

Free skills training will be provided to 5000 people in Shipbuilding Industry



An Agreement has been signed between Skills for Employment Investment Program (SEIP), Finance Division, Ministry of Finance and Association of Export Oriented Shipbuilding Industries of Bangladesh (AEOSIB) on April 30, 2019. Under the agreement, SEIP will provide BDT197.6 million grant for imparting free skills training to 5,000 workforces on 6 trades of shipbuilding sector between January 2019 and December 2020.

The Agreement was signed by Mr. Jalal Ahmed, Executive Project Director (Additional Secretary), SEIP, Finance Division and Mr. Eng. Md. Sakhawat Hossain, General Secretary, AEOSIB on behalf of their respective authority. The ceremony was attended by all officials from SEIP.

SEIP has already provided 7,328 people with skills training on different trades of Ship Building Sector and about 70% of them are placed in gainful Jobs. It is worth mentioning that, in Welding & Fabrication Course, 3,402 trainees received certificates from DNV-GL, a Norway-German based international certification authority. Among them 2,189 people are working at home and 59 in abroad, all in well-paid jobs.