

Policy Research Institute of Bangladesh (PRI)
and the International Finance Corporation (IFC), World Bank Group
cordially invite you to the high-level launching event of the diagnostic report titled

“Agile Regulatory Delivery for Improved Investment Competitiveness: Current State and Policy Options”

On Monday, 7th October 2019, from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm, at the Ballroom of the Pan Pacific Sonargaon Hotel

Chief Guest : Mr. Salman Fazlur Rahman

Honorable Adviser to the Prime Minister for Private Industry and Investment
Prime Minister’s Office, Government of the People’s Republic of Bangladesh

Special Guest : Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam

Executive Chairman, Bangladesh Investment Development Authority (BIDA)

Special Guest : Mr. Mohammad Shahidul Haque

Senior Secretary, Legislative and Parliamentary Affairs Division
Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs

PROGRAMME

Moderator: Dr. Ahsan H. Mansur

Executive Director, PRI

03:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Registration	
03:30 pm – 3:35 pm	Welcome Remarks	Dr. Ahsan H. Mansur Executive Director, PRI
03:35 pm – 3:40 pm	Opening Remarks	Ms. Wendy Werner Country Manager, Bangladesh, Bhutan and Nepal, IFC
3:40 pm – 4:10 pm	Presentation of the Report – “Agile Regulatory Delivery for Improved Investment Competitiveness in Bangladesh: Current State and Policy Options”	Dr. M. Masrur Reaz Senior Economist, IFC, WBG Mr. Miah Rahmat Ali Senior Private Sector Specialist, IFC, WBG
4:10 pm – 4:40 pm	Designated Panelists:	Dr. Yutaka Yoshino Program Leader, WBG Dr. Sadiq Ahmed Vice Chairman, PRI Barrister Tanjib-ul Alam Advocate, Supreme Court of Bangladesh.
4:40 pm – 5:10 pm	Open Floor Discussion /Q&A	
5:10 pm – 5:20 pm	Remarks by	Ms. Judith Herberston Head of DFID Bangladesh
5:20 pm – 5:30 pm	Remarks by	Mr. Rolf Behrndt Practice Manager, South Asia, Finance Competitiveness and Innovation Global Practice, WBG
5:30 pm – 5:40 pm	Remarks by the Special Guest	Mr. Md. Sirazul Islam Executive Chairman, BIDA, GoB
5:40 pm – 5:50 pm	Remarks by the Special Guest	Mr. Mohammad Shahidul Haque Senior Secretary, LPA, GoB
5:50 pm – 6:00 pm	Remarks by the Chief Guest	Mr. Salman Fazlur Rahman Honorable Adviser to the Prime Minister, GoB
6:00 pm	Refreshments	