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Stakeholders' Consultation on
CAGE FISH FARMING
Prospects of Bilateral Cooperation between India and Bangladesh

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Theme
- Improving policies and practices of cage fish farming to engage the private sector ensuring the rights of riverine communities.

Background
CUTS International is organising a virtual Stakeholders' Consultation emphasising the importance of cage fish farming in Assam (India) and Bangladesh. This consultation is being organised under a regional programme titled "Trans-boundary Rivers of South Asia" (TROSA), which is supported by the Swedish International Development Agency (Sida), managed by Oxfam Novib. The project aims to reduce poverty of marginalised and vulnerable river basin communities through increased access to, and control over, water resources, over which their livelihoods depend. The details of the project can be accessed here.

Objectives of the Consultation
1. Deliberate on the prospects of cage fish farming in (Assam) India and Bangladesh and how it can be enhanced for the improvement of livelihood of marginalised sections of the society, mainly women.
2. Explore opportunities for knowledge sharing and success stories between India and Bangladesh.