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Chittagong Port Authority
Engineering Division
Re-Tender Notice
Sub : Supply of Wooden Fender
Earnest Money : Not below 1/2% of quoted value.

Sealed tenders are invited from Chittagong Port Authority enlisted 1st class contractors and bonafide wood merchants/wood suppliers for supply of Garjan wood tenders during 1991-92. Tender should be submitted in duplicate in the prescribed form of Chittagong Port Authority. The said prescribed form can be collected by outside wood suppliers at Taka 750/- (non-refundable) per set and 1st class contractors of this Division who have deposited the annual value of tender at a time in the Port Authority firm, from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

In case of tenderers other than 1st class enlisted contractors of the Port, experience certificate as bonafide wood supplier will have to be produced and prior permission to purchase tender obtained from the Chief Engineer by 27-4-92. Sealed tender should be dropped in the tender box kept in front of the Office Chamber of the Deputy Engineer (Civil) CPA by 11-30 minutes on 30-4-92. Tenders will be opened on the same day at 12-00 hours before the tenderers (if any) present. No tender will be sold on the date of opening tender. The Port Authority reserves the right to accept in part/full or reject any or all tenders or distribute the necessary work without assigning any reason.

The supply should begin within 7 (seven) days of receiving work order and completed within 60 (sixty) days.

For obtaining detailed information and terms & conditions regarding the above, the Executive Engineer/Jetty may be contacted during office hours.

DFP (BA) 3050-12/4
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Chief Engineer
Chittagong Port Authority

7.73b can live on earth without harming nature
By Staff Correspondent

Socio-economic factors should be considered in formulating a national conservation system.

It was viewed at a symposium on 'Nature and Science'.

The symposium organised on the occasion of the 15th National Science and Technology Week '92 was presided over by eminent educationist Dr Abdullah al Muti Sharfuddin while Chairman, Space Science Organisation Dr Abu Abdullah Ziauddin, Director, Atomic Energy Commission Dr M A Rab and Deputy Director, Environment Directorate, Md Anwarul Islam took part in the discussion.

Professor of Zoology of the Dhaka University Kazi Zaker Hosain, main speaker at the symposium, urged the politicians to be active to grow a nature conservation system.

Ziauddin revealed that 7.73 billions of people could live on the earth without harming the natural system while Anwar pointed out that it was the random use of products of Science and Technology which was destroying the natural equilibrium.

The symposium also proposed a policy on how animals and fishes to be protected



Justice Abdur Rahman Chowdhury speaking at the publication ceremony of a book titled 'Begum Khaleda Zia of Bangladesh-A Political Biography' held at Hotel Purbani Saturday. The author of the book S Abdul Hakim (third from left) also seen in the picture. —Star photo

"Two major parties relish fruits of Independence"
By Staff Correspondent

Justice Abdur Rahman Chowdhury making an oblique reference to the impasse at the parliament on Saturday said that the country's sovereignty and independence is at present threatened.

He was addressing as chairman at Hotel Purbani at a publication ceremony of a book titled 'Begum Khaleda Zia of Bangladesh - A Political Biography' written by S Abdul Hakim, a former Director General of the National Security Intelligence (NSI). It was published by Vikas Publishing House of New Delhi.

If all the issues are brought on the street for resolving so what the parliament will do, Justice Chowdhury questioned and said let the parliament work democratically.

He said that two major political parties and some military personnel and fortunate civilians relished the fruits of independence.

The political parties promised to send the benefits of independence to houses of the people as Ershad put the judiciary at the door of the countrymen, he said.

Justice Chowdhury said that if a political party did not go to election in 1986, the autocracy in the country would not have prolonged.

He urged the BNP government to meet the promises made to the people during the election.

About the book he said that it is a political history of struggle against the autocracy.

Author Abdul Hakim said explaining the background of writing the book, that when Lt Gen Ershad was planning for his illegal takeover, he in his capacity as DG, NSI had told Ershad that he (Ershad) was leading the country to chaos.

Ershad did not pay heed to my counsel and went ahead in overthrowing an elected president, Hakim said adding that "I was sacked and expelled from the country as payment of my advice."

"I had since then been a keen observer of the subsequent incident and the historic struggle of Begum Zia wishing her to succeed in bringing down the despotic ruler," he said.

Call to prohibit production, sale of harmful drugs

A seminar on 'Drug Policy and Consumers Interest' in the city Saturday called for enforcing restrictions on production, distribution and sale of "unnecessary and harmful drugs", reports UNB.

Inaugurating the seminar at Jatiya Press Club, Health and Family Welfare Minister Chowdhury Kamal Ibne Yusuf, however, reiterated the government's determination to ensure medicare facilities for the people at the grassroots level.

"We believe in democratic system whatever we shall do we want to do it in a democratic way... we want to reach medicare to the common people", he told the seminar organised by Consumers' Association of Bangladesh (CAB).

The Health Minister sought cooperation from the consumers for proper implementation of the drug policy. "We'll hold discussion with the CAB and consumers for formulation of a better drug policy and its proper implementation."

CAB President Borhan Ahmed presided over the seminar which was addressed, among others, by National Board of Revenue member Shah Abdul Hannan, Director of Drug Administration Moklesur Rahman, Dr NA Mannan, Akbar Kabir, Dr Rafiqul Islam and Fahmida Begum Shilpi.

Referring to the introduction of VAT, Shah Abdul Hannan said it is part of a broad-based taxation policy, which will not be influence the price of drugs.

Emphasising the need for an effective drug policy, he urged the government to enact a law which would prevent physicians from prescribing drugs of particular companies in exchange of bribes ignoring consumers' interest.

Moklesur Rahman stressed on promulgation of laws under which manufacturers would not be allowed to produce and market substandard or spurious drugs. He also urged the manufacturers to produce drugs keeping in mind the consumers' interest.

General Secretary of CAB Sarwar Jahan read out a paper at the seminar, containing 12 recommendations, including restriction on production, distribution and sale of unnecessary and harmful drugs and effective measures for quality control.

CAB also recommended that consumer protection and interests should get priority over more profit motive of business interest and facilities for testing and analysing drugs be improved and enlarged by procuring the latest equipment, technologies and trained personnel.

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International Tender Notice

International Tender
No BGS/FP/OCFE-001/92

Description of Materials	Cost of Tender Documents (Non-refundable)	Bid Bond Amount
Cost and Wrap Materials	US\$ 20.00 Or Tk 750.00	2% of the total quoted amount

- The procurement will be financed under Secondary Exchange Market (SEM).
- Qualification of the Contractor/Supplier : Manufacturers/Suppliers having experience of similar work/supply. proven
- Where Tender Documents will be available : BGS/FP Offices at :
a) Head Office Complex Chapapur, Comilla, Bangladesh.
b) Regional Distribution Office, 14, Jamal Khan Road, Chittagong, Bangladesh.
c) City Gate Station (CGS), BGS/FP, Demra, Dhaka, Bangladesh.
From 18.4.92 to 09.5.92 within office hour.
- Date of commencement of selling Tender Documents : BGS/FP's Liaison Office, House No 3, Road No 2/A, Banani, Dhaka-1213, Bangladesh on 10.5.92 up to 1100 hours.
- Place and Time of Tender receiving : On 10.5.92 at 1115 hours.
- Date and Time of Tender Opening : Manager (Materials), BGS/FP, Comilla, Bangladesh. Telex No 642768 GAS BJ.
- For further information and clarification please contact
- BGS/FP reserves the right to accept any tender or to reject any or all tender without assigning any reason whatsoever.

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Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Office of the Project Director
Urban Area Development Project for Low Income Housing at Kaiballydham, Chittagong

Tender Notice

The Government of Bangladesh has received a loan from the International Development Association (IDA) towards the cost of Urban Development Project for Low Income Housing at Kaiballydham, Chittagong, and it is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for supply and construction of 4 bar Gas Pipe Line.

Sealed tenders are hereby invited from category 1.3 and above contractors enlisted with Petro Bangla for the following works at Kaiballydham, Chittagong as per terms and conditions noted below. Tender documents will be sold only to these contractors, who produce full documentary proof of experience and past performance on similar contracts; capabilities with respect to personnel, equipment and plant; and financial position. Tender documents may be obtained from the office of the Executive Engineer, Urban Area Development Project, Kaiballydham, HSD, Nasirabad, Chittagong/HSD Project and Survey Division at Dhaka, during office hours on cash payment of a non-refundable amount Taka 1,000/- (one thousand) only per set including necessary drawings for construction of 4 bar Gas Pipe Line.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the bidding documents at the office of the Project Director, UAD Project, Chittagong.

Name of works	Time of completion in days	Engineer's Estimate Taka	Last date of selling of tender documents	Eligibility of contractor
Gr. A) Supply of Materials Gr. B) Construction of 4 bar Gas Pipe Line in the year 1991-92.	75	65,28,829/- 9,87,157/-	28.04.92	Those who have completed a single work worth of Taka 25 (twenty five) in lakh in a Tender.

All bids must be accompanied by a bid security (earnest money) @2% of the quoted amount in the form of a Bank Draft or Pay Order from any scheduled bank of Bangladesh in favour of the Executive Engineer, UAD Project, Nasirabad, Chittagong. Any bid not accompanied by an acceptable tender guarantee will be rejected by the employer non-responsive.

Tenders in complete form shall be received by the office of the Executive Engineer, Project and Survey Division, Segunbagicha, Dhaka, as well as by the Executive Engineer, UAD Project, Chittagong up to 12.00 Noon on 30.04.92 and same will be opened on the same day at 12-15 hrs in presence of the Tenderers, if any. Envelopes containing the sealed tenders should have the name of the work clearly marked in block letters and addressed to the undersigned.

The undersigned/authority is not bound to accept the lowest tender and reserves the right to reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason thereof. This tender notice will form a part of the contract and will be binding upon all concerned.

A M Fakhruddin
Project Director
Urban Area Development Project for Low Income Housing Project, Kaiballydham
Nasirabad, Chittagong
Phone 22 15 71

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HERE and THERE

Lawyers, former MPs
Over four hundred lawyers and 16 former members of the parliament Saturday in a joint statement expressed resentment over the arrest of JSD leader and freedom fighter Sirajul Alam Khan.

The 406 lawyers and the former MPs said the arrest was made on false charges. They demanded immediate and unconditional release of Khan.

Drugs Resistance Committee
Bangladesh Drugs Resistance Committee Friday held its executive committee meeting and screened a film at its central office.

The meeting was presided over by General Secretary of the committee Syed Rashid Alam.

Alam submitted a report on his recent visit to India to the central committee members.

Jatiya Sramik Jote
The General Secretary of Jatiya Sramik Jote Wali Ahmed Patwari and Joint Secretary General Abul Khaer Sajjad in a joint statement on Saturday urged the authorities of S K Textiles of Fatulla to reopen the lay-off mill.

They also demanded regular payment of wages of the workers of Adamji Jute Mills.

UNDP
Staff of United Nations Development Programme welcomed the Bengali New Year coinciding April 14 with musical gathering on Tuesday. Dancers from Sharmila Sarkar's Dance Troupe were accompanied by singers from among UN Staff, with songs of Spring and Summer.

UNDP Resident Representative Charles Larismont attended the programme. It was a commendable effort on the part of the UN Community to acquaint its international members with a local custom and to provide entertainment for all the staff.

JB Karmachari Association
Janata Bank Karmachari Association Saturday formed a resistance committee to resist the attempts of labourers' and workers' retrenchment.

The formations of the committee was made at a joint meeting of 20 basic union representatives which was presided over by Shamsul Huda Mamun of the association.

The meeting protested the government decision of retrenchment of many labourers and workers.

M A Gafur, Omar Farook Khasru, Md Abdullah Miah, Sultan Ahmed and others addressed the meeting.

PDF
Patriotic Democratic Front (PDF) steering committee Saturday at a meeting demanded execution of the verdict pronounced in the public trial on Golam Azam and withdrawal of the charges against the 24 public trial personalities.

The meeting presided over by Alhaj Abdus Samad also demanded stern action against the terrorist activities of Jamaat and its front organisations.

Samsuddoha MP, Nurul Islam Nahid, Pankaj Bhattacharyya, Maulana Ahmedur Rahman Azmi, Dilip Barua, Abdur Rauf and others addressed the meeting.

Krishak Sramik Mukti Andolan
Bangladesh Krishak Sramik Mukti Andolan leaders Friday expressed deep shock at the death of the Andolan's General Secretary Advocate Fayed Ahmed and said that the country had lost a great personality and social workers.

Andolan President Krishak Md Sadek, Central leader Hedaetullah Patwari, Saiful Alam Choudhury, Md Jahangir Khan and Md Hanif in their joint condolence message expressed their sympathy for the members of the bereaved family of the deceased.

Fayed Ahmed died Saturday in Noakhali.

Silva Mind Control Method lectures
The Instructor of the 'Silva Mind Control Method' Mahee Quazi delivered 3 lectures on this method at National Scout Building auditorium, Dhaka Friday.

In his lectures Mahee discussed in brief how this method is applicable in all spheres of life for overall success of a human being and how an individual person may remain anxiety free.

He also mentioned that over five million people in 81 countries have been trained under this Silva Method and are regularly getting benefits in their lives through practices.

The 7th course of this method in Bangladesh will start at Sonargaon Hotel on April 23.

Gana-Azadi League
Bangladesh Gana Azadi League leaders Saturday expressed their grave concern over the diarrhoea situation prevailing in the southern part of the country.

President of the party Alhaj Abdus Samad Advocate and Kazi Altul Islam in their joint statement said that the medicine supply was insufficient to fight the epidemic and urged the government to take necessary measures immediately.

63 children get prizes in Shankar Int'l painting competition

Sixty-three Bangladeshi children have got prizes at the Shankar International Children Painting Competition held in India, reports BSS.

Of the winners 11 got silver medal, 14 general medal and 38 received certificate.

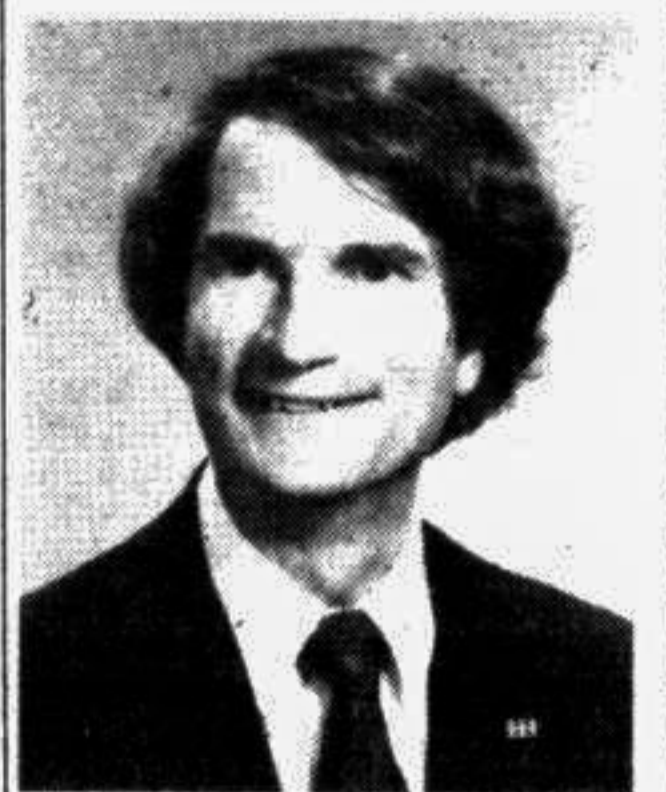
One hundred twenty-six countries including Bangladesh participated at the competition.

Marine officials urged to earn reputation

CHITTAGONG, Mar 18: State Minister for Water Transport Harun-al-Rashid Saturday called upon the marine officials to earn reputation for the country through their activities, reports BSS.

He was inaugurating the International Maritime Organization model course here at the Marine Academy.

The State Minister expressed hope that through participating in the course marine officials would be able to render contribution in the marine administration.



Dr Hayes' lecture on saturated fats today

Dr K C Hayes, Professor of Biology (Nutrition) and Director of Foster Biomedical Laboratory at Brandeis University, US will deliver a lecture on 'Nutritional aspects of saturated fat' today (Sunday) at 12.30 pm at Sheraton Hotel in the city, says a press release.

The lecture programme arranged jointly by Institute of Nutrition and Food Science, Dhaka University and National Renderers Association, USA, will be attended by over 50 top nutrition scientists from different research institutions and government bodies.

The lecture will deal with the effects of specific saturated fats on human metabolism and the underlying mechanism of their action on cholesterol dynamics.

What's on today . . .

Discussion on heart disease
A discussion on 'Heart diseases and its community prevention' will be held today (Sunday) at 10 am at NIPSOM, Mohakhali.

Prof A Q M Badruddoza Chowdhury, Deputy Leader of the Jatiya Sangad, will attend the function as chief guest and will be the main speaker at the discussion jointly sponsored by NATAB and VHSS.

Dhanomdi Rotary Club meeting
The 292nd regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Dhanomdi will be held today (Sunday) at 5-30 pm at Sonargaon Hotel.

Prize distribution
The annual prize distribution, farewell and annual milad mahfil of Azizia Islamia High School at Goalnagar Lane, Dhaka will be held today (Sunday) at 2 pm.

State Minister for Education Principal Yunus Khan will attend the function as chief guest.

Discussion on revolutionary govt

A discussion on 'the role of the revolutionary government during Bangladesh's war of independence' will be held today (Sunday) at 4-30 pm at the Engineers Institution, Dhaka.

Presided over by former Vice Chancellor of Rajshahi University Dr Mazharul Islam, the discussion will be addressed by Abdus Samad Azad, Abdul Mannan, Abdur Razzak, Col (ret'd) Shawkat Ali, Col (ret'd) Abu Osman Chowdhury, Mohammad Nasim, Kazi Aref Ahmed and Nurul Islam Nahid.

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Zonta Club of Dhaka-III
New Zonta Club-III will be launched with the charter in a ceremony to be held tomorrow (Monday) at 7 pm at Hotel Sonargaon.

Information Minister Barrister Nazmul Huda will be the chief guest.

State Minister for Social Welfare Begum Sarwari Rahman will attend the function as special guest.

Zonta International President-Leneen Forde will present the charter.

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TENDER NOTICE

Sealed tenders are invited from pipeline constructing contractors enlisted with the company for 1990-91 in 1.3/1.4 category with experience of constructing 8" or above dia 5 k.m pipeline (single project) and river crossing (by dredger/drug line or any other method) for construction of pipeline of the undermentioned project.

Project	Estimated construction costs
From Sonargaon upazila to Meghnaghat (including 3 river crossing) 50 PSIG 8" dia and 10" dia main distribution pipeline construction project.	Tk.23,33,023.00 only

Tender document can be purchased at Tk 750.00 (seven hundred fifty) only (non-refundable) from the Accounts & Finance Department of the Company and from the Accounts Department of the Head Office of Petrobangla, BAPEX, RPG Co., BGS/FP, JGTDSL, BGFL & SGFL on all working days from (05-01-99 BS) 18-04-92 to (12-01-99 BS) 25-04-92 during office hours between 09.00 and 13.00 hours. Tenders with earnest money of Tk 50,000/00 through Bank Draft/Pay Order from any scheduled bank in Bangladesh in favour of TGTDC should be dropped in the tender box kept at the Pipeline Construction Division of the company as well as the head office of Petrobangla and its subsidiary companies mentioned above by 11.00 am on (13-01-99 BS) 26-04-92. The tenders received will be opened on the same day at 11.30 minutes in presence (if any) of the tenderers. No tender will be sold on the date of opening tender.

Contractors engaged in any ongoing project not complete by 75% as on 31st March '92, contractors engaged in Riser Construction work during 1991-92 and contractors participating in four 8" dia link line installation project to be constructed in Shyamoli-Dhanias & Dhanias-Jurain area, cannot participate in the tender of this project. All other informations are attached with the tender document.

The company reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without taking any responsibility or assigning any reason.

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Manager
Pipeline Construction Division