

নিরীক্ষা প্রতিবেদন
AUDITORS' REPORT

OF

Certificate on
Status Report on Utilization of Proceeds
From Repeat Public Offering (RPO) of
Bangladesh Shipping Corporation (BSC)
As on April 30, 2024



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**Certificate on
Status Report on Utilization of Proceeds from Repeat Public Offering (RPO) of
Bangladesh Shipping Corporation
For the month of April 30, 2024**

We have been engaged by Bangladesh Shipping Corporation (the "Company") to certify whether the Company has complied with the conditions of Repeat Public Offering (RPO) in relation to the utilization of proceeds from Public Offering as required by Bangladesh Securities and Exchange Commission (BSEC) vide its consent letter (ref: SEC/CI/RPO-7/2010/624 dated September 05, 2011) issued for RPO under section 2CC of the Securities and Exchange Ordinance 1969.

Company's Responsibilities

The Company management is responsible for utilizing the proceeds from RPO and preparation of Status Report on utilization of Proceeds from Public Offering in accordance with the conditions of RPO consent letter issued by BSEC.

Our Responsibilities

Our responsibility is to examine all the relevant documents in connection with the utilization of proceeds from RPO with reference to the Terms of Reference formulated by BSEC and certify whether the proceeds have been utilized and the Status Report have been prepared in accordance with the conditions of RPO consent letter.

We report that:

We have examined relevant documents, obtained information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of verification and certification of the Status Report. As per Terms of Reference of audit of Status Report, we certify that:

- a) BSC has invested Tk. 161,473,953 to conduct Budgetary Expense of the project of 6 Vessels procurement which was not mentioned in the prospectus issued before going to public. The project named "Procurement of six (06) new vessels {three (03) new product Oil Tankers and three (03) new Bulk Carriers of about 39,000 DWT each}" approved in ECNEC meeting dated 07/07/2015 and also approved by BSC. However, a board resolution was taken by the Board of Directors of BSC in its 275th Board Meeting in this regard and subsequently the same was also approved by the Shareholders in its 36th Annual General Meeting (AGM).
- b) BSC has invested Tk. 593,509,000 to construct multistoried building at Dhaka for strengthening earning capacity which was not mentioned in the prospectus issued before going to public. However, a board resolution was taken by the Board of Directors of BSC in its 264th Board Meeting in this regard and subsequently the same was also approved by the Shareholders in its 34th Annual General Meeting (AGM).



- c) Expenditure of Tk. 64,716,920 for conversion of Govt. Equity of Tk. 2,672,600,000 into 5,345,200 shares @ Tk. 500 each was made from RPO proceeds which was not disclosed or published in the prospectus. However, a board resolution was taken by the Board of Directors of BSC in its 264th Board Meeting in this regard and subsequently the same was also approved by the Shareholders in its 34th Annual General Meeting (AGM).
- d) Interest income on RPO Proceeds up to 30 April 2024 stood at Taka 2,124,152,713 which has been fully utilized as administrative expenses, which was not disclosed or published in the prospectus. Un-utilized RPO proceeds along with interest income stood at Taka 4,326,808,783.
- e) Implementation time for utilization of RPO proceeds have been extended upto June 30, 2025 by obtaining approval from general shareholders in 46th Annual General Meeting held on 16th November, 2023.
- f) Assets have been procured/imported/constructed maintaining proper/required procedure as well as at a reasonable price.
- g) Verification of all necessary documents/papers/vouchers has been made in support of utilization of RPO proceeds making reconciliation with bank statements.

Chattogram, 11 September 2024

For and on behalf of
Rahman Mostafa Alam & Co.
Chartered Accountants

Arafat Kamal FCA
Partner
ICAB Enrollment No :1184

Name of the Company : Bangladesh Shipping Corporation
 Amount (BDT) of Capital Raised through RPO : 3,137,000,000
 Date of Close of Subscription : 13.11.2011 (Resident) & 22.10.2011 (NRB)
 Proceeds Receiving Date : 20.11.2011 (Resident) & 02.11.2011 (NRB)
 Last Date of Full Utilization of Fund as per prospectus : Within June 2012 (extended upto June 2025)

(All the figures are in BDT.)

SL	Purpose mentioned in the prospectus	Time line as per prospectus	Revised time line (upto..)	Amount of Subscription	Amount as per prospectus	Amount as per revised utilization plan	Status of utilization			Remarks	
							Utilized In April 2024	Total Utilized Amount	Utilized (%)		Total Un-utilized Amount
01	Capital investment for purchasing ships				3,142,000,000	-	-	-	-	-	No amount was spent for this investment.
02	6 Vessel project				-	346,400,000	161,473,953	46.61%	184,926,047	53.39%	Expenditure made for Procuring 6 Vessels was not declared in the Prospectus it was approved at the 36th AGM of BSC and estimated expenditure for this purpose was Tk. 34.64 Crore.
03	Building construction			3,137,000,000	-	630,600,000	593,509,000	94.12%	37,091,000	5.88%	Expenditure made from RPO Proceeds not declared in the Prospectus. It was approved at the 34th AGM of BSC and estimated expenses for this purpose was Tk. 63.06 crore.
04	RPO Expense				118,444,200	179,360,977	179,360,977	100%	-	-	Expenditure of Tk. 64,716,920 for conversion of Govt. Equity Tk. 2,672,600,000 into 5,345,200 shares @ Tk. 500 each was made from RPO Proceeds which was not disclosed or published in the Prospectus. It was approved at the 34th AGM of BSC.
05	Un-Allocated Fund					1,980,639,023			1,980,639,023		It was approved at the 43rd AGM of BSC for Expenditure of ship acquisition and related purposes.
					3,260,444,200	3,137,000,000	934,343,930		2,202,656,070		

Percentage : 6.00%-7.60%
 Interest on RPO Proceeds : 2,124,152,713
 Un-utilized RPO proceeds with Interest Income : 4,326,808,783

Executive Director (Finance)


 Managing Director

Comodore Mahmudul Malek
 For and on behalf of Managing Director
 Rahman Mostafa Alam & Associates
 Chartered Accountants, Dhaka
 Bangladesh Shipping Corporation


 Arafat Kamal FCA
 Partner
 ICAB Enrollment No : 1184


MD. AZAMGIR
 General Manager (Accounts)
 Bangladesh Shipping Corporation
 Chattogram



Bangladesh Shipping Corporation (BSC)
Calculations to the Statement of RPO Proceeds Utilization
For the month ended April 30, 2024

Particulars	Notes	Amount (In Taka)
1.00 6 Vessels Project (Work-In-Progress) (Undeclared)		
a) Revenue Expenditures		
Registration Fee of Ships		98,354,569
Buyer's Supervision		3,879,032
Advance to Shipping Agency		1,860
Stationery		14,089,088
Buyer's Representative Inspection		35,938,641
Logistics & Other expenses		77,590
Traveling		191,070
Honorarium		219,320
Entertainment		<u>152,751,170</u>
b) Capital Expenditures		
Jeep Purchase		<u>7,030,000</u>
		<u>7,030,000</u>
Total (a+b)		<u><u>159,781,170</u></u>
2.00 Construction of Building (Undeclared)		
Balance as on 01.04.2024		593,509,000
Add: Addition during the month of April		-
Balance as on 30.04.2024		<u><u>593,509,000</u></u>
3.00 RPO Processing Expenses		
Consent Fee of BSEC	03.01	5,280,020
Underwriter Commission		7,842,500
Prospectus Submission Fee		10,000
Annual Fee of DSE		2,100,000
Annual Fee of DSE		1,081,100
Entertainment Expenses		114,125
Post Issue Management Fee		19,000,000
Issue Management Fee		1,000,000
Bankers Commission		3,502,832
Income Tax on Premium	03.02	<u>139,430,400</u>
		<u><u>179,360,977</u></u>
3.01 Consent fee of BSEC		
For issue of 62,74,000 shares		4,705,500
For conversion of Govt. equity to 53,45,200 shares (Undeclared)		574,520
		<u><u>5,280,020</u></u>
3.02 Income tax on premium		
For issue of 62,74,000 shares		75,288,000
For conversion of Govt. equity to 53,45,200 no. of shares (Undeclared)		64,142,400
		<u><u>139,430,400</u></u>
4.00 Balance available for RPO Proceeds		
RPO Proceeds Received		3,137,000,000
RPO Proceeds Utilization		<u>(934,343,930)</u>
		<u><u>2,202,656,070</u></u>



1.02 Savings Account

Trust Bank Ltd. Dilkusha Branch A/C No: FC A/C DAD EURO- 0017-5027000037	95,529
Trust Bank Ltd. Dilkusha Branch A/C No: FC A/C DAD POUND- 0017-5026000020	83,581
Trust Bank Ltd. Dilkusha Branch A/C No: FC A/C DAD USD- 0017-5025000193	52,208
Trust Bank Ltd. Dilkusha Branch A/C No: SND - 0017-0320000898	329,765
HSBC Offshore. Singapore Branch Foreign Currency A/C No: 260-361076-178	8,043,563

8,604,646

02.01 HSBC Offshore. Singapore Branch (Bank Reconciliation)

Book Balance as on 01.04.2024	8,043,563
Add: Other Deposit	295,894,857
Bank Balance as on 30.04.2024	303,938,420

4.03 Fluctuation Gain on Realization of Foreign Currency

Opening Balance	15,930,921
Add: Amount Realized	233,712
Add: Bank Interest	2,849
Less: Bank Charge	-
Less: Amount as per subscription rate	(218,906)
Gain/(Loss)	17,655
Total Gain/(Loss)	15,948,576

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