### RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ORGANIZATIONAL JUSTICE AND ORGANIZATIONAL TRUST AMONG THE EMPLOYEE OF SELECTED COMMERCIAL BANKS IN BADULLA DISTRICT



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#### ABSTRACT

Empirical knowledge gaps were identified regarding the relationship between organizational justice and organizational trust in the banking sector, particularly Badulla District. So, the main purpose of this research is reviewing the relationship between organizational justice and organizational trust among the bank employees.

This study was conducted with five research objectives. The method of this research is descriptive and correlational, and its statistical sample is included 200 employees in selected commercial banks in Badulla District and simple convenience sampling technique has being applied. Data collection tools used through this research were Price and Mueller (1968) Distributive Justice Index (DJI), Moorman's (1991) Procedural and Interactional Justice Questionnaire, Scott (1981) Organizational Trust Questionnaire, that their Cronbach's alpha values were equal to 0.89, 0.77, 0.82, 0.77 and 0.81 respectively. The Pearson Correlation Coefficient was used to identify the relationship between the organizational justice and organizational trust.

Results of the study show that organizational justice and organizational trust were high level among the employees of selected commercial banks in Badulla District. And also, correlation analysis found that organizational justice and its dimensions were positively correlated with organizational trust. Based on that, distributive and procedural justice have high positive relationship with organizational trust and medium positive relationship, between the interactional justice and organizational trust.

**Keywords:** Distributive Justice, Procedural Justice, Interactional Justice, Organizational Justice, Organizational Trust, Banking Employees

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