

### BCIC Tender Notice

Managing Director, Polash Urea Fertilizer Factory Ltd., Ghorasal, Polash, Narsingdi, invites sealed quotation for supply of LIMIT SWITCH on C&F (C) Ctg. basis. Tender will be received up to 11-00 am on 8-2-93 and will be opened immediately thereafter in the Office of (a) General Manager (Purchase), BCIC, 30-31, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka & (b) Addl. Chief Commercial Manager, PUFFL. Tender documents will be available on payment of Tk. 25/= only per set (Non-refundable) from the Offices of (a) BCIC Branch Office, 6, Agrabad C/A, Chittagong, (b) BCIC Head Office, 30-31, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka and (c) PUFFL Accounts Deptt. No Tender document will be sold on the date of its opening.

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Kazi Nuruzzaman speaking at a press conference at Ghatak Daal Nirmul Committee central office in city yesterday. — Star photo

### 'Siraj Sikdar fought like a hero against Pakistani forces'

Speakers at a commemorative meeting here yesterday recalled with gratitude the contribution of late Siraj Sikdar towards achieving the country's independence and afterward struggle for the socio-economic emancipation of the common people, reports BSS.

They said Siraj Sikdar did not flee the country during the War of Liberation and fought like a brave hero against the Pakistani occupation forces. But they regretted that the same man had to give up his life in the hands of the post-independence government.

The meeting organised by Siraj Sikdar Parishad to commemorate his 18th Shahadat anniversary at the National BDRCS employees support Qureshi's termination

By Staff Correspondent

A meeting of the officials and employees of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (BDRCS) yesterday supported the termination of Major (ret'd) Ali Hasan Qureshi from his service as Secretary General of the society.

Maj (ret'd) Qureshi's removal from the top post at the society secretariat was followed by his conflicts with the Chairman of the organisation.

According to a press release signed by the Public Relations Officer Md Saber Ali, the meeting termed the termination as timely and appropriate and thanked the Chairman and member of Adhoc Managing Board of the society for the decision announced Thursday.

The meeting adopted a resolution accusing Maj (ret'd) Qureshi of committing corruption and misusing power during his 17 years' stay in the post.

It also demanded investigation into the alleged acts of corruption and proper action in that regard.

Those who addressed the meeting were: Md Azhar-ul-Islam, Director (Relief), ASM Akram, Director (Disaster Prevention Programme), Dr Aatur Rahman Chowdhury, Director (Health), Md Nasir Ullah, Deputy Director (Rehabilitation), Md Saber Ali, PRO and SM Abul Kamal Azad, instructor.

He asked the followers of Siraj Sikdar to foil evil designs of those forces and help the present government's efforts to fulfil the hopes and aspirations of the nation.

Prof MA Gafur said late Siraj Sikdar was always against the expansionist forces and for that he tried to unite the nation to stand against such heinous design of a neighbouring country.

He said the national politics, economics and culture were not yet free from the grip of the aggressors and expressed the confidence that lakhs of Siraj Sikdar would one day emancipate the nation from the clutches the expansionist power.

### March-past by Marine Academy cadets held

CHITTAGONG, Jan 2: The parade and march-past by cadets of the 27th batch of Marine Academy was held here today marking the end of their two-month-long training course, reports BSS.

Forest, Environment, Fisheries and Livestock Minister Abdullah-Al-Noman took the salute and inspected the march-past as the chief guest.

Deputy Minister for Shipping ABM Zahidul Huq, Chittagong City Mayor Mir Md Nasruddin, Sirajul Islam MP were, among others present on the occasion.

A total of 108 cadets participated in the parade. Senior cadet captain Sheikh Mostafa Ali was adjudged the best cadet and awarded President's Gold Medal and 'Bangladesh Shipping Corporation Prize' for his best achievement in all the subjects.

### Diabetics' Assoc, Ctg election held

CHITTAGONG, Jan 2: AR Chowdhury and Alhaj Jehangir Uddin Chowdhury were elected President and General Secretary respectively of the Bangladesh Diabetics Association, Chittagong Branch on Friday for 1993-94, reports BSS.

Dr LA Quadri and Advocate Shaful Alam were elected vice-presidents and Serajul Islam treasurer.

### JCD activists urged to hasten uplift works

State Minister for Environment, Forest Fisheries and Livestock Goyeswar Chandra Roy has called upon the members of the Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal to work unitedly to expedite the development activities of the country, reports BSS.

He was addressing a students' meeting, arranged by Chandpur Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal on the occasion of 14th founding anniversary of the organisation at Chandpur Town Hall Friday.

Alam Khan MP, Molla Siddiqui Rahman, Convener, Chandpur district BNP and Munir Chowdhury, district Jubadal President also addressed the meeting presided over by district Chhatradal President Sharif Md Yunus.

The State Minister said, as the biggest students union the responsibility of Chhatradal in national development is very much significant.

Roy urged the elected student leaders to play an important role in achieving goal in compulsory primary education, canal digging programme, plantation for ecological balance and other activities taken by the government.

### Majid visits textile mill at N'ganj

Agriculture and Irrigation, Water Development and Flood Control Minister M Majid-ul-Haq yesterday visited the newly constructed Prime Textile Spinning Mill at Nondalpur under Narayaniganj district, reports BSS.

The construction of the mill had completed in August last year at a cost of Taka 60.85 crore under BSB loan. The annual production capacity of the mill is being estimated at over 19 lakh kg of different types of cotton and polyester yarn.

The Minister went round different sections of the mill and expressed his satisfaction at the quality of its products and the overall maintenance of the plant.

State Minister for Textile M A Mannan, Chairman of Bangladesh Shilpa Bank, ATM Alamgir MP, Amanullah Aman MP, Salahuddin MP, and Barkatullah Bhulu MP, were present during the visit.

## Special traits of folk culture depicted in Jasimuddin's works

Health and Family Welfare Minister Chowdhury Kamal Ibne Yusuf has said poet Jasimuddin Ahmed was an exceptional litterateur, who had successfully depicted in his writings the special characteristics of the country's folk culture, reports BSS.

The minister was inaugurating a week-long exhibition 'Jasim Palli Mela' at the village home of the poet, at Ambikapur in Faridpur marking 90th anniversary of his birth, on Friday.

Faridpur district administration in collaboration of the Bangladesh Small and Cottage Industries Corporation sponsored the fair. About 150 stalls from different parts of the country are participating in the fair.

Wife of the poet, Momtaj Jasimuddin spoke on the occasion as the special guest. Presided over by the Deputy Commissioner, Faridpur, AKM Nurul Huda, the inaugural function was also addressed by the Chairman of the BSCIC Maniruzzaman and noted litterateur Dr Ashraf Siddiqui.

Paying tributes to the memory of the poet, the Health and Family Welfare Minister said Poet Jasimuddin had shown his qualities in projecting the rural life so easily that had no parallel.

### What's on today . . .

**Asiatic Society**  
The 41st founding anniversary of the Asiatic Society of Bangladesh will be held today (Sunday) at 3-30 pm at the auditorium of the society.  
Professor Zillur Rahman Siddiqui will deliver the foundation day lecture 1993 on 'a nations quest for a civil society.'  
Professor AKM Nurul Islam, President of the society, will preside over the function.

**Rapport Bangladesh Limited**  
Rapport Bangladesh Limited will hold a three week training course on Accounting today (Sunday) at 5:30 PM at its seminar hall, 98 Malibagh (DIT Road).  
The programme will be inaugurated by M Mosharrar Hossain, Managing Director of the Rapport Bangladesh Limited.

**BIDS-IDB workshop**  
A four-day workshop on 'Complementarities of the economies of the OIC member countries' will begin today (Sunday) at the conference room of Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies (BIDS).  
BIDS and the Islamic Development Bank, Jeddah, jointly organised the workshop.  
Planning Minister A M Zahiruddin Khan will inaugurate the workshop as chief guest at the NEC complex of the Planning Commission at 9:00 am.

**Discussion with Jute Minister**  
Jute Minister Brigadier (ret'd) ASM Hannan Shan will sit in a discussion meeting with leaders of the mills under the Bangladesh Jute Spinners Association today (Sunday) at 12:30 pm at the conference room of the association at 55, Purana Paltan (3rd floor).  
The discussion will focus on the problems of the jute sector and World Bank's proposed reform plans for this sector.

**Drama Festival**  
Theatre Art Natyotsab has organised a drama festival to be held from today (Sunday) at the Shilpakala Academy auditorium at 5:30 pm.

**Seminar on Inventory Management**  
Dr M Zaman will speak at a seminar on 'Inventory cost management difference in public and private sector textile mills in Bangladesh' organised by Centre for Management Development (CMD).  
The seminar will take place at the seminar room of IUBAT, House 135, Road 9A, Dhanmondi today (Sunday) at 4:30 pm.

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**Lions Club of Dhaka Progoti Greater meet**  
The 16th regular meeting of the Lions Club of Dhaka Progoti Greater will be held tomorrow (Monday) at 6 pm at the Officers Club, Bally Road.  
Gautam Saha, President of the club will preside over the meeting.

**Film Show at Russian Cultural Centre**  
Zahir Raihan Film Society has organised a session on world famous Russian ballets and ballet-based films in collaboration with the Russian Cultural Centre from tomorrow (Monday).  
Film 'Swan Lake' directed by a A Dudko and K Sergeev will be screened at 5 pm tomorrow at the cultural centre at Dhanmondi Road 7.

## HERE and THERE

**Int'l Assoc of Democratic Lawyers**  
A milad mahfil was held at the 'Rose Bank Club' at Dhanmondi yesterday on the occasion of the 73rd birth anniversary of Law, Justice and Parliament Affairs Minister Mirza Golam Hafiz.  
The mahfil, organised by the International Association of Democratic Lawyers, was attended, among others, by Food Minister Shamsul Islam, Attorney General Aminul Huq, Additional Secretary-in-charge of the Law Ministry Mirza Asaduzzaman Al-Farooq.

**Assoc of class III employees**  
Mohammad Nuruzzaman and Kasifuddin Ahmed were elected President and Secretary General for a two-year term of the class III employees association of secondary and higher education.  
The association also elected a 51-member central committee.

**BCF**  
Bangladesh Chhatra Federation (BCF) Saturday held a rally at the Dhaka University protesting the killing of fisherman leader, Sanjib Das and injuring of seven others including BCF leader Alamgir at Bajitpur Bangla Charbak Jalmahal.  
The rally was presided over by the BCF leaders Ahad Ahmed and Uday Pal.  
The rally also demanded arrest of those responsible for the incident.

**Mohila Parishad**  
The new committee of Bangladesh Mohila Parishad, Dhaka City Unit, was announced yesterday with Dr Nurunnahar Faizunnessa and Rakhi Das Purokasta as its President and General Secretary.  
A 30-member committee was also announced including seven vice presidents, one assistant general secretary, one treasurer, six-member presidium and 13 members.

**Tk 5 lakh recovered**  
CHITTAGONG, Jan 2: A squad of port police here today recovered over Taka five lakh, which were allegedly stolen from the strong room of Sonali Bank, port branch, reports BSS.

According to port police, a driver of the port and his three associates while carrying away a trunk containing Taka 581,444 of the bank branch in a jeep, a bank guard on duty could realise it and he started shouting. A squad of port police waiting nearby stopped the jeep and arrested the driver Abu Taher. Police recovered the money, one rifle and five rounds of ammunition from the possession of the driver. Three associates of the driver fled away.

**Arshad-uz Zaman honoured**  
Former Ambassador Arshad-uz Zaman has been decorated by UNESCO for translation into Bangla the poems of Turkish poet Yunus Emre, according to a fax message received here yesterday, reports UNB.  
Zaman translated the poems on the initiative of Turkish Ambassador in Dhaka Ahmet Ermsoglu.  
Poet Muhammad Nurul Huda assisted in the translation of the poems and artist Qayyum Chowdhury beautifully decorated the book.

The following TV programmes are brought to you by

STAR TRACK

Sunday, 3rd January

STAR TV

BBC

WORLD SERVICE TELEVISION

6 am	World News
6.25	World News Week
7.00	World News
7.10	Assignment
8.00	World News
8.25	Films Of The Year
9.00	World News
9.25	World News
10.00	World News
10.25	Public Eye
11.00	World News
11.25	A Question Of Sport
12 noon	World News
12.25	Open Space
1.00	World News
1.25	The Late Show
2.00	World News
2.25	Business Matters
3.00	World News
3.25	World News Week
4.00	World News
4.25	Public Eye
5.00	World News
5.25	TBA
6.00	World News
6.10	Assignment
7.00	World News
7.25	The Late Show
8.00	News Headlines
8.05	Everyman
9.00	World News
9.25	Witness
10.00	World News
10.25	Question Of Sport
11.00	World News
11.25	World News Week
12.00	World News
12.25	The Late Show
1.00	World News
1.25	Witness
2.00	World News Headlines
2.05	Frost
3.00	News Of Sport
3.25	Question Of Sport
4.00	World News
4.25	World News Week
5.00	World News
5.25	World Business Report

STAR Plus

6 am	Size Small
6.30	Cartoon Classics
7.00	Dr Fad Show
7.30	Butterfly Island
8.00	Choppy & The Princess
8.30	KTV
9.00	Jack Thompson Down Under
9.30	Just For The Record
10.00	International Treasure Hunt
10.30	South Of France
11.00	Floyd On Oz
11.30	The Travel Magazine
12 noon	Travel Travel: Los Angeles
12.30	Movie Television
1.00	Movie: Breaking All The Rules
2.30	White Shadow
3.30	Lifestyles Of The Rich & Famous
4.30	Eye On Asia
5.00	Nepal-Kingdom Of The Gods
5.30	The Spectacular World Of Guinness Records
6.00	Hollywood Detective
6.50	Hollywood Stars
7.00	Movie: Valley Girl
7.30	Drama: Running Home
8.00	Movie: The Bet
8.30	Robin Of Sherwood
10.10	Mini: 'Golden Piddles'
11.10	The Travel Magazine
1.00	The Bold & The Beautiful
1.30	The Bold & The Beautiful
2.00	Santa Barbara
3.00	Donahue
4.00	Attitudes
5.00	Sharky & George
5.30	Wide World Of Kids

PRIME SPORTS

7.00	MTV Rockumentary
7.30	Best Of Saturday Night Live
8.00	Classic MTV
8.30	MTV Mon Amour
9.00	VJ Angela Chow
1.00	VJ Shabby
4.00	MTV Top 20 Video
6.00	Countdown Asia
6.30	MTV Unplugged
6.30	Week In Rock
7.00	Classic MTV
8.00	Dial MTV
9.00	MTV Mon Amour
10.00	MTV Top 20 Video
10.00	Countdown Asia
12.00	The Grind
12.30	Week In Rock
1.00	VJ Angela Chow
4.00	Awake On The Wild Side
4.30	Angela Chow

6.00	College Basketball Big East
6.00	Miami Southern Califor at Pam Beach
8.15	World Cup Skiing
10.00	WF Primetime Wrestling
12.15	WAT: White Water Rafting
12.45	Johnnie Wake World Champ Highlights
1.00	CKT: S Africa v in 3rd Test, 1st Day
2.00	Omega Serie Inager-Logan
3.00	Rans World Sport
4.15	European Soccer
4.00	Australian Ladies Masters
7.45	White Water Rafting
8.45	Atar Classi Squash
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5.30	KT: S Africa v in 3rd Test, 2nd Day

(The timings above are as per Bangladesh Standard Time)

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প্রধান কার্যালয়  
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পার্সোনেল ডিভিশন পরিবহন দপ্তর

**স্টাফ বাস ভাড়া নেয়ার জন্য**  
**দরপত্র আহবানের বিজ্ঞপ্তি**

৩৬৫৫৮-মেঘনাঘাট-সোনালী ব্যাংক, প্রধান কার্যালয়-সোনালী ব্যাংক রমনা শাখা কটে ব্যাংকের অফিসার/কর্মচারীদের সকালে অফিসে আসা ও বিকালে সংশ্লিষ্ট ইশতেজ পৌছানোর জন্য প্রতিষ্ঠিত পরিবহন সংস্থা/প্রকৃত বাস মালিকদের নিকট হইতে উন্নত মানের ১ (এক) টি ৫২/৫৪ আসন বিশিষ্ট টিল বন্ডির প্রণতির সুপরিষ্কার কোচ (দুই দরজা বিশিষ্ট) মাসিক ভিত্তিতে ভাড়া করার নিমিত্তে সীলমোহরকৃত দরপত্র আহবান করা যাইতেছে। আনামী ০৯-০১-৯৩ ইং তারিখ দুপুর ১২.০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত প্রতিবিলম্ব সোনালী ব্যাংকের প্রধান কার্যালয়ের চত্বরে তলপত্র পরিবহন দপ্তরে প্রকৃত টেক্সটার বাসে দরপত্র জমা দেওয়া যাইবে এবং ঐ দিনই বেলা ২.০০ ঘটিকায় দরপত্রদাতাদের অথবা তাহাদের প্রতিনিধিবৃন্দের যদি কেহ উপস্থিত থাকেন) উপস্থিত হইতে দরপত্র খোলা হইবে। টেক্সটার সিডিউল অফিস উপস্থিত সময় সোনালী ব্যাংক প্রধান কার্যালয়ের চত্বরে তলপত্র পরিবহন দপ্তরে নগদ ২০০/- (দুই শত) টাকা (অক্ষেরতযোগ্য) মুদ্রা ০৯-০১-৯৩ ইং তারিখ পর্যন্ত পাওয়া যাইবে। টেক্সটার সিডিউল অফিস সময় অবশ্যই বাসের মূল বা বুক দেখাইতে হইবে। দরপত্রের সাথে আর্নেটম্যান হিসাবে যে কোন বাণিজ্যিক ব্যাংক হইতে জরুরকৃত সোনালী ব্যাংক, প্রধান কার্যালয় ঢাকার অনুকূলে ৫,০০০/- টাকার শে-বন্ডের জমা দিতে হইবে। দরপত্রদাতাদের নিজ নামের/নিজ সংস্থার বাস এবং তদসম্পর্কীয় কাগজপত্র ছাড়া অন্য সংস্থা/মালিকের বাস বা কাগজপত্র দরপত্রে উল্লেখ/প্রদান করিলে দরপত্র গ্রহণযোগ্য হইবে না। দরপত্রে উল্লেখিত বাসের ইঞ্জিন নম্বর ও বুক নম্বর ইঞ্জিন নম্বর এক হইতে হইবে। দরপত্রে উল্লেখিত বাস ব্যাংক কর্তৃক পরিশোধন করিবার জন্য নির্দেশ দেওয়া হইলে নির্ধারিত তারিখের নির্দিষ্ট সময়ে পরিশোধন দলের সম্মুখে উহা সোনালী ব্যাংক, প্রধান কার্যালয়ের পিছনের পার্কিংয়ে উপস্থিত করিতে বার্ষ হইলে বাসের (আর্নেটম্যান) টাকা-বাহেয়কৃত করা হইবে। কার্যবাহী বাসের অনুমোদিত বাস সনাক্ত করিতে বার্ষ হইলেও বাসনার টাকা (আর্নেটম্যান) বাজেয়াপ্ত করা হইবে।

ব্যাংক কর্তৃক কোন কারণ দর্শানো ব্যতীতকে যে কোন দরপত্র গ্রহণ অথবা যে কোন বা সকল দরপত্র বাতিল করার ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করেন।

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**Chittagong Port Authority**  
Office of the  
**Executive Engineer (E)/Power**  
(Adjacent to No 4 Jetty Gate)

Re-Tender Notice No: 10/92 Dated 15-12-1992

Tenders in prescribed schedule in duplicate (two copies) under the following terms & conditions are invited for the work gas line connection to newly constructed 4 Nos. 8-unit "C" type residential buildings in East Residential Area of Chittagong Port.

1. Name of Work : Gas line connection to 4 Nos 8-unit "C" type (Block-6, 7, 8 & 9) 4-storey buildings newly constructed in Port East Residential Area.
2. Earnest Money : At the rate 2% of quoted amount to be deposited with tender in Bank Draft/Pay Order/Sanchayapatra in favour of Chittagong Port Authority. In case of Sanchayapatra, authority to encash should be furnished.
3. Tender document : a) Office of the Chief Finance Accounts Officer/CPA, Bandar Bhaban, Chittagong.  
b) Office of the Deputy Chief Engineer (Electrical)/ CPA, Bandar Bhaban, Chittagong.  
c) Office of the EE(E)/Power/CPA, Adjacent to No 4 Jetty Gate, Chittagong.  
d) Office of the Liaison Officer/CPA, Dhaka Liaison Office, 33, Segunbagicha, Dhaka.
4. Price of tender document : Taka 400.00 (four hundred) only (non-refundable).
5. Eligibility to participate in tender : Should be Bakhrabad Gas Systems Ltd enlisted 1.3 Class contractor. Certificate should be produced at the time of purchasing tender and VAT registration certificate must be submitted with the tender. 13-1-93 up to 12-30 PM.
6. Last date & time of selling tender : 14-1-93 up to 12-30 PM.
7. Date & time of receiving tender : 14-1-93 at 12-35 PM.
8. Date & time of opening tender : In the tender box kept at the office of the undersigned.
9. Place to deposit the tender : 45 (forty-five) calendar days from the date of receiving the work order.
10. Time limit for completion of work : The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any part of or whole tender without assigning any reason. Full description of the work is available in the tender schedule. The undersigned may be contacted for any elaboration. No tender can be sent or received by post.

DFP (BA) 12472  
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**Executive Engineer (E)/Power**  
Chittagong Port Authority



An open air drama at Suhrawardi Uddyan in city yesterday. — Star photo