

Directorate General Defence Purchase
Ministry of Defence
 New Airport Road
 Tejgaon, Dhaka-1215

Tender Notice

1. Sealed tenders for item listed below in local currency are invited from bonafide Manufacturers (not necessarily enlisted with this Directorate General) for supply of
 a. Socks Worst Black Size—2.3 & 4 Total Quantity—3,66,500 Pairs for Army

2. Tender schedule for item with detail specification will be available on payment (Non-refundable) from 25 August, '92 to 21 September, '92 on any working days between 0800 hours and 1200 hours. The tender will be opened on 23 September, '92 at 1000 hours in presence of all present tenderers.

ISPR-37 (Misc) 1089
 DFP (G) 15350-18/8
 G-1037

Major
 for Director General

Dhaka WASA Tender Notice

পানির অপচয় রোধে কাজ শেষে কলের মুখ বন্ধ করুন

Tenders are invited from Dhaka WASA enlisted 1st, 2nd & 3rd class civil contractors for construction of wooden shutter and painting of collapsible gate of pucca godown of Narayanganj Water Purification Plant at an allotted cost of Taka 28,214.50. Tenders will be received up to 12.00 Noon on 31-8-92 and opened on the same day at 12.30 pm in presence (if any) of the tenderers or their representatives.

Schedule of tender will be available at the office of the Chief Accounts Officer of Dhaka WASA, WASA Bhaban, 98, Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka and all MODS zone offices of Dhaka WASA. Other detailed description will be available at the office of the undersigned.

Address:
 21, Nawab Salimullah Road
 Narayanganj
 WASA-PI-293/92
 DFP(G)15286-16/8
 G-1035

A K M Sirajul Islam
 Executive Engineer
 Narayanganj Water Supply Division, Dhaka WASA.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
 Office of the Executive Engineer, Medical College
 P.W.D. Division, Segunbagicha, Dhaka.

Notice Inviting Tenders

1. Sealed tenders in Bangladesh Form No. 2911 are hereby invited from Class I, enlisted approved Building Contractors and Class II, enlisted Contractors of P.W.D. Dhaka Zone, Dhaka under Public Works Department for the undermentioned work and will be received by the undersigned as well as by the Executive Engineer, P.W.D. Division No. III, IV, Eden Building, P.W.D. Division, Dhaka in their respective office up to 12.00 Noon on 31/8/92 and will be opened on the same date at 12.15 PM in presence of the tenderers who may like to remain present. No tender form will be sold after 30/8/92.

2. Name of work : Constn. of semi-pucca Single Family Accommodation of DMCH, Dhaka on the roof of Brack shop (in connection with layout of Shaheed Dr. Shamsul Alam Khan (Milon) Auditorium. (For temporary Accommodation of staff).

3. Estimated cost : Tk. 7,14,398/-
 4. Earnest money : Tk. 14,288/-
 5. Time allowed : 45 (Fortyfive) days for the completion of the work

6. The contract documents consisting of Bangladesh Form No. 2911, schedule of items, additional terms and conditions etc. can be seen and obtained from the office of the undersigned as well as office of the Executive Engineer, Dhaka, P.W.D. Division No. III, IV, Eden Building Division under P.W.D. Circle-II, Dhaka on payment of usual charges (Non-refundable) by the contractor himself or by his representative on production of authorised letter bearing the signature of their representative duly attached by the contractor along with registration book on the working days during office hours up to 30/8/92.

Executive Engineer
 Medical College PWD Divn
 Segunbagicha, Dhaka.

DFP(G) 15309-16/8
 G-1032

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
 Office of the Director (R&H)
 Road Research Laboratory, Mirpur, Dhaka

R&H Notice Inviting Tender

1. Tender Notice No : R R Lab 4/Research and Testing Department, 1992-93.

2. Name of work : Construction of grille window of C-type building under Road Research Laboratory, Mirpur, Dhaka of Roads and Highways Department.

3. Estimated cost : Tk. 7,69,035/-
 4. Earnest money : Tk. 15,381/-
 5. Approved time : 20 (twenty) days from the date of issuing work order.

6. Eligibility of contractor : Roads and Highways Directorate enlisted 'A' to 'E' general class contractors.

7. Offices the tender to be had at : Executive Engineer (R&H), Research and Testing Department, Road Research Laboratory, Mirpur, Dhaka and EE (R&H), Procurement and Maintenance (Civil) Department, Sarak Bhaban, Block-B, Ramna, Dhaka.

8. Offices to receive the tender : Director (R&H), Road Research Laboratory, Mirpur, Dhaka; Office of the undersigned, and Superintending Engineer (R&H), Project Control Circle, Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka.

9. Last date of selling tender : 25-8-92 (10-4-99 BS).

10. Last date of receiving tender : 26-8-92 (11-4-99 BS) up to 12-00 Noon.

11. Opening date and time of tender : 26-8-92 (11-4-99 BS) at 12-15 hrs

Executive Engineer (R&H)
 Research and Testing Department
 Road Research Laboratory
 Mirpur, Dhaka

DFP(G)15246-15/8
 G-1030

Projonmo '71 condemns attack on Menon

By Staff Correspondent

Projonmo '71, organisation of the children of the martyrs of 1971, in a statement Wednesday demanded the arrest and punishment to the organised gang of killers which tried to assassinate Rashed Khan Menon MP on Monday.

Projonmo '71 expressed hope for the quick recovery of Menon.

In the statement, Projonmo said that the country today had become hostage to the terrorists, and that no citizen was any longer safe.

The attempt on Menon's life, coming so soon after the brutal murder of Comrade Ratan San in Khulna, is part of a well-planned blue-print for murder," the statement said. The statement condemned

the attempt from a joint platform by the self-confessed killers of '71 and '75 to realise their evil design by killing the brave soldiers of the Liberation War."

"The Jubo Command backed by Jamaat-Shibir-Freedom Party, is openly and audaciously threatening to kill freedom-fighters by publishing hit-lists in the press", the statement said and added "This is a serious threat to the freedom-loving people of this country."

The unfortunate and incompetent role of the Home Minister in this situation is only providing more encouragement to the self-confessed terrorist circle," the statement concluded.

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Asian population growth rate to fall

The Asia-Pacific region's population growth is expected to drop rapidly from 1995 onward.

By the year 2025, the population growth rate of the region will fall to between 0.8 and 0.4 per cent annually.

The present population growth rate is 1.8 per cent per year since 1975.

The hastened decline still adds an estimated average of at least 17.9 million persons to Asia's population each year, according to a report prepared for the Fourth Asian and Pacific Population Conference. The report was released in Dhaka yesterday.

The conference, began at Bali, Indonesia yesterday, is held once every 10 years. It is being co-sponsored by the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) and the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA).

The report attributes the decrease in population growth to fertility changes in the region. The number of live births per woman fell from an average of 6.0 during the 1960s to 3.4 by 1990.

In Indonesia, strong leader-

ship precipitated the change, while in Thailand, the birth rate decline was due to fundamental social change and an effective official response to local demand for family planning.

Of the two population giants in the region, China will continue to lessen its proportion of the region's population, which is estimated to reach 4.15 billion persons by the year 2025, while India's share of that figure is expected to rise, according to the report.

In South Asia, only Sri Lanka has made substantial fertility reductions at the national level. The document cites widespread poverty, illiteracy and the low status of women as hampering family planning efforts in Bangladesh, Nepal and Pakistan.

Falling death rates should push average regional life expectancy above 70 years of age by the year 2025.

As of 1990, however, Cambodia, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Nepal and Papua New Guinea had not yet achieved an average life expectancy of 55 years, according to the report.

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In Indonesia, strong leader-



Discussion meeting on Janmastomi held at the Institution of Engineers yesterday. —Star photo

Ensure better implementation of projects : Japanese team

The visiting 15-member annual consulting mission of Japan led by Deputy Director General of Economic Cooperation Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Hiroshi Hashimoto called on Finance Minister M Saifur Rahman at his Gulshan residence in Dhaka yesterday, reports BSS.

Additional Secretary of Economic Relations Division (ERD) Dr A M M Showkat Ali, concerned Director General of Ministry of Foreign Affairs Khurshid Hamid, and Ambassador of Japan in Bangladesh Toshio Saiki were present.

Hiroshi Hashimoto lauded the measures taken up by the present government and underscored the need for better implementation of the projects.

During the meeting, they discussed matters of bilateral interests, particularly about the projects and programmes taken up with Japanese grants, loans and technical assistance.

Saifur Rahman while talking to Japanese mission gave a brief but comprehensive resume of the policies and programmes initiated by the present democratic government.

He said, the government set forth its development agenda on priority basis. He said, assistance can be utilized in road infrastructure both highways, bridges and rural roads connecting growth centres, gas development, rural electrification, education, flood control, human resources development etc.

Government of Bangladesh Police Headquarters Bangladesh Secretariate Bhaban No.1, Dhaka

Tender Notice

1. Item : 125 CC Motor Cycle.
 2. Tender documents available from : E&T Branch, Sheed No. 25, Police Headquarters, Bangladesh Secretariate, Dhaka (during office hours).
 3. Last date of selling tender documents : 01/09/92 (up to 2.30 P. M.).
 4. Cost of tender documents (Non-refundable) : Tk. 750/- (Taka Seven hundred fifty) only.
 5. Closing date & time : 02/09/92 (at 12.00 Noon).
 6. Tender opening date & time : 02/09/92 at 12.30 PM.
 7. Earnest money : 3% (three per cent) of quoted value.
 8. Validity of offer : 30.6.93.
 9. The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any/all tender/tenders without assigning any reason.

R. C. Mallik
 Asstt. Insp. Genl. of Police (E&T)
 Bangladesh, Dhaka.

DFP (G) 15422-19/8
 G-1038



Bangladesh Gana Azadi League held a discussion meeting yesterday at the auditorium of the Institution of Engineers in observance of 6th death anniversary of Maulana Tarkabagish. —Star photo

Anniversary of Tarkabagish's death today

The 6th anniversary of death of Maulana Abdur Rashid Tarkabagish will be observed today (Thursday), reports UNB. Maulana Tarkabagish played a pioneering role in the Khelafat and non-cooperation movement against the British Empire.

He also contributed in the abolition of Jaminder system, introduction of Rin Shalish Board and primary education, independence struggle and the language movement.

Various socio-political organisations have chalked out elaborate programmes to observe the day in a befitting manner.

Maulana Tarkabagish Parishad, Tarkabagish Academy and Tarkabagish Pathagar will observe the day through discussions, prayers at mosques, feeding of destitutes, Quran Khwani and placing of wreaths at the mazar of the late leader.

They will lay wreaths at the mazar in the morning and hold Quran Khwani, Milad Mahfil and destitute feeding at the south gate of Baitul Mokarram Mosque.

A discussion meeting on the late leader will be held at the National Press Club on August 27.

Politicians of various political parties at a discussion meeting Wednesday called upon the government to be cautious about its enemies within and outside the power.

They said the government was being directed by those elements associated with the former autocratic regime and the communal forces, to a wrong way causing severe deterioration of the law and order situation.

The situation was a threat to the hard-earned democracy, they said adding that it would not even spare the government.

The discussion meeting organised by the Gano Azadi League at the Institution of Engineers on the occasion of the sixth death anniversary of Maulana Abdur Rashid Tarkabagish was addressed among others by CPB leader Saifuddin Ahmed Manik, NAP leader Pankaz Bhattacharya, Samyabadi Dal leader Dilip Barua, Nurul Islam of Ganotantri Party, Hafez Maolana Md Daniel and Advocate Samir Kanti with Alhaj Abdus Samad, President of Gano Azadi League in the chair.

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Pankaz Bhattacharya urged all the progressive forces to compel the government to take stern action against terrorists and to protect the democracy.

In fact the government was now at stake because of dependency on the 'unholy' elements within it, he said, adding that eight persons of the well known group-10 which directed the Ershad regime were now in the cabinet and the top posts of the administration.

Unless the government removed them democracy and the government itself might not be safe, he added.

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Janmastami tomorrow

The Janmastami — the birth day of Bhagaban Sree Krishna will be celebrated tomorrow (Friday) at Swami Bholananda Giri Ashram under the auspices of Sree Sree Geeta Sangha in a befitting manner, according to a press release of the organisation, reports BSS.

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CIRDAP
 A two-week training programme on computerized documentation system and integrated set of information system for the library and information personnel conducted by the Centre for Integrated Rural Development in Asia and the Pacific (CIRDAP) concluded in Dhaka yesterday.

The main objective of the course was to provide the participants the capability to develop computerized data bases to facilitate the exchange of information.

Dhaka Mohila College
 Dhaka Mohila College observed its founding anniversary through a milad mahfil in the city, recently.

The function was attended by Prof Hasna Begum, Humayun Zahir, Quamrun Nahar Zahir and others.

Rotary installation postponed
 The 3rd installation ceremony of the Rotary Club of Mottijheel, which was scheduled to be held today (Thursday) at Sonargaon Hotel in the city has been postponed due to some unavoidable circumstances. Fresh date will be announced later, says a press release.



Shaelyn Kazal receiving president's collar from past president Munira Khan at the installation ceremony of the Inner Wheel Club of Dhaka North West at Sonargaon Hotel yesterday. Also seen in the picture Prof Jahannara Begum, State Minister for Cultural Affairs. —Star photo

'Be cautious about unholy elements'

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New radio programme from today

Radio Bangladesh is introducing a new programme from today (Thursday) which will provide a forum for projecting problems of public interest, reports UNB.

The "Phone-in-Programme" like those broadcast by BBC and many other broadcasting organisations of the world will establish direct contact with the listeners who can put questions over phone to persons in authority on matters concerning them, Radio officials said yesterday.

They will reply directly on the air from the studios of Radio Bangladesh.

Chhatra League
 Bangladesh Chhatra League at its central council meeting Tuesday expressed its resentment over the murder attempt on Rashed Khan Menon and demanded arrest and trial of the assassants.

Presided over by its President Bazlur Rahman, the organisation decided to hold a representative meeting of the organisation on September 18.

Upazila bastabayan committee
 The upazila bastabayan committee held a meeting Wednesday with its central president G M L Kabir in the chair.

The organisation discussed the deteriorating law and order situation and criticized the government for failing to ensure security in the society.

The committee meeting was attended among others by Shafulah Shafi, Badruddin Hawladar, Hanif Mahmood Chowdhury and others.

Dristikon Forum
 The full-fledged committee of the Dristikon Darshak Forum was declared Tuesday at its convening committee meeting.

Justice Abdur Rahman Chowdhury was made the President of the committee while Gias Kamal Chowdhury, Dr SM Fayez, Lutfar Rahman Sarkar, Ziaur Rahman Khan, MP, Haris Chowdhury and others were made members of the committee.

The meeting also formed a seven member advisory council with Dr A Q M Badruddoza Chowdhury.

The following TV programmes are brought to you by

STAR TRACK

Thursday, August 20, 1992

STAR TV
 BBC
 WORLD SERVICE TELEVISION

8 am	World News
8.25	Newsnight
9.00	World News
9.25	UN World
10.00	World News
10.25	The Travel Show
11.00	News Headlines
11.05	Horizon
12 noon	World News
12.25	Making Their Mark
1.00	World News
1.30	Business Morning
2.00	World News
2.25	Where On Earth ...
3.00	News Headlines
3.05	Horizon
4.00	World News
4.25	World News Day
5.00	World News
5.25	World News Day
6.00	World News
6.25	The Travel Show
7.00	World News
7.25	Making Their Mark
8.00	World News
8.25	News from London
9.00	World News
9.15	UN World
10.00	World News
10.25	The Travel Show
11.00	World News
11.15	World Business Report
11.25	Making Their Mark
12 MN	News Headlines
12.05	Horizon
1.00	World News
1.25	News from London
2.00	World News
2.25	UN World
3.00	World News
3.25	The Travel Show
4.00	World News
4.25	News from London
5.00	News Headlines
5.05	Horizon
6.00	World News
6.25	Newsnight
7.00	World News
7.25	World Business Report

STAR plus

8 am	The Racoons
8.30	Cartoon Classics: Porcky Pig
9.00	Wide World of Kids
9.30	Dr Fad Show
10.00	Jack Thompson Down Under
10.30	Jupiter Moon
11.00	Attitudes
12 noon	Your Family Matters
12.30	Generations
1.00	Santa Barbara
2.00	The Bold & The Beautiful
2.30	Donahue
3.00	Beautiful breast dangerous time
3.30	Under Southern Skies
4.00	Beyond Tomorrow
4.30	Thunder Sub
5.00	Wide World Of Kids
5.30	Great Space Coaster
6.00	Jupiter Moon
6.30	Jack Thompson Down Under
7.00	Lifestyles Of The Rich & Famous
8.00	Beyond 2000
8.50	Hollywood Stars
9.00	Hill Street Blues
10.30	The Bold & The Beautiful
11.00	Santa Barbara
12 MN	The Irish R M
12.50	Hollywood Stars
1.00	Capital News
2.00	Newhart
2.30	The Bold & The Beautiful
3.00	Santa Barbara
4.00	Donahue
4.30	Celebrity & Primetime Love
5.00	Floyd On Spain: Andalucia
5.30	Fashion Fix
6.00	Attitudes
7.00	Everyday Workout
7.30	Mac & Mutley



9 am	MTV Power Pack
10.00	MTV's Most Wanted
11.00	Classic MTV
12 noon	Awake on the Wild Side
3.00	VJ Danny McGill
6.00	VJ Sophia
8.00	The Day in Rock
8.10	VJ Sophia
8.30	Kevin Seal: Sporting Fool
9.00	MTV Power Pack
10.00	MTV's Most Wanted
11.00	Classic MTV
12 MN	Headbangers Ball
2.00	VJ Danny McGill
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6.00	Awake on the Wild Side

PRIME SPORTS

8 am	Best Of The 1992 World Cup
	Of Cricket 2nd Semi-Final
10.00	Primebodies
11.00	Japanese Baseball
12.00	noon Taiyo Whales at Hanahin Tigers
2.00	On The Circuit... Courier Australian Open Final 1992: Edberg v Courier Talking
4.00	This Week In Nascar
5.30	3rd One Day International: England v Pakistan Live
2.00	Prime Time Motor Sport
3.00	British Motorcycling Grand Prix Highlights
5.00	Paris To Cape Town Adventure Story
6.30	Talking-88

(Please deduct 2 hours from all programmes from above timings for Bangladesh Standard Time)