## FAST FACTS

Asian Development Bank (ADB) funded Rupsha 800-Megawatt Combined Cycle Power Plant Project

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Location: Khalishpur, Khulna, Bangladesh

Project Status: Active

Project Type/Modality of Assistance Grant: Loan

Source of Funding: Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction, Ordinary

Capital Resources, and Islamic Development Bank

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## PROBLEMS CAUSED BY RUPSHA POWER PLANT



Annual use of 900,000 tons (5,632 hours) of Liquefied natural gas (LNG) and 47.51 tons (500 hours) of High Speed Diesel



The Bhairab River which will be affected by the project is the habitat of the endangered Ganges River dolphin (Platanista gangetica gantetica)



The project will affect the fishing communities of Khulna, Bangladesh



Forced displacement/ damage of 34 small shops of the poor people and 145 Household (640 people) was displaced from the area



Relocation of Independent War Martyrs' graveyard