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Deadline extended for ballottee Hajj pilgrims

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The deadline for ballottee Hajj pilgrims of 2004 to deposit money with the banks has been extended till November 10 from October 30. The National Hajj Management Committee took the decision at a meeting yesterday with State Minister for Religious Affairs

Mosharef Hossain Shahjahan in the chair.

The meeting decided to send a two-member high-level delegation to Saudi Arabia to arrange accommodation facilities for the Hajj pilgrims. Later, they will take final decision regarding houses and rent.

It also decided that separate rooms would be earmarked for women pilgrims in the same buildings, if possible.

Ten thousand ballottee and 40 thousand non-ballottee pilgrims will get a chance to perform Hajj in 2004.

Committee members Foreign Minister M Morshed Khan, Housing and Public Works Minister Mirza Abbas and PM's Political Secretary Mosaddek Ali attended the meeting. State Minister for Foreign Affairs Reaz Rahman, Religious Affairs Secretary Syed Sajedul Karim and senior officials were also present.

'Parties use local govt for political gains'

UNB, Dhaka

All political parties want to use local government to pursue their political agenda, said Prof Dr Salahuddin M Aminuzzaman, chairman of Development Studies Department of Dhaka University.

"Interestingly, all political parties that came to power since the country's independence gave the portfolio of LGRD Ministry to their party general secretaries, aiming to gear up their party activities at the grassroots level, not to strengthen local government," he told a function here yesterday.

Dr Salahuddin presented a keynote paper on "Empowerment of Union Parishad: Possible Intervention", at the three-day programme titled "Role of Media in Strengthening Local Government". BCDJC organised the programme at its office in cooperation with Local Government and Development Journalists Forum for reporters working for national dailies.

Referring to some mandatory activities of Union Parishad (UP) chairmen, he said most of the chairmen and local government representatives, in fact, do not know what their responsibilities are.

"The constitution and local government ordinance have clearly described the responsibilities of chairman and local representatives, but unfortunately they are not aware of their duties," Dr Salahuddin said.

Prof Dr Jarina Rahman Khan of Local Government initiative, LGI Grand Manager Indek Oak, BCDJC president Naimul Islam Khan, Media and Communication specialist of LG Initiative Jamil Ahmed and executive director of CDC Muhammad Jahangir, addressed the seminar.

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