## **Endorsement of Strategic Program for Climate Resilience for Bangladesh**

The PPCR Sub-Committee having reviewed document PPCR/SC.7/5, Strategic Program for Climate Resilience for Bangladesh, endorses the Program and agrees to the further development of the activities foreseen in it. The Sub-Committee agrees to an envelope of up to USD50 million in PPCR grant funding and up to USD60million on concessional finance to cofinance the program. The Government of Bangladesh and the MDBs are requested to take the comments of the Sub-Committee into account in the further development of the projects. Sub-Committee Members are invited to submit in writing those comments that are to be taken into account in the further development of the proposals included in the SPCR. All comments will be posted on the PPCR website.

In addition to the comments to be submitted in writing, the Government and the MDBs are requested to take into consideration when developing the projects and programs related to the SPCR the following points raised during the meeting:

- a) identify and measure tangible results from PPCR investments;
- b) strengthen the participation of civil-society organizations in project preparation and implementation;
- c) consider cost-effectiveness as a viable indicator for project design;
- d) strengthen the presentation of linkages and compatibility with other existing funds in Bangladesh; and
- e) strengthen gender consideration in project design and implementation.