

Bangladesh: an urgent appeal for financial solidarity after the devastating floods in the north-east of the country

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We publish below an appeal launched in Bangladesh following the dramatic floods that hit the northeast of the country. This appeal is aimed at raising urgent solidarity funds in Bangladesh itself, but we believe it deserves to be relayed internationally. Donations can be sent through ESSF.

Dear People,

Eleven districts in the northeastern part of the country have been extremely affected by catastrophic floods. The floods were caused by onrush of mountains and heavy rainfall in the upper stream of India. The floods have washed away people's homes, cattle, poultry, field crops and pond fish. It has robbed the people of their hope of survival.

Millions of affected people remain stranded in various places. They are extreme lack of food, lack of medicine, lack of baby food, lack of clean water. They are living subhuman lives. They have lost contact with other parts of the country.

These victims are the father of someone, the mother of someone, the beloved sister of someone, the brother of someone, the affectionate child of someone. They are now struggling to survive. They are looking for a way to get some relief stuff if someone comes by accident.

It is sad but true that even though people have been floating in the flood waters for more than a week, the government relief has reached them in an inadequate amount.

In the present system, it is not possible for the government alone to deal with the situation during such a catastrophe. Only the earnest cooperation of all can give relief to the people who are in dire straits. Therefore, people from all walks of life should stand by the flood-affected people out of a sense of human responsibility.

In such a difficult crisis of the nation, our beloved organization Bangladesh Krishok Federation cannot sit idly by.

So we decided to stand by the affected people with humanitarian assistance. We are fully relying on the people to implement this goal. That is why, we are appealing to the affluent people of all walks of life to provide as much financial support as possible for the success of our initiative. We will go to the affected areas on your behalf and deliver your valuable assistance to the affected people. There are many individuals who want to help the needy but are unable to do so due to lack of

organizational structure. We will also carry out relief work in their case with 100% certainty so that the right person gets relief. Welcome to your generous hand and generosity in our relief fundraising effort.

Heartfelt individual and individuals who wish to provide humanitarian assistance to flood victims through us were requested to Bkash [1] and contact the following numbers [Not given here].

Badrul Alam,
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To send donations

All forms of payment are available on the top right of our homepage.

Cheques

cheques to ESSF in euros only, payable in France, to be sent to:

ESSF

2, rue Richard-Lenoir

93100 Montreuil

France

Bank Account:

Crédit lyonnais

Agence de la Croix-de-Chavaux (00525)

10 boulevard Chanzy

93100 Montreuil

France

ESSF, account number 445757C

International bank account details :

IBAN : FR85 3000 2005 2500 0044 5757 C12

BIC / SWIFT : CRLYFRPP

Account holder : ESSF

Through PayPal

You can send money through Paypal: see the [PayPal button](#) on ESSF English home page:

<http://www.europe-solidaire.org/spip.php?page=sommaire&lang=en>

Through HelloAsso

You can also send money through the association HelloAsso: see its button on ESSF English home page: <http://www.europe-solidaire.org/spip.php?page=sommaire&lang=en>

Or go directly to:

<https://www.helloasso.com/associations/europe-solidaire-sans-frontieres/formulaires/1/widget>

We will keep you regularly informed via our website regarding the use of the solidarity fund.

Footnotes

[1] bKash is a mobile financial service in Bangladesh