Leather Management organized by the Ministry of Commerce on July 18, 2021.

**Mr. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu** attended a meeting on participation in Expo 2022 Dubai on July 18, 2021.

**Mr. S. M. Shafiuzzaman** attended a meeting on Pricing of medicine on July 28, 2021.

**Ms. Naaz Farhana Ahmed** attended a meeting on Action Plan regarding Bangladesh National Productivity Master Plan (NPM) FY 2021-2030 on July 29, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Naser attended** a discussion meeting on the draft of Sub-contracting Law 2021 on August 02, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain** attended the Inter ministerial meeting of programs under the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Pollutants (POPs) on August 08, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain** attended the sub-committee meeting on Pavilion and other side event for participating at COP 26 in UK on August 08, 2021.

**Mr. Alamgir Shamsul Alamin Kajal** virtually joined the 17th General Meeting of Bangladesh National Authority for Chemical Weapons Convention (BNACWC) on August 09, 2021.

**Mr. A. M. Mahub Chowdhury** joined a virtual Workshop on Pre-Feasibility Study of the proposed Jamuna River Economic Corridor Development Program (JARECDP) on August 24, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain** attended the Inter-Ministerial meeting for finalizing Terms of Reference (TOR) for the survey of Logistic Sector on August 26, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hoassin** attended the meeting of the HCFC Phase-out Management Plan (HPMP Stage II) on August 31, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Naser** joined the 3rd meeting of the high-level committee on Managed Aquifer Recharge (HLMAR) of the Bangladesh water Multi stakeholder partnership (BWMSP) on September 02, 2021.

**Mr. S. M. Shafiuzzaman** joined a meeting on Pricing of medicine on September 09, 2021.

**Mr. S.M Shafiuzzaman** joined the 5th meeting of the API Industrial Park allotment Committee on September 13, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Naser** joined the launching ceremony of Awareness Raising Campaign Strategy for TEVT Institute on September 18, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain** attended the meeting on the proposal of 19th open project of Common Fund for Commodities (CFC) on September 21, 2021.

**Mr. Khan Ahmed Shuvo**, MP attended the committee meeting on defining Similar fee instead of Differential fee in participating International Trade Fair on September 27, 2021.

**Dr. Nadia Binte Amin** virtually joined the meeting on Draft Inception Report on “Designing and Implementing Training Program for Increasing Women’s Participation in the ICT sector in Bangladesh” on September 29, 2021.

**Mr. Amzad Hussain** attended the 14th meeting of the Public-Private Stakeholders Committee (PPSC) at NEC Conference Room, Sher-E-Bangla Nagar Dhaka on October 07, 2021.

**Ms. Shomi Kaiser** attended the 28th meeting of the Executive Committee of Bangladesh Hi-Tech Park Authority on October 10, 2021.

**Dr. Ferdousi Begum** attended a dialogue titled “A Roadmap Preparation for Enhancing Export of Fruits, Vegetables, Potato and Argo Processed Products” on October 11, 2021.

**Dr. Ferdousi Begum** attended the 4th meeting of R&D project selection committee of BCSIR on October 11, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain** attended a Workshop on ‘Stakeholder Consultation Regarding Investment Aftercare Issues’ organized by BIDA on October 11, 2021.

**Dr. Nadia Binte Amin** joined the seminar organized by National Taskforce on Blended Education on October 12, 2021.

**Mr. Mohammad Anwar Sadat Sarker** attended the one Center of Excellence for Engineering and Technology at Bangabandhu Hi-Tech City, Kaliakoir, Gazipur on October 12, 2021.

**Dr. Ferdousi Begum** joined the R&D project selection committee meeting of BCSIR on October 13, 2021.

**Mr. Amzad Hossain** virtually joined the trade, remedy working committee meeting on anti-dumping on Hydrogen Peroxide on October 18, 2021.

**Dr. Nadia Binte Amin** virtually joined the meeting of Feasibility Study Committee for formulating Job oriented Course Curriculum on October 18, 2021.

**Dr. Nadia Binte Amin** joined the 1st meeting of the sub-committee for Digital Commerce Law on October 19, 2021.

**Dr. Ferdousi Begum** joined the 4th meeting of R&D project selection committee of BCSIR on October 21, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Sadat Almas Kabir** joined the meeting of Unique Business ID (UBID) Committee on October 21, 2021.

**Dr. Ferdousi Begum** joined BIDS Fortnightly Seminar 2021 on October 21, 2021.

**Mr. K.M. Akhtaruzzaman** joined a meeting on creating awareness regarding Consumer rights Protection Act 2009 on October 21, 2021.

**Mr. A.M. Mahub Chowdhury** attended a meeting on Container transportation from Chattogram to Dhaka on October 25, 2021.

**Mr. Bijoy Kumar Kejriwal** attended the 8th meeting of the Project Steering Committee of “Poverty Reduction through Inclusive and Sustainable Markets (PRISM)” on October 26, 2021.

**Ms. Priti Chakraborty** attended the 11th meeting of the Trustee Board for Community Clinic Health Cooperation on October 27, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain** attended a meeting of the national committee for Environmental Critical Area Management on October 27, 2021.

**Mr. Amzad Hussain** attended a meeting on investment methods and working plan on the possibility procedure Light Engineering Products, Furniture, Plastic Products, Agro Products and Toys on November 03, 2021.

**Mr. Amzad Hussain** attended the Inter-Ministerial preparatory meeting on Bilateral Consultation Mechanism in Bangladesh-Mexico on November 04, 2021.

**Mr. Mohammad Mahubur Rahman Patwari** attended steering committee meeting on Jute Diversification Promotion Center on November 04, 2021.



**Mr. S M Shafiuzzaman** attended the meeting of the project evaluation committee for Medicine industry establishment on November 10, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Saiful Islam** joined a meeting on Trade diversification and Foreign Mission on November 16, 2021.

**Mr. Anwar-ul-Alam Chowdhury (Parvez)** joined a meeting on “Development of Technical and Vocational Education System in Bangladesh: lessons from the Garman Experience” on November 23, 2021.

**Ms. Dr. Ferdousi Begum** attended a seminar on Agro food Processing Industry Development policy 2021 on November 24, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Sadat Almas Kabir**, Director, FBCCI joined the meeting for submitting the draft for finalizing roadmap and execution procedure of Unique Business Identity to Cabinet Ministry department on November 28, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Shaheen Ahmed** joined a meeting on plot allotment of BSEC Leather Park, Savar on November 28, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain** joined the meeting of Investigation Committee of Dhaka Customs House on December 02, 2021.

**Mr. Md. Saiful Islam** joined a meeting on a Survey on Export Facilitating Organizations Capability on December 02, 2021.

**Mr. K. M. Akhtaruzzaman** joined a meeting on the potential of Bangladesh Furniture Industry on December 15, 2021.

**Ms. Shomi kaiser** joined the 5th meeting of A2I Project execution committee on December 19, 2021.

**Dr. Ferdousi Begum** joined the virtual Workshop on “Access to Water, Sanitation and Hygiene facilities and nutritional status of Children in Bangladesh organized by NIPN on December 20, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain** joined the 2nd Technical Advisory Board Meeting on “Formulation and Advancement of National Adaption plan process in Bangladesh” Project on December 20, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hoassain** joined Dhaka divisional Seminar regarding the activities of Bangladesh Competition Commission on December 20, 2021.

**Ms. Priti Chakraborty** joined a meeting on a Survey on Export Facilitating Organizations Capability on December 21, 2021.

**Mr. MGR Nasir Mazumder** joined a seminar on Feasibility Study for New Projects of DOID on December 22, 2021.

**Dr. Nadia Binte Amin** joined Validation Workshop on the draft final report on “Diagnostic Studies to Assess Female Traders and Entrepreneurs Export Potential in the cut Flower Sub-Sector” on December 23, 2021.

**Dr. Ferdousi Begum** joined a meeting on updating list of Processing Agro Food on December 27, 2021.

**Ms. Nadia Binte Amin** joined a meeting of the drafting committee for National Industry Policy 2021 on December 29, 2021.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain** joined a meeting of project “Renewal of the Institutional Strengthening for the Phase-out of ODS (Phase-IX)” implementation committee on December 29, 2021.

**Ms. Naaz Farhana Ahmed** joined the 17th meeting of NPC on December 30, 2021.

**Mr. Abul Kasem Khan** joined a meeting of National Committee for Monitoring Implementation of doing business Reforms (NCMID) on January 11, 2022.

**Mr. Alamgir Samsul Alamin Kajal** joined the 18th meeting of BNACWC on January 18, 2022.

**Mr. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu** joined a preparatory meeting on the occasion of National Food Safety Day 2022 on January 20, 2022.

**Mr. Mahabubur Rahman Patwary** joined steering committee meeting of Jute Diversification Promotion Center on January 23, 2022.

**Dr. Nadia Binte Amin** joined a meeting of the Regional Taskforce for the suppression of smuggling on February 27, 2022.

**Mr. Syed Sadat Almas Kabir** joined the 1st discussion meeting on ICT Product and Services Export on February 28, 2022.

**Mr. Md. Shaheen Ahmed** joined the 27th meeting of the plot distribution committee of BSCIC Leather Industrial area, Savar, Dhaka on February 28, 2022.

**Mr. Md. Amzad Hussain** joined the 2nd meeting for the final proposal of BIDA working committee based on “Bangladesh-Australia Trade and Investment Strategy Paper” on March 01, 2022.

**Mr. Syed Moazzem Hossain** joined the 2nd meeting of the management committee for Environmentally Critical Area on March 01, 2022.

**Mr. Abul Kasem Khan** joined a meeting on Preferential Trade Agreement on April 12, 2022.

**Mr. Syed almas Kabir** attended the Seminar “ICT Freelancing in Bangladesh: Present Status, Challenges and Opportunities” on May 11, 2022.



## CSR and Social Activities

### FBCCI Leaders made personal donation to the Honorable Prime Minister's House Construction Fund by Private Finance and Corona Assistance Fund



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin, Vice-President Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan made personal donation to the Honorable Prime Minister's "House Construction Fund by Private Finance" and "Corona Assistance Fund" at Ganabhaban on 10th June 2021.





## FBCCI Conducted Nationwide Health Care and Medical Supplies Distribution Program

FBCCI distributed of 2,000 oxygen cylinders with 1 crore face masks, 200 high flow nasal canola, 200 oxygen concentrate and oxygen booths at various hospitals across the country on July 15, 2021.

Hon'ble Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi MP, as the Chief Guest inaugurated the nationwide health care and medical supplies distribution program. Private Industry and Investment Adviser to Hon'ble Prime Minister Mr. Salman F. Rahman MP joined online as special guest.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin presided over the function.

Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Senior Vice President, FBCCI expressed his gratitude on the occasion. FBCCI Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and other Directors were present at the distribution program.

Leaders of chambers and associations of 64 districts of the country also attended the program.



## FBCCI handed over the health & medical equipment to Dhaka North City Corporation



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin handed over Health & Medical Equipments to the Mayor, Dhaka North City Corporation Mr. Atiqul Islam on July 18, 2021. Among others, Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. M A Momen and Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn were present at the event.

Mayor Atiqul Islam thanked FBCCI President for providing health care and medical supplies to DNCC during the Covid-19 crisis.



**FBCCI Vice President Mr. M A Momen attended 23rd Anniversary of Channel I**



Mr. M A Momen, Vice-President of FBCCI attended the Celebration Program of 23rd Anniversary of Channel I on October 01, 2021. He congratulated Mr. Shykh Seraj, Director and Head of News of Channel I on the successful journey as one of the most popular satellite TV Channels, Channel I. Mr. Md. Naser, Director of FBCCI was also present at the occasion.

**FBCCI President attended the 23rd Anniversary of the Daily Prothom Alo**



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the 23rd Anniversary of the the Daily Prothom Alo on November 20, 2021 at a city hotel. The newspaper celebrated its anniversary through various events.



Cabinet members, foreign diplomats, businesspersons, senior government and non-government officials, women leaders, lawyers, artists, scientists, writers, civil society members and well-wishers of Prothom Alo also attended the program.



## FBCCI paid tributes to the martyrs of the Liberation War

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin along with the Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. M.A Razzak Khan and Directors paid tributes to the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and martyrs of the Liberation War

by placing floral wreath at the portrait of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman at Dhanmondi on 16th December 2021 marking the 50th Victory Day of Bangladesh.



## FBCCI's winter Clothing Distribution across the country







As part of social responsibility, FBCCI distributed winter clothes across the country among the cold-hit people. FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin inaugurated the distribution of winter clothes at FBCCI January 11, 2022. FBCCI president handed over the blankets to the poor Madrasa students.

Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. M.A. Razzak Khan, and Directors were present at Winter Cloths distribution program.

Presidents, Vice Presidents of Panchagarh, Chapainawabganj, Sylhet, Gazipur, Gaibandha, Barisal, Rangpur District Chamber of Commerce and Industry and Bandarban Women's Chamber of Commerce and Industry virtually joined the inaugural ceremony.



## FBCCI distributed blankets in the capital among cold-hit people

FBCCI distributed blankets in the capital to alleviate the winter sufferings of low-income people. FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin distributed blankets among the cold-stricken people at Islambagh Eidgah ground in Old Dhaka and at the playground of Dhaka Polytechnic Institute in Tejgaon on January 15, 2022.

FBCCI Chief said, FBCCI distributed blankets among the cold-hit people as part of its social responsibility in addition to promoting trade and investment in the country. Such activities of the apex trade body will make other organizations and businessmen eager to take initiative to lessen the marginal people's sufferings of the society.

FBCCI Vice-Presidents Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. M A Razzak Khan Raj, Directors Mr. Bijoy Kumar Kejriwal, Mr. Harun Or Roshid, Mr. Abu Motaleb, Mr. Mohammed Bazlur Rahman and Mr. S.M Jahangir Alam Manik were also present at the blanket distribution ceremony, among others.





## FBCCI inaugurated Mujib Corner and Directors' Lounge



FBCCI Mujib Corner and Directors Lounge at FBCCI were inaugurated and a Covid awareness song was launched on February 05, 2022.

Dr. Hasan Mahmud MP, Hon'ble Minister of Information and Broadcasting graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.

FBCCI's Mujib Corner is designed with rare still photographs of Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and a number of books on his biography, political struggle and development philosophy. A lounge for FBCCI Directors has been set up next to Mujib Corner.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin addressed the occasion and called for reforms in the education system to address the shortage of skilled manpower in the industry.

FBCCI Senior Vice-President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice-President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Former Senior Vice President Mr. Mohammad Ali and former Vice President Mr. Abu Alam Chowdhury also spoke at the event.

Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Amin Helaly and Mr. M A Razzak Khan and Directors attended the event, among others.





## FBCCI paid tribute to the language martyrs on the occasion of International Mother Language Day

On the occasion of International Mother Language Day, FBCCI delegation led by its President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin paid tribute to the sacrifices of the language martyrs on February 21, 2022.

Former President Mr. AK Azad, Senior Vice President Mr. Mostafa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Director Mr. Anwar-ul Alam Chowdhury (Parvez) and General Body Members were also present.



## FBCCI Celebrated Int'l Women's Day

To acknowledge the contribution of Women in building the country and developing the society and economy, FBCCI celebrated International Women's Day on March 08, 2022 at FBCCI.

FBCCI Vice President Mr. M A Momen as the Chief Guest graced the event with Director Ms. Priti Chakraborty in chair.

The employees of the FBCCI and the women entrepreneurs attended the celebration program. Speakers at the program recognized the contribution of women in the workplace and the economy.



FBCCI Director Mr. K M Akhtaruzzaman, Mrs. Hasina Newaaz, Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque were also present at the event, among others.





### Vice President of FBCCI attended 12th Anniversary of Bangladesh Pratidin

FBCCI congratulated the Daily Bangladesh Pratidin on its 12th anniversary.

The Daily marked the day with pomp at International Convention City Bashundhara (ICCB) in the capital on March 15, 2022.

FBCCI Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn lauded the Newspaper's

objective journalism and the role of the Daily for contributing to the socioeconomic development of Bangladesh.

Among others, FBCCI Director Mr. Dilip Kumar Agarwala, Mr. M.G.R Nasir Majumder and Mr. Amzad Hussain were also present at the celebration event.



### FBCCI Celebrated the 102nd Birth Anniversary of Bangabandhu and National Children Day 2022





FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin along with the Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. M. A. Razzak Khan and Directors of the FBCCI paid tribute to the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman on the occasion of his 102nd Birth Anniversary and the National Children's Day 2022 on 17th March 2022.

FBCCI leaders paid the homage by placing a floral wreath at the portrait of Bangabandhu at Dhanmondi 32 in Dhaka. After laying the wreath, they stood in solemn silence for a minute as a mark of profound respect to the memory of the Father of the Nation, the founder of independence of Bangladesh.

They also visited the Bangabandhu Memorial Museum and the FBCCI President signed the visitors' book.



## FBCCI Inaugurated its newly decorated Prayer Room

Mr. Salman F. Rahman, MP, Adviser to the Hon'ble Prime Minister on Private Industry and Investment inaugurated the newly decorated Mosque at FBCCI on March 29, 2022.

Secretary for Labor and Employment Mr. Md. Ehsan-E- Elahi, FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice Presidents Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Directors

Mr. Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu CIP, Mr. M.G.R Nasir Majumder, Dr. Ferdousi Begum, Mr. Md. Shaheen Ahamed, Mr. Md. Naser, Mr. Abu Hossain Bhuiyan (Ranu) and Secretary General of FBCCI were also present at the inaugural ceremony.

The redesigned mosque accommodates a dedicated prayer place for female employees and is equipped with religious publications.





**FBCCI hosted Iftar and Milad Mahfil in honour of its General Body Members**



FBCCI hosted a Milad Mahfil and Iftar held on April 5, 2022 at Officers Club, Dhaka. FBCCI Leaders sought divine blessings of the almighty Allah for the continuous progress of the country at the mahfil.

Directors, General Body Members of FBCCI and Journalists were present at the Milad Mahfil and Iftar program.





## FBCCI hosted Iftar in honour of Ambassadors and Diplomats

FBCCI organized an Iftar Mahfil in honour of the Ambassadors, Diplomats of different countries to Dhaka, Ministers, Members of the Parliament Heads of International Organizations and dignitaries held at a city hotel on April 16, 2022.

Munajat was offered for divine blessings of Almighty Allah for the continued economic development and welfare of the country at the event.

Liberation War Affairs Minister Mr. A K M Mozammel Haque MP, Industry Minister Mr. Nurul Majid Mahmud Humayun MP, Commerce Minister Mr. Tipu Munshi MP, Education Minister Dr. Dipu Moni MP, Planning Minister Mr. M A Mannan, Dhaka South City Corporation Mayor Mr. Sheikh Fazle

Noor Taposh, Mr. Morshed Alam MP, Secretaries, Representatives of International Organizations, Media Personalities and Members of Civil Society, Diplomats of different countries attended the event.

Among others, Former President of FBCCI Mr. M A Kashem, Mr. Mahbubur Rahman, Mr. Abdul Awal Mintoo, Mr. Mir Nasir Hossain, Mr. Kazi Akram Uddin Ahmed, Mr. Shafiul Islam Mohiuddin MP and Mr. Sheikh Fazle Fahim, FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Salahuddin Alamgir, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn and Mr. M A Razzak Khan and other Directors were present at the event.





## Market Monitoring Activities

### Discussion meeting on Stock, Import, Supply and Price Situation of Essential Commodities

A discussion Meeting on Stock, Import, Supply and Price Situation of Essential Commodities was organized at the FBCCI office on October 17, 2021.

While chairing the discussion meeting, FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said, Contribution of Businessmen to the economy, industrialization, employment, and poverty alleviation is enormous. But the image of the business community is being tarnished for a very small group of businessmen for their unethical business practice. FBCCI will not take their responsibilities.

He urged the government to strengthen the monitoring activities to keep the market stable.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Director Mr. Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, and representatives from different kitchen market were also present at the discussion meeting.





### Discussion meeting on the Market Situation of Edible Oil



Importers, millers, refiners, wholesalers and leaders of different market committees joined the Discussion Meeting on the market situation of Edible Oil organized by FBCCI on March 07, 2022 at FBCCI.

FBCCI president Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged the government to withdraw VAT on the import of edible oil for next three months to bring stability in the Edible Oil market.

Considering the plea of FBCCI, Government on March 14, 2022 withdrew 15 per cent VAT at production and 5 per cent VAT at the trading stage and on March 16 cut VAT at imports of edible oil to 5 per cent from 15 per cent.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Director Mr. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, Mr. Harun Or Roshid, Mr. Abu Hossain Bhuiyan (Ranu), Moulvibazar Babosayee Samity President Mr. Md. Bashir Uddin were also present, among others.





## Meeting on the Import, Supply, and Price of the daily essentials



FBCCI President Mr. Md Jashim Uddin urged businesses to follow the price list the government provided on 46 products, and not to increase daily essential prices in the holy month of Ramadan.

The FBCCI Chief made the remark at a meeting on the import, Supply, and Price of the daily essentials held at the FBCCI on April 02, 2022.

Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged government to adjust taxes and duties on import as the prices in international market goes sky high. "The duty and tax reduction would not affect government's revenue as the prices are higher rather the adjustment would give a relief to consumers", he added.

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Among others, FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, former vice President Mr. Md. Halal Uddin, Director Mr. M.G.R. Nasir Majumder, Mr. Md. Rejaul Kariem Rejnu, CIP, Mohammad Anwar Sadat Sarker, Mr. Tabarakul Tosaddek Hossain Khan, Mr. Bijoy Kumar Kejriwal, Mr. Joshoda Jibon Debnath, Mr. Harun or Rashid, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Mr. Abu Hossain Bhuiyan (Ranu) were present at the meeting.





**View exchange meeting with edible oil importers and suppliers**



FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged the government to exempt the existing 5 per cent VAT on soybean oil at import level to control its prices in the local market.

The FBCCI Chief made the call on May 11, 2022 at a view exchange meeting with edible oil importers and suppliers at FBCCI office in the capital.

Besides, FBCCI president said soybean oil prices in the world market are fluctuating every day, Therefore, the country needs to adjust the price in every 15 days.

Among others, FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Mr. M. A Razzak Khan Raj and other directors were also present at the meeting.





## FBCCI started awareness program for small traders to ensure commodity market stability: Discussion Meeting held at Karwan Bazar and New Market

FBCCI market monitoring committee started awareness program to ensure the stability in commodity markets. In this connection, the FBCCI market monitoring committee led by the FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, organized discussions meeting with the business leaders of the Karwan Bazar Kitchen Market Owners Association and Dhaka New Super Market North D Block Shop Owners Association on May 19, 2022.

The FBCCI monitoring Committee urged the Directorate of National Consumer Rights Protection (DNCRP) to inform the traders before carrying out drives in kitchen markets.

Senior Vice President and the Convenor of the FBCCI Market Monitoring Committee Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury urged the traders not to make excessive profits considering the consumers' interest.



He called upon the kitchen markets representatives to find out the traders, who are involved in unethical practices for making exorbitant profit.

FBCCI vice-presidents Md Amin Helaly and Md Habib Ullah Dawn, President of Karwan Bazar Kitchen Market Owners Association Md Babul Mia, and President of Dhaka New Super Market North D Block Shop Owners Association Md Habib Ullah Pathan, were present, among others.

## Trade Facilitation Activities



## FBCCI Safety Council formed to promote integrated industrial safety

FBCCI Safety Council has been formed to work on decent workplace and safety of the employees and industries. The Council is dealing with occupational safety and health (OSH) issues including disaster management and other compliance issues for sustainable productivity and business following the existing rules and regulations including internationally agreed principles and standards. The Council will conduct awareness and training programs for creating safe and healthy work place.

The Safety Council is representing FBCCI in BIDA coordination committee as well as all the subcommittees for the purpose of inspection cum survey of the factories and establishments. In the first phase, 5200 factories have already been inspected.

Safety Council of FBCCI is also working to establish functional occupational safety and health units in all Sectoral Associations in collaboration with ILO.

A Workshop on Promoting Occupational Safety & Health for improving productivity was jointly organized by FBCCI Safety Council and ILO on March 29, 2022 at FBCCI where Mr. Salman F Rahman MP, Hon'ble Adviser to the Prime Minister on Private Industry & Investment was the Chief Guest.

FBCCI Safety Council is also working with other development partners and government agencies for extending advocacy in formulating and reviewing law, rules, policies etc. relating to occupational safety and health issues.





**FBCCI Arbitration Tribunal 2021-23**



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Former President, FBCCI  
Chairman  
FBCCI Arbitration Tribunal



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Senior District &  
Session Judge (Rtd),  
Member  
FBCCI Arbitration Tribunal



**Abu Motaleb**  
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# Standing Committees 2021-2023

FBCCI has constituted 78 Issue based standing committees for the term 2021-2023.  
25 meetings of the Committees have been held by May 19, 2022.

1. Standing Committee on Banking and Leasing
2. Standing Committee on Non-Banking Financial Institutions
3. Standing Committee on CMSMEs and Rural Industry Development
4. Standing Committee on International Affairs, International Trade Bodies, Development Partners and Strategic Partners
5. Standing Committee on 'Standing Committee on Trade, Investment and Globalization'
6. Standing Committee on Intellectual Property Rights
7. Standing Committee on National Economic Policy & Planning, 8th Five Years Plan and attainment of Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) Vision 2041
8. Standing Committee on Poverty Reduction and Rural Development
9. Standing Committee on Food Security and Food Safety, Counterfeiting, Adulteration.
10. Standing Committee on Protection of Consumers Rights.
11. Standing Committee on Electrical & Electronics Merchandise
12. Standing Committee on Power, Energy & Utilities
13. Standing Committee on Pharmaceuticals
14. Standing Committee on Industry & Industrial Policy
15. Standing Committee on Transportation and Communication (Rail and Roads & Highways)
16. Standing Committee on Ports & Shipping
17. Standing Committee on Inland Water Transport & Coastal Shipping
18. Standing Committee on Relief and Rehabilitation
19. Standing Committee on Information Communication Technology (ICT) and Digitization of Trade Bodies
20. Standing Committee on Labor Policy
21. Standing Committee on Real Estate and Housing
22. Standing Committee on Jute & Jute Products
23. Standing Committee on Livestock, Poultry and Fisheries
24. Standing Committee on Hide and Skin, Leather & Leather Goods and Artificial Leather
25. Standing Committee on Backward Linkage Industries
26. Standing Committee on Rehabilitation of Sick Industries
27. Standing Committee on Plastic, Rubber, Melamine & PVC Products
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34. Standing Committee on Capital Market and Bond
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45. Standing Committee on Telecommunication, Private Broadcasting TV Channel, Cable TV Network, Film and Publications.
46. Standing Committee on Agriculture, Agro Processing and Agro based Industries
47. Standing Committee on Logistics & Courier Services
48. Standing Committee on Paper, Paper products and Packaging Import and Export
49. Standing Committee on Women Entrepreneurship Development
50. Standing Committee on Research and Development, Cross border Education, Technology Development, 4IR, IOT, Robotics, AI.
51. Standing Committee on Insurance
52. Standing Committee on Capacity Building of Member Bodies
53. Standing Committee on Life Science, Bio- Technology, Genetic Science including Agro-Bio- Technology and Genetic Food
54. Standing Committee on Ceramics and glassware
55. Standing Committee on Chemical, Paints, Dyes & perfumery
56. Standing Committee on Fertilizer, Pesticide, poultry feeds and veterinary drugs.
57. Standing Committee on Commodity Promotion (Branding Bangladesh)
58. Standing Committee on Investment Opportunities and Outsourcing Services.
59. Standing Committee on Tourism Development (Inbound, Outbound, Domestic & Civil Aviation)
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69. Standing Committee on E-Commerce
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72. Standing Committee on Manpower Export and Skill Development
73. Standing Committee on Land Developers
74. Standing Committee on Printing, Packaging and Publication
75. Standing Committee on Auto mobile Manufacturers and Assemblers
76. Standing Committee on Construction Industry
77. Standing Committee on Development of Local Garments (Avhantarin Poshak)
78. Standing Committee on Kachamal Aarothder, Marketing and Suppliers

## Standing Committee on Construction Industry

The 1st Meeting of the Standing Committee on Construction Industry was held on November 27, 2021 at FBCCI.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin attended the meeting as the Chief Guest. Chairman of the Standing Committee Engr. Khan Md. Aftabuddin, Chairman, Spectra Ltd presided over the meeting.

Director-In-Charge Engr. Ghulam Mohammed Alomgir and Co-Chairmen and members of the Committee were also present in the meeting.

The meeting urged the government to introduce Price Adjustment Clause in government project as the price hike of Construction material puts the construction sector in dire straits.





## Standing Committee on Land Port, Border Trade, Transit & Transshipment

The 1st meeting of the Standing Committee on Land Port, Border Trade, Transit & Transshipment was held on December 04, 2021 at FBCCI.

The Committee decided to visit land ports and organize discussion meetings with stakeholders to discuss on the problems of the ports.

The Committee Chairman Mr. Abdul Wahed presided over the meeting in the presence of the Director-in-Charge Mr. Bijoy Kumar Kejriwal.



## Standing Committee on Healthcare, Medical & Hospital Management

The 1st meeting of the Standing Committee on Health Care, Medical and Hospital Management was held on 11th December, 2021 at FBCCI.

In the presence of the Director-in-Charge of the Committee, Ms. Priti Chakraborty, the Chairman of the Committee, Dr. Md. Mainul Ahasan presided over the meeting. The Committee urged the government to categorize the private hospitals' utility bill into Industrial rate from Commercial rate.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly were present at the meeting.

Co-chairmen and members of the committee also attended the meeting.





## Standing Committee on Hide and Skin, Leather & Leather Goods and Artificial Leather

The first meeting of the Standing Committee on Hide and Skin, Leather & Leather Goods and Artificial Leather was held on 12th December 2021 at FBCCI.

The Committee Chairman Mr. Mohammad Nazmul Hasan Sohel presided over the meeting in the presence of the Director-in-Charge Mr. Shaheen Ahmed.

Members of the Committee emphasized on ease of Customs system, Import cost reduction, Re-introduction of leather related curriculum in academic textbook, improvement of technical and vocational education, etc. in the meeting.



## Standing Committee on Relief and Rehabilitation



The first meeting of the FBCCI Standing Committee on Relief & Rehabilitation was held on December 14, 2021 at FBCCI.

The meeting decided to distribute warm clothes among the cold-hit people which was implemented across the country by FBCCI.

Mr. Abul Khair Morsalen, Chairman of the Committee presided over the meeting in the presence of the Director- In-Charge Mr. Mohammed Bazlur Rahman.

Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Directors Mr. Abu Motaleb and Mr. Md. Shafiqul Islam Vorosha were also present in the meeting.



## Standing Committee on Logistics and Courier Services

The 1st meeting of the FBCCI Standing Committee on Logistics and Courier Services was held on December 28, 2021 at FBCCI.

President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin graced the meeting as the Chief Guest.

Chairman of the Committee Mr. Hafizur Rahman Pulok presided over the meeting in the presence of the Director-in-Charge Mr. Md. Naser.

Discussion took place on the issues related to prevailing situation in the logistics sectors and the problems and potentials of Courier Services.



## Standing Committee on Manpower Export and Skill Development

FBCCI Standing Committee on Manpower Export and Skill Development's first meeting was held on December 29, 2021 at FBCCI.

In the presence of FBCCI Vice President and the Director-in-Charge of the Committee Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, the Chairman of the Committee Dr. Mohammed Faruque presided over the meeting.

The meeting called for ensuring fair play ground for all the manpower exporters and decided to prepare recommendations identifying problems and challenges with possible way outs and submit to the different ministries.





## Standing Committee on Rehabilitation of Sick Industries

The first meeting of the Standing Committee on Rehabilitation of Sick Industries took place on January 02, 2022 at FBCCI.

Committee members sought Prime Minister's help to save their ventures.

Committee members urged for policy support to classified and non-textile sick industries (identified by the Ministry of Industries) who are not able to continue their business to repay their loan under the exit policy by paying 1% down payment.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu was present as the Chief Guest and assured the maximum cooperation from FBCCI to the ailing industry's revival.

Committee Chairman Mr. Sadeque Ullah Chowdhury presided over the meeting in the presence of the Director-in-Charge Mr. Tahmin Ahmed. Co-chairmen Mr. Nasir Uddin A. Ferdous, Mr. M. Nazrul Islam, Mr. Sarkar Md. Salauddin, Mr. A.K.M. Khorshed Alam Khan and members of the committee were also present at the meeting.



## Standing Committee on Ports and Shipping





The first committee meeting on Ports & Shipping was held on January 06, 2022 at FBCCI in hybrid mode.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin called for capacity enhancement of Chittagong port to reduce business cost. He also said that, doubling the average speed on the Dhaka-Chattoqram highway would increase the export competitiveness by 6 per cent.

Federation Chief called upon the committee to find short-, medium- and long-term solutions by identifying the problems regarding the Chittagong port.

FBCCI Vice-Presidents Mr. Md. Amin Helaly, Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn also spoke at the meeting.

The Chairman of the committee Dr. Md. Pervez Shazzad Aktar presided over the meeting, the Director-in-Charge of the committee Mr. A.M. Mahbub Chowdhury was also present at the meeting.



## Standing Committee on Industry and Industrial Policy





The first meeting of the Standing Committee on Industry & Industrial Policy held on January 17, 2022 called for legal base of the upcoming Industrial Policy.

The members of the committee said that due to lack of the legal entities, entrepreneurs are not able to take advantage of the benefits of the policy.

FBCCI Senior Vice President and Director-in-Charge of the Standing Committee Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury stressed on coordination among various ministries for the implementation of industrial policy. He also demanded measures to safeguard local ventures.

Chairman of the Committee and the President of BPGMEA Mr. Shamim Ahmed presided over the meeting.

Among others, the meeting was attended by Co-Chairmen of the Standing Committee Mr. Md. Abdur Razzak and Mr. Asif Ibrahim, Directors of FBCCI Mr. Abul Kasem Khan, Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, Former President of MCCI, Dhaka Ms. Nihad Kabir and FBCCI Advisor Mr. Manzur Ahmed.



## Standing Committee on Power, Energy and Utilities





The 1st meeting of the FBCCI Standing Committee on Power, Energy & Utilities was held on January 19, 2022 at FBCCI. The meeting was presided over by the Chairman of the Committee Mr. Humayun Rashid in the presence of the Director in-Charge Mr. Abul Kasem Khan.

Senior Vice President of FBCCI Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Director Mr. Md. Naser were present in the meeting. The meeting was also attended by the Co-chairmen and members of the committee.

Members of the Committee urged the government not to increase the gas tariff amid the post-Covid recovery process.



## Standing Committee on Information & Communication Technology (ICT) and Digitization of Trade Bodies

The first meeting of the FBCCI Standing Committee on Information & Communication Technology (ICT) and Digitization of Trade Bodies was held on January 29, 2022 at FBCCI.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin stressed on digitizing all ministries, departments and agencies to continue the pace of development of the country. He especially stressed on digitization of the NBR and Central Bank.

ICT entrepreneurs sought opportunities to invest abroad to brand Bangladesh in the meeting.

In the presence of the Director-in-Charge of the committee Mr. Syed Sadat Almas Kabir, Chairman of the committee Md. Shahid-UI-Munir presided over the meeting.





## Standing Committee on National Economic Policy & Planning, 8th Five Years Plan and attainment of SDGs and Vision 2041



The first meeting of the Standing Committee on National Economic Policy & Planning, 8th Five Years Plan and attainment of Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) Vision 2041 took place on January 30, 2022 at FBCCI.

Attending as the Chief Guest, FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin called upon the National Skills Development Authority to be more dynamic as the lack of skilled manpower appeared to be one of the major obstacles in achieving development targets.

In the presence of the Director-in-Charge of the committee Dr. Nadia Binte Amin, the Chairman of the committee Mr. AKM Shamsuddoha presided over the meeting.

Members emphasized on industrial development across the country, export diversification, skill development, reduction of cost of business, gender equity & empowerment, product recycling, use of renewable energy, Industry-Academia linkage, etc. for further economic development of the country.

Among others, FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu, Directors Mr. Bijoy Kumar Kejriwal, Mr. Md. Naser, Mr. Syed Almas Kabir, Advisor Mr. Manzur Ahmed, Co-Chairmen Ms. Tasfia Jashim, Mr. ASM Mainuddin, Members Mr. Shamim Ahmed, Syed Habib Ali, Mr. Munir Ahmed, Ms. Ayesha Siddique, Ms. Shamima Shirin and Dr. Md. Nazmul Islam were also present at the meeting.





## Standing Committee on Auto Mobile Manufacturers and Assemblers



The members of the Standing Committee on Auto Mobile Manufacturers and Assemblers urged for policy support for further flourishing the sector in the first meeting held on February 02, 2022.

Speaking as the Chief Guest, FBCCI president Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said, Bangladesh is gradually lessening import dependency, while strengthening the local manufacturing capacity, providing the country a strong export base. He stressed on proper Branding to take the advantage.

Mr. Md. Habib Ullah Dawn, Director-in-Charge of the Standing Committee called for ensuring a competitive market of quality products besides solving the problems related to policies regarding Automobile Industries.

The Chairman of the Standing Committee Mr. Hafizur Rahman Khan presided over the meeting.





## Standing Committee on E-Commerce



First meeting of the E-Commerce Standing Committee was held on February 03, 2022 at FBCCI.

As the Chief Guest, FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged the committee to work to restore confidence in the e-commerce sector.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu said, formulation of specific policies is necessary to regain peoples' trust on e-commerce.

The Director-in-Charge Ms. Shomi Kaiser expected the Complaints

Management Cell which is going to be formed would help bring back consumers' trust on e-commerce.

The Chairman of the Standing Committee Mr. TIM Nurul Kabir Presided over the meeting.

FBCCI Director Mr. Amzad Hussain, Standing Committee Co-Chairmen Mr. Mohammad Abdul Haque, Mr. Mohammad Sahab Uddin, Mr. Mostafizur Rahman Sohel, Mr. Zia Ashraf, Mr. M Rashidul Hasan and members of the committee were also present, among others.





## Standing Committee on Fire Safety & Security, Disaster & Explosion



The first meeting of the Standing Committee on Fire Safety & Security, Disaster & Explosion was held on February 06, 2022 at FBCCI.

The Committee came up with call of no discrimination in tariff rate on the import of fire safety equipment. Like RMG, the Committee demanded same duty structure for every sector in case of importing fire safety equipment.

FBCCI Vice President Mr. Md. Amin Helaly as the Chief Guest said, it is time to ensure security of all industry. He urged the standing committee to prepare an action plan to ensure fire safety in the factory.

Committee Chairman Mr. Md. Niaz Ali Chisty presided over the meeting in the presence of the Director-in-Charge Mr. Abu Motaleb.

FBCCI Directors Mr. Harun Or Roshid, Advisor of FBCCI's Safety Council Brig Gen. (retd) Abu Nayeem Md Shahidullah, Standing Committee Co-Chairmen Mr. Md. Wahid Uddin, Mr. Mohammed Shahjahan, Mr. Abul Hossain, Mr. M Mahmudur Rashid, Mr. Zakir Uddin Ahmed, Mr. Mohammad Shamsul Haque Jamil, Mr. Mohammad Awlad Husain Rajib, Mr. Mohammad Monzur Alam, Mr. Tanjir Ahmmad Tohin and members of the committee were present at the meeting.





## Standing Committee on Backward Linkage Industries



The first meeting of the Standing Committee on Backward linkage Industry was held at February 10, 2022 at FBCCI.

In the meeting, Businessmen demanded 10-15% corporate tax in backward linkage industry to increase competitiveness.

Speaking as the Chief Guest FBCCI Vice President Mr. M A Momen urged the government to give due importance to the Backward Linkage Industries while formulating policies as Industrialization is not possible without development of this sector

Chairman of the committee Mr. Abul Kalam Bhuiyan presided over the meeting in the presence of the Director-in-Charge Mr. Joshoda Jibon Deb Nath.

FBCCI directors Mr. Bijoy Kumar Kejriwal and Mr. Harun or Roshid, Co-Chairmen of the committee Mr. Chaitanaya Kumar Dey (Chayan), Mr. Md. Salauddin Yusuf, Mr. Zia Hayder Mithu and members of the committee were also present at the meeting.





## Standing Committee on Digital Connectivity, Networking & BPO in Bangladesh



The first meeting of the Standing Committee on Digital Connectivity, Networking & BPO in Bangladesh was held on February 17, 2022 at FBCCI.

The Committee urged the government to reduce the VAT on internet equipment and sought permission for active sharing in order to make internet more affordable.

FBCCI Vice President Mr. M A Momen as the Chief Guest attended the meeting.

Committee Chairman Mr. Wahidur Rahman presided over the meeting in the presence of the Director-in-Charge Syed Sadat Almas Kabir.





## Standing Committee on Hotel, Motel, Resorts & Guest House Development

The first meeting of the Standing Committee on Hotel, Motel, Resorts & Guest House Development held on February 22, 2022 at FBCCI came up with the call to brand Bangladeshi Tourism.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu who joined virtually as the Chief Guest, urged the standing committee to find out the possibilities, problems and possible solutions in this sector and submit it to the FBCCI in the form of a proposal.

Chairman of the Committee Mr. Khabir Uddin Ahmed presided over the meeting in the presence of Committee's Co-Chairmen and members.



## Standing Committee on Export & Development of Herbal, Unani Medicine and Natural Products





The first meeting of the Standing Committee on Export & Development of Herbal, Unani Medicine and Natural Products was held on February 23, 2022 at FBCCI.

The meeting demanded formation of separate cell for Herbal and Unani in Drug Administration.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu was present as the Chief Guest and urged the committee to come up with

a recommendation on the potential of the industry and the possible solutions to the problems.

Chairman of the Committee Mr. Raquib Mohammad Fakhru presided over the meeting in the presence of the Director in Charge of the Committee Mr. Md. Rezaul Islam Milon.

Former Deputy Minister and Chairman of Munshi Group A. F. M Fakhru Islam Munshi was also present at the meeting.



## Standing Committee on Readymade Garment Industry (RMG), Knitwear, Sweater etc.





The first meeting of FBCCI Standing Committee on Readymade Garment Industry (RMG), Knitwear, Sweater etc was held on March 05, 2022 at FBCCI.

Attending as the Chief Guest, FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin called upon the RMG entrepreneurs and textile industries to focus on high value items. FBCCI President also urged the businessmen to brand Bangladesh abroad in a new way.

Mr. Faruque Hassan, Chairman of the committee and President of BGMEA presided over the meeting. He informed the meeting that a study is going on to explore the new items and also to identify the new opportunities to expand investments.

FBCCI Directors Mr. Bijoy Kumar Kejriwal, Mr. Harun Or Roshid, BKMEA Executive President Mr. Mohammad Hatem, Standing Committee Co-Chairman Mr. Abdullah-al-Mahmud Mahin, Mr. Entekhabul Hamid Apu, Mr. Shams Mahmud, Mr. Fazle Shamim Ehsan, Mr. Mohammed Kamal Uddin, Mr. Anjan Shekhar Das and Mr. Humayun Kabir Selim were present at the meeting, among others.



## Standing Committee on Furniture, Particle Board and related issues

The first meeting of the Standing Committee on Furniture, Particle Board and related issues was held on March 08, 2022 at FBCCI.

The Committee demanded supplementary duty cut and withdraw of regulatory duty on raw material import.

FBCCI Vice President Mr. M A Momen was present as the Chief Guest at the meeting. He asked the standing committee to identify the inconsistencies in the tax structure of the furniture industry and on which, FBCCI may work with the NBR to address these discrepancies in the forthcoming budget.

Chairman of the Standing Committee and Chairman of the Partex Star Group Mr. Aziz Al-Kaiser presided over the meeting in the presence of Director-in-Charge of the Committee Mr. K M Akhtaruzzaman.

Co-Chairmen of the Committee Mr. Selim H. Rahman, Mr. Karim Majumder, Mr. Md. Shah Alam Monshi, FBCCI Secretary General Mohammad Mahfuzul Hoque and members of the committee were present at the meeting, among others.





## Standing Committee on Agriculture, Agro Processing and Agro based Industries

Standing Committee on Agriculture, Agro Processing and Agro based Industries came up with the call to be self-reliance in seed production for sustainable food security in the first meeting held on April 06, 2022.

Attending as the Chief Guest, FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin said that the Agri-production kept Bangladesh economy at a relatively better position during Covid pandemic.

The FBCCI Chief urged the private sector entrepreneurs to come forward to turn agro-based industries into export-oriented one.

FBCCI Senior Vice-President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu assured that the recommendations received at the standing committee meeting would be conveyed to the concerned government officials for implementation.

Ms. Tasfia Jashim, Co-Chair of the committee stressed on equal payment to safeguard the women contribution to the agriculture.

Chairman of the Committee Mr. Md. Abul Hashem presided over the meeting and the Director-in-Charge Dr. Ferdousi Begum made a presentation on



Agri sector of the Country.

FBCCI Directors Mr. Bijoy Kumar Kejriwal, Mr. Harun or Roshid, Co-Chairmen of the Standing Committee and members were also present at the meeting, among others.

## Standing Committee on Transportation and Communication (Rail, Roads & Highways)



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The first meeting of FBCCI Standing Committee on Transportation and Communication (Rail, Roads & Highways) was held on April 17, 2022 at FBCCI.

The meeting discussed about the financial loss due to traffic jam and possible solutions for smoother communication.

FBCCI Senior Vice President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu urged the government to halt the road construction and repair work for 14 days during Eid Journey. He also urged the government not to impose any further tax or duty on tires, tubes and other parts in the next financial year's budget.

FBCCI Vice President and Director-in-Charge of the Committee Mr. Md. Aminul Haque Shamim said, Congestion at Tongi incurs huge loss daily.

Chairman of the committee and President of the Bangladesh Bus Truck Owners Association Mr. Ramesh Chandra Ghosh presided over the meeting.

Among others, FBCCI Director Bijoy Kumar Kejriwal, Former Director Mr. Abdul Haque, Standing Committee Co-chairmen Eng. Mr. Md. Jahangir Alam, Mr. M. Humayun Kabir, Mr. Faruk Talukder Sohel, Engr. Golam Kabir, Mr. G. Rahman Shohid, Mr. Bazlur Rahman Ratan and members of the committee were present at the meeting.



## Standing Committee on Electrical & Electronics Merchandise





The first meeting of the Standing Committee on Electrical & Electronics Merchandise was held on May 14, 2022 at FBCCI.

FBCCI President Mr. Md. Jashim Uddin urged the businessmen to ensure the quality of products in order to utilize the potential of global market for electronics products.

FBCCI Senior Vice-President Mr. Mostofa Azad Chowdhury Babu said, we should provide full cooperation to these sectors including electrical, which can generate revenue by exporting products to world market.

FBCCI Vice President and Director-in-Charge of the Committee Mr. M A Razzak Khan urged for policy support for electronics sector to flourish.

The meeting was chaired by Former Director of FBCCI and Chairman of the committee Engr. Mohd. Mohabbat Ullah.

Among others, FBCCI Vice Presidents Mr. M A Momen, Mr. Md Amin Helaly, Director Mr. Harun Or Roshid, Former Director Mr. Khandaker Ruhul Amin, Committee Co-chairmen and members were present at the meeting.



## Condolences



## *We Mourn*

**Prof. Ali Ashraf MP**

Former Deputy Speaker of Bangladesh Parliament and Chairman of FBCCI Election Board

**Prof. Masuda M. Rashid Chowdhury**

Former Director of FBCCI

**Advocate Afzal Khan**

Former Director of FBCCI & Former President of Cumilla Chamber of Commerce and Industry

**Mr. Abul Hossain**

Founder Secretary General of Bangladesh Chamra-O-Rexin Jatio Paduka Prastutkarak Samity & Former General Body Member of FBCCI

**Mr. Md. Hossain Hyder (Hiru)**

General Body Member of FBCCI & Counselor of 16 Ward Dhaka South City Corporation

**Mr. Anwar Hossain**

Chairman of Anwar Group of Industries & Former General Body Member of FBCCI

**Mr. Sultan Uddin Ahmed Raja**

Freedom Fighter, Former President of Bangladesh Watch Importers, Assemblers & Manufacturers Association & former General Body Member of FBCCI

**Mr. Md. Omar Shafayat Kausar**

Freedom Fighter, Chairman of Bengal Bay of Group & Former President of Bangladesh Intellectual Property Rights Association & General Body Member of FBCCI

**Mr. Anisur Rahman Naser**

General Secretary of Bangladesh Monihari Banik Samity & former General Body Member of FBCCI

**Mr. Abdul Kuddus Khan**

Former President, Bangladesh Shoe Dealers Association & General Body Member of FBCCI

**Alhaj Md. Saber Faroque**

Former Sr. Vice President, Bangladesh Chamra-O-Rexin Jatio Paduka Prastutkarak Samity and GB Member of FBCCI

**Dr. Syed Mokbul Hossain**

Former GB Member of FBCCI and Chairman, Tamapaco Group

**Mr. Rakibur Rahman**

Former President of Dhaka Stock Exchange and Chairman of Midway Securities Ltd.

## FBCCI in Media



# রাজধানীতে শীতবস্ত্র দিল এফবিসিসিআই

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# FBCCI to celebrate 50 years of independence

## FBCCI demands extension to loan repayment period

December 16 Bangladesh's 50th Independence Day will be celebrated in a grand manner. The Federation of Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FBCCI) is celebrating its 50th anniversary on the same day. FBCCI president Md. Jashim Uddin said that the government should announce an extension to the loan repayment moratorium as soon as economic activities were yet to return to normalcy. He made the call at the FBCCI annual general meeting 2019-2020, held at the Sheraton Club in the capital, Dhaka. Jashim said that extension of the moratorium of loan...



# এফবিসিসিআইয়ের সেমিনারে বজরা উদ্যোগের অভাবে অধরা সমুদ্র অর্থনীতির সম্ভাবনা

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# Absence of proper data obstacle to circular economy policy adoption

LACKING of knowledge on gathering industrial monitoring data on the production of goods and services is an obstacle to the adoption of a circular economy policy. The Federation of Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FBCCI) has said that the government should take steps to improve data collection and analysis to facilitate the adoption of a circular economy policy.



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FBCCI organizes Members' Night - 2022 in honor of its' General Body Members on the occasion of first anniversary of the term for 2021-23 on July 02, 2022 at International Convention City, Bashundharara, Dhaka.

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