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No. 04/91 Dated 1/12/91
Sealed Tenders are hereby invited for sale of different kinds of used Vehicles and goods of Bangladesh Biman "as is where is" basis.
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Tender shall be opened on the same day at 1400 hours (in presence of Tenderers if any), at Stores & Purchases Division Admn. Building, Zia International Airport, Dhaka.
Schedules may be purchased between 08-12-91 to 18-12-91 for schedules "A" & "B" and 20-12-91 to 29-12-91 for schedule "C" on cash payment of Schedule "A" & "B" Taka 400/00 (Four hundred) only (non-refundable) and Schedule "C" Tk. 250/00 (Two hundred fifty) only (non-refundable) from Biman's cash & Banking Section at Biman Head Office, Motijheel, Dhaka.
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General Manager
Stores and Purchases Division
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British aid for Women's Fed College

Mrs Shirley Imray, the British High Commissioner's wife, on Tuesday presented the University Women's Federation College in Dhaka with twelve typewriters and shorthand materials for their students in Dhanmondi, reports BSS.

The typewriters will be used in the students' practical classes.

The college was founded in 1965 and has over 1,000 students. The college is closely connected to Dhaka University and the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dhaka.

DU English deptt alumni society get together Dec 27

The English Department Alumni Society of Dhaka University will hold its annual get-together on December 27.

Ex-students of the department who have not yet enrolled their names or the members who have changed their addresses have been requested to contact the department office by December 15. The venue of the get-together, usually held at the TSC of Dhaka University, may be shifted this year.



Mahfuzur Rahman (L), chairman of a faction of Muktijoddha Sangsad, addressing a rally of freedom fighters at Eskaton while Abdul Aziz, Birpratik (R), leader of another faction, speaking at a separate rally at Shapla Chattar in the city on Tuesday.

2000 killed, 1200 abducted in CHT terrorism since '80

By Staff Correspondent

Two thousand people including 200 tribal women and children were killed in the terrorist activities in the trouble-torn Chittagong Hill Tracts since 1980, a seminar paper on human rights said Tuesday.

The paper on "Human Rights and the Chittagong Hill Tracts" also revealed that nearly 4000 people received bullet wounds, fire burn or injury in bomb explosions during the last 12 years till September 21.

Besides, some 1200 dwellers of the hilly regions were abducted during that period, the paper said.

The seminar, jointly organised by the Bangladesh Human Rights Commission and the Institute of Rural Journalists, was addressed, among others, by the Convener of the Coordination Council of the Bar Association, Shamsul Huq

Chowdhury, Deputy Leader of the Opposition in Parliament and Secretary of the Coordination Council for Human Rights in Bangladesh (CCHRB) Shaiful Haque Chowdhury, Human Rights Commission Secretary Saiful Islam Diddar presided.

Speakers at the seminar, held at the premises of the Institution of Engineers called for political solution to the existing problems in the hilly districts through extended discussion.

They also called for special economic programme for the underdeveloped areas in the region aimed at involving the tribal populace with the nation building efforts.

Speaking as chief guest at the seminar, Shamsul Huq Chowdhury urged the government to restore the rule of law in the Chittagong Hill Tracts

and to introduce a political process for prompt solution to the tribal issue.

Abdus Samad Azad, who attended the function as special guest, emphasised the need for united efforts of the government and the opposition to end violence and terrorist activities in the region.

The ruling party should come up with proposal for informal talks between all the groups involved in the issue within the parliament, he suggested, adding that a house committee could be formed in this direction.

CCHRB General Secretary suggested a round table conference aimed at resolving the Chakma issue to avoid further bloodshed in the region.

Some 200 tribal people including community leaders and former Shantibahinimen from the hilly districts attended the seminar.

Fulfilment of women's quota needed

The first meeting of Parliamentary Standing Committee on Women's Affairs Ministry was held at the Jatiya Sangsad Bhaban Tuesday with the State Minister for Social Welfare and Women's Affairs Sarwari Rahman in the chair, reports BSS.

The meeting reviewed the on-going projects and activities of Women's Affairs Department and the Bangladesh Jatiya Mohila Sangstha (BJMS). It was disclosed at the meeting that Women's Affairs Department is running 13 projects financed by the government and different foreign donor agencies. The budget allocated for the purpose is Taka 8.75 crore for the current financial year.

The meeting stressed the need for extending the activities of Women's Affairs

Department and the BJMS in all the districts and upazilas to make women community self-reliant.

The meeting also stressed the need for fulfilling women's quota in different government offices, primary schools and colleges.

The State Minister said, government was actively considering to set up a central display centre in Dhaka where different kinds of handicrafts produced by the women of all over the country will be kept to determine its demand.

Abdul Wazed Chowdhury MP, Osman Gani Khan MP, Lutfur Rahman Chowdhury MP, Shaheda Sarkar MP, Syeda Nargis Ali MP, Begum Hafeza Asma Khatun MP and Secretary of Women's Affairs Ministry KM Hossain were present in the meeting.

38 arrested on various charges

In a special drive, the police arrested 38 persons from different parts of Dhaka city on Tuesday for their involvement in various crimes, reports BSS. The arrested persons included 12 hijackers and 6 masters.

Qul khwani of Shafiul Azam today

The qul khwani of former Minister, Cabinet Secretary and Chairman of the United Commercial Bank S M Shaiful Azam, will be held today (Wednesday) at his village home at Babunagar, Fatic-khahri, Chittagong after Asr prayers. Another qul khwani will be held at 27, Eskaton Garden, after Asr prayers on Saturday, says a press release.

Sports ministry activities reviewed

The Parliamentary Subcommittee on Youth and Sports Ministry met Monday at the standing committee room at the Jatiya Sangsad Bhaban, reports BSS.

Presided over by State Minister for Youth and Sports Sadek Hossain Khoka, the meeting reviewed the over-all activities of the Ministry.



Raju Ahmed's anniversary of death today

The 19th anniversary of death of Raju Ahmed, a famous drama, television, radio and film personality and the main actor as Killa Fate Ali Khan in Jallader Darbar—a popular programme from Swadhin Bangla Betar Kendra—will be observed today (Wednesday).

In observance of the death anniversary Raju Ahmed Smriti Sangsad, Raju Natyam, Kushtia Samity in Dhaka and Nupur Natya Gosthi and different socio-cultural organisations in Kushtia have arranged various programmes including feeding the poor, milad mahfil and discussion.

A milad mahfil has also been arranged at the residence of Khondoker Rashidul Huq, Director, Bangladesh Parjatan Corporation, younger brother of the late artist.

Call to form fund for legal aid to poor

Eminent lawyer Dr Kamal Hossain Tuesday proposed the forming of a trust fund to meet the expenses in extending legal aid to the poor, reports BSS.

He said, the fund to be set up as part of a national plan that could help providing of legal assistance institutionally to the poor and distressed people.

Addressing a seminar on "Legal aid to the Poor" organised by the Coordinating Council for Human Rights in Bangladesh (CCHRB), Dr Hossain, who is also an Awami League Presidium member, urged the government to provide the seed money for forming the fund. He hoped that the well-to-do people of the society would come forward to donate money for the fund.

Attorney General Aminul Huq read out the key note paper "fundamental rights in the economic, social and cultural context of Bangladesh" at the seminar held in observance of the International Human Rights Day.

Fazlul Huq, Promod Mankhin Nirmalendu Dhar, Barrister Lutfur Rahman Shahjahan, Pratima Sikder and Kushi Kabir took part in the seminar.

Body to promote pisciculture formed

A working group has been formed headed by Minister for Fisheries Abdullah Al Noman to make recommendations for policy formulation and its implementation to promote pisciculture activities, reports BSS.

The formation of the group was made at the first meeting of the committee formed at the directive of the Prime Minister to strengthen activities of fisheries sector and its speedy development.

The meeting, held at the Conference Room of the Prime Minister's office, discussed the effective use of ditches, ponds and swamps on the sides of roads and railways.

Presided over by Planning Minister Zahir Uddin Khan, the meeting was attended, among others, by the Minister for Fisheries, Livestock, Environment and Forest Abdullah Al Noman, State Minister of the Ministry Gayeshar Roy, Akbar Hossain MP, Chief Secretary to the Prime Minister Hasan Ahmed, and Planning Commission member (Agriculture) Shamim Ahsan.

Office of the Executive Engineer, RHD

Rangamati Road Division, Rangamati

Corrigendum Notice No 1 to Notice Inviting Tenders for Emergency Cyclone Damage Restoration Works.

The following Corrigendum has been made in the Notice Inviting Tenders for emergency cyclone Damage Restoration Works published vide this Office Memo No 1467/23 Dt 26-11-91.

Notice No & Contract No	Name of Road	Published work value	Corrected work value	Published Earnest/M	Corrected E/M
62 CYC/CHT-22/1	Chittagong-Rangamati Road	Tk 46,13,592/-	Tk 46,11,160/-	Tk 92,300/-	Tk 92,225/-
63 CYC/CHT-22/2	Chittagong-Rangamati Road	Tk 33,86,409/-	Tk 34,89,798/-	Tk 68,000/-	Tk 69,796/-
64 CYC/CHT-23/1	Rangamati-Mohalchari-Khagrachari Road	Tk 34,52,012/-	Tk 37,81,439/-	Tk 69,050/-	Tk 75,630/-
65 CYC/CHT-23/2	Rangamati-Mohalchari-Khagrachari Road	Tk 35,47,797/-	Tk 35,48,667/-	Tk 71,000/-	Tk 71,000

Executive Engineer, (RHD), Rangamati Road Division.
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Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Director, IDTS
Directorate General of Food
Khaddya Bhaban, 16, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka

Memo No. IDTS/DEV-474/91/1553 Dated: 5/12/91

Notice for prequalification of contractors for repair and rehabilitation of cyclone affected food grain storage depots at Bandarban, Khagrachari and Rangamati under Saudi Assistance project.

The Director, IDTS, invites application from the Contractors for the above mentioned works.

The project consists of 21 Sites in the Hill Districts of Bandarban, Khagrachari and Rangamati of Chittagong Hill Tracts to be rehabilitated in 3 packages. The total estimated cost of the project is about 350 lac.

The basic requirement for submitting application for prequalification are as follows:

- The applicant should have completed one building construction work consisting of Civil, Sanitary and Electrification Works in a single contract during the last 5(Five) years, the value of which is not less than Tk.100 (one hundred) lacs.
- The applicant should have at least one Graduate Engineer having at least 5 years construction experience in the firm as Director or partner. (Evidence regarding that shall have to be produced).

Prequalification documents may be obtained on written request at a cost of Tk. 2500/= per set (non-refundable) up to 21-12-91 from the Office of the Project Manager, Sthapati Sangshas Ltd. House No. 4, Road No. 9, Dhanmondi Residential Area, Dhaka-1205. For any further information, if required this office may be contacted.

Completed documents must be submitted personally to the office of the Director, IDTS, Dhaka during office hour up to 12 Noon.

All the successful Contractors will be informed of the prequalification. The reasons for disqualification will not be given. Contractors who will be prequalified to bid will be informed of their eligibility to bid for different contract limits. Documents submitted in connection with prequalification will be treated as confidential and will not be returned.

The particulars of the proposed construction work given herein are provisional and must be considered as advance information only and this prequalification notice shall not form part of any contract which may subsequently be entered by the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh. In issuing this notice, the undersigned does not bind himself to call the bid.

The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all application for prequalifications without assigning any reasons.

Tender documents will be issued only to prospective tenderers who will be prequalified.

A.K.M. Nurul Afsar
Director, IDTS
Directorate General of Food
Khaddya Bhaban, Dhaka.
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Mahila Parishad brought out a procession in the city on Tuesday demanding release of Burmese opposition leader Aung Suu Kyi.

Hearing on abolition of Upazila Parishad

'Govt must give explanation for promulgating ordinance'

Barrister Amrul Islam Tuesday told the court that the government had not only ignored the political parties but also bypassed BNP while promulgating the ordinance that abolished the upazila parishad, reports UNB.

Barrister Islam said this while submitting the Affidavit-in-reply to the court. He also referred to the report of the task force constituted by the Interim government of Acting President Justice Shahabuddin Ahmed in this regard.

"Government will have to give a satisfactory explanation for the urgency of the promulgation of the ordinance for which it can not wait till the next session of the parliament", he said.

Although there was nothing written in the Constitution but a norm and convention was there to consult the parlia-

mentary opposition parties in the parliamentary system regarding major issues.

Quoting from the report of task force Barrister Islam said: "The question of legal context and political philosophy brings in a question of a long-term vision of a decentralised local government system. This vision must draw its strength from and sustain constitutional provision so that each successive government does not change the legal context to suit narrow partisan interest".

He said it was stressed in the task force report that constitutional sanction of a local government system with sufficient authority and responsibility is a necessity to prevent it from undesirable inclusion of one type or others. Task force in its report termed the upazila as an ad-

ministrative unit and suggested avoidance of over bureaucracy. It also suggested increase in people's representation and their participation.

Replying to government affidavit Barrister Islam said accountability of the administration lies strictly with the people's representatives more than that of public servants.

He said government through its ordinance did not abolish the upazila but it had only abolished the elected chairmen and upazila parishads and through a circular the government had handed the charge of upazila administration to the Upazila Nirbahi Officer (UNO).

The hearing will be resumed tomorrow at the court of Justice Abdul Jalil and Justice Natmuddin Ahmed.

Bangladesh Computer Council

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Re-Enlistment Notice

An advertisement was published in The Daily Star and The Daily Ittefaq on 21.11.91 and 26.11.91 respectively regarding enlistment of the Information Technology and Management (ITM) Consulting Firms at Bangladesh Computer Council (BCC). The last date of submission of application was fixed on 05.12.91. Due to request form some ITM Consulting Firms for extending the date of submission of applications, the last date for submission of the application is extended from 05.12.91 to 31.03.92.

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Md. Jahangir Alam
Operation Manager

Govt. of Bangladesh Police Headquarters

Bangladesh Secretariat
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International Tender Notice

- Item : Bullet Proof Jacket.
- Cost of Schedule : 300/(Tk. Three (Non refundable) hundred) only.
- Last Date of selling : 7-1-92 (During office hours.)
- Tender Schedule : Police Hqrs., E&T available from Branch, Shed No. -25, Bangladesh Sectt. Dhaka. (Tele-235111/2031)
- Closing date and time : 8-1-92 up to 12.00 Noon.
- Opening date and time : 8-1-92 at 12-30 Noon.
- Earnest money : 3% of quoted value.
- The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any/all Tender/Tenders without assaining any reason.

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K.C. Mallick
A I G of Police (E&T)
Bangladesh, Dhaka.