

Farmers bring boatloads of paddy after harvesting from a flooded field in Chatmohar upazila of Pabna.

# Farmers worried as rainwater floods Boro fields in harvesting period

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The torrential rain during the last couple of days submerged paddies in low lying areas of different districts including Tangail, Pabna and Sirajganj.

Flooding due to overflowing of rain-fed rivers hampers harvesting of Boro paddy in different places in Tangail, reports our correspondent.

Shortage of labourers adds to the problem while many of the farmers who have already harvested the crop cannot dry it due wet

Boro was cultivated on 1,69,529 hectares of land in 12 upazilas of Tangail this year with a target to produce 6,58,857 tonnes of rice, said officials of the Department of Agriculture

The district saw a bumper yield of the crop and around 65 percent of it was harvested till Saturday, they said.

But the paddies in large area were submerged due to heavy rain as well as overflow of the waterbodies in several upazilas including Basail, Mirzapur and Sadar.

Moreover, til (oil seed) on 2050 hectares, jute on 1600 hectares and Aush paddy on 40 hectares of land went under water in Bhuapur

Ripe and half ripe Boro paddy on about 75 hectares of land submerged at Tholpara, Boinnatoly, Govindapur and Sutanory villages in Fotepur union of Mirzapur upazila due to rise water in the Banshai river and its branches, locals said.

Many of the farmers along with their family and taking these by boats.

"I along with my family members have started cutting the submerged paddy plants of

all the crop of the field," said Israil Hossain of Tholpara village

Besides, ripe and half ripe Boro paddy of vast lands at Budhirpara, Mondirpara and Paharpur villages in Mirzapur and different villages including Kanchanpur, Basulia, Poulee, Moteshwar, Singardak and Jutuki in Basail upazila submerged due to heavy rain, local sources said.

Shariful Islam, a sub-assistant agriculture officer of the DAE in Tangail, said they have started getting information from the upazila offices about the submerged Boro paddies.

Our Pabna Correspondent reports: The huge waterlogging due to weeklong rain after the onslaught of super cyclone Amphan hampers harvesting in the peak period.

"I have bumper yield of paddy on 20 bigha land in Khalishagari beel, a part of the vast Chalanbeel in Dhulauri-Beluri Mouja, but I won't be able to reap all the crop as the field submerged a week before start of the harvest," said Abu Sayeed, a farmer of Dhulauri village in Pabna's Chatmohar upazila.

"I have managed more workers from different areas for additional charge to harvest paddy in the waterlogged field within a couple of days," said Taijul Islam, another farmer of

Most of the farmers of Chalanbeel area in Chatmohar upazila cultivate paddy a bit late after harvesting mustard and so, the reaping of the paddy gets delayed too, said Masum Billah, under Boro cultivation this year, of them 71 upazila agriculture officer.

The incessant rain during the last few members are harvesting the crop from the water days led to the rise of water level in the river, told The Daily Star. which caused huge waterlogging in the vast

A similar picture is found in Kukragari Beel,

my field. However, it will not be possible to reap Diksheer Beel, Chiroil Beel, Dholar Beel, Jial Beel and other parts of Chalanbeel region in

Most of the growers are harvesting paddy in a hurry in a bid to recover at least the production

Farmers of Vangura upazila of Chalanbeel region made earthen embankment in Char Vangura area on Saturday to save their hundreds of acres of paddy fields. Md Azhar Ali, deputy director of Pabna DAE,

said 51,313 hectares of land was brought under Boro cultivation in the district this season and 61 percent of the crop has already been harvested. "Sudden flooding due to the days-long raining after the hit by super cyclone Amphan

and the increase of water in the Jamuna submerged most of the Chalanbeel areas. Hopefully the water will subside within next few days," he said. Meanwhile, the problem of the farmers of

Chalanbeel in Sirajganj is even more as the water level has rapidly increased in the mighty Jamuna and overflooded low-lying areas and the waterbodies in the district. "I am worried about recovering the production cost of Boro paddy as a large

portion of the crop got damaged due to the waterlogging," said Md Mozammel Haque of Nischintopur village in Sirajganj's Kazipur A total of 1.41 lakh hectares of land was brought

percent was harvested last week, Md Habibul Haque, deputy director of DAE in Sirajganj,

The sudden rise of water level will not do much harm as the farmers have continued harvesting in water, he said.

## Human chain protesting case against Prothom Alo journo

Our Correspondent, Patuakhali

Journalists formed a human chain in front of Baufal Press Club on Sunday protesting filing of local Jubo League activist Taposh Kumar murder case against ABM Mizanur Rahman, Baufal correspondent of Prothom

Jitendra Nath Journalists Kamruzzaman Bachchu, Jasim Uddin and Mizan's father Abdus Salam and son Affan, among others, took part in the human chain. Mizan, now an executive member of the running executive committee, was the general secretary of the press club for two

The speakers at the programme strongly protested the case filed against Mizan with the intention to harass him.

Most of the journalists have been intimidated by a quarter for not participating in the human chain, they

general Kamruzzaman Bachchu, secretary of Baufal Press Club, said Mizan was not present in the beginning of the

"Mizan arrived at the spot after receiving phone calls from several journalists including me. Mizan was performing his professional duties with us, but he has

been accused in the murder case. It is very sad," said Bachchu.

Bachchu also demanded immediate

withdrawal of the case against Mizan. Mizan's father Abdus Salam Mia, a retired government officer, said "My son is being harassed repeatedly for doing reports on various irregularities in newspapers."

Earlier, his son was charged in six cases including those for extortion and robbery, but later all the cases were proved false, said

On May 24, on the eve of Eid, Taposh Kumar was killed in a clash between two factions of ruling Awami League (AL) over erection of a pylon with the health guidelines of the prime minister to prevent the spread of coronavirus at the empty space on the road in front of Zila Parishad

The following day, Pankaj Chandra Das, elder brother of the deceased, filed a murder case against 35 people including mayor of Baufal municipality and also joint general secretary of the district AL Ziaul Haque Jewel and journalist Mizanur Rahman. Mizanur is the 20th accused in

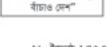
Simon, an accused of the case, has been arrested, police said.



Journalists formed a human chain in front of Baufal Press Club in Patuakhali on Sunday protesting filing of a murder case against ABM Mizanur Rahman, Baufal correspondent of Prothom

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## বঙ্গবন্ধু শেখ মুজিবুর রহমান অ্যাভিয়েশন অ্যান্ড অ্যারোস্পেস বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়

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### INVITATION FOR TENDERS

No: BSMRAAU/Regi/163/2020/85

Date: 02 June 2020

Ministry / Division	n		Ministry of	Education		
Procuring entity name		Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Aviation and Aerospace University (BSMRAAU)				
Procuring Entity District		Dhaka, Bangladesh				
Tender Invitation For		Procurement of All-In-One Computer for BSMRAAU				
Invitation Reference No		BSMRAAU Open Tender No: OTM-06/2019-2020				
Date		02 June 2020				
KEY INFORMA	TION					
Procurement Method		Open Tender Method (National)				
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Budget and Source of Funds			Government of Bangladesh			
PARTICULAR	INFORMA	TION				
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Tender Submission Date and Time			16 June 2020; 12:30 PM			
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		Taka Eight Hundred Only) in the form of pay order / bank draft (non-refundable) from any				
		ank of Bangladesh in favour of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Aviation and				
		Jniversity (BSMRAAU).				
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পুরাতন বিমানবন্দর, ঢাকা সেনানিবাস, ঢাকা-১২১৫।

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Ministry of Education

No: BSMRAAU/Regi/163/2020/86

Ministry / Division

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Date: 02 June 2020

Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahm AAU) Procuring entity name Procuring Entity District Dhaka, Bangladesh Procurement of Photocopy Machines for BSMRAAU Tender Invitation For Invitation Reference No BSMRAAU Open Tender No: OTM-05/2019-2020 Date 02 June 2020 KEY INFORMATION Open Tender Method (National) Procurement Method FUNDING INFORMATION Government of Bangladesh Budget and Source of Funds PARTICULAR INFORMATION Tender Last Selling Date & Time 15 June 2020; 16:00 PM Tender Submission Date and Time 16 June 2020; 02:30 PM 16 June 2020; 03:00 PM Tender Opening Date and Time Name & address of the office selling, receiving and opening tender document: Registrar office, BSMRAAU, Old Airport Building, Dhaka-1215

INFORMATION FOR TENDERER

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Lot-2 Machine Tender Document Tk 500.00 (Taka Five Hundred Only) in the form of pay order / bank draft (non-refundable) from any

PROCURING ENTITY DETAIL	S			
Name Designation of Official Involving	Registrar, BSMR Aviation and	Registrar, BSMR Aviation and Aerospace University, Bangladesh		
Contact Details	Tel No: 55065054	Web: www.bsmraau.edu.bd		
Official Inviting Tender	Mobile: 01769995060	Email: procurement@bsmraau.edu.bd		

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