

Chuchuli Battali CSO in Good Governance Practices

Sahindranath Roy is the president of Chuchuli Battali Nagarika Samaj Sangathan under No. 5 Balrampur Union Council of Atwari Upazila of Panchagarh District. While issuing the TCB in his Ward No. 2 of Balrampur Union, he found that most of the cards were issued in the names of influential people. The CSO members have a question about how to collect this list and they think that the Union Parishad may not give them the list, so President Sahindranath Roy along with members Chandiprasad, Sunil and two other people of the village went to the Upazila Nirbahi Officer on June 5/2022. And verbally want the name list of TCB card in Ward No. 2 of Balrampur Union. Mr. UNO arranged to give them the list immediately. After getting the list, the members found that Union Parishad TCB products are being withdrawn under the name of 20 people in their ward but in reality they are not getting any cards or products. On noticing this matter, the CSO members filed a written complaint against the UP member of the said ward with the UNO and the District Commissioner on 15 June 2022. In view of the application of the CSO members, the Chairman issued a letter showing the reasons to the UP member, following the instructions of the Upazila Nirbahi Officer. Later, those 20 names were changed and 20 such persons eligible for TCB card were enrolled with the help of CSOs. Chuchuli Battil CSO's initiative has spread the faith of the people of the area that good governance can be established in the society by ensuring accountability in taking integrated initiatives.