Strategic Goal #3: Strengthen Partnerships.

Focus: This goal focuses on enhancing the network’s resilience and effectiveness through stronger partnerships, good governance, measuring performance to help learning and financial sustainability.

1. The 46th Executive Committee (EC) Meeting of BWP.

The 46th Executive Committee (EC) Meeting and the 3rd for the year 2014 was held on 13 August 2014. The meeting was chaired by Mr. Shahidul Hassan, President, BWP. 09 out of 19 Executive Committee Members were present.

It was a participatory approached discussion and the following were the main agenda was discussed in the meeting.

- Status of Implementation of 2014 Work Plan under Core budget
- Update on WACREP- activities.
- Discussion on the Agreement between IWMI (Host Institution of GWP-SAS) and BWP
- Update on Associated Program on Flood Management (APFM) with World Meteorological Organization (WMO).

Agenda-1: Status of Implementation of 2014 Work Plan under Core budget
The EC committee has been informed that among the 13 core activities 9 have been implemented and the rest of the activities are also progressing as per schedule for this year 2014.

Agenda-2: Update on WACREP- activities.
Under the WACREP activities, the house informed the committee that BWP has implanted 2 activities among 6. Another one is underway to implement by its institutional member “Institute of Water Modeling” and the rest of 3 activities are also progressing as per schedule.
Agenda-3: Discussion on the Agreement between IWMI (Host Institution of GWP-SAS) and BWP

In the meeting the committee also discussed about the Agreement between IWMI (Host Institution of GWP-SAS) and BWP. The committee has been informed that BWP secretariat is waiting for the final version of signed agreement by IWMI.

Agenda-4: Update on Associated Program on Flood Management (APFM) with World Meteorological Organization (WMO).

The meeting also gave the present status of the Associated Program on Flood Management (APFN) with WMO which has been scheduled to be held from 24 to 27 October 2014 in Dhaka.

New EC Member: The committee welcomed, Mr. Md. Salim Bhuiyan, the new Director General, Water Resources Planning Organization (WARPO) as this was his first participation in the meeting as EC member of BWP.

The EC members expressed their satisfaction on the progress on the above activities along with the implementation of work plan under Core budget and activities under WACREP.