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A kick-off meeting on the 4th Monitoring Exercise of GPEDC in Bangladesh was held on 09 December 2024 at NEC Conference Room, Planning Commission Premise, Sher-E-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka. The Secretary of the Economic Relations Division Mr. Md. Shahriar Kader Siddiky graced the meeting as the chief guest and the UN Resident Coordinator in Bangladesh Ms. Gwyn Lewis joined the meeting as a special guest. Mr. A. H. M. Jahangir, Additional Secretary (DE Wing Chief) and National Coordinator of the 4th monitoring exercise chaired the meeting.

2. As directed, the outcome document of the meeting has been forwarded herewith for kind information/necessary action.

Attachment: [Outcome Document](#).

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(1) Outcome Document



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