With funding made available by the World Bank, additional (Phase II) activities were undertaken in Bangladesh to enhance business management education and training. Executive Development Programmes (EDPs) were planned and carried out according to the model previously developed and validated. Eight seminars were offered for the Institute of Business Administration, the Bangladesh Management Development Centre, Dhaka University Commerce Faculty, and Rajshahi University Commerce Faculty. A workshop on writing case studies was offered, proposals and finished cases were reviewed for individual faculty, and case studies were developed for use in the EDP seminars. A workshop was also presented on using case studies in the business class. Other activities included educational counseling and participation in and critique of an EDP seminar developed by the Commerce Faculty of Chittagong University. Recommendations were made regarding case studies (including development of a list of target areas) and executive development programs. (Following the 14-page report are extensive appendices, including the model for management/executive development. Materials from the seminars and the workshop are also provided, such as information sheets, handout sheets, and evaluation summaries.) (YLB)
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INTRODUCTION

The World Bank has made available funding for the enhancement of business management education and training for several components of the management education efforts in Bangladesh, detailed in the World Bank "Staff Appraisal Report." The financial and directional aid was transmitted through the auspices of the University Grants Commission (UGC), which is the body that provides all funding to the several universities in Bangladesh for its authorized functions as prescribed in the by-laws and extensive operating rules and regulations for the universities.

The UGC in turn delegated certain responsibilities to the Business Management Education and Training Project (BMET). This Project has a contract with MUCIA, subcontracted to the University of Illinois at Champaign, and coordinated by Vern Zimmerman, for the administration of the provisions of services on the U.S. contractor's side. In Bangladesh, the Project Coordinator is K. Abdul Latif, ably assisted by Azhar Islam. The Resident MUCIA Representative is Muzaffer Ahmad, who is also acting director and professor at the Institute of Business Administration at Dhaka University.

During the summer of 1985, my involvement in the project included primarily an assessment of the executive development activities currently being undertaken by institutions in Bangladesh, the development of eight case studies based on Bangladesh business and industrial settings (see McLean, 1985a), and offering of four executive development seminars in conjunction with faculty members of the Faculty of Commerce from the University of Chittagong (see McLean, 1985b). The assignment for 1986 was to build on the experience of 1985.

PRE-TRIP ACTIVITIES

Fortunately, this year, plans were developed with sufficient lead time that objectives for the trip could be established and a tentative itinerary developed before my departure. That assisted greatly in pre-trip planning and, in the long-run, the effectiveness of the assignment.

I first reread my report from last year (McLean, 1985b), with specific attention to the recommendations. Because the project this year had been expanded to include specific attention to case writing, I also reviewed the report of the previous consultant who had been assigned to case writing (Davis, 1985).

Knowing that one of my objectives was to present a workshop on writing case studies, I was able to begin development of the workshop, including the duplication of materials. I also located case studies in specific areas, as requested by faculty from Bangladesh. Finally, of course, I had to confront all of the details involved in going to another country (transportation, visa, medical concerns, packing, etc.).
OBJECTIVES

The primary objectives were established for this phase of the project:

1. To work with the faculties of the Institute of Business Administration, the Bangladesh Management Development Centre, Dhaka University Commerce Faculty, and Rajshahi University Commerce Faculty in implementing the model for management development, as modified during the 1985 visit (see Appendix 1 for a basic and a complete outline of the model), including the offering of an Executive Development Program for each faculty.

2. To review and critique individual case studies and case study proposals and to assist faculty in making improvements and, where necessary, in gathering information needed to develop case studies. Furthermore, a seminar on "Writing Case Studies" was to be offered to the faculty, and case studies were to be developed for use in each of the seminars offered as a result of Objective 1. This objective related to all of the institutions identified in Objective 1 above, as well as the Commerce Faculty of Chittagong University.

The proposed programme of work for my visit is shown in Appendix 2.

As is usually the case, ancilliary objectives developed in the course of the visit, as follows:

3. To present a workshop on "Using Case Studies in the Business Class" to the annual summer seminars for updating faculty of associated colleges at both Dhaka University and Rajshahi University.

4. To counsel with individual faculty members regarding educational opportunities for them in the United States.

5. To participate in and critique an EDP seminar developed by the Commerce Faculty of Chittagong University.

The actual activities participated in, in detail, are shown in Appendix 3.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The procedures used in accomplishing each of the five objectives stated above, as well as the outcomes of those procedures, are described in this section.

Objective 1: Executive Development Programs

As indicated earlier, the Executive Development Programs were planned and carried out according to the model developed by McLean and validated during 1985 (see Appendix 1). In each institution, a lead person or persons were assigned to work with me in the organization of at least one Executive Development Program.
These persons were:

Bangladesh Management Development Centre (BMDC) - Md. Salek
Chittagong University - Aml B. Nag and A. Mannan
Dhaka University - A.R. Khan
Institute of Business Administration (IBA) - Fazlul Karim
University of Rajshahi - M.A.Z. Khan, M.A. Mondal, and M. Hossain

The activities pursued within each of the five phases of the model will be described in turn.

1.0 Analyze. Because of the large number of seminars to be developed and offered, it was necessary to make decisions quickly about the topics to be presented. This decision was made in a meeting with the team leaders of the three institutions in Dhaka (BMDC, Dhaka University, and IBA), and in separate meetings for each of the Faculty of Commerce of Chittagong University and the University of Rajshahi. The decisions were based on the interviews and executive preferences obtained during the seminar evaluation process in 1985 (see McLean, 1985b), and the strengths of the faculty selected to participate. In this process, the following one-day seminar topics were identified, with dates:

- June 28 - "Movement of Physical Goods to Customers" - BMDC
- June 30 - "Employee Compensation: Improving, Measuring and Rewarding Performance" - IBA
- July 10 - "Employee Pay and Benefits" - University of Rajshahi
- July 11 - "Employee Motivation" - University of Rajshahi
- July 12 - "Employee-Employer Relations" - University of Rajshahi
- July 15 - "Employee Compensation Policy in Bangladesh" - Chittagong University
- July 16 - "Recovery of Bank Loans: In Search of an Answer" - Dhaka University
- July 17 - "Employee Compensation: Improving, Measuring and Rewarding Performance" - IBA (added after the first seminar run by IBA)

2.0 Design. In each instance, the team leaders working with me were competent in the subject matter and enthused by the project. Samples of the materials developed for the 1985 seminars were shared with each of the leaders. The need to have objectives written from the learner's perspective in observable terms was reviewed, and three-four objectives were then developed for each seminar. Seminar descriptions emerged from the objectives.

Because of the almost impossible time constraints, we had to deviate slightly from the model. If we were going to have participants, we had to get publicity out quickly. One set of materials was developed, briefly describing the three seminars originally planned for Dhaka (see Appendix 4). This information sheet was sent to all executives with whom we had visited, hand delivered to executives later visited, and given to participants in the two earliest presentations. A letter was also hand-delivered to C.K. Hyder, Secretary, Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Dhaka, who had been visited earlier and who had agreed to assist in the process of recruiting participants (see Appendix 5). The Institute of Business Administration also
developed its own information sheet/registration form for use in publicizing both seminars (see Appendices 6 and 7). For the participants in the earliest seminars, less than one week's advance notice was given.

3.0 Develop. Continuing with the model, we next turned to the development stage. Within each team we developed a list of the content to be included in each of the seminars and then sequenced the content. We spent quite a bit of time with identifying delivery methods, so we would be sure to include a variety of approaches. Generally, we settled on lecture, large group discussions, small groups (called syndicates in Bangladesh), case studies, and brainstorming. Because of the large number of participants in some of the seminars, a nominal group technique (NGT) was used in place of brainstorming so that "controlled participation" could take place. Media, while desirable, were unavailable, as also was the equipment for using them (e.g., no VCR nor overhead projector; in one instance, we did not even have a chalkboard or flip chart).

Once we knew what we wanted to do and how, we next had to develop our instructional materials. For each seminar we developed a handout, which included the seminar description, seminar leaders, seminar objectives, a schedule of activities, and, usually, a detailed outline of the material to be presented. In the process of developing the handout, we incorporated each of the delivery methods identified. This handout material is included in Appendices 8-15.

In every instance, it was planned to build the seminars around real-life situations in Bangladesh. This was designed both to enhance the quality of the seminars and to give faculty an opportunity to develop case studies with guidance. In each case except for BMDC and Dhaka University, the faculty member writing the case studies was someone other than the team leader. This phase of the project is described more fully in the section reporting the accomplishments of "Objective 2: Developing Case Studies."

4.0 Implement. During the implementation phase, my responsibility generally included any initial brainstorming activity, facilitation of the first case study, and concluding remarks. In each instance, this was done to model for the team leader and other faculty present how these activities can be carried out. It was generally the responsibility of the team leader to deliver the lecture/presentation (which had been reviewed in detail prior to the seminar) and to facilitate the second case study. Immediately after each seminar, a short debriefing session was held to provide mutual feedback.

In most instances, the seminars are very well attended—in fact, some became too large for effective learning to take place. The most poorly attended was the first seminar—that held at the Bangladesh Management Development Centre. It suffered by being the first seminar, but also from the lack of administrative support. The "team leader" functioned by himself with little assistance from other faculty. A detailed list of participants is shown in Appendices 16-23.
Participant numbers were as follows:

June 28, BMDC - 10
June 30, IBA - 39
July 10, RU - 23
July 11, RU - 19
July 12, RU - 25
July 15, CU - 34
July 16, DU - Inaugural session, 56; working session, 35
July 17, IBA - 17

While a sizable number of these participants were faculty members, several advantages were gained from this unexpected occurrence. First, faculty members were given an excellent opportunity to interact with executives, especially in the small and large group discussions. Second, many more faculty members were able to participate first-hand in both executive development and utilization of the case method in the classroom than would have been possible if such involvement had been limited to those faculty in a leadership role.

5.0 Evaluate and Control. The only part of this phase that was feasible while I was in the country was the participant reaction sheet completed during the last few minutes of each seminar. In some instances, tallies were kept separate for faculty and executives to provide more adequate feedback. This modification to the evaluation process was made during my time there, so not all of the evaluations reflect this change. Detailed evaluations for each seminar are presented in Appendices 24-31.

In general, the responses were very positive. Executives (as well as faculty) like the case study method, especially with cases based on the Bangladesh business environment. They like the participative learning opportunities and the interaction with others. With few exceptions, the facilitators were viewed as having fulfilled their roles in an above-average manner.

Almost all of the comments suggesting changes related to a lack of time within the one-day seminar: more time for discussion, need more time, would like more cases, more opportunity for all to participate, more time for a concluding statement, and so on. It is clear that a two- or three-day seminar for executive development would be more appropriate (though, under the circumstances of providing faculty with experience in EDP, the one-day seminars were probably appropriate). Another way that several of these concerns, along with others (such as seating arrangements, lack of a microphone, etc.), could be handled is by limiting the number of participants. Having 39 participants in an EDP is not realistic if real learning is to take place. A reasonable limit with this type of interactive learning is perhaps 20. A final area in which several suggestions were made was the use of media. The difficulty in responding to this was highlighted in phase 3.0.

Another very useful set of information garnered from the participant reactions was their assessment of their needs. Because some faculty responded to this question as well as executives, and because the forms did not all contain the same items, a summary of responses across all of the seminars could be misleading.
Nevertheless, it is possible to indicate the areas of greatest interest in approximate rank order:

Management Decision-Making  
Employee Compensation and Benefits  
Employee Performance Appraisals  
Employee Motivation  
Management Motivation  
Job Planning  
Team Building  
Training of Subordinates  
Management Information Systems  
Employee-Employer Relations  
Quality Control

Some items appeared high when the respondents were in specialized areas, such as in Dhaka University’s seminar on Bank Loans or BMDC’s seminar on Distribution.

Summary. In summary, then, 223 executive and faculty counts (this is a duplicated count because some participated in more than one seminar), participated in eight executive development seminars held between June 28 and July 17 in Bangladesh.

Objective 2: Case Writing

As indicated in this objective, three components were included: offering a workshop on “Writing Case Studies,” reviewing case study proposals and finished cases for individual faculty, and developing case studies to be used in the EDP seminars described above. Each component will be discussed briefly in turn.

Workshop on “Writing Case Studies.” One of the major difficulties encountered by faculty in developing proposals for writing case studies was the distinction between research case studies and case studies designed to be used to support teaching. Thus, in a brief workshop designed for faculty and offered twice (once in Dhaka and once in Rajshahi), a major emphasis was placed on making a distinction between the two types of cases. The presentation notes used in the workshop are presented in Appendix 32. This workshop, combined with last year’s workshop and actually working with a teaching case as students (both in this workshop and in the EDP seminars), appears to have been effective in producing proposals and cases that are, in fact, teaching cases.

Reviewing Proposals and Finished Cases. At each institution, I was available to review proposals that individual faculty members had developed for submission to the BMET for funding, as well as cases that had been funded by the BMET and were now ready for submission. In this process, I reviewed, critiqued, and edited 19 case study proposals and 13 completed case studies, in addition to the case studies developed for the EDP Seminars. In addition, because of my availability, I was also asked to review, critique, and edit 3 research proposals. The deficiencies found were as follows:

1. Errors related to English skills (notably incorrect use of articles, incorrect verb forms, and misuse of words).
2. Proposals were for research cases rather than teaching cases.

3. The amount of support (as measured in the amount of time proposed to carry out the writing) was far in excess of that needed.

**Developing Case Studies for Use in the BMST Seminars.** The target was to develop at least two new case studies for each seminar offered. That objective was reached in each instance except for the University of Chittagong which used cases developed for use in Dhaka. In total, 15 new case studies were developed and are contained in a separate publication entitled, Case Studies for Management Development in Bangladesh Book Two.

My role in the development of these case studies was:
- to discuss with each case writer the approach to be used with the targeted industry,
- to accompany the case writer (and usually that seminar's team leader) to the industrial site,
- to assist in the interviewing process when necessary,
- to review the first draft (which was to be written overnight because of the time constraint), making editorial changes and raising questions about information gaps or potentially confusing statements,
- to accompany the case writer back to the industry for review and gathering of missing information,
- to review the second (and, occasionally, third) draft,
- to prepare the cases for duplication, and
- to make revisions in the cases based on observations made during their use in the BMST seminars.

**Objective 3: Workshop on Using Case Studies in the Business Class**

Part of the BMST Project includes an annual summer seminar for commerce faculty in associated colleges to update them in curriculum and methodology issues. I was invited to present a workshop on case studies to the participants at Dacca University (June 20) and the University of Rajshahi (July 2). The handout, on which the presentation was based, is presented in Appendix 3B. In addition, a case taken from Russian (1985) was used with each group. In both cases, the number of participants exceeded 30. The faculty appeared to be very enthusiastic about the concept and the process; several commented on the usefulness of the cases developed to date.

**Objective 4: Educational Counseling**

In many respects, this objective was accomplished on an incidental basis during informal conversations. Nevertheless, a small number of faculty (and occasionally students) met with me to talk about the opportunities that might be available to them to pursue their educational goals in the United States. To elicit my opinion about the merits of various institutions that they were considering. In many respects, this was the most difficult of the objectives in this assignment. Many of the faculty still seeking placement are those who have
low TOEFL or GMAT scores, low academic standing in their previous educational experiences, or will have difficulty obtaining government approval for further education because of age. Often the expectations of the faculty or the

Nevertheless, suggestions were made based on my expectations of prospective students.

Objective 5: EDP Seminar at the University of Chittagong

Because I had spent much of the last summer at the University of Chittagong working with case studies in EDP, I was not scheduled to go to Chittagong. At their request, the programme of work was modified, with the intent that I would spend one day reviewing individual proposals and one day observing and critiquing a seminar that the faculty put together. Much of the description of what happened at the University of Chittagong is covered under Objective 1.

Nevertheless, there were some differences. Because I was not physically present prior to the seminar, much of the planning took place over the telephone, and most of the planning mails were left with the faculty. Nothing in the area of EDP had been undertaken last summer. The faculty arranged to use the Petroleum Corporation Training Centre (as we had done last year), and they arranged to have an executive give the theme presentation. Both of the faculty members involved were team-players from last year's activity. They used case studies developed for use in their programme rather than developing their own. The facilitation of the brainstorming, small groups, and large group discussion were all carried out by them. They also developed their own evaluation form.

The faculty clearly felt more comfortable with the processes this year than last year, and the evaluations supported the value of the seminar for the executives. Their use of an executive to make the theme presentation was consistent with advice given last year. In spite of these strengths, however, I was disappointed that they chose to give the presentation themselves (since that would have given them an opportunity to get some feedback) and that they did not develop their own cases. Perhaps the greatest disappointment was that it took an external impetus (my visit) to encourage them to have another EDP seminar, in spite of the positive response and attendance that had greeted their earlier attempts.

POST-TRIP ACTIVITIES

Several project related activities occupied several days of post-trip time, including:

1. Completion of the final report, final typing, and proofreading and duplicating of final report.

2. Completion of the case study publication, final typing, and proofreading and duplicating of final report.

3. Follow-up of requests for information regarding admissions, visiting professorships, immigration, etc.
4. Provided sample curricula, wrote letters to appropriate individuals and institutions, and so on, in response to specific requests.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The recommendations that follow are related to the areas of Case Studies and Executive Development Programmes. Recommendations that fit into neither category are also provided. Some, as indicated, are repeated from last year as no action appears to have been taken in some areas included in last year's recommendations.

Case Studies

1. A more systematic method of soliciting and approving proposals for case studies is needed:

   a) Most of the cases being developed are in the public sector, and many public sector corporations are being used several times. Incentives need to be available to encourage faculty to approach private sector and multinational organizations. Assistance in this process might be sought by BMET from such organizations as the Employers Association, Chambers of Commerce, Rotary, Lions, etc. Records should be kept of how often each organization has been used or proposed for use.

   b) Some areas have already seen a significant number of cases developed (e.g., Employee Pay and Benefits), while other areas have been almost ignored (e.g., Accounting). Such uneveness of approach can be remedied in part if a list of categories could be developed with a target number of cases for each. Once that target is reached, no more proposals would be approved for that category. A sample list follows:

   **Personnel Management**  
   - Selection  
   - Pay and Benefits  
   - Employee-Employer Relations  
   - Employee/Supervisory Training  
   - Management/Executive Development  
   - Performance Appraisal and Promotions

   **Production Management**  
   - Planning  
   - Production/Manufacturing  
   - Quality Control  
   - Inventory Control  
   - Supervision  
   - Operations Analysis  
   - Purchasing
Financial Management
Managerial Decision-Making
Cost Accounting
Bank Loans and Financing
Asset Management
Financial Controls

Marketing Management
Advertising
Distribution
Packaging
Transportation
Selling
Market Research
Pricing
Product Mix

International Business
Exports
Imports
Foreign Exchange Management
Joint Ventures
Export-Import Zones
Negotiations
Cross-Cultural Issues
Technology Transfer
Government Policies

Business Policy
Strategic Planning
Working with the Government
Public/Private/Multinational Sectors
Research and Development
Foreign Investment
Succession Planning

Entrepreneurship
Financing
Entrepreneurial Development
Recordkeeping

Organization Behavior and Development
Conflict Management
Leadership Styles
Team Building
Problem Solving
Employee Motivation
Change Process
Organizational Structures

Organizational Communications

Integrated, Complex Cases
2. It is well understood that most proposal budgets are subterfuges to permit the case writers to earn an honorarium. Such an incentive seems appropriate for this task which is optional and over and beyond the call of duty within the Bangladesh context. Provision for an honorarium that is acknowledged as such is recommended.

3. Some means of distribution of the case studies broadly throughout the universities and associated colleges needs to be devised. Distribution of single copies to individual deans is not likely to have much impact in the classroom. It is recommended, then, that an editor be appointed, with the best cases in each of the categories identified in 1 (b), above, included in a book publication. This publication could be made available widely, perhaps even requiring all commerce students to have a copy to be used in all commerce courses throughout their degree programs, thus saving duplication costs for individual schools. Such a publication needs to be available in both English and Bengali. The English version might also be of interest to commerce faculty and students in other Southeast Asian countries. The publication should also have introductory chapters on using case studies and on the economic, political, and cultural background of Bangladesh at the time the cases were written.

4. Faculty remain uncertain about appropriate techniques to use in teaching with case studies. It is proving very difficult for them to give the freedom necessary for the class to use the case studies effectively without imposing their own set of solutions and values. They also appear to have difficulty asserting control, at least within the EDP seminar context (leading to participant comments about a lack of "discipline"). In-class observations and critiques would appear to be the most useful learning tool available at this time, though this could be perceived as threatening to the faculty. It would also be quite time consuming and may also inhibit student interaction. It would probably also require the observer/facilitator to be someone who is competent in Bengali as well as the case study method.

5. BMET needs to establish a procedure to provide faster feedback on the acceptability of completed case studies submitted, as well as case study proposals. Likewise, reimbursement of expenses needs to be made soon after the acceptance of the completed case studies. Carrying out this recommendation may require the renegotiation of certain expectations held by the World Bank in this process.

6. When a case study proposal is not accepted, the feedback currently offered to faculty is very limited. A more extensive feedback mechanism would encourage more faculty to make appropriate modifications and resubmit their proposals.

Executive Development Programmes

7. As indicated in McLean (1985b), there appears to be little interest on the part of the faculty to be involved in Executive Development Programmes without some reward/incentive. It is clear that, when the appropriate effort is expended, executives are interested. It is equally apparent that EDP must either be a part of a faculty member's regular load (in lieu of teaching another class) or additional remuneration must be available if EDP is going to have any chance for success in Bangladesh.
8. The needs assessment carried out thus far in EDP has been of executives in attendance at seminars, thus biasing the responses to the areas in which EDP is desired. With the research process already in place, a proposal should be solicited with sufficient funds available to permit an extensive needs assessment survey to be carried out. Then, a consortium of faculties should be appointed to develop EDP curriculum packages to be used throughout the country.

9. Lacking the information that would be made available through recommendation 8, above, the curriculum packages could be developed in the areas identified by executives during the last two summers as consistently being of interest to them. The following areas emerge:

Managerial Decision-Making
Employee Motivation
Management Information Systems
Job Planning
Employee Performance Appraisals
Employee Pay and Benefits
Team Building
Training of Subordinates
Management Motivation

10. EDP need not be undertaken solely by the respective faculties. Often, executives are available with both practical and theoretical backgrounds. They should be used, either individually or as team teachers, to present EDP. Such expertise should also be used more widely in regular courses, either as guest speakers or as team teachers.

11. Out of the necessity of providing EDP experiences broadly this year, all EDP seminars were only one-day long. This is clearly not sufficient time to provide adequate coverage of the selected topics. As individual institutions pursue EDP planning, a minimum of two days should be provided for each seminar.

12. As recommended in McLean (1985b), a mechanism needs to be found to bring government secretaries and ministers together with executives in EDP opportunities, especially to consider topics such as: The Effect of Government Policies on Business, The Effect of Influence in Government on Industrial Productivity, Employee Motivation and Incentives, Bank Loan Recovery, and so on. The Commerce Faculties (especially senior faculty) could play a very important "neutral" facilitating role in this process.

13. Similarly, it would be very helpful (as suggest in McLean, 1985b) to include national and local labour union officials in EDP training with executives so that each could learn to understand the other better and, ultimately, develop better working relationships.

Miscellaneous Recommendations

14. Improving the instructional competence of the faculty in the three universities, BMDC and IBA has been a commendable objective, and progress is being made. Likewise, the summer seminars for business instructors in associated colleges are also commendable. However, this effort barely scratches the surface in improving management preparation in Bangladesh. Unless a more concerted effort is given to improving commerce education in the associated
colleges, the net result will be of primary benefit to only a select few students. Consideration needs to be given to expanding the services of the BMET to the associated colleges (especially in the areas of libraries, in-service, and opportunity for advanced degrees), or consideration needs to be given by the UGC for a parallel project directed towards the associated colleges.

15. A continuing concern that I have that has been shared by many of the faculty has been the deterioration in English skills possessed by students (and, in many instances, faculty). While the national desire to have Bengali predominant is understandable and even commendable, the long-range implication of a business cadre in Bangladesh that is not competent to communicate with business people in other countries is troublesome. Bangladesh is a country that is not likely ever to become self-sufficient in business undertakings. It will always have to rely on an active export-import trade. At this point in history, English appears to be the most viable language for such commerce. It is essential, from this perspective, that government policies relative to English instruction in the educational system be reexamined and modified, as needed. In the interim, it may be necessary to require commerce students to become competent in English during their college/university educations.

16. As indicated in McLean (1985b), there are a number of government policies that detract from the value of management development. Structural changes are necessary if business in Bangladesh is to become productive and competitive. First, the bureaucrats need to be in place for a sufficient period of time to understand the problems encountered by the people with whom they are working and the implications of their decisions. A professionalized civil service staff needs to be developed. The current policy of frequent transfers needs to be changed. Second, delegation of authority by the Ministries is essential if managerial effectiveness is to occur. Otherwise, much of management/executive development in the public sector will be wasted—managers will not have the freedom to exercise their newly developed managerial skills.

17. Again, as recommended by McLean (1985b), it would be helpful to have an EDP coordinator for the country to continue the impetus that has begun. Such a person should receive education in the training and development area, to improve that person's ability to consult in EDP with each of the faculties.

18. Because of the widespread confusion existing between an instructional case study and case study research, I have had an opportunity to review some proposals for case study research, some of which have been approved under the research component of BMET. I have serious questions about the value of such research when it is single company, single site, and is not initiated by the company. It would appear essential to evaluate such proposals on the basis of: how the findings might influence national or company policy, how much the results will contribute to or change the basic theory in a field, and how likely it is to change company practices. These criteria do not seem to have been applied consistently, and they should be.

19. The lack of support from BMDC is difficult to explain and therefore difficult to make recommendations for improvement. The fact that the Director General does not have a business education background is certainly a deterrent to active, enthusiastic involvement of its faculty. Further, the BMET Coordinator at BMDC took a very passive role in the project. The faculty also appeared to be particularly lacking in incentives to cooperate. There must either be better communications about the importance of the project by those in
positions of authority or extrinsic motivators (such as honoraria) need to be available.

20. In many of the aspects of the BMET Project, I have major concern about the long-term impact of the work of the consultants. A one- or two-week stay in each location is simply not long enough to teach the skill and develop expertise sufficient to be continued by the faculty without ongoing direction and supervision. While very costly in the short term, in the long run it might be less expensive in terms of cost-benefits to have a consultant knowledgeable in several areas of interest to the project available for a long term to provide the necessary ongoing support needed.

References


Appendix 1

MODEL FOR MANAGEMENT/EXECUTIVE DEVELOPMENT
(R·sic)

Gary N. McLean

1.0 ANALYZE

1.1 IDENTIFY TARGET POPULATION

1.2 IDENTIFY NEEDS

2.0 DESIGN

2.1 DEFINE LEARNER CHARACTERISTICS

2.2 IDENTIFY DEVELOPMENT CONSTRAINTS

2.3 IDENTIFY IMPLEMENTATION CONSTRAINTS

2.4 ESTABLISH TRAINING OBJECTIVES

2.5 WRITE COURSE DESCRIPTION

3.0 DEVELOP

3.1 DETERMINE CONTENT

3.2 SEQUENCE CONTENT

3.3 IDENTIFY DELIVERY METHODS

3.4 IDENTIFY & DEVELOP INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

3.5 IDENTIFY REWARD SYSTEM

3.6 DEVELOP LEARNER PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT TOOLS

3.7 CRITIQUE AND APPROVE PROPOSAL

4.0 IMPLEMENT

4.1 DEVELOP AND CARRY OUT MARKETING PLAN

4.2 COMPLETE ARRANGEMENTS

4.3 DELIVER

5.0 EVALUATE & CONTROL

5.1 CONDUCT EVALUATION

5.2 REVISE COURSE

5.3 CONTINUE DEVELOPMENT & OFFERING
1.0 ANALYZE

1.1 IDENTIFY TARGET POPULATION

1.1.1 Level
   1.1.1.1 Entrepreneur
   1.1.1.2 Supervisor
   1.1.1.3 Junior Manager
   1.1.1.4 Middle-Manager
   1.1.1.5 Upper-Manager
   1.1.1.6 Executive

1.1.2 Industry Group
   1.1.2.1 Banking
   1.1.2.2 Energy
   1.1.2.3 Agriculture
   1.1.2.4 Textiles
   1.1.2.5 Pharmaceutical
   1.1.2.6 Heavy Manufacturing
   1.1.2.7 Other

1.2 IDENTIFY NEEDS

1.2.1 Observation
1.2.2 Interview
1.2.3 Survey
1.2.4 Critical Incidents
1.2.5 Literature
1.2.6 Advisory Board
1.2.7 Other

2.0 DESIGN

2.1 DEFINE LEARNER CHARACTERISTICS
   2.1.1 Work Experience
   2.1.2 Education
   2.1.3 Age
   2.1.4 Motivation
   2.1.5 Other

2.2 IDENTIFY DEVELOPMENT CONSTRAINTS
   2.2.1 Development Time
   2.2.2 Staff Competencies
   2.2.3 Budget
   2.2.4 Equipment & Supplies
   2.2.5 Other

2.3 IDENTIFY IMPLEMENTATION CONSTRAINTS
   2.3.1 Location
   2.3.2 Schedule
   2.3.3 Staff
   2.3.4 Other

2.4 ESTABLISH TRAINING OBJECTIVES

2.5 WRITE COURSE DESCRIPTION

3.0 DEVELOP

3.1 DETERMINE CONTENT
   3.1.1 Narrative

3.2 SEQUENCE CONTENT

3.3 IDENTIFY DELIVERY METHODS
   3.3.1 Lecture
   3.3.2 Large Group Discussion
   3.3.3 Small Groups
   3.3.4 Case Study
   3.3.5 Brainstorming
   3.3.6 Media
   3.3.7 Role Playing
   3.3.8 On-the-Job/Mentor
   3.3.9 Cases
   3.3.10 Other

3.4 IDENTIFY & DEVELOP INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS
   3.4.1 Handouts
   3.4.2 Media
   3.4.3 Notes
   3.4.4 Cases
   3.4.5 Problems
   3.4.6 Other

3.5 IDENTIFY REWARD SYSTEM
   3.5.1 Improved Competence
   3.5.2 Association with Other Executives
   3.5.3 Away from Office
   3.5.4 Certificate
   3.5.5 Promotion Opportunity
   3.5.6 Other

3.6 DEVELOP LEARNER PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT TOOLS
   3.6.1 Self Assessment Questionnaire
   3.6.2 Test
   3.6.3 Performance Information
   3.6.4 Project
   3.6.5 On-the-Job Observation
   3.6.6 Oral Participation
   3.6.7 Other

3.7 CRITIQUE AND APPROVE PROPOSAL

4.0 IMPLEMENT

4.1 DEVELOP AND CARRY OUT MARKETING PLAN
   4.1.1 Develop & Maintain Data Base
   4.1.2 Previous Attendees
   4.1.3 Potential Attendees
   4.1.4 Develop & Distribute Publicity
   4.1.5 Yearly Schedule
   4.1.6 Flyer (Info Sheet)
   4.1.7 Newspaper Ad/Article
   4.1.8 Letter
   4.1.9 Telephone
   4.1.10 Other

4.2 COMPLETE ARRANGEMENTS
   4.2.1 Location
   4.2.2 Room Arrangement
   4.2.3 Refreshments & Meals
   4.2.4 Supplies & Equipment
   4.2.5 Instructional Materials
   4.2.6 Registrations
   4.2.7 Travel
   4.2.8 Housing
   4.2.9 Other

4.3 DELIVER

5.0 EVALUATE & CONTROL

5.1 CONDUCT EVALUATION
   5.1.1 Formative
   5.1.2 Summative
   5.1.3 Reaction
   5.1.4 Learning
   5.1.5 Behavior
   5.1.6 Results
   5.1.7 Other

5.2 REVISE COURSE
   5.2.1 Yearly Schedule
   5.2.2 Flyer (Info Sheet)
   5.2.3 Newspaper Ad/Article
   5.2.4 Letter
   5.2.5 Telephone
   5.2.6 Other

5.3 CONTINUE DEVELOPMENT & OFFERING
   5.3.1 Yearly Schedule
   5.3.2 Flyer (Info Sheet)
   5.3.3 Newspaper Ad/Article
   5.3.4 Letter
   5.3.5 Telephone
   5.3.6 Other
Appendix 2
PROGRAM OF VISIT BY PROFESSOR GARY MCLEAN
(JUNE 17 TO JULY 18)

June 17
: Arrival at Dhaka by Thai Airways, Flight No. 321, Stay at Hotel Sheraton.

June 18, 8:30 A.M.
: Call on Project Coordinator, BMET Project
10:00 A.M.
: Call on Chairman UGC
11:00 A.M.
(BMET Office)
: Joint Meeting with
Director-General BMDC
Director IBA
Dean, Faculty of Commerce
Dhaka University
(To discuss:
Objectives of the Program,
Modalities, Time Schedule)

June 19
9:00 A.M.
(at BMDC)
: Workshop on case writing for Dhaka University, Commerce Faculty/BMDC/IBA Case Writers.
3:00 P.M.
(BMDC)
: Selection of 3 EDP Seminar Topics (one each for each Institution)
: Selection of Team for Case Writing and Selection of Team-Leaders who organise the EDP-Seminars.
: Discussion with Teams on arrangement of EDP Seminars.
(Members of Team and Team-Leaders to arrange visits to Industries and organizations)

June 20
9:00 A.M.
(BMDC)
: Sit with Team Leaders to finalize visits and programs.
3:00 P.M.
(BMDC)
: Start preparation work for cases for the intended seminars.

June 21-23 (BMDC)
: Further review of Case Writing proposals and visit organizations/industries and develop cases with case writers (IBA/BMDC/DUCF)

June 24
: First one day Seminar at BMDC (Time to be decided)

June 25-26 (For IBA & DUCF)
: Visit organization/Industries and develop cases with case writers

June 27
: Second one day Seminar at IBA (Time to be decided)

June 28-29 (For DUCF)
: Visit industries/organizations: Develop cases with case writers.

June 30
: Third one day Seminar at Dhaka University Commerce Faculty (Time to be decided)

P.T.O.
July 1 : Leave for Rajshahi by plane. Discuss program details with the Dean.

July 1-2 : Review case studies made and review case proposals.
           Form case writing groups and identify team leaders.

July 3 : Visit Rajshahi Jute Mills and hold discussion with management to develop cases on their management problem.

July 4 : Review meeting with case writers.

July 5 : Visit Rajshahi Sugar Mills for similar purpose.

July 6 : Visit Rajshahi Silk industries for similar purpose.

July 7 : Revisit Rajshahi Jute Mills and discuss cases developed with management and leave announcement for EDP seminar.
           Arrange for EDP Seminar.

July 8 : Revisit Rajshahi Sugar Mills for similar purpose.
           Continue developing materials and arrangement for EDP Seminar.

July 9 : Revisit Rajshahi Silk industries for similar purpose.

July 10-12 : EDP Seminar on management problems of selected Industries at Rajshahi, at Commerce Faculty, Rajshahi University.

July 13 : Return to Dhaka by plane. Leave for Chittagong by plane in the afternoon.

July 14-15 : Review meeting with the faculty members at Chittagong (Program to be arranged by CUCP)

July 15 : Leave for Dhaka by plane in the evening.


July 17 : Report to UGC.

July 18 : Leave for USA.
Appendix 3

ACTUAL PROGRAMME OF WORK

for Gary N. McLean, 1986

Consultant for Executive Development Programs and Case Writing

June 14: Leave Minneapolis/St. Paul for Bangladesh

June 17: Arrive in Dhaka
   Met with Azhar Islam, Assistant to BMET Project Coordinator
   for University Grant Commission (UGC)
   Met with Muzaffer Ahmad to review programme of work

June 18:
   Met with Muzaffer Ahmad; M.A. Beri, Chair, UGC; and
   K.A. Latif, BMET Project Coordinator
   Met with K.A. Latif, BMET Project Coordinator
   Met with Muzaffer Ahmad, Director (Acting), IBA;
   Munir-uz-Zuman, on behalf of the Director General of
   BMDC; and Habibur Rahman, Dean, Faculty of Commerce,
   Dhaka University (DU), to review objectives and details
   of EDP seminars and case writing assignments
   Met with Dean Rahman and several members of the Faculty of
   Commerce, DU, to discuss programme of work
   Met with Muzaffer Ahmad and Fazlul Karim of IBA to discuss
   case writing process
   Prepared case writing workshop

June 19:
   Presented case writing workshop for faculties of IBA,
   BMDC, and DU
   Met with three teams to identify general seminar topics:
   BMDC - Product Distribution; DU - Loan Recovery Programs;
   IBA - Employee Reward Structures
   Reviewed recently approved case writing proposals

June 20:
   Met with three team leaders: Md. Salek, BMDC; Fazlul
   Karim, IBA; A.R. Khan, DU, to select specific seminar
   topics and dates (June 28, BMDC, Managing Physical
   Movement of Goods to Customers; June 30, IBA, Compensation
   Policies and Personnel in Bangladesh; July 16, DU,
   Recovery of Bank Loans: In Search of an Answer), to
   identify organizations for case studies, to identify
   marketing tools available for the seminars, and to
   set expectations for working procedures
   Moved from Dhaka Sheraton to Ford Foundation Flats
   Completed review of recently approved case study proposals

June 21:
   Reviewed IBA seminar proposal
   Visited S. Hyder, Secretary, Bangladesh Steel & Engineer-
   ing Corp. with Md. Salek and Sarwar-uz-Zaman Chowdhury,
   both of BMDC, to obtain permission to write a case study
   on one of BSEC's enterprises; permission given to work
   with Mehar Industries (Bangladesh) Ltd.
June 21: Met with Khan Mominul Islam, General Manager, Hehar Industries (Bangladesh) Ltd. with Salek and Chowdhury. Toured factory and gathered case information from Mahbub Al Nur, Senior Commercial Officer (Marketing)
Met with M.A. Quddus, DU, to discuss a case proposal and to review and assist in writing a case for which information had already been gathered
Met with the DU seminar team (A.R. Khan, Shafiq Siddiq, and Bulbul Bhowmik) and Dean Rahman to review seminar description, venue, and content.
Met with Syed Rashidul Hasan, DU, to review case proposal process and to suggest changes in rejected proposals
Met with staff of Centre for Development Research/Asian Affairs, including Mizanur Rahman Shelley, Chair; Md. Enayet Karim, Director; Abdur Razzaq; and others

June 22: Reviewed and critiqued one case for Dean Rahman, DU, written by a faculty member for inclusion in the entrepreneurship textbook
Wrote letter to Secretary, Bangladesh Employers Association inviting cooperation in seminars, especially DU's
Developed draft of information sheet on the three seminars
Met with Md. Salek, BMDC, to review status of seminar
Reviewed case and case proposal with Md. Jahirul Alam, BMDC
Visited Sonali Bank with DU team: Ashraful Haque, Managing Director; M.A.H. Beg, Deputy General Manager; and Md. Abdul Malek, Assistant General Manager, Industrial Credit Division to obtain case study information for seminar
Visited with Rafiq Ahmed Siddique, General Manager, Pragoti Industries Ltd. with Siddiq and Bhowmik to obtain case study information for seminar
Met with Prof. A. Nag, Chittagong University, to review options for my program there. Suggested they do an EDP seminar on Employee Compensation for me to critique on July 14, and I would visit with individual faculty on case writing on July 15
Met with Bulbul Bhowmik on writing a case on loan recovery based on working capital loans in the nationalized sector

Reviewed seminar publicity materials with F. Karim, IBA

June 23: Reviewed critique of case with Md. Jahirul Alam, BMDC
Met with C.K. Hyder, Secretary, Bangladesh Employers Association, and Habibullah Khan, Vice-President, Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce and Industry and Managing Director, Ganges Motors Ltd. and Omnitech Ltd. with Siddiq and Bhowmik to gain venue and cooperation in identifying participants, especially for DU's seminar
Met with Dean Rahman to review seminar details
Visited with B.H. Choudhury, Marketing Manager, Hoechst Pharmaceuticals Co. Ltd. to gain permission for doing a case study on distribution (with Salek and Chowdhury, BMDC)
June 23: Visited with Mirza Mahmood Hussain Beg, Company Secretary, Akij Group of Industries, to recruit participants and gain permission for a case study at a later date (with Salek and Chowdury, BMDC) Met with Siddiq and Bhawmik to review DU's publicity material Met with Khan to review DU's publicity material and review information gained for case study

June 24: Reviewed publicity materials for BMDC seminar Prepared publicity for DU's seminar Prepared final copy of summary information sheet for three seminars Met with individual BMDC staff to review cases and case proposals: Md. Rafiqul Islam and A. Momin Chowdhury Wrote letters of invitation to five banks inviting them to nominate participants for DU seminar Visited with B.H. Choudhury, Marketing Manager, Hoechst Pharmaceuticals Co. Ltd. to gather case study information (with Salek, BMDC) Met with Muzaffer Ahmad and several faculty from IBA to work out details for industry visits on June 25 and 26 Reviewed case study developed by Junaid Khan, IBA, and provided feedback Met with Siddiq to review progress on DU seminar

June 25: Met with Salek, BMDC, to review case study Visited with Zewar Rashid, Personnel Planning Manager, Bangladesh Tobacco, to gather case study material with Syed Alamgir Jafar, IBA Visited with Major (Rtd.) Md. Mugtadir Ali, General Manager (Administration), Titas Gas Transmission and Distribution Co. Ltd. to gather case study material with Reza Mohammed Meeners, IBA Reviewed seminar outline and presentation outline with F. Karim, IBA Discussed Rajshahi program with Prof. Latif Reviewed case study completed by Muhammad Musa, IBA

June 26: Discussed Rajshahi program with Dean A. Talukdar Visited with Abu Sujeeed, Chair, Bangladesh Textile Mills Corporation, to gather case study material with Zaferrel Karim and Mainul Huq Chowdury, IBA Visited with S.S. Das Purkayastha, General Manager (Administration); M.A. Bakr, Deputy General Manager; and a subordinate officer to gather case study material at Bangladesh Krishi Bank with Mohammad Musa, IBA Prepared seminar evaluation forms for three seminars Met with Karim and Chowdhury, IBA, to review outline for case study Visited with Md. Khalilullah Khan, Asst. Chief Finance Officer, Bangladesh Steel and Engineering Corp. with Siddiq, DU
June 27:  Met with Z. Karim and M. Choudhury, IBA, to review case study based on BTMC
Met with Salek, BMDC, to review seminar outline
Typed BMDC seminar outline
Met with A. Khan, DU, to review case study and develop seminar outline
Reviewed and critiqued second case study developed for the entrepreneurship book at Dean Rahman's request

June 28:  Met with F. Karim, IBA, to review seminar lecture presentation
Met with the following IBA faculty to review case studies developed: Junaid Khan, Syed Alamgir Jafar, and Mohammad Musa
Delivered critiqued case studies to Dean Rahman, DU
Presented seminar on "Movement of Physical Goods to Customers" with Md. Salek, BMDC
Prepared paper and typed handout material for Annual Summer Seminar for Affiliated Colleges sponsored by the Commerce of Faculty, DU, under the BMET Project

June 29:  Presented paper on "Using Case Studies in the Business Class" to affiliated college instructors, as indicated above
Met with F. Karim, IBA, to select case studies to be used in the seminar and review lecture material
Summarized evaluation forms from BMDC seminar

June 30:  Presented seminar on "Employee Compensation: Improving, Measuring, and Rewarding Performance" with F. Karim and other IBA faculty
Reviewed case study developed by S. Siddiq, DU, and discussed necessary changes

July 1:  Flew to Rajshahi
Met with A. Talukdar, Dean, Faculty of Commerce, University of Rajshahi (RU), to review programme
Participated as one of the inaugural speakers for the followup conference to evaluate the associated colleges summer seminars held under the BMET Project
Reviewed material for next day's presentation
Summarized evaluation forms from IBA seminar

July 2:  Presented paper/workshop on "Using Case Studies in the Business Class" for RU Commerce Faculty and participants in associated colleges followup seminar
Attended seminar dinner
Participated as guest speaker (among several) at closing ceremony for seminar
Attended and participated in Rajshahi Rotary's International Dinner for the Ambassador to Bangladesh from South Korea
July 3: Met with individual faculty of RU to review case studies under development and case study proposals:
- Maqbul Hossain, Professor, Accounting
- Abhinaya Chandra Saha, Assoc. Professor, Accounting
- Sajal Kumar Mukherjee, Lecturer, Finance
- Md. Shah Alam, Asst. Professor, Accounting
- Md. Mohsin-ul Islan, Lecturer, Accounting
- Asgar Ali Talukder, Professor, Marketing and Dean

Typed summaries of BMDC and IBA seminar evaluations

July 4:
Typed final copy of Actual Programme of Work to date
Drafted final report recommendations
Drafted final report objectives
Presented workshop on "Writing Case Studies" to RU Commerce Faculty
Met with EDP/case writer teams to discuss model, select three topics and teams, and determine scheduling for industrial visits:
- M. Ameeruz Zaman Khan
- Abu Taher Mollik
- Sajal Kumar Mukherjee
- Md. Zakir Hossain
- Maqbul Hossain
- Md. Kismatul Ahsan
- Abhinaya Saha
- Asgar Ali Talukder

Typed detailed program for Rajshahi with names, times, and visits to be duplicated and distributed to seminar teams
Typed up notes on "Writing a Case Study" workshop for final report
Reviewed two case study proposals developed by M. Ameeruz Zaman Khan, RU, approved as research projects rather than case studies

July 5:
Prepared flyer (information sheet) announcing the three seminars for duplication and distribution
Met with M. Ameeruz Zaman Khan to provide feedback on his two case study proposals
Visited Rajshahi Jute Mill with A. Saha and M.A.Z. Khan:
- Md. Ismail Hussain, Deputy General Manager; S.M. Amirul Islam, Deputy Manager (Administration), and Md. Nabi Hossain, Deputy Manager (Accounts and Finance) to invite participants for seminar and to gather information to develop a case study

As we were unsuccessful in gaining case study information, A.T. Mollik met with the Credit Manager and was successful in obtaining relevant information

Corrected flyer to replace M. Anisur Rahman with M.A. Mondal
July 6: Visited Rajshahi Sugar Mills with Md. Kismatul Ahsan and M.A.Z. Khan; Mr. Showkat, General Manager; Md. Enunus Ali, Factory Manager; Md. Maqsood Ali, Administration Manager; and A.K.M. Alauddin, Agricultural Manager; to invite participation in seminars and to gather case study material. Met with Mollik to review draft of Sonali Bank case Met with Saha to review draft of Jute Mills case Rewrote and typed case based on Sonali Bank Attended Founding Day ceremony at Rajshahi University

July 7: With Md. Zakir Hossain, M.A. Mondal, Mahiuddin Khan, and Moqbul Hossain: Visited Rajshahi Silk Factory to invite seminar participants and gather case study material: Md. Abu Tahir, Manager; Md. Azizul Haque, Sr. Accounts Officer; Md. Abdul Latif Khan Chowdhury, Deputy Manager; President of the Staff Union; and Secretary of the Collective Bargaining Agent Visited Rajshahi Textile Mills to invite seminar participants and gather case study material: Mahbub-E-Rabbi, Deputy General Manager; Md. Amir Ali, Deputy Chief Accountant Met with Ahsan to review draft of case on Rajshahi Sugar Mills Met with Saha to review second draft of Jute Mills case Rewrote and typed cases based on Rajshahi Sugar Mills and Rajshahi Jute Mills

July 8: Visited Railway Office with Sajal Kumar Mukherjee and M.A. Mondal to invite seminar participants and to gather case study material: A.H. Khan, Additional General Manager; and M. Khurshid Ali, Chief Personnel Officer Revisited Rajshahi Jute Mills with Saha to verify case and its use Met with M. Hussain, M.A. Mondal, and M.A.Z. Khan to review development of descriptions, objectives, schedule, and lecture outlines Met with Hossain to review draft of Rajshahi Silk Factory case Met with M. Khan to review Rajshahi Textile Mill case draft Rewrote and typed cases based on Rajshahi Silk Factory and Rajshahi Textile Mill Revised and typed seminar description and objectives for M.A. Mondal

July 9: Revisited Rajshahi Silk Factory with M.Z. Hossain to verify case and its use Revisited Rajshahi Textile Mill with M. Khan to verify case and its use Revisited Sonali Bank with Mollik to verify case and its use Revisited Rajshahi Sugar Mills with Ahsan to verify case and its use Met with M. Hussain and M.A.Z. Khan to review final draft of lecture outlines Met with Mukherjee to review draft of case based on Railway Office Attended Rajshahi Cultural Center Concert Revised and typed seminar description, objectives, schedule, and lecture outline for presentation on Employee Pay and Benefits
July 9: Rewrote and typed two case studies for "Employee Pay and Benefits" Seminar
Typed draft of case based on Bangladesh Railway
Prepared and typed seminar evaluation forms

July 10: Revisited Bangladesh Railway with Mukherjee to verify case and its use
Met with M.A. Mondal to review outline of lecture
Met with Prof. Saleh of the Psychology Dept. and other faculty in the Department to discuss recent developments in Industrial and Consumer Psychology
Presented seminar with M.A.Z. Khan on "Employee Pay and Benefits"
Reviewed two revised case study proposals developed by M.A.Z. Khan and wrote letter recommending funding
Revised and typed one case for seminar on "Employee Motivation"
Revised lecture outline on "Employee Motivation"

July 11: Revised remaining two cases on "Employee-Employer Relations"
Revised lecture outline on "Employee-Employer Relations"
Presented seminar with M. Hossain on "Employee Motivation"

July 12: Typed answers to several questions submitted by Ahmed Shafiuddin, Assistant Registrar of RU, to be used in an article in the local newspaper
Visited Rajshahi College with Md. Gholam Kibria, Lecturer in Management at Rajshahi College
Presented seminar with M.A. Mondal on "Employee-Employer Relations"
Summarized evaluations of all three seminars

July 13: Visited the School for the Mentally Retarded in Rajshahi, sponsored by the Psychology Department at RU
Flew from Rajshahi to Chittagong
Met with John D. Margolis from Northwestern University to share my observations on commerce education in the universities of Bangladesh
Met with Professors Amal B. Nag and A. Mannan, Chittagong University (CU), to work out detailed agenda for EDP Seminar
Met with Professor Khan, Dean, Faculty of Commerce, CU, to discuss CU program
Reviewed recent case study proposals submitted by CU faculty and approved by UGC

July 14: Reviewed and critiqued case study developed by A. Mannan, CU
Reviewed and critiqued case study developed by A.F.M. Ashraf Ali, CU
Reviewed two accepted case study proposals, one rejected case study proposal, and one rejected research proposal with Kanchan Kumar Purohit, CU
Reviewed and critiqued case study developed by Md. Jahirul Hogue, CU
Reviewed and critiqued a completed case study and a case study proposal developed by Amal B. Nag, CU
Reviewed and critiqued a chapter on Case Studies for the Entrepreneurship book written by Kazi Ahmed Nabi, CU
Met with Julian Gonsalves to discuss business academic options in the USA
July 15: Participated in EDP seminar on "Employee Compensation Policy in Bangladesh" organized by the CU Faculty of Commerce and the Petroleum Corporation Training Center, and offered critiques to the faculty involved.
Reviewed and critiqued case study developed by Md. Jahirul Hoque and Harunur Rashid, CU.
Flew from Chittagong to Dhaka.
Summarized the evaluations of the CU EDP Seminar.

July 16: Reviewed and critiqued case study proposal developed by A.H.M. Habibur Rahman, DU.
Met with Khan, Sibbiq, and Bhowmik to review details for the day's EDP Seminar.
Presented EDP seminar on "Recovery of Bank Loans: In Search of an Answer," with Khan, Sibbiq, and Bhowmik of DU Faculty of Commerce at Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce facility.
Completed draft of report to be presented to UGC.
Summarized evaluation forms from DU Seminar.

July 17: Met with Dr. A.T. Beri, Chair, UGC; L.A. Latif, BMET Project Coordinator; and M. Ahmad, MUCIA Representative, to present final oral report.
Presented EDP Seminar on "Employee Compensation" with IBA faculty at IBA.
Reviewed, critiqued, and edited case study developed by Md. Musa, IBA.
Reviewed, critiqued, and edited case study developed by Nazma Hussain, IBA.
Summarized evaluation forms from IBA seminar.

July 18: Flew from Dhaka.
(Took three personal days in South Korea)

The following seminars for managers are offered at no cost under the sponsorship of World Bank/Bangladesh Management Education and Training Project in association with the staff of the institutions identified. Participation of your managers is solicited and welcome.

July 28, 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. MANAGING PHYSICAL MOVEMENT OF GOODS TO CUSTOMERS

Distribution has been identified as a major marketing problem for many enterprises in Bangladesh. As a result, goods are not reaching end users at the right time at a reasonable price. This seminar will explore some basic problems of distribution and will assist middle and upper level managers of public and private sector organizations in formulating and adopting an effective distribution plan and network.

Seminar Leaders: Dr. Gary N. McLean, Professor of Management and Organization Development, University of Minnesota, USA; and Mohammad Salek, Senior Management Counsellor, Bangladesh Management Development Center

Place: BMDC, 4 Sobhanbag, Dhaka
Contact: Mohammad Salek, 325086-90, ext. 35

June 30, 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION: IMPROVING, MEASURING AND REWARDING PERFORMANCE

Compensation is a critical management activity because it determines the relationship between employee contributions and organizational rewards. Compensation policies and practices affect the entire personnel process vis-a-vis the production of goods and services. Organization's compensation must not only be able to attract, retain and maintain quality candidates, but also should be able to elicit, direct and maintain the desired behaviour which would help in attaining the organization's objectives. Participants in the seminar will explore the present situation, offer their suggestions and opinions and apply the knowledge gained to real-world business situations.

Seminar Leaders: Dr. Gary N. McLean, Professor of Management and Organizational Development, University of Minnesota, USA; and Fazlul Karim, Faculty and Chairman, Executive Development Programmes, Institute of Business Administration, University of Dhaka

Place: Conference Room of the Bangladesh Chemical Industries Corporation (BCIC), BCIC Bhaban.
Contact: Leave reservation for Fazlul Karim with telephone operator at 507050-51 before 5 p.m. on June 28.

Fee: 200 taka

Appendix 4: Information Sheet on Seminars in Dhaka
July 16, 1986, 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. RECOVERY OF BANK LOANS: IN SEARCH OF AN ANSWER

The recovery and repayment of loans is a serious problem in Bangladesh. Successful loan management largely depends on customer-banker relationships in the form of a mutually beneficial partnership. This seminar, designed for top and mid-level bank officials and industry executives/managers, has the following participant objectives: to identify problems in loan recovery programs in Bangladesh; to understand the causes of the problems from the perspective of both lenders and borrowers; and to make recommendations for improving loan recovery programs by both lenders and borrowers.

Seminar Leaders: Dr. Gary N. McLean, Professor, Management and Organization Development, University of Minnesota, USA; Dr. Azizur Rahman Khan, Associate Professor, Dept. of Finance, Dhaka University; Dr. Shafiq Siddiq, Assistant Professor, and Bulbul Bhowmik, Lecturer, both in the Dept. of Accounting, Dhaka University.

Place: Conference Room, Bangladesh Employers Association, Chamber Building, 122-124 Motijheel C.A., Dhaka 2

Contact: Prof. A.H.M. Habibur Rahman, Dean, 508957 by July 9
June 24, 1986

Mr. C.K. Hyder, Secretary
Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Dhaka.
Chamber Building
122-124 Motijheel C.A.
Dhaka 2

Dear Mr. Hyder:

Thank you very much for the kind hospitality that you extended to me and my colleagues from Dhaka University yesterday. We also appreciate your willingness to cooperate with us in our Executive Development seminars.

We have checked with the necessary authorities and willingly confirm our desire to hold our seminar on July 16, 1986, in your conference room from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.

We also appreciate your willingness to help us identify participants for the July 16 seminar. We would very much appreciate your inviting 5 executives representing industry, as well as 2 representatives each from BSB, BSIS, and the Bangladesh Bank. Enclosed is a description of the seminar in some detail.

In addition, there are two other seminars that are being conducted by BNDC and IBA on June 28 and June 30, as described on the enclosed information sheet. We would be most appreciative if you could suggest about a dozen names for each seminar. Participants for the June 28 seminar will probably be marketing managers, while those for the June 30 seminar will likely be personnel managers. Please note the registration process as outlined on the information sheet.

Again, we appreciate your willingness to cooperate with us in this process. It is our hope that all will gain.

Sincerely,

Gary N. McLean, Professor
University of Minnesota

Enclosures

Appendix 5: Letter to Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce
SEMINAR ON
EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION: IMPROVING, MEASURING
AND REWARDING PERFORMANCE

MONDAY JUNE 30, 1986

EXECUTIVE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME
INSTITUTE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
UNIVERSITY OF DHAKA

Appendix 6: IBA Information Sheet for First Seminar
Compensation is a critical management activity because it determines the relationship between employee contributions and organizational rewards. Compensation policies and practices affect the entire personnel process vis-a-vis the production of goods and services. Organization's compensation must not only be able to attract, retain and maintain quality candidates but also should be able to elicit, direct and maintain the desired behaviour pattern of the employee which would help in attaining the organization's objectives.

Objectives: The objectives of the seminar are:

(a) To examine the current compensation policies and practices in the business and industries;

(b) To evaluate the effectiveness of the compensation to employees in stimulating the employees to put forth their best;

(c) To discuss the ways and means of overcoming weaknesses, deficiencies in the current compensation practices.

Expected Output of the Seminar: By the conclusion of the seminar, participants will be able to:

(a) Identify the nature, structure and elements of compensation systems in Bangladesh business and industries;

(b) Identify weaknesses, gaps, inadequacies in the compensation package;

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(c) Develop ways and means to overcome the weaknesses in the current compensation programme in order to make those effective;

(d) Develop a set of recommendations to apply to real-world situations.

METHODS: The seminar would include a theme paper on Employee compensation and its relationship to performance and rewards on organizations to be followed by two case studies on the present status of compensation programs and its application in the real-world situation, using group discussion (syndicate work) and presentation of group findings and discussion.

PARTICIPANTS: Top and mid level Business executives and managers from both Public and Private sector organizations.

SEMINAR LEADERS: Dr. Gary N. McLean, Professor of Management and Organization Development, University of Minnesota, U.S.A.; Fazlul Karim, Faculty Organizational Behaviour and Personnel Management & Chairman, Executive Development Programs, Institute of Business Administration, University of Dhaka.

PLACE: Conference Room of the Bangladesh Chemical Industries Corporation (BCIC), BCIC Bhaban, Dilkusha Commercial Area, Dhaka.

TIME: 3:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. DATE: June 30, 1986

FEES: None

REGISTRATION: To register for participation leave a message for Chairman Executive Development Program, (Room No. 201) with the Telephone Operator at the IBA: 50 70 50 - 50 70 51 OR send the completed Registration Form enclosed with this brochure by hand before 5:00 p.m. of June 28, 1986.
SEMIMAR ON
EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION: IMPROVING, MEASURING
AND REWARDING PERFORMANCE

REGISTRATION FORM

Name of the Participant: ________________________________

Organization: _______________________________________

Designation: _______________________________________

Date: ________________  Signature
INSTITUTE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
UNIVERSITY OF DHAKA
EXECUTIVE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

AN ANNOUNCEMENT

The sponsors of this seminar would hold a second seminar on
EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION on July 17, 1986 between 3:00-7:00 p.m. at the Institute of Business Administration, University of Dhaka.
If you are interested to participate please contact the Executive Development Programme Office, Room #201 or Telephone: 507050-52 for registration and programme details on any working day except Thursday between 10:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Chairman
Executive Development Programmes
Institute of Business Administration

Appendix 7: IBA Information Sheet for Second Seminar
EXECUTIVE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME SEMINAR
MANAGING PHYSICAL MOVEMENT OF GOODS TO CUSTOMERS
June 28, 1986, 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Co-sponsored by:
World Bank/Bangladesh Management Education and Training Project
and
Faculty of Bangladesh Management Development Centre

SEMINAR DESCRIPTION: Distribution has been identified as a major marketing problem for many enterprises in Bangladesh. As a result, goods are not reaching end users at the right time at a reasonable price. This seminar will explore some basic problems of distribution and will assist middle and upper level managers of public and private sector organisations in formulating and adopting an effective distribution plan and network.

SEMINAR LEADERS: Dr. Gary N. McLean, Professor of Management and Organization Development, University of Minnesota, USA; and Mohammad Salek, Senior Management Counsellor, Bangladesh Management Development Center.

SEMINAR OBJECTIVES: By the conclusion of the seminar, participants will be able to:
1. Identify distribution problems of goods in Bangladesh;
2. Suggest solutions to such distribution problems;
3. Describe basic principles of effective distribution; and
4. Recommend solutions to actual distribution problems in Bangladesh.

SEMINAR SCHEDULE AND OUTLINE:

1500 Assembly and Registration
1515 Welcome Address and Inauguration
1530 Problems of Distribution in Bangladesh (Brainstorming)
1550 Principles of Effective Distribution for Bangladesh (Lecture)
1645 Distribution Case Study: Meehar Industry (An enterprise of BSEC)
   -- Division into syndicate groups of 4-5 each
   -- Read case
   -- Prepare syndicate response
1740 Report syndicate recommendations to entire group and discuss
1810 Tea Break
1830 Distribution Case Study: Cure Pharmaceutical Co.
   -- Read case
   -- Prepare syndicate response
1925 Report syndicate recommendations to entire group and discuss
1955 Concluding comments and seminar evaluation

Appendix 8: BMDC Handout - June 28
Executive Development Programme Seminar  
EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION: IMPROVING 
MEASURING AND REWARDING PERFORMANCE  
June 30, 1986  

Co-sponsored by:  
World Bank/Bangladesh Management Education and Training Project and  
Executive Development Programme, Institute of Business Administration,  
University of Dhaka in association with the consultative committee on  
Public Enterprises (CONCOPE), Dhaka.  

SEMINAR DESCRIPTION: Employee compensation viz, Salaries wages and other  
benefits plays a critical role with regard to employee's contribution to  
organizations and achievement of its objectives. This seminar is designed  
to assist middle and upper managers of public and private sector organi-  
zations in examining some aspects of compensation package which can be  
manipulated within the total package in order to make it more effective  
in improving employee performance.  

SEMINAR LEADERS: Dr. Gary N. Mclean, Professor of Management and Organiz-  
ation Development and Fazilul Karim, Faculty Member for Organizational  
Behaviour and Personnel Management and Chairman Executive Development  
Programmes Institute of Business Administration, University of Dhaka.  

SEMINAR OBJECTIVES: By the conclusion of the seminar, participant will be  
able to:  
a) Identify the nature and importance of compensation programmes;  
b) Identify weaknesses, gaps and inadequacies in the compensation programmes;  
c) Develop ideas to overcome the weaknesses in the current compensation  
package; and  
d) Develop a set of recommendations to apply to real-world situation. 

Appendix 9: IBA Handout - June 30
ROLE OF EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION:

1. **Equity function:** It is assumed that adequate compensation relieves individuals from financial worries and thus enables them to put forward their best efforts on their jobs.

2. **Motivational function:** Compensation functions as a motivator to future initiative, human behaviour being highly complex with numerous motivational determinants. An employee's motivation can be harnessed partly by providing equitable financial rewards as well as satisfying higher level needs.

It is assumed that compensation forms a defence mechanism to meet job frustration, conflict and anxiety effectively.
16:15 Tea

MC 16:30 Application of the Concepts: B.T. Corporation Case study read and syndicate work.

MC 17:25 Present syndicate findings and discussion

FK 18:00 Application of concepts: Employee meal benefits at Thai Telephone Co. Food for Management Thought Case study read and syndicate work.

FK 18:55 Present syndicate findings and discussion

MC 19:30 Concluding Remarks and Seminar Evaluation

MA 19:40 Seminar adjournment

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MA : Professor Muzaffer Ahmad
MC : Dr. Garry Mclean
FK : Fazlul Karim
Compensation is a critical management activity because it determines the relationship between employee contributions and organizational rewards. Compensation policies and practices affect the entire personnel process vis-a-vis the production of goods and services. An organization's compensation must not only be able to attract, retain and maintain quality candidates but also should be able to elicit, direct and maintain the desired behavior pattern of the employee which would help in attaining the organization's objectives.

Compensation has been defined as:

Those processes aimed at paying people both for the services they provide and as motivation for them to achieve desired levels of performance.

The compensation process is intimately related to employees performance. Employee perceptions about compensation determine the nature and extent of quality and quantity of their performance.

In Bangladesh since its inception in 1971 the total compensation package has undergone quite significant changes. The National Pay Scales have been reorganized twice substantially with minor reorganizations in between. The second major change was effected in June, 1985.

The new compensation package which has been in force since June 1, 1985, provides for payment of basic pay, medical facilities, house rent allowance or ceiling, conveyance allowance and festival allowance or bonus.

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*Faculty and Chairman Executive Development Programmes, Institute of Business Administration, University of Dhaka*
Objective:

The objective of my presentation is to examine the theoretical considerations involved in the administration of a compensation package as far as their role is concerned.

Scope of discussion:

Compensation is a broad topic that is closely related to number of other fields of management activities. Our purpose, however, is limited to an examination of the present policies, practices and beliefs in Bangladesh.

Types of Compensation:

Compensation includes both monetary rewards as well as rewards in forms which recognize the individual employees worth, e.g., promotion, incentive bonus, more autonomy, etc. A list of elements which make up a list of items commonly included in a compensation package is in Annexure - I.

Nature of Compensation:

Total compensation therefore involves both intrinsic and extrinsic rewards. When linked with performance they cause satisfaction if they are considered equitable. Intrinsic rewards stem from within the individual while extrinsic rewards are provided by the management. In our case the extrinsic rewards are the salaries and wages and supplementary or fringe benefits.

Functions of Compensation:

Compensation has two functions - the equity function and the motivational function. It involves an individuals past performance as well as his present accomplishment.
1. **Equity function:** It is held that adequate compensation relieves individuals from financial worries and thus enables them to put forward their best efforts on their jobs. Individuals are likely to work effectively if they visualize the prevailing reward system as providing "equitable" remuneration for their efforts.

2. **Motivational function:** Compensation functions also as a motivator for future initiative, human behaviour being highly complex with numerous motivational determinants. An employee's motivation can be harnessed through the administration of certain compensation.
## ANNEXURE - I

### A MODEL OF COMPENSATION STRUCTURE

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### II. SOCIAL

| None | *Sports*<br> *Employees canteen*<br> *Management oriented parties* |

### III. RECOGNITION

| None | *Training*<br> *Achievement*<br> *Manager-ent by Walking Around (MBWA)*<br> *Letter of Commendation* |
BASIC ISSUES

* IS THE PRESENT COMPENSATION PACKAGE PERCEIVED AS EQUITABLE BY THE EMPLOYEES.

* CAN THE COMPENSATION PACKAGE BE EFFECTIVELY USED IN MOTIVATING THE EMPLOYEES

DEFINITION OF COMPENSATION

COMPENSATION INVOLVES THOSE PROCESSES AIMED AT PAYING PEOPLE BOTH FOR THE SERVICES THEY PROVIDE AND AS MOTIVATION FOR THEM TO ACHIEVE DESIRED LEVELS OF PERFORMANCE
SEMINAR DESCRIPTION: Employee pay and benefits are generally considered to be important factors affecting employee morale and ultimately productivity. This seminar will explore various theories of compensation, with consideration given to their applicability to the current situation in Bangladesh. Both financial and nonfinancial benefits will be considered in a theme paper. Participants will also consider two cases based on real life situations in which an organization is facing difficulty in the area of employee pay and benefits.

SEMINAR OBJECTIVES: Upon completion of the seminar, participants will be able to:

1. Describe theories of pay and benefits and assess their applicability to the current Bangladesh situation;
2. Identify existing problems in the pay and benefits packages of two existing organizations; and
3. Make recommendations to two organizations currently facing problems in the area of pay and benefits.

SEMINAR LEADERS: Dr. Gary N. McLean, Professor of Management and Organization Development, University of Minnesota, USA; and Dr. M. Ameeruz Zaman Khan, Professor of Management, University of Rajshahi.

SEMINAR SCHEDULE:

1445 Registration and Fellowship
1500 Address of Welcome by Dr. A.A. Talukdar, Dean, Faculty of Commerce
1515 A Conceptual Framework of Employee Pay and Benefits, Wage Theories, and Fringe Benefits, by Dr. Khan
1600 Additional Comments by Dr. McLean and Discussion
1615 Tea Break
1630 Case Study: Bangladesh Northern Jute Mills, moderated by Dr. McLean
   --Small Group Discussion
1720 Large Group Discussion
1745 Case Study: Sweet Sugar Mills; moderated by Dr. Khan
   --Small Group Discussion
1815 Large Group Discussion
1850 Concluding Remarks and Evaluation
1900 Adjournment of the seminar by vote of thanks

Appendix 10: University of Rajshahi Handout - July 10
OUTLINE TO ACCOMPANY CONCEPTUAL FRAMEWORK:

1. Theories of pay in organisations and their relevance to events and situations in Bangladesh.


3. Scope of wage surveys in public and private sector industries in Bangladesh

4. Incentive plans, profit sharing, and security plans

5. Nonfinancial rewards and indirect compensation

A Schematic Model of Employee Pay Structure
Modified from F. Karim, IBA, Dhaka, Bangladesh

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b. Overtime Pay

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| a. Promotion |
| a. Recognition |
| a. Achievements |
| a. Letter of Commendation |
| a. Award Titles |
| a. Management by Walking Around (MBWA) |
EMPLOYEE MOTIVATION
Executive Development Seminar
University of Rajshahi
July 11, 1986

SEMINAR DESCRIPTION: Motivation is the intensification of the desire of employees to do their best to accomplish the assigned duties. Mere issuance of directions does not mean that they will be followed. Employees have a certain area of acceptance. Orders falling within this area will be carried out; those falling outside will be disregarded or sabotaged. Participants in this seminar will explore appropriate motivation techniques that can be used to enlarge this area of acceptance and will apply them in actual cases in which employee motivation is an issue.

SEMINAR OBJECTIVES: By the conclusion of the seminar, participants will be able to:

1. Identify the nature of motivation and the types of motivation available to management;

2. Describe inadequacies in motivational practices often found in practice;

3. Suggest methods to overcome these inadequacies; and

4. Recommend techniques to be used in two real situations.

SEMINAR LEADERS: Dr. Gary N. McLean, Professor of Management and Organization Development, University of Minnesota, USA; and Dr. Maqbul Hossain, Professor, Department of Accounting, University of Rajshahi.

SEMINAR SCHEDULE:

1500 Registration and Fellowship
1515 Welcome by Prof. A.A. Talukdar, Dean, Faculty of Commerce
1530 Conceptual Framework on Employee Motivation, Dr. M. Hossain
1600 Discussion on Presentation
1615 Tea Break
1630 Case Study, Southern Nationalised Banks of Bangladesh: Dr. Gary N. McLean Read and Small Group Discussion
1715 Large Group Discussion
1740 Case Study, Central Textile Mills: Dr. M. Hossain Read and Small Group Discussion
1825 Large Group Discussion
1850 Concluding Remarks and Evaluation
1900 Adjournment with vote of thanks

Appendix 11: University of Rajshahi Handout - July 11
FRAMEWORK ON EMPLOYEE MOTIVATION

Administrative actions, like planning, degree of decentralisation, consultative direction, and promotion and bonuses, will be of no avail unless employees are willing to contribute their effort towards the fulfillment of their assigned tasks. Motivation is designed to intensify the desire in each individual to execute his or her duties effectively. The task of creating effective motivation calls for a keen appreciation of the needs of the employees, such as:

1. Physiological needs - food, clothing, shelter;
2. Security needs, like stability of the job;
3. Desire for a sense of belonging (social needs);
4. Ego needs, such as participative management and operational autonomy; and
5. Self-fulfillment needs, covering desire for being creative and innovative.

Primary Incentives:

The administration's job of motivation is that of generating a situation that provides satisfaction to individual members and at the same time makes appropriate contributions towards the objectives of the enterprise. Administration must have knowledge of what influences employees' attitudes and what gives them satisfaction or dissatisfaction. Management will usually get their plans carried out more effectively to the extent they can provide:

1. Higher financial income,
2. Social status and respect,
3. Security,
4. Attractive work,
5. Opportunity for development,
6. Worthwhile activity,
7. Personal power and influence,
8. Just and fair supervision, and

Factors guiding individual reaction:

a) Characteristics
b) Emotion and temperamental makeup
c) Pattern of beliefs
EMLOYEE -EMPLOYER RELATIONS
Executive Development Seminar
University of Rajshahi
July 12, 1986

SEMINAR DESCRIPTION: Managing people is one of management’s major tasks. Effective relationships between employees and management are essential for higher productivity and for achieving the goals of an organisation. Improved relationships with management can also enhance the working environment for employees. Environmental factors in Bangladesh add additional strains to employee-employer relations. This seminar will explore concrete means of improving such relationships.

SEMINAR OBJECTIVES: By the conclusion of the seminar, participants will be able to:
1. Identify the issues affecting employee-employer relations;
2. Determine ways to create more harmonious labour-management relations;
3. Analyse existing employee-employer relations present in two case studies; and
4. Recommend alternative courses of action in those case studies.

SEMINAR LEADERS: Dr. Gary N. McLean, Professor of Management and Organization Development, University of Minnesota, USA; and Dr. M.A. Mondal, Professor, Department of Accounting, University of Rajshahi.

SEMINAR SCHEDULE:
1500 Registration and Introductions
1515 Welcome and Inauguration by Prof. A.A. Talukdar, Dean, Faculty of Commerce, and Prof. Gary N. McLean
1530 Presentation on Employee-Employer Relations, Dr. M.A. Mondal
1600 Discussion on Presentation
1615 Tea Break
1630 Case Study, Bangladesh Products Factory: Dr. Gary N. McLean
    Read and Small Group Discussion
1720 Large Group Discussion
1745 Case Study, Bangladesh Railway: Dr. M.A. Mondal
    Read and Small Group Discussion
1830 Large Group Discussion
1855 Concluding Remarks and Evaluation
1900 Adjournment

Appendix 12: University of Rajshahi Handout - July 12
PRESENTATION OUTLINE ON EMPLOYEE-EMPLOYER RELATIONS

1. Three Groups of Actors
   a) Employees and their organisations
   b) Employers and their organisations
   c) Governmental agencies

2. Factors influencing employee-employer relations negatively
   a) Employees
      1) Impatience
      2) Unlawful demands
      3) Overconfidence
      4) Influenced by external events
      5) Surplus of labour leading to slack time
      6) Self-interest
      7) Politicized leadership
      8) High consumer prices
      9) Unfavourable working conditions
   b) Employers
      1) Reluctant management
      2) Differential treatment
      3) Arbitrary action
      4) Lack of sympathy
      5) Financial constraints
      6) Legal constraints
      7) Lack of autonomy
      8) Frequent movement; mobility
      9) Self-interest
   c) Governmental Agencies
      1) Political influence
      2) Discrimination
      3) Oppressive measures
      4) Employer in nationalised organisations
      5) Lack of clear public sector objectives

3. Factors needed to improve employee-employer relations
   a) Reasonable compensation
   b) Security of service
   c) Justice
   d) Future prospects
   e) Health and safety
   f) Right recruitment
   g) Equitable treatment
   h) Appropriate handling of individual grievances
   i) Joint consultation
   j) Better communication
   k) Improved working conditions
SPECIAL SEMINAR ON:
EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION POLICY IN BANGLADESH

Venue : Petroleum Corporation Training Centre
Date : Tuesday 15 July'86
Timing : 0900-1700 Hours

* SEMINAR LEADER

DR. GARY N. McLEAN
Professor of Management & Organisation Development,
Minnesota University, U.S.A and currently
World Bank Consultant in Bangladesh on Management Education

* SEMINAR CO-ORDINATORS

* MR. A. B. NAG
Professor of Accounting & Chairman
Bureau of Business Research
University of Chittagong

* MR. A. MANNAN
Associate Professor of Management & Director
Bureau of Business Research
University of Chittagong.

* MR. AZHAR-UL ISLAM
Chief Training Co-ordinator
Petroleum Corporation Training Centre
Chittagong.

* KEY-NOTE-SPEAKER

* MR. M. MASIH UL KARIM
Director Personnel
Hoechst Pharmaceuticals Co

* PARTICIPANTS : Senior Level Executives of

* Petroleum Sector
* Other Corporations
* Multinationals
* Teachers of the Faculty of Commerce
  University of Chittagong.

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Appendix 13: Chittagong University Handout - July 15

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* SPONSORS:

The seminar has jointly been sponsored by the Faculty of Commerce of the University of Chittagong, the Petroleum Corporation Training Centre and the World Bank.

* NOMINATION:

Nominations are invited from the above organisations to enrich the proceedings of the seminar with their practical experience.

* No fees will be charged for the seminar.

* INTRODUCTION:

Organisations are composed of people who primarily work to meet their basic needs.

Compensation Policy differs from country to country and from organisation to organisation based on socio-economic parameters.

In Bangladesh, Government is the biggest Employer having various organisational structures and status viz,

* Government Deptts.
* Semi Government Deptts.
* Autonomous Bodies
* Corporations

They are entrusted to function in Administration, Trade, Commerce, Transport & Industry.
The Private Sector in Bangladesh is also playing a vital role in Trade, Transport, Commerce & Industry and the Multinationals constitute a bulk of this sector.

With these varied organisational goals and structures, it is only natural to have different types of compensation policy in our society having impacts of diverse dimensions.

SEMINAR OBJECTIVES:

* to pin-point the impacts of compensation policy on our national productivity;
* to evaluate the prevailing Employee Compensation Policy in our socio-economic frame-work;
* to enable the delegates to review this important factor of organisational success to streamline the economic life in the society.

METHODOLOGY:

The seminar will be conducted mainly through case method and syndicate exercise.

PROVISIONS:

Reading materials, stationery, snacks, tea and lunch will be provided.
PROGRAMME FOR SEMINAR ON JULY 15, 1986.

9.00 - 9.15 a.m.  Registration
9.15 - 9.20 a.m.  Introduction
9.20 - 9.35 a.m.  Inauguration:

Chief Guest: Dr. M. Waliuzzaman
Director (Operation & Planning),
Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation.

Chairman: Professor Md. Ali Imdad Khan,
Dean, Faculty of Commerce,
University of Chittagong.

Key Note Speech: Mr. Masih ul Karim
Director (Personnel),
Hoechst Pharmaceuticals,
Chittagong.

9.35 - 10.05
Discussion on Key Points of the Speech

10.05 - 10.20
Introduction to Case Method:

Dr. Gary N. McLean
Prof. of Management &
Organizational Development,
University of Minnesota, U.S.A.

10.20 - 10.35
Tea Break

10.35 - 11.00
Case # 1

11.00 - 1.00
Lunch

1.00 - 2.00
Case # 2

2.00 - 3.30
Conclusion/Evaluation.

3.30 - 3.40

All Participants are requested to follow the time-schedule.
Executive Development Programme Seminar
Recovery of Bank Loans: In search of an answer
July 16, 1986.

Co-sponsored by: World Bank/Bangladesh Management Education and Training Project and the Faculty of Commerce, University of Dhaka.

In Association with: Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Dhaka.

SEMINAR DESCRIPTION:
Banks in Bangladesh are experiencing serious problems because many loans made to industries are not repaid on time. Likewise, many industries are facing problems in repaying loans for a number of reasons. This seminar aims at identifying the roots of the problem and suggesting some measures towards solution of the problem.

SEMINAR LEADERS:
Dr. Gary N. Mclean, Professor of Management and Organization Development, University of Minnesota, U.S.A.; Dr. Azizur Rahman Khan, Associate Professor, Department of Finance, Dhaka University; Dr. Shafiq A. Siddiq, Assistant Professor and Mr. Bulbul Bhownik, Lecturer, both in the Department of Accounting, Dhaka University.

OBJECTIVES:
The primary objectives of this seminar are:
1. To identify problem of loan recovery programme in Bangladesh.
2. To understand the causes of the problem from the perspective of both lenders and borrowers; and
3. To make recommendations for improving loan recovery programme by both lenders and borrowers.

SEMINAR SCHEDULE:

Inauguration
14.30 - Reporting and Registration.
15.00 - Assembly.
15.15 - Welcome address by President, Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Dhaka.
15.25 - Address by Professor M. Habibullah, Faculty of Commerce, Dhaka University, Dhaka.
15.35 - Inaugural address by Professor A.H.M. Habibur Rahman, Dean, Faculty of Commerce, Dhaka University, Dhaka.
15.45 - Vote of thanks. (Khan, McLean)
15.50 - Tea Break.

Working Session
16.05 - Problems of Timely Recovery of Bank Loans (Brainstorming)
   - Dr. Gary N. Mclean.
16.20 - Background of Loan Recovery Management (Lecture)
   - Dr. A.R. Khan
   - Dr. S.A. Siddiq
17.00 - Case-1 (in Syndicate group) McLean, Khan
18.00 - Discussion (NGT)
18.20 - Case-2 (in Syndicate group) Siddiq, McLean
19.20 - Discussion (NGT)
19.40 - Seminar Evaluation and Conclusion. McLean

Appendix 14: Dhaka University Handout - July 16
OUTLINE OF THE LECTURE:

1. **General Aspects of Bank Loan Management**:
   - i. Allocation of funds
   - ii. Development of skilled personnel
   - iii. Formulation of definite policies and procedures
   - iv. Application
   - v. Evaluation
   - vi. Sanction
   - vii. Supervision
   - viii. Recovery
   - ix. New Loans

2. **Sound Lending Principles**:
   - i. Safety
   - ii. Liquidity
   - iii. Diversification of risk
   - iv. Profitability
   - v. Purpose

3. **Sound Borrowing Principles**:
   - i. Attitude of Bank
   - ii. Type of securities
   - iii. Cost of borrowing
   - iv. Developmental services

4. **Evaluation**:
   - (i) Gathering Information:
     - a. Interviews
     - b. Financial statements
     - c. Bank records
     - d. Stock market reports
     - e. Report from other banks
     - f. Others, i.e. tax returns, journals etc.
   - (ii) Elements of evaluation:
     - a. Credit character
     - b. Capacity
     - c. Capital
     - d. Collateral
     - e. Condition
   - (iii) Aspects:
     - a. Technical
     - b. Managerial
     - c. Market
     - d. Financial
5. Supervision:
   a. Procuring progress reports
   b. Obtaining annual financial and other reports
   c. Inspection
   d. Nomination of directors

6. Steps in recovery:
   - Assessing inflow and outflow of cash
   - Making repayment schedule - Amount
     - Periods (annual, half-years etc.)
     - Time (30th June, 31st Dec. etc.)
   - Reminders to the borrowers intimating - time when due
     - amount: principal interest
     - panel interest, if any
   - Consider borrowers' difficulty, if any,
   - Adjust repayment schedule, if required
   - Records - Acknowledging borrowers' repayments
   - Intimating periodical balances
   - Personal visiting for close understanding
   - Persuasion through - borrowers' business friend (one/two)
   - borrowers' family friend (one/two)
   - borrowers' auditors
   - Requesting for chambers' influence
     - First - local
     - Next - regional
     - Next - Federal
   - Legal notice
   - Filing suits.

7. Types of Default:
   (i) Willful:
      a. Consumption
      b. Investment in other projects
         - Inside the country
         - Outside the country
      c. Others
   (ii) Genuine:
      a. Death of the entrepreneur
      b. Technical reason
      c. Labour problem
      d. Market problem
      e. Wrong repayment schedule
      f. Unwholesome relationship between lender and borrower
      g. Others
   (iii) Suggestions: To be invited through seminar deliberations.
APPENDIX

CHECKLIST FOR CORPORATE CUSTOMERS

1. History of business
   0 How old is the business?
   0 Are founders still connected?
   0 Steady growth or erratic progress?
   0 Any major problems in the past which are likely to recur?
   0 At first glance is the company young and thrusting (and possibly lacking a sense of caution and responsibility), or old and unambitious (not necessarily a criticism; such business after make very good customers).

2. Ownership
   0 Who owns the business?
   0 Do owners have full/partial control over the day-to-day running?
   0 Identify any inter company holdings.
   0 Will present owners be prepared to leave profits in business during difficult times?
   0 Have owners any further liquid assets to introduce in case of need?
   0 What will be the consequences of the death of one/all owners?
   0 Are personal guarantees of owners necessary?

3. Corporate objectives
   0 What are the general objectives of the directors?
   0 Are these: quantified / ambitious / attainable / flexible / appropriate?
   0 Do they include at least one from this list: profitability / liquidity / product mix / market position / productivity?

4. Management
   0 Ages
   0 Responsibilities
   0 Background, qualifications and experience
   0 All able to grow with business?
   0 Any gaps? (Think of key areas: general management, sales, production, finance.)
   0 Succession

5. Labour resources
   0 Numbers and type: male / female; full-time / part-time; skilled/ unskilled; union / non-union.
   0 Adequacy / quality / availability: all right to meet objectives?
   0 Senior and key employees: what are ages, how easy to replace, should they be insured?
   0 Wages: how do they compare with area; details of bonus schemes / overtime / shift rates / fringe benefits.

Contd...P/2.
0 How controlled and supervised?
0 Relations with management. Good communications?
0 Absenteeism / turnover.
0 Productivity / performance / attitude to job.

6. Premises
0 Location / age.
0 Freehold / leasehold.
0 Adequate space: short term / medium term.
0 Security of tenure: terms of lease.
0 Room and approval for expansion.
0 Is layout good?
0 What is general condition? Do premises appear suitable for work being carried out?
0 Fire regulations observed?
0 Other legislation being met?
0 Valuation and basis.
0 Insurance adequate?

7. Plant and machinery
0 What are major items: condition and adequacy / when require replacement / cost of replacement?
0 Owned or leased?
0 Maintenance policy and planning.
0 Depreciation rate policy.
0 Planned expenditure.
0 How is expenditure to be appraised?
0 What is utilisation rate?
0 Any obvious 'white elephants' which could be sold?
0 Percentage of total fixed costs?
0 Insurance adequate?

8. Financial resources
0 What lines of credit are available to business including HP and leasing commitments?
0 Are financial resources adequate to meet objectives? Any restraints on growth?
0 Is financial structure sound: gearing / liquidity ratios / mix of finance correct as to term and amount for needs of company?
0 Is management aware of all types of facilities available?
Factoring / leasing / discounting / etc.
0 Is repayment capacity adequate.
0 Vulnerability to outside pressures.
0 Profitability: steady or volatile?
0 Capital commitments.
0 Contingent liabilities.

Contd....P/3.
9. Products and markets
   - What are major products? Are markets for these products expanding/declining?
   - Is performance of present products closely monitored: sales trend/market share/profitability/contribution?
   - What factors influence demand: price/fashion/delivery dates/quality/seasonality?
   - Which customers are most important: 10 per cent/20 per cent/30 per cent of turnover? Have these customers been asked what their buying policy is likely to be in the future?
   - New products planned: what is policy on new products?
   - Are complaints logged?
   - Can products be easily copied/have they been patented?
   - What market research is carried out? How are markets changing?
   - Product range: too wide/too narrow/never examined/properly recorded?
   - 'Make in' or 'buy out' decisions properly thought through?
   - Size of order book: logged by product range/effect on working capital assessed?
   - Wholesaling/distribution/packaging policies right: reviewed regularly?
   - Marketing strategies correct: sales force/method of approach/order processing/geographical areas covered/advertising/right products promoted?
   - Competitors monitored closely?
   - Export policy.

10. Purchasing
   - Control and responsibility.
   - Dependent on one/few suppliers?
   - Lead times.
   - Is price sole determinant?
   - Reliability/quality of raw material/component/purchases.
   - How often are possible new suppliers examined: are regular quotations obtained? Availability of alternative supplies?
   - Are discounts for quantity obtained? Who decides on order quantity?
   - Who are large creditors; are they sympathetic during periods of temporary cash shortage?
   - Can suppliers carry stock; if so, on what terms?
   - How does business treat its creditors? Does it pay in shouting order or attempt to preserve important sources of supply?
   - How would business be hit if quicker payments were demanded?
   - Is a regular check maintained on purchase ledger balances/extent of credit taken?
   - Who checks goods received against invoice? Is method used both cost effective and secure?

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11. **Costing**
   - What method(s) used?
   - Who is responsible for supervision and amendment?
   - What items are costed? What items are estimated?
   - Do they use their own historic costs / their own estimated future costs / costs provided by an outside source?
   - Are forecast costs regularly re-examined?
   - How accurately are overheads assessed? Is method of overhead recovery logical? Is it suitable for all products?
   - Is an allowance made for scrap, wastage etc?
   - Is full cost of labour allowed for?
   - Are actual results measured against standards set? How do target margins compare with actual results?
   - If estimates are given do these allow for subsequent increases in raw materials etc.
   - Is marginal costing ever considered? Are contributions of individual products know?
   - Is allowance included for use of assets not shown in balance sheet e.g. machinery fully depreciated?
   - Is too much time spent controlling insignificant costs?

12. **Pricing**
   - Who is responsible?
   - What are pricing strategies?
   - How are prices determined?
   - How frequently are prices reviewed and amended?
   - What are major bars to more frequent adjustments?
   - Is market research used?
   - How price sensitive is market by product range?
   - Comparison with competitors?

13. **Working capital management**
   - **Stock control** (see also Purchasing above)
     - Who is responsible?
     - What are stock holding policies for: raw materials / components / work-in-progress / finished goods?
     - Safety levels / head times / reorder points / reorder quantities?
     - Obsolescence?
     - Storage facilities?
     - Security; what are weakest aspects? Is stock readily stealable?
     - Control system good? How often physical check made: are variances common / uncommon?
     - Stock turn: improving / declining?
     - Is control cost effective? Is more regard paid to high value / high turnover items? Is ABC system appropriate? Has 30 per cent / 20 per cent rule apply?
     - How is stock valued?
     - Are changing levels of consumption monitored?

 Contd...F/5.
Are stock-outs frequently seen?
Are stock tax relief provisions allowed for?
Is insurance adequate?

b. Debtor control
Who is responsible?
What is overall objective? What are target credit allowed ratios?
What are normal terms of trade?
Are credit limits set?
Are status enquiries made? And rechecked periodically?
What is bad debt record? Is this bad? Or too good?
When is invoice sent?
When is statement sent?
What is collection procedure?
What happens to disputed bills?
Why/when are credit notes issued?
Are discounts given - why?
Is ageing analysis completed? Record of debts more than three/six months old?
Can progress payments be requested?
Are deliveries stopped at a particular point?

c. Creditor control (see also purchasing above)
What is policy?
Is suppliers' financial position considered?
Are discounts taken?
Is check maintained on totals outstanding to major creditors?
Joint ventures considered?

14. Information systems

a. Management reports
What information is necessary to run business effectively?
Is it prepared? In reasonable time?
Do reports include: outstanding order book / sales analysis / direct costs / stock changes / overheads / profit?
Who is responsible? Are they trained?
How do internal accounts compare with audited figures?
Is distribution list appropriate?

b. Profit budgets
Are these produced
Who is responsible?
Who sets objectives and key tasks?
Are objectives appropriate?
When are budgets prepared?
How frequently are figures up-dated?
Are variances monitored? By whom? What action is taken?
Are budgets used as targets? If yes, how far down business is this so?

Contd...F/6.
Are assumptions recorded? Is inflation allowed for?
Are assumptions realistic? How does it compare with past performance?
Is business being stretched? Is maximum contribution being obtained from scarce resources?
Key is sales forecast - is this realistic bearing in mind all circumstances?

Cash forecasts
Are these produced?
Who is responsible?
Are figures based on profit budgets? If not, how have assumptions been made?
Are all cash items included?
Are all assumptions reasonable, e.g. is forecast debtor payment pattern similar to what has happened in past?
Are bank charges included?
Is starting bank balance reconciled?
Are variances monitored? By whom? What action is taken?
Is stock holding policy likely to vary?
Are forecasts used for planning capital expenditure and investing short-term surplus?
Do the figures add up?

Bookkeeping systems
What books are kept?
Who is responsible?
Is detail adequate?
Are books posted daily?
How often are trial balances extracted?
Has system kept pace with growth of business? Proprietary system considered? Computer linked systems considered?
EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION
Executive Development Seminar
Institute of Business Administration
July 17, 1986

(NOTE: The detailed handout used for this seminar was the same as that used for IBA's June 30 seminar as contained in Appendix 9. The schedule that follows was designed for this specific seminar.)

SEMINAR SCHEDULE

15:00 Assembly, Fellowship and Registration

MA 15:15 Welcome address and Inauguration


15:45 Tea

Mc 16:00 Application of the concepts: Eastern Gas Systems Ltd. Case Study: Read, discuss in small groups (Syndicate work)

16:35 Present syndicate findings and discussion (Large group)

FK 17:00 Application of the concepts: ABC Bank - A case on Promotion - Case Study: Read, discuss in small groups (Syndicate work)

17:35 Present syndicate findings and discussion.

Mc 18:00 Application of the concepts: XYZ Garments Ltd. (XGL) - Case Study: Read, discussion in small groups (Syndicate work)

18:35 Present syndicate findings and discussion.

Mc 19:00 Concluding Remarks and Seminar Evaluation

MA 19:10 Seminar Adjournment.

MA : Professor Muzaffer Ahmad
Mc : Dr. Garry McLean
FK : Fazlul Karim

Appendix 15: IBA Handout - July 17
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Appendix 16: List of Participants, BMDC, June 28
Seminar on Employee Compensation Improving,
Measuring and Rewarding Performance
June 30, 1966 at 3:00 P.M.
at BCIC Conference Room
(Fourth Floor)

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    Dy. Secretary
17. Mr. Nahidul Alam Chowdhury
    Dy. Secretary
18. Mr. Quazi Sabirullah Ahmed
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BANGLADESH PARJATAN CORPORATION
24. Capt. (Rtd.) Abdul Hye

Appendix 17: List of Participants,
IBA, June 30
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5. Md. Abdul Mazid, Probationary Officer, Rajshahi Medical College Hospital Branch

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Appendix 21: List of Participants, Chittagong University, July 15
LIST OF PARTICIPANTS AT THE
SEMINAR ON
"RECOVERY ON BANK LOANS: IN SEARCH OF AN ANSWER"
DHAKA 16TH JULY, 1986

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<td>1.</td>
<td>Mr. Ahmad A. Munir</td>
<td>Senior Officer, Credit Administration Department, Arab Bangladesh Bank Ltd., Head Office, Dhaka.</td>
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<td>2.</td>
<td>Mr. Mustafa Aminur Rashid</td>
<td>General Manager(Operation), Agrani Bank, Head Office, Dhaka.</td>
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<td>4.</td>
<td>Mr. Abdul Halim Bhuiyan</td>
<td>Assistant General Manager, Control, Development &amp; Co-Ordination Division, Head Office, Agrani Bank, Dhaka.</td>
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<td>5.</td>
<td>Mr. Majedur Rahman</td>
<td>Manager, EUD, Bangladesh Shilpa Bank, Head Office, Dhaka.</td>
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<td>8.</td>
<td>Mr. Syed Mohsen Ali</td>
<td>Member, Bangladesh Jute Mills Association, 2, Dilkusha C.A., Dhaka.</td>
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<td>10.</td>
<td>Mr. Muhammad Abul Qasem</td>
<td>Additional Chief Finance Officer, Bangladesh Textile Mills Corp., Kawran Bazar, Dhaka.</td>
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<td>11.</td>
<td>Mr. M. Gafar Ahmed Chowdhury</td>
<td>General Manager, Agricultural Credit Inspection Department, Head Office, Bangladesh Bank, Dhaka.</td>
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Appendix 22: List of Participants,
Dhaka University, July 16
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<td>Mr. M. Ataul Huq</td>
<td>General Manager, Banking Inspection Department, Bangladesh Bank, Head Office, Dhaka.</td>
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<td>Mr. Md. Fazlul Huq</td>
<td>Executive Vice-President, Bengal Carpets Limited, Dhaka.</td>
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<td>Mr. Rafiqul Islam Khan</td>
<td>General Manager, Desh Garments Ltd., Dhaka.</td>
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<td>Mr. M. Mahmood</td>
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<td>Chief Accountant, Modern Industries (B'desh) Ltd., Dhaka.</td>
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<td>Secretary &amp; Chief Accountant, Specialised Jute Yarn and Twine Manufacturing Co. Ltd., Dhaka.</td>
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<td>Assistant General Manager, Sonali Bank, Ramna, Dhaka.</td>
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<td>Mr. A. K. M. Basit</td>
<td>Assistant General Manager, Sonali Bank, Bangabandhu Avenue, Dhaka.</td>
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This list does not include faculty members who were in attendance.
LIST OF PARTICIPANTS
Executive Development Program
Institute of Business Administration
July 17, 1986

Bangladesh Steel and Engineering Corporation

1. S.M. Mahboob

BSFIC

2. A.B.M. Rafiqul Hoque
3. M.A. Baten

Bangladesh Textile Mills Corporation

4. Sharfuddin Ahmed
5. N.M. Tareque
6. Abul Hossain Khan

Civil Aviation Authority of Bangladesh

7. Moasusur Rahman

IBA Faculty

8. Golam M. Chowdhury
9. Md. Mahboob-r-Saltar
10. Junaid Khan
11. Reza M. Monem
12. S.M. Ikhtiar Alam
13. Zafrul Karim
14. Mohsein Habib
15. Nazma Hussain
16. Md. Musa
17. Muimul Haq Chowdhury

Appendix 23: List of Participants, IBA, July 17
### PARTICIPANT RESPONSE to the seminar on MANAGING PHYSICAL MOVEMENT OF GOODS TO CUSTOMERS (BMDC, June 28, 1986) (n=10; 2 nonrespondents)

#### 1. How well were the objectives for the seminar accomplished?

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(1 nonrespondent)

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#### 4. How well did the facilitators/presenters fulfill their roles?

- **McLean:**
  - Poorly: 2
  - Below Average: 2
  - Average: 4

- **Salek:**
  - Above Average: 2

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#### 7. What did you like best about the seminar?

- Use of Cases - 5
- Discussion - 3
- Nominal Group Technique - 1
- McLean - 1

#### 8. What about the seminar needs improvement?

- More participants - 1
- More executives - 1
- More data - 1
- More lively lecture - 1
- More time - 1
- Earlier arrangements - 1
9. From the list below, check those topics that are of interest to you for future executive development seminars:

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Add others in which you would be interested: (1 response for each)
- Production Manufacturing
- Planning Cash Requirements
- Managing Working Capital
- Finance for Non-Finance Executives
- Entrepreneurship Development
- Rules and Regulations in Semi-Government Organizations

Please provide any other comments about this seminar or about executive development in general.

Very Good – 2
Great Potential – 1
OK – 1
I like this type of seminar – 1
**Appendix 25**

**PARTICIPANT RESPONSE**
**TO THE SEMINAR ON**
**EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION** *(IBA, June 30, 1986)*

(n=34; 2 nonrespondents)

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| 17 | 22 | Organization Development (Mission Statement, Organization Philosophy and Objectives, Individual Job Descriptions and Objectives, etc.)

Add others in which you would be interested: (1 response for each)

Industrial Relations
Career Planning and Development
Employee-Employer Relations in Nationalized Enterprises
Overcoming Environmental Factors Affecting Decision-Making Process

Please provide any other comments about this seminar or about executive development in general. (1 response for each)

Continued academic/management interaction needed to solve the real problems of the country
Well organised
Use CONCOPE and its members to cultivate management culture and development
Appendix 26

PARTICIPANT RESPONSE to the seminar on PAY AND BENEFITS University of Rajshahi, July 10, 1986 (n=23; totals in parentheses reflect faculty responses)

Indicate your designation: 10 Management 13 Faculty

No Average Response Ranking

1. How well were the objectives for the seminar accomplished?
   4.82

2. How important were the objectives for your job as an executive?
   4.52

3. How satisfactory were the presentation methods used?
   4.35

4. How well did the facilitators/presenters fulfill their roles?
   4.90
   Khan: [1] (3) 4.81

5. How acceptable were the facilities?
   4.04

6. What is your overall rating of this seminar?
   4.09

7. What did you like best about the seminar?
   Large Group Discussion - 3 (5) Hospitality - 1
   Case Study - 2 (3) Systematic Analysis - 1
   Lecture - 1 (1) Bangladesh Setting - 1
   Everything - 1 (1) Joint Academia/Business - 1

8. What about the seminar needs improvement?
   More Time - 2 (3) Maintain Scheduled Time - 1
   Orderly Participant Conduct - 2 (2) Final Conclusion - 1
   More Organizations Participating - 2 (2) Distribute Paper - 1
   More Discussion - 1 More Time for Case, Less for Presentation - 1
   Use Overhead - 1 Improve Presentation - 1 Use Decorations - 1
   Improve Seating Arrangement - 1 More Practical Presentation - 1

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9. (Answer this question only if you have not answered it in an earlier seminar.) From the list below, check those topics that are of interest to you for future executive development seminars:

3 (5) Employee Motivation
5 (3) Management Motivation
5 (9) Managerial Decision-Making
1 (3) Employee Performance Appraisals
3 (2) Employee Pay and Benefits
(7) Strategic Planning
3 (1) Job Planning
(4) Supervision
(1) Team Building
(1) Advertising
1 (3) Sales Management
1 (1) Distribution
(3) Working with the Government
(3) Delegation
2 (1) Training of Subordinates
2 (6) Quality Control
5 (6) Employee-Employer Relations
5 (7) Management Information Systems
1 (3) Microcomputers
2 (2) Accounting for Non-Accounting Executives
3 (5) Cost Accounting
5 (8) Inventory Control
4 (2) Organization Development (Mission Statement, Organization Philosophy and Objectives, Individual Job Descriptions and Objectives, etc.)

Add others in which you would be interested:
Discipline - 1
Finance and Banking for Development - (1)
Financial Control - (2)
Financial Evaluation Techniques - (1)

Please provide any other comments about this seminar or about executive development in general.
Hold more seminars like this - 1 (3)
Looking forward to next two days - 1
Presentation and overall arrangements by McLean excellent - (1)
Very beneficial - (1)
Very important seminar - (1)
We need to develop more cases - (1)
Appendix 27

PARTICIPANT RESPONSE
to the seminar on
EMPLOYEE MOTIVATION
University of Rajshahi, July 11, 1986
(n=19; totals in parentheses reflect faculty responses)

Indicate your designation: 8 Management
11 Faculty

1. How well were the objectives for the seminar accomplished?

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Response Ranking: 4.74

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4. How well did the facilitators/presenters fulfill their roles?

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7. What did you like best about the seminar?

Large Group Discussion - 1 (3) Discipline - 1
Case Studies - 2 (1) Systematic Discussion - 1
McLean's Presentation Style - (2) Bangladesh Setting - 1
Hossain's Presentation - (1)

8. What about the seminar needs improvement?

More Discussion - 2 (2)
More Organizations Participating - (3) Distribute Paper - 1 (1)
Use More Cases - (2) More Time - 1 Use Audio-Visual Aids - (1)
Need Microphone - (1) Use Charts - (1) Cover Tables - (1)
Less Discussion - (1) More Discipline - (1) Use Expert to Lecture - (1)
9. (Answer this question only if you have not answered it in an earlier seminar.) From the list below, check those topics that are of interest to you for future executive development seminars:

1 (1) Did Not Respond
3 (2) Employee Motivation
2 (4) Management Motivation
1 (6) Managerial Decision-Making
1 (2) Employee Performance Appraisals
1 (2) Employee Pay and Benefits
(3) Strategic Planning
1 (1) Job Planning
3 (4) Supervision
___ Team Building
___ (1) Advertising
___ (2) Sales Management
___ (1) Distribution
1___ Working with the Government
Delegation
1 (2) Training of Subordinates
2 (1) Quality Control
4 (1) Employee-Employer Relations
___ (4) Management Information Systems
___ (1) Microcomputers
___ (2) Accounting for Non-Accounting Executives
1 (2) Cost Accounting
2 (3) Inventory Control
___ (2) Organization Development (Mission Statement, Organization Philosophy and Objectives, Individual Job Descriptions and Objectives, etc.)

Add others in which you would be interested:

Financial Management - (2)

Please provide any other comments about this seminar or about executive development in general.
Hold more seminars like this - (1)
Very Good - (1)
Very Excellent - (1)
Prof. McLean's hard work is very much appreciated - (1)
Participant Response to the Seminar on Employee-Employer Relations
University of Rajshahi, July 12, 1986 (n=25; 3 nonrespondents; totals in parentheses reflect faculty responses)

Indicate your designation: 12 Management 10 Faculty

1. How well were the objectives for the seminar accomplished?
   
   Poorly    Below Average    Average    Above Average    Well
   1         1 (2)           10 (8)    
   4.77

2. How important were the objectives for your job as an executive?
   
   Unimportant    Slightly Important    Important    Very Important
   1 (2)           1 (2)           10 (6)    
   4.59

3. How satisfactory were the presentation methods used?
   
   Very Unsatisfactory Undecided Satisfactory Very Satisfactory
   7 (5)           5 (5)    
   4.45

4. How well did the facilitators/presenters fulfill their roles?
   
   McLean: Poorly Below Average Above Average Well
   1         1 (2)           10 (10)    
   4.77

   Mondal:  
   7 (1)        4.50

5. How acceptable were the facilities?
   
   Totally Unacceptable Neutral Acceptable Totally Acceptable
   10 (9)           2 (1)    
   4.14

6. What is your overall rating of this seminar?
   
   Poor Below Average Very Excellent
   1 (1)           8 (5)           3 (4)    
   4.23

7. What did you like best about the seminar?
   
   Discussion - 5 (3)  Conclusion - 1  Small Groups - 1  Challenging - 1
   Mondal's Presentation - 2 (3)  McLean's Comments - 1
   Case Studies - 3  Wide Participation - 1  Bangladesh Setting - 1
   Fellowship - 2

8. What about the seminar needs improvement?
   
   Use Visual Aids - (1)
   More Elaborate - 1
   Use Experts to Present - (1)
   More Cases - 1 (1)
   Provide Participants with Certificates - 1
9. (Answer this question only if you have not answered it in an earlier seminar.) From the list below, check those topics that are of interest to you for future executive development seminars:

1 (3) Did Not Respond
8 (3) Employee Motivation
5 (3) Management Motivation
7 (2) Managerial Decision-Making
3 (2) Employee Performance Appraisals
3 (2) Employee Pay and Benefits
2 (4) Strategic Planning
5 (1) Job Planning
4 (1) Supervision
2 (1) Team Building
2 (3) Advertising
3 (2) Sales Management
1 (1) Distribution
1 _ Working with the Government
2 (1) Delegation
3 (2) Training of Subordinates
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4 (2) Employee-Employer Relations
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1 (3) Cost Accounting
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3 (2) Organization Development (Mission Statement, Organization Philosophy and Objectives, Individual Job Descriptions and Objectives, etc.)

Add others in which you would be interested:
Audio-Visual Techniques of Training - 1
Financial Management - (2)

Please provide any other comments about this seminar or about executive development in general.
Hold more seminars like this periodically - 2
Hold more seminars like this regularly - 1
Very Good - (1)
Good - 1
Repeat with different topics - 3
Appendix 29
Evaluation Sheet
University of Chittagong, July 15, 1986
Employee Compensation Policy in Bangladesh
(Respondents=20; Participants=34)

1. Quality of Key Note Paper
   (Please tick one)
   - Excellent [ ]
   - Good [10] 2.60
   - Satisfactory [9]
   - Not Satisfactory [ ]

2. Quality of Case
   No. 1:
   - Excellent [6]
   - Good [1] 3.05
   - Satisfactory [1]
   - Not Satisfactory [1]

3. Quality of Case
   No. 2:
   - Excellent [1]
   - Good [3] 2.15
   - Satisfactory [10]
   - Not Satisfactory [4]

4. Quality of Classroom Discussion
   - Excellent [3]
   - Good [3] 3.15
   - Satisfactory [2]
   - Not Satisfactory [ ]

5. Learning Experience Through
   Working in group
   - Excellent [11]
   - Good [9] 3.55
   - Satisfactory [ ]
   - Not Satisfactory [ ]
6. Do you think similar seminars should be held in future
   Yes [20]  
   No 

7. If yes please suggest three topics (All topics without a following number on which you would like the seminars held received one response.)

   Productivity - 3  
   Export Marketing - 3  
   Diffusion of Violent/Agressive Trade Unions - 3  
   Wages & Compensation - 3  
   Development of Personnel Managers - 2  
   Management Information Systems - 2  
   Employee Recruitment - 2  
   Causes of Mismanagement - 2  
   Collective Bargaining - 2  
   Inventory Management - 2  
   Production Management - 2  
   Labour Management Practices in Bangladesh - 2  
   Decision-Making - 2  
   Cash Management - 2  
   Management Information Systems - 2  
   Laws - 2  
   Employment Communications - 2  
   Participative Management - 2  
   Shipping Management - 2  
   Production Performance - 2  
   Budgetary Control Environment for Entrepreneurship - 2  

8. Overall Management of the Seminar
   Excellent [11]
   Good [11]
   Satisfactory [11]
   Not Satisfactory [11]

9. Facilities provided
   Excellent [11]
   Good [11]
   Satisfactory [11]
   Not Satisfactory [11]

10. Further Comments if any: (Items without a number following received one response.)
   More discussion - 4
   More than one day - 2
   Enjoyed very much - 2
   More collaboration needed between academia and industry
   Repeat seminars like this every three months
   Nice to get to know other managers
   Broader involvement of managers needed
   Very enriching
   Extend seminar to mid-management
   Enjoyed the discussions very much
PARTICIPANT RESPONSE to the seminar on RECOVERY OF BANK LOANS: IN SEARCH OF AN ANSWER Dhaka University, July 16, 1986 (n=35; 9 nonrespondents)

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2. How important were the objectives for your job as a manager/executive?

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4. How well did the facilitators/presenters fulfill their roles?

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Response Rating: 4.00

7. What did you like best about the seminar?

- Discussion - 7
- Presentation - 2
- Policy Issues - 1
- Case Studies - 7
- Brainstorming - 1
- Speech by H. Khan - 1
- Small Groups - 3
- McLean - 1
- Mutual Understanding - 1
- Enthusiasm - 2
- Environment - 1
- Methods - 1
8. What about the seminar needs improvement?
More Time – 10 Have Executives Present – 1 More Discussion – 1
Broader Range of Organizations – 2 More Elaborate Discussion – 1
Distribute Papers – 1 Participants will do better next time with this
More Emphasis on Policy Issues – 1 experience – 1 More Interaction – 1
More Case Studies – 1 Evaluation of Responses by Facilitators – 1
Quality of Participants – 1 Read Cases Beforehand – 1

9. Preference for Proposed Executive Development Programs

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Add others in which you would be interested:

Foreign Loans for Development – 1

Please provide any other comments about this seminar or about executive development in general.

Have more – 2
Excellent – 2
Discussions were very effective – 1
Appendix 31

PARTICIPANT RESPONSE
to the seminar on
EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION
IBA, July 17, 1986
(n=17; 6 nonrespondents; totals in parentheses reflect faculty responses)

Indicate your designation: 7 Management
4 Faculty

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| 2. How important were the objectives for your job as an executive? | |
| Unimportant | Slightly | Above | Average | Above Average | Very |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (1) |
| 4.38 |

| 3. How satisfactory were the presentation methods used? |
| Very | Unsatisfactory | Undecided | Satisfactory | Very |
| (1) | (2) |
| 3.82 |

| 4. How well did the facilitators/presenters fulfill their roles? |
| McLean: |
| Poorly | Below | Average | Above | Well |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (2) | (1) |
| 4.18 |

| 5. How acceptable were the facilities? |
| Totally acceptable | Unacceptable | Average | Acceptable | Totally acceptable |
| (2) | (1) |
| 3.44 |

| 6. What is your overall rating of this seminar? |
| Poor | Below | Average | Very | Excellent |
| (2) | (2) | (2) | |
| 3.55 |

| 7. What did you like best about the seminar? |
| Discussion - 3 |
| Exploration of Employee Benefits - 1 |
| Participation - 2 |
| Case Studies - 1 |
| Industrial Participation - 1 |
| McLean's Leadership - 1 |
| 8. What about the seminar needs improvement? |
| More Participants - 2 |
| Two-Three Days - 1 |
| More Time - 2 |
| Brief Presentation Prior to Cases - 1 |
| Earlier in the Day - 2 |
| More Details - 1 |
| More Organizations Involved - 2 |
| Facilities - (1) |
9. (Answer this question only if you have not answered it in an earlier seminar.) From the list below, check those topics that are of interest to you for future executive development seminars:

6. Employee Motivation
2. Management Motivation
5. Managerial Decision-Making
3. Employee Performance Appraisals
5. Employee Compensation and Benefits
2. Strategic Planning
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1. Supervision
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6. Training of Subordinates
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3. Management Information Systems
1. Microcomputers
4. Organization Development (Mission Statement, Organization Philosophy and Objectives, Individual Job Descriptions and Objectives, etc.)

Add others in which you would be interested:

Please provide any other comments about this seminar or about executive development in general.
Appendix 32
Workshop on Writing a Case Study
Presentation Notes

1. What is a case?
"A case is a description of a real problem situation that stops short of analysis and decision-making and for which several feasible solutions are available."

2. How does an instructional case differ from a research case and a problem?
A PROBLEM has a specific answer that is expected from the students. Its purpose is to identify specific knowledge and understanding.
A RESEARCH CASE provides analysis, conclusions, and recommendations. Its purposes are to: identify new principles; solve specific problems; illustrate specific principles; encourage students to critique analysis processes used; and to illustrate the analysis process.
A TEACHING CASE is defined in No. 1, above. Its purposes are to: develop analysis skills; develop decision making skills; experience ambiguity of real world; develop communication skills (in presenting conclusions and recommendations); develop team work (when syndicate or small groups are used); and to illustrate appropriate principles inductively (when presented before the applicable theoretical principles have been given).

3. How do you start? (Refer to F. Karim's Appendix 2)

4. How do you gather information? (Refer to F. Karim's Appendix 3)
Think about objectives and what you need to present.
Refer to McLean (1985a, p. 20)
Identify a problem and have participants write appropriate interview questions
Review the questions
Revisiting organization for revision purposes

5. How do you write a case study proposal for BMET funding?
a. Case writer's name and designation
b. Instructional Objectives (usually in a narrow subject area)
c. Organization, specific contact in that organization, and whether permission for participation and publication of case has been obtained
d. Brief (1 paragraph) description of the situation
e. List of questions to be asked in the interview
f. Time lines
g. Budget

6. Review a case from McLean (1985a); critique and determine if there are any questions
HOW TO INITIATE THE WRITING OF A CASE

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<td>Open initial short discussions with concerned managers and draw out a plan including consent on publishing the case</td>
<td>Timely completion of the case and its subsequent release</td>
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<td>Gather data</td>
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<td>Introduce a cut off point when decision is to be made and explain urgency</td>
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<td>Disguise the organization</td>
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(Prepared by Fazlul Karim, Faculty Chairman Executive Development Programmes, Institute of Business Administration, University of Dhaka)
Annexure - III

DATA GATHERING SEQUENCE
FOR WRITING THE CASE

* What happened?
* To whom did it happen?
* When did it happen?
* Where did it happen?
* What decisions were taken?
* How were the decisions taken?
* Why was it taken?

(Prepared by Fazlul Karim, IFaculty and Chairman, Executive Development Programme, IBA, Dhaka University)
DEFINITION: A case study is a description of a real problem situation that stops short of analysis and decision-making and for which several feasible solutions are available.

OBJECTIVES: To develop analysis skills
To illustrate appropriate principles inductively
To develop communication skills
To experience ambiguity of real world
To develop team work
To develop decision making skills

WHY CASES ARE USED: Better transfer to the job
Knowledge acquired lasts longer
More interesting to students and instructors
Facilitates academia/business world interaction
Develops skills not easily developed otherwise
Broadens knowledge-base in instruction by using knowledge and experience of participants

INSTRUCTOR'S ROLE: Keep the discussion on track and orderly
Periodically summarize
Record class process
Keep the discussion moving by asking "right" questions
Don't impose your solution or push for a solution
Honor/respect each student and insure that others do the same
Encourage participation; shut off compulsive talkers
Seek clarification; paraphrase

STUDENTS' ROLE: Identify the facts
Identify the problems; which are "major"?
Identify the roots of the problems; causes
Identify options available to resolve problems
Identify further information needed/assumptions
Select "best" solution
Identify effects/outcomes of choice
Justify choice

DISADVANTAGES: Time consuming
Unprepared students
Availability of "good" cases
Difficulty in evaluation
Instructor lacking facilitation skills