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Letter of Certification

This is to certify that Professor **Dr. M. Sohel Rahman** and his students (including **Md. Salman Shamil, Farhanaz Farheen, Sheikh Saifur Rahman Jony** and others) from the **Department of Computer Science and Engineering (CSE), Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET)** have been working as part of a team to develop **COVID-19** forecasting models and other data-driven responses to address high-priority public health challenges in **Aspire to Innovate (a2i) Programme** since **August 2020 up to present**.

The project is of national importance for the Government of Bangladesh, and is implemented by the ICT Division and Cabinet Division of the Government of Bangladesh.

Their support and contribution have been highly appreciated.

For further inquiry and verification, please feel free to contact our office. Thank you very much.



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