used in pisciculture, should be

compatible and acceptable to

the farmers. He observed that

the local varieties of fishes

Member-Director of BARC said

there has been decline in the

per capita consumption of fish

in the recent years leading to

the malnutrition of the people.

of fish has gone down to only

21 grams from the previous 30

duction target in the FFYP has

fixed at 1.2 million tons annu-

ally instead of the 8.46 lakh

tons of target of the Third Five

Year Plan. He said a concerted

effort by the policy makers

administrators, scientists and

development to workers avail-

able in the country is needed

Secretary of Fisheries and

Livestock said that the fish-

eries sector which already

employees 10 million people

can absorb more people if

proper care is taken of the fish

sector should get priority as

per hector yield of fish is

much greater than livestock

production. He said new tech-

nologies should be introduced

in the field level for better

Price Barometer:

Essentials

RICE

Aman(fine)

Aman (Very fine)

VEGETABLES

Potato(White)

Lady's finger

Green Banana (Four Pieces)

OHER POODCRAIN

Patal

Karolla

Pui Shak

Papya

Wheel

FISH

Ruhi(big)

Katla(hig)

EGG (4pcs)

PULSES

Moogh

Chhola

Mator

Khesari

MEAT

Mutton

Mustard

Soyabean

SPICES

Onion

Gartic

Chillies

Vegetable Ghee

Groun chillies

Jhira (50gms)

Rod-Cow

Tes (Dust)

Cinnamon* (10gms

Cardamom* (large)

MILK (Two kgs)

MISCELLANEOUS

September -29

(Taka per kg)

20.00-21.00

15.50-17.00

14.00-15.00

13.00-14.00

12.00-16.00

16.00-20.00

14.00-16.00

16.00-18.00

7.00-8.00

6,00-8,00

6.00-7.00

6.00-8.00

(Take per leg)

13.00-14.00

10.00-11.50

17.00-18.00

(Taka per kg)

120.00-140.00

90.00-100.00

45.00-50.00

80.00-90.00

80.00-90.00

80.00-90.00

13.50-14.00

32.00-34.00

27.00-28.00

27.00-28.00

24.00-25.00

24.00-26.00

16.00-18.00

Meatless Day

Meatless Day

54.00-56.00

37.00- 38.00

70.00-80.00

50.00-55.00

20.00-21.00

44.00-52.00

80.00-85.00

48.00-54.00

52.00-56.00

28.00-30.00

12.00-15.00

3.00-3.50

3.00-4.00

7.00-7.50

(Taka)

265.00-266.00

262.00-263.00 248.00-249.00

220.00-240.00

80.00-90.00

8.00-9.00 27.50-28.00 20.00-22.00

(Taka Per kg)

(Taka per kg)

(Taka per Litre)

(Taka per kg)

100.00-110.00

8.00-8.50

(Taka per kg)

K M Rabbarri said fisheries

Kazi Sirajul Hossain, Joint

to achieve that target.

The per capita consumption

He stated that the fish pro-

A K M Nuruzzaman, the

should be preserved.

WB, IMF agree to revive Manila power firm

MANILA, Sept 29 : The World Bank and International Monetary Fund (IMF) have agreed in principle to a financial rehabilitation programme for Philippines' state-run power firm, Finance Secretary Jesus Estantslao said here Friday, reports AFP.

Estaníslao said the joint mission "is very pleased with the package we have presented," to revive the National Power Corp. (NPC), adding that it would "allow NPC to generate power at a lower

Estanislao said the mission agreed that, among other things, a power price rise due this year would be postponed to 1992.

NPC President Pablo Malixi had said it was also seeking a three billion Peso (112 million Dollar) equity infusion from the government next year as part of the programme.

However, only one billion Pesos (37 million Dollars) was allocated in the 1992 budget for the NPC.

Moderate rise in share trading

Star Economic Report Dhaka bourse witnessed a moderate rise in share trading Sunday.

In volume terms transactions moved up to 7,415 from Saturday's 4.126. Traded issucs valued Taka 11,20,458.00 agricultural loan totalling Taka against the previous day's Taka 50,05,87,389.00 till Sunday. 2,22,244.00. Decliners domi- says a bank press release. nated trading. And the Composite Index of Dhaka Stock Exchange lost slightly to This was done in compliance 295.2335 points from with the Government declara-Saturday's 295.3414. Index is ton for exemption of agriculthe broad indicator of price thral loan upto principal movements of all the listed amount of Taka 5,000.00 with stocks.

tyone stocks. Of them ten lost, rest eligible borrowers would two gained and nine remained be exempted from their loans unchanged at their previous son. quoted prices.

Pharma Aids and Pharmaco declined Taka 5.00 and Taka 2.00 to Taka 165.00 and Taka 52.00.

Bangladesh Thai Aluminium, 3rd ICB Mutual Fund, 6th ICB Mutual Fund, Zcal Bangla Sugar, Rahim Textile, Saiham Textile, Chittagong Cement and Monno Ceramic lost within the range between Taka 0.25 and Taka 1.00.

The debentures of Quasem Silk and Apex Tannery moved up Taka 50.00 and Taka 2.06 to Taka 1750.00 and Taka 1035.00 respectively.

Tk 5000 cr export during 4th plan targetted

National fish policy soon

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A national fish policy will be formulated with in a month. This was disclosed by **Environment** and Forestry Minister, Abdullah Al Noman at the inaugural session of the bankment projects. workshop on Inland Aquaculture Development Strategies for Bangladesh at

Bangladesh Agricultural Research Council (BARC) auditorium on Sunday. Speaking as the Special Guest he said the target for income from fish export has been fixed at Taka 1000 crores annually in the Fourth Five Year Plan (FFYP). He stressed the need for increasing fish production from the ponds and other inland closed water bodies through the application of modern technology. He said

country. The Minister pointed out that the fish production in the country dropped to about

the closed water fish produc-

tion contributes 22 per cent of

the total fish output of the

Sonali Bank writes off agri loan of Tk 50 cr

Star Economic Report

Sonali Bank has waived

This loan exemption has enefitted 89,040 farmers. isterest accrued to it, says the Transactions involved twen- press release, adding that the

8,50,000 tons in the Third Five Year Plan due to water pollution through misuse of pesticides, and non-coordinated flood control and em-

The three-day workshop organised by BARC, fisheries Directorate, Fisheries Research Institute and International Centre for Living Aquatic Resources Management (ICLARM) was also addressed by Agriculture Minister Major General (Rtd)

M Majid-Ul-Haq, Dr M Sujaullah Chwodhury, Exccutive Vice -Chairman of BARC, A K M Nuruzzaman , Member-Director of BARC, Kazi Sirajul Hossain, Joint Secretary of Fisheries and Livestock Ministry, and K M Rabbani, Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture.

Maj Gen (Rtd) Majid-Ul-Haq. Agriculture Minister addressing as Chief Guest stressed the need for preventing illegal fishing of hatchings and smuggling of fish across the border.

Dr M Sujaullah Chowdhury, the Executive Vice-Chairman of BARC said the technologies

Rupali Insurance declares 10 pc dividend

Star Economic Report

Rupali Insurance Company Limited declared ten per cent dividend for its shareholders in its third Annual General Meeting, held at its head office, on September 26, said a press release.

The meeting, presided over by Mostafa Golam Kuddus, chairman of the Company, also approved the balance sheet and annual report of the company for the year, 1990, the press release added.

Dhaka Stock Exchange Market Profile September —29

135 Listed Stocks 2 Gains 123 Unchanged 10 losers 123 Unchanged stocks include nine traded on the day

at its previous quoted prices. DSE All Share Price Index = 295.2335 Ismed Capital=Taka 5,439,680,590

Market Capitalisation = 8,436,372,195 Tumover = Taka 11,20,458.00 (Value) 7,415 (Volume).

Market Prices of Listed Shares and Debentures with Dhaka Stock Exchange

At the close of trading on September 29, 1991.

| | | | 10 -6 | 1.8 Base 5.9 | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| | 2 5 | Closing | Gawsia Jute | 10/50 | NT |
| | Company E | V/MI Rate | Islam Jute | 100/5 | 70.00 |
| BANKS (Ten) | (############ | 250000000 | Jute Spinner | 100/5 | 100.00 |
| AL Baraka Bank | 1000/1 | 770.00 | Mutual Jute | 100/5 | 100.00 |
| A.B Bank | 100/5 | 180.00 | Northern Jute | 10/50 | NT |
| City Bank LFJ.C | 100/5 | 27500 | Shamser Jute Specialised Jute | 100/5 | 100.00 |
| Islami Bank | 100/5 1000/1 | 177.00 | Shine Pukur Jute | 10/50 | NT |
| National Bank | 100/5 | 1190.00 | Sonalt Aansh | 100/5 100/5 | 100.00 96.00 |
| Pubali Bank | 100/5 | 87.00 | PHARMACEUTICALS & | | |
| Rupeli Benk | 100/10 | 77.67 | | | |
| U.C.B.L. | 100/5 | 119.00 | Ambee Pharma | 10.50 | 14.30 |
| Uttara Benk | 100/5 | 190.00 | Bangla Process Beximeo Pharma | 100/5 | 62.00 |
| INVESTMENT (Eight) | 22262 | | Glaxo | 100/5 10/50 | 172.00 125.00 |
| LCB | 100/5 | 92.00 | ICI | 10/50 | 10.00 |
| 1st ICB M.Fund | 100/5 | 390.00 | Kohinoor Chemical | 100/5 | 89.00 |
| 2nd ICB Fund | 100/5 | 154.00 | Petro Synthetic | 10/50 | 16.00 |
| 3rd ICB M. Fund | 100/5 | 134.00 | Pfizer | 100/5 | 110.00 |
| 4th ICB M. Fund | 100/10 | 131.00 | Pharma Aids | 100/5 | 165.00 |
| 5th ICB M. Fund | 100/10 | 106.00 | Pharmaco | 100/5 | 52.00 |
| 6th ICB M. Fund | 100/10 | 58.50 | Progressive Plastic | 110/5 | 46.00 |
| ICB Unit Cert. | | | Reckitt & Colman | 10/50 | 240.00 |
| Sales Price | | 115.00 | Rahman Chemicals | 100/10 | 48.00AL |
| Re-purchase | | 110.00 | Therapeutics | 100/5 | 40.00 |
| INSURANCE (Four) | 100 /10 | .1 | The Ibnsina | 100/10 | 90.00 |
| BGIC Company Delta | 100/10 | 107.00 | PAPER & PRINTING (S | lix) | |
| Green Delta | 100/10 | 117.50 | Eagle Box | 10/50 | 15.80 |
| Peoples United | 100/10 | 128.00AL | Monospool | 100/5 | 105.00 |
| ENGINERING (Nineteen) | 100/10 | 123.50 | Paper Converting | 100/5 | 113.00 |
| Aflab Automobiles | 100/5 | 205.00 | Paper Processing | 100/10 | 106.00 |
| Atlas Bangladesh | 10/50 | 40.50 | Padma Printers | 10/50 | 50.00 |
| Aziz Pipes | 100/5 | 280.00 | Sonali Paper | 10/50 | 54.00 |
| Bangladesh Autocars | 100/5 | 96.00 | SERVICE (Two) | 10/50 | 12.00 |
| Bangladosh Lamps | 105/5 | 265.50 | Bangladesh Hotel Bd. Service | 10/50 10/50 | 12.00 N T |
| B. That Alluminium | 100/10 | 91.50 | TEXTILE (Eighteen) | 10/30 | N 1 |
| Bengal Carbide | 100/5 | 250.00 | Alhaj Textile | 10/50 | NT |
| Bengal Steel | 10/50 | 18.00 | Arbee Textile | 100/10 | NT |
| Eastern Cables | 100/5 | 79.00 | Ashraf Textile | 10/50 | 29.00 |
| Howlader PVC | 100/10 | 104.00 | Chand Textile | 10/50 | NT |
| Karim Pipe | 100/5 | 128.00 | Chand Spining | 10/50 | NT |
| Metalex Corp. | 100/5 | 115.00 | Desh Garments | 100/10 | 65.00 |
| Monno Stafflers | 10/5 | 200.00 | Dulamia Cotton | 100.10 | 85.02 |
| Monno Jutex National Tubes | 100/5 | 200.00 | Eagle Star | 10/50 | 37.00 |
| Panther Steel | 100/10 | 109.00 | GMG Ind. Corp. | 10/50 | 13.00 |
| Quasem Drycells | 10/50 | 6.00 | Modern Dying | 100/5 | 40.10 |
| Renwick Jajneswar | 10/50 | 8.00 71.00 | Quasem Stlk | 10/50 | 6.00 |
| Singer Bangladesh | 100/5 | 990.00 | Quasem Textile | 10/50 | 8.00 |
| | 100/0 | 330.00 | Rahim Textile Saiham Textile | 100/5 100/10 | 55.00 |
| POOD & ALLIED (Twenty | one) | | S.T.M. (ORD) | 100/5 | 78.00 50.00 |
| A.B Biscuit | 100/5 | 190.00 | Stylecraft | 100/5 | 100.00 |
| Alpha Tobacco | 10/50 | 48.00 | Swan Textile | 100/5 | 60.00 |
| Amen Sea Food | 100/5 | 36.00 | Tallu Spinning | 100/10 | 117.00 |
| Apex Food | 100/5 | 340.00 | MISCELLANEOUS (Four | | |
| Aroma Tea | 100/5 | 80.00 | Apex Tannery | 100/5 | 158.00 |
| Banges | 100/5 | 305.00 | Aramit | 10/50 | NT |
| Bengal Food | 100/5 | 128.19 | Bata Shoc | 10/100 | 37.75 |
| B.L.T.C. | 100/5 | 600.00 | Beximco | 10/100 | 10.00 |
| B.T.C. | 10/50 | 40.00 | BSC | 100/5 | 45.00 |
| Ctg. Vegetable Dhaka Vegetable | 100/10 | 99.00 | Chittagong Cement | 100/5 | 172.00 |
| E.L. Camcilia | 100/5 100/5 | 138.00 700.00 | G. Q. Ball Pen | 10/50 | 53.00 |
| Frogleg Export | 10/50 | 4.50 | Himadri Ltd. | 10/100 | NT |
| Gemini Sea Food | 100/15 | 100.00 | Milon Tannery Monno Ceramic | 100/5 | 33.00 |
| Modern Industries | 100/5 | 160.00 | Pheonix Leather | 100/5 | 151.09 |
| N.T.C | 100/5 | 280.00 | Savar Refractories | 100/5 100/5 | 90.00 130.00 |
| Rabcya Plour | 10/100 | NT | The Engineers | 100/5 | 100.00 |
| Rupen Oil | 10/100 | 6.05 | Usmania Glass | 100/5 | 147.00 |
| Tulip Dairy | 100/10 | 94.00 | DEBENTURES (Four) | 10 E 11 A 1 | |
| Youruf Flour | 10/50 | NT | Apex Targery | 1000/1 | 1035.00 |
| Zcel Bangle Sugar | 10/50 | 7.75 | (17% 1992) | 5567-58-5/5/1 | |
| PUEL & POWER (Three) | | | Bengal Food | 900/1 | 910.00 |
| Pedma Off Co. | 10/50 | 40.00 | (18.5% 1992) | | 100 |
| Eastern Lubricant | 10/50 | 14.00 | Beximoo | 2500/1 | 2630.00 |
| Oxygen | 10/50 | 53.00 | Beximco Pharma | 1571/1 | 1625.00 |
| JUTE (Twelve) | | | (17% 1997) | | |
| Ahad Jute | 100/10 | NT | Quasem Silk | 2000/1 | 1750.00 |
| Anowara Jute Delta Jute | 10/50 | NT | (17% 1994) | (4. 58) | |
| | 2.53.555.53 | | | | |

10/50

Delta Jute

** FV = Pace Value ML= Market Lot NT= Not

Traded. AL-Allotment Letter

8.50

Managers' Conference of Agrani Bank Comilla zone held

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Quazi Baharul Islam, Managing Director of Agrani Bank, emphasised the need to boost up deposit mobilisation, income and early implementation of government decision regarding writing off agricultural loan, said a press release of the Bank issued on Saturday.

He was addressing the inaugural session of the Managers' Conference of Comilia Zone on September 26 at the Zonal office in Comilla,

the press release added. The Managing Director of the bank also advised the managers to increase loan facility for enhancing agricultural production, the press release said.

Bush to veto bill to extend unemployment benefit

WASHINGTON, Sept 29: President George Bush wants to put a "constructive shock," into the US economy to try to stimulate recovery from recession, White House Chief of Staff John Sununu said in an interview broadcast of Saturday, reports Reuter.

Sununu said Bush would veto a bill that would extend benefits for the growing ranks of the unemployed for up to 20 weeks if, as expected, the Democratic-controlled Congress passed the bill.

Exchange Rates

| | <i>ber</i> —2 | |
|--------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| SELLING AND BUYIN | | |
| Commercials Banks, for | Bank Cheque | s, (BCs) and |
| Overseas Drafts (ODs) | | |
| One Unit of Foreign Cur | rencies (FCs) | for Taka |
| PCs . | Selling | Buytn |
| US Dollar | 37.8226 | |
| UK Pound Sterling | 65.8823 | 65.1114 |
| German Deutsche | 22.6550 | 22.3503 |
| Mark | | |
| French Franc | 6.6501 | 6.560 |
| Saudt Riyal | 10.1184 | 9.987 |
| Dutch Gutlders | 20.1130 | 19.8363 |
| Pakistan Rupee (AMU*) | 1.5324 | 1.5170 |
| Singapore Dollar | 22.3458 | 22.0559 |
| UAE Dirham | 10.3332 | 10.199 |
| Kuwait Dinar | Not | avatlable |
| Indian Rupee | | |
| AMU | 1.4589 | 1.445 |
| S. Kroner | 6.2101 | 6.127 |
| *AMU-Asian Moneta | | |
| SECONDARY EXCH | ANGE MAR | KET |

US Dellar rates of New York market Source: Sonali Bank

Gold & Silver

September —29

| Gold | | Taka for | 11.66 grams) |
|--------|------------|----------------|----------------|
| Tejabi | | Trustick total | 6,250.00 |
| Gutnea | in: | | 6,100.00 |
| Silver | | | 200.00 |
| Source | Department | of Agricult | ural Marketing |

Hides & Skin

(Wet/Salted)

September —29 (Taka per100 pieces)

| Calf | 13,000.00 | - | 27,000.00 |
|---|-----------------|---|-----------|
| Light | 47,000.00 | - | 52,000.00 |
| Medium | 57,000.00 | _ | 62,000.00 |
| Heavy | 67,000.00 | - | 72,000.00 |
| Very heavy | 77,000.00 | _ | 82,000.00 |
| Rejected | 21,000.00 | | 24,000.00 |
| Guat | | | |
| · Bug &r | | | |
| heavy | 8,500.00 | - | 9,800.00 |
| Light & | | | |
| Medtum | 6,100.00 | _ | 7,300.00 |
| Rejected | 2,900.00 | | |
| Sheep | 8,000.00 | | 8,500.00 |
| Buffalo | 54,000.00 | | |
| CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY OF | tment of Agricu | | |

BASIC likely to get \$6m ADB loan for small units

CHITTAGONG, Sept 29 The Bank of Small Industries and Commerce (BASIC) will open four more branches in the next three months raising its total number of branches to 12 in the country in its about three years' of existence, reports BSS.

Source: Department of Agricultural Marketing

of Taka 1.20 crore during its and it has so far financed thirty first two years.

This was disclosed by Chairman of the BASIC Alamgir M Kabir while talking to city elite at a club last night. He said that BASIC was ex-

pected to receive six million US Dollar Asian Development Bank loan for promotion of small industries in the country. Negotiation was been completed in this respect, he said.

Alamgir M Kabir said, the bank also advances credit for promotion of trading and so far Taka 60 crore and Taka five erore have been advanced to importers and exporters respectively. It has so far advanced Taka eight crore loan among the owners of small industries. The recovery of loan so far is almost cent per cent,

he added. He said that the bank which came into existence with the prime objectives of promoting small industries and commer-

cial activities in the country had encouraging starting and four new branches would be established, one each at Dhaka, Chittagong, Bogra and Moulvi Bazar. The bank, he said, advances loans to small industries with maximum of three crore Taka capital investment The bank also made a profit at eleven per cent interest small industries, seven of which are situated in Chittagong.

> The government owns thirty per cent while a charitable organisation owns seventy per cent shares and the Directors render almost honorary services with misstonary zeal, Kabir said adding BASIC prefers to finance small industries with innovative pro-

In reply to a query, he said the charitable organisation which owns 70 per cent share of the bank was engaged in welfare activities including advancing loans to poor but meritorious students, rehabilitation of destitutes and promotion of education among the poor children.

He said, the bank has introduced computerised services and its efficient functioning has attracted the clients.

Emergency project for betel leaf demanded

Star Economic Report

vest about Taka one lakh 60

crore in a betcl leaf grove of

one acre where as the authori-

ties sanctioned only Taka

51,000 loan to the farmers for

\$ 8 m US grant

to Nepal

American Ambassador to Nepal

Julia Chang Bloch signed two

agreements Friday with the

Nepalese Government for

1,700 tons of dairy products

and five million Dollars to help

economic liberalisation, an of-

ficial source said, reports AFP.

ment Washington will provide

five million Dollars for a pro-

ject to support economic lib-

Finance Shashi Narayan Shah

signed both agreements on

dry milk and 200 tons butter

oil valued at about 2.8 million

Dollars will be distributed by

Nepal's Dairy Development

Corporation (DDC) to private

sonal shortages of milk and

butter oil throughout Nepal,

the Finance Ministry source

dairies to help relieve a sea-

behalf of the government.

eralization in Nepal.

Under the second agree-

Nepalese Secretary for

The 1,500 tons of non-fat

KATHMANDU, Sept 29

The Betel Leaf Growers by exporting betel leaf till May of the fiscal 1990-91. But it Association on Sunday said that the country was losing huge was possible to earn more if foreign exchange due to lack of there was a little governments policy on betel leaf which have initiative, he added. a strong demand in Middle-The association convenor said that a grower had to in-

one acre of land.

At the same time, about 50 lakh growers were also suffering as they were forced to sell their products at low prices to the businessmen who controlled the market, Convenor of the Association Hari Sadhan Dev Brahman told a press conference at the National Press Club.

East and England.

He said that according to the government statistics Bangladesh carned Taka one crore 74 lakh and 88 thousand

Raw Jute

September —29 Kutcha bales FOB * Narayanganj/Daulatpur Varieties (Tk. per 100 Kg)

White Tossa Mcshta Medium 1090 1165 938 Bot.* (B) 1045 1112 1005 (C) 964 Bot. (X) 871 911 • FOB = Freight on board Bot. = Bottom Pucca bales

| | FOB |
|-------------------|----------|
| Varieties | (Ready)* |
| Bangla | Tk. per |
| White | bale* |
| BW SPL. | 3000 |
| BWA | 2800 |
| BWB | 2650 |
| BMC | 2450 |
| BWD | 2250 |
| BWE | 2000 |
| Bangla | • |
| <u>Tossa</u> | |
| BT SPL. | 3100 |
| BTA | 2900 |
| BIB | 2700 |
| BLC | 2500 |
| BID | 2300 |
| BTE | 2100 |
| White Rejection (| |
| Tossa Rejection f | TRS): |
| 11 1 1 | |

| Tossa Rejection IT Habijabi, Cut Rope | |
|--|------|
| BWR | 1500 |
| BWH | 1200 |
| BTR | 1600 |
| BTH | 1250 |
| BCR | 1200 |
| White/Tossa: | |
| Cutting | |
| BWCA | 1200 |
| BWCB | 1100 |
| BTCA | 1400 |
| BTCB | 1300 |
| Mcshta | |
| Spl. | 1800 |
| A | 1700 |
| B | 1650 |
| C | 1550 |
| SPL Cuttings | 900 |
| Ord. Cuttings | 800 |
| SMR | 1000 |

• FOB ready = Narayanganj ** FOB sight = Chittagong/ Mongla Ports. Indicative Price at wihch sales may be considered for EPC registration. The \$ prices are exclusive of any selling commision. O. D. (Sight nontraditional/applicable to export bills). One \$ = Tk. 37.3945)

 MT = Metric Ton Imports/arrivals of Kutcha bales at Narayanganj were ten to twelve thousand mounds while at Daulatpur at fifteen to twenty thousands mounds. (One manund is equal to 37.32417 KGs. Source : Bangladesh Jute Association

On the other hand, the growers are held as hostages to the whims of the nature as betel leaf is very prone natural to calamities. There is no system of insurance coverage in the sector, he added.

He said that during the cyclone, the betel leaf sector suffered a total of Taka 300 crore in the coastal areas which needs immediate rehabilita-

Dev said that betel leaf was being cultivated in 32,880 acres of land in 50 upazilas in the country. An emergency project of Taka 20 crore is needed to help the farmers immediately, he added.

The association leader said that if the programme is not taken within the month of Ashwin (mid-October), lakhs of farmers who were still in distress would suffer more.

He also made some other demands for the welfare of the growers which include increase in the amount of loan. formation of a Betel Leaf Board Government's initiative in creating market in foreign countries, establishment of a research centre on betel leaf and of cancellation the decision of the privatisation of BADC for smooth distribution of fertilizer and insecticide among the growers.

Among others Maolana Ahmedur Rahman Azmee, S M A Sabur, Abdur Rouf Manik, Abul Kalam, Advocate Romesh Moitra and Nani Gopal Saha were present at the press con-

National Broadcasting Authority (Radio) Maintenance Section

House No.72, Road No. 7A (New) Ist floor, Dhanmondi R/A, Dhaka-1209.

*Tender Notice

Scaled tenders are hereby invited from the foreign manufacturers'/suppliers' local agents/representatives for the supply of ten transmitting valves/tubes to use in Radio Transmitters of Radio Bangladesh as under: Tender No.: MES/3/2142/91.

Last date and place of receiving tenders: Time and Date of ope-

ning of tenders: Terms of Delivery:

Earnest Money: Price per set of

tender document:

Tk. 100.00(One hundred) only (Non-refundable).

 $\frac{1}{2}$ % of the quoted value.

31-10-91(up to 11 A.M.) in

the office of the undersigned.

At 11-30 A.M. on 31-10-91

"Free Delivery" at office

in presence of tenderers

(if any).

premises.

Tender documents may be collected from the undersigned on production of a treasury challan (original copy) depositing Tk. 100/- (One hundred) only as cost of tender schedule under the head of A/C "40-Broadcasting, Information and Publication(Aa-34) Ka-Radio Miscellancous Receipt 1991-92".

No tender document will be sold on the date of opening of tender. No tender document will be sold by post and no tender will be accepted by post.

This authority reserves the right to reject or accept any tender or its part or all tenders without assigning any reason thereof.

Mahbubur Rahman Senior Engineer DFP(G) 10891-24/9

(Maintenance) for Director General

Dt 17-9-91

(1-6-98 BS)

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh Senior Special Tribunal, Rajshahi

Memo No. 4930 -Cri

G-589

NOTICE TO THE ACCUSED (S) TO ATTEND TRIBUNAL VIDE SECTION 27 (6) OF SPECIAL POWERS ACT, 1974

Whereas arrest warrants have been issued against the accused/accused (s), And whereas action have been taken against the said accused/accused (s) vide provisions of Section 87 and 88 of Criminal Code 1989,

And whereas this Court has reasons to believe that the said accused/accused (s) have been absconding to avoid commission to/arrest for trial at this court, And whereas there is no immediate possibility to arrest the accused/accused (s)-

Therefore, now by authority provided under Section 27(6) of Special Powers Act, 1974, the said accused/accused (s) are instructed to attend this tribunal within 15 days of issuance of this notice for trial in the case mentioned against his/their name in the following schedule. Otherwise the trial will be completed in their absence :-

Schedule

Name and address of the accused

Ajahar Ali S/o Nakimuddin Lokman Ali, \$/o Abdul Bari both of Alipur, P.S. Godagari, Dist-Rajshahi

Moklesur Rahman, S/o A. Sattar

Shahin Mia, S/o Ayub Ali—both of Alipur, P.S. Godagari, Dist

Mohsin, S/o Late Lokman of Bianabona, P.S. Godagari, Dist Rajshahi

Tofa, \$/o Mohimandal of Sarengpur, P.S. Godagari, Dist. Rajshahi

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Case No. and Section Special Powers Act Case No. 208/91 GR No.

47/91, Godagari PS. case No. 15 dt. 24-3-91. Sec 156 (89) Customs Act with 25 B Special Powers Act/1974 Special Powers Act Case No. 207/91 GR.

No. 123/90, Godagari P.S. Case No. 3 dt 10-5-90, Sec 156 (89) Customs Act with 25 B Special Powers Act/1974

142/90, Godagari P.S. Case No. 22 dt. 26-5-90, Sec 156 (89) Customs Act with 25 B Sepcial Powers Act/1974 Special Powers Act Case No. 235/91, GR No. 73/91, Godagari P.S. Case No. 23 dt. 21-4-91, Sec 156 (89) Customs Act with 25 B Special Powers Act/1974

Special Powers Act Case No. 203/91, GR No.

Aditya Kumar Biswas Incharge, Senior Special Tribunal Rajshahi

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