



**EWG Observer Training
Voters' List Display Period
Thursday-Friday, 3-4 January 2013**

Welcome

- **Introductions**
- Training Agenda
- **Participant Expectations**
- Ground Rules

Training Objectives

- To give EWG Observers the knowledge and skills to:
 - Observe the BEC Display Period, and
 - Assess the Voters' List.
- To ensure that EWG Observers can implement their assigned activities:
 - completely and accurately,
 - in the required time, and
 - following a standardized methodology.
- To ensure EWG Observers will follow the EWG Code of Conduct and Pledge at all times.

What is EWG?

- Election Working Group, formed in 2006
- Non-partisan, non-governmental, non-profit
- 29 civil society member groups nationwide
- Goal: Improved governance – transparency, responsiveness, accountability
- Observed the 2008 parliamentary elections and 2009 Upazila and other elections
- Plans to observe all parts of the 2012-2014 parliamentary election process using international best practice methodologies

What is the Voters' List Display Period?

- After voter registration
- Voters' Lists displayed for citizens to see
- January 2-17, 2013
- Displayed at BEC Upazila offices
- Voters can file forms with BEC to:
 - Add / include a voter from the Voters' List
 - Correct details about a voter on the List
 - Delete / exclude a voter from the List

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- **Two Tasks:**
 - Observing BEC Performance
 - Assessing the Voters' List
- **Working as a Team**
- **Management**
- **Reporting Requirements**

Observer Calendar

December 2012- January 2013

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30 (DEC)	31	1 (JAN)	2	3	4	5
TOT	TOT	TOT	Trainers travel to Training Locations	Training of Observers	Training of Observers	Observers Deploy
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Observers Active in Upazilas	Observers Active in Upazilas	Observers Active in Upazilas	Observers Active in Upazilas	Observers Active in Upazilas	Rest	Rest
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Observers Active in Upazilas	Observers Active in Upazilas	Observers Active in Upazilas	Observers Active in Upazilas	Observers Active in Upazilas		All data from observers delivered to Dhaka

Observer Assignments

	OBSERVER #1	OBSERVER #2	OBSERVER #3
January 6	In BEC Office	In BEC Office - Then Travel	In BEC Office - Then Travel
January 7	In BEC Office	Travel	Travel
January 8	In BEC Office	Travel	Travel
January 9	Travel	In BEC Office	Travel
January 10	Travel	In BEC Office	Travel
January 11	Rest	Rest	Rest
January 12	Travel	Travel	Travel
January 13	Travel	In BEC Office	Travel
January 14	Travel	Travel	In BEC Office
January 15	Travel	Travel	In BEC Office
January 16	Travel	Travel	In BEC Office
January 17	In BEC Office	In BEC Office	In BEC Office
January 20	All Forms Due	All Forms Due	All Forms Due