British Airways offers new amenities for passengers

By Staff Correspondent

The British Airways has improved passengers' facilities under a multi-million pound programme and claimed to be providing the best services for business travellers across the

It has extensively renovated its aircraft and offered the best-ever facilities in First Class, Club World and Concord services for the business travellers, the local British Airways official told reporters in a preview of the facilities at Hotel Sheraton yesterday.

We have created a new world for business travellers. Increased service. Greater comfort. More freedom. They are yours to experience in the New Club World, First Class and Concord, said Country Manager Mike Osbon.

The major new programme of product and service innovation were unveiled on April 15,

The programme and innovations include a sleeper service for the First Class passengers on overnight flights during which passengers would be offered dinner on the ground before take-off, full-sized pillows, a cosy quilt and pyjamas for comfort. Individual scatback videos for Club World passengers featuring a unique eight-channel entertainment system offering a choice of 47 hours of programmes, and a new seat designs with comfortable leg rest facilities etc. Sleepers service is the first

in the world, they claimed. The company has also increased the ground services

The local officials said that the new developments were the first phase of a long-term programme of the innovation in airline service.

for the passengers.



Civil Aviation Authority of Bangladesh

Office of the Director, CEMSU Kurmitola, Dhaka-1229

"গাছ লাগান; গাছের পরিচর্যা করুন এবং পরিবেশকে বাঁচান" – প্রধানমন্ত্রী

বিমান বন্দরকে পরিচ্ছন্ন রাখুন

Notice Inviting Tender CEMSU No. 13/92-93

Sealed tenders are hereby invited from the bonafide suppliers for Supply of 18000 BTU/Hr. Capacity Window type Airconditioning Units for different Electrical and Communication stations of ZIA and other Airports which will be received up to 12.00 hrs. on 23/05/93 and will be opened on the same day at 12.15 hrs. in presence of the tenderers or their representatives (if any).

Earnest Money @ Tk. 2.5% (two and a half per cent) of the quoted amount (refundable) must be submitted along with the tender in the form of Bank Draft/Pay Order drawn on any scheduled bank of Bangladesh in favour of Director, CEMSU, CAAB, Kurmitola, Phaka.

Tender papers and schedule of items of supply may be had from Cash Sections of the office of the Director, CEMSU and Director (Finance), CAAB HQs Dhaka during office hours on payment of Tk. 250/-(Taka two hundred fifty) only (non-refundable). The intending tenderers may apply in their letterheads to the Director, CEMSU or Director (Finance), CAAB HQs, for purchase of tender documents. No tender paper will be sold on the date fixed for opening of tender. Other terms and conditions can be seen in the office of the Director, CEMSU.

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

For: Director

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Dy. Director (Supply) CEMSU, CAAB, Kurmitola, Dhaka

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Project Director Rehabilitation Institute & Hospital for the Disabled Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka

Admission Notice

No. RIHD (Admn)92-20/786 Dated: 24-4-93 Applications in prescribed form are invited from medical graduates intending for admission to MS Ortho/Diploma Ortho course at RIHD (Orthopaedic Hospital) Dhaka in 1993-94 session. Application form should be collected from the office of the undersigned on cash payment of Taka 200/= (non-refundable) against admission form, conduct of examination & supply of information etc. and the applica-tion should reach by 23-5-93. MS Ortho course — A duration 3 (three) years.

A) The candidate must be a graduate from a Medical College approved by the Bangladesh Medical & Dental Council.

B) The candidate should have completed one year

Should have at least 2 (two) years residential training in general surgery from a medical college hospital approved by the Bangladesh Medical & Dental Council (excluding prescribed 6 (six) months general surgery training in Internship), or Should have 1 (one) year residential training in general surgery & 1 (one) year residential training in orthopaedic surgery, or Any one passing MBBS examination may apply for admission to MS Ortho course; but after passing

the first part & prior to joining the second part, should complete the above mentioned training. D) In case of those having Diploma in Orthopaedic Surgery from Institution approved by Dhaka University, 6 (six) months residential training will

be considered.

Diploma Ortho course — duration 2 (two) years A) The candidate must be a graduate from a Medical

College approved by Bangladesh Medical &

The candidate must have completed 1 (one) year

Internship. C) The candidate must have completed 6(six) months whole time residential training in general surgery of a government approved hospital prior to 30-4-93 (excluding the prescribed 6 (six) months general surgery in Internship).

In case of candidates in government service, they should have at least 1 (one) year experience of government service at Upazila Health Complex/Rural Health Centre. If not completed the said tenure, bond has to be given to the Director General, Directorate of Health that the candidate shall complete the service tenure af-

ter completion of the course.

Candidates for MS (Ortho) & Diploma Ortho shall have to sit for written test in Basic Science & Surgery on 12-6-93 at 9-00 AM and viva-voce of the candidates will be held on 13-6-93. No DA/TA will be given.

Candidates in service should apply through proper Professor K M Sirajul Islam FRCS Project Director

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Rehabilitation Institute & Hospital for the Disabled Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka

What's on today

Prof Dr Alimur Memorial Lectures

A series of lectures on "A Sustainable Development Strategy for Bangladesh" organised by Prof Dr Alimur Rahman Memorial Lectures will be held today (Thursday) at the auditorium of Institute of (IBA) Business Administration at 10

Dr Mosharraf Hossain will present the first lecture. Prof Rehman Sobhan will preside the session.

Shokrana Milad and Doa Mahfil

A shokrana milad and doa mahfil will be held today (Thursday) at 6:30 pm at the mazar premises of Shah Suff Hazrat Akbar Shah (Rah) at Ramna Batamul.

Orpheus Music Club

Orpheus Music Club and Goethe Institut Dhaka will screen the ballet "Giselle" today (Thursday) at 6.30 pm at German Cultural Centre.

The programme has been organised to pay tribute to the world famous ballet dancer Rudolf Nureyev who died recently.

Old Victorians

Old Victorians, an association of ex-student of Comilla Victoria College, will observe Bengali New Year 1400, Eid reunion and the installation ceremony of the newly elected executive committee today (Thursday) at Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy at 5 pm.

Minister for Works Md Rafigul Islam Mian, State Minister for Establishment Md Nurul Huda will remain as chief guest and special guest respectively.

All registered members of the Old Victorians have been requested to attend the function.

Asiatic Society of Bangladesh

A seminar on Bengali language organised by Bangladesh Asiatic society will begin from today (Thursday) at 9 am at the society's auditorium.

Rotary Club of Dhaka Buriganga

The regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Dhaka Buriganga will be held today (Thursday) at 5-30 pm at Hotel Dr Kabiruddin Ahmed, long-term Adviser to USAID, will

Govt College Teachers' Association

be the guest speaker of the meeting.

A five-day seminar on the "Role of Teachers' Organisations in Improving the Standard of Education" begins here today (Thursday) under the auspices of Bangladesh Government College Teachers' Association.

Information Minister Barrister Nazmul Huda will

inaugurate the seminar at Bangladesh Management Development Centre (BMDC) at 10.30 am.

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Rotary Club of Dhaka South The regular weekly meeting of Rotary Club of Dhaka south will be held tomorrow (Friday) at 7.00 pm at 45, Becharam Dewri, Begun Bazar.

Alliance Française

A teachers-students get together and certificate giving ceremony for the period from June '92 to March '93 will be held tomorrow (Friday) at the Alliance Francaise de Dhaka. All the students of Alliance Française are invited to attend the function at 5 pm.

JICA Alumni Association

A seminar on Symbiotic Microorganisms in Insects and Issues and policy measures on technology transfer in the context of economic development of Bangladesh will be held tomorrow (Friday) at 3-30 pm at Hotel Purbani.

The seminar will be organised by JICA Alumni Association of Bangladesh. Association members have been requested to attend.

Lions Clubs Int'l dist 315B

The concluding session of the 6th annual convention of Lions International District 315B will be held tomorrow (Friday) at Sonargaon Hotel at 7-00 pm.

Shaikh Razzaque Ali, the Speaker of Jatiya Sangsad will be the chief guest while MK Anwar, Minister for Commerce will attend the function as special guest.

A blood donation programme has also been organized on the concluding day at 10-00 am at the same venue. Md Nurul Huda, the State Minister for Establishment will be the chief

HERE and THERE

BHES

Election of the Executive Committee of Bangladesh Health Education Society (BHES) for 1993-94 was held recently at NIPSOM. Prof Khurshida Khanam and

Minoti Prova Chowdhury were elected President and General Secretary respectively. Other office bearers are - Vice Presidents - Shahalam Bhuiyan and Prof Aminul Islam Tarafder, Treasurer - Begum Anwara Rahman and Joint Secretary Prof Dr Abdul Wadud Khan.

AIDS prevention

An advocacy meeting on AIDS for the truck drivers and helpers was held at Tejgaon Truck Stand on recently.

The meeting was jointly organized by Bangladesh AIDS Prevention and Control Programme and Bangladesh Truck Drivers Union.

Ledu Miah, Executive President of Bangladesh Truck Drivers Union chaired the ses-

Prof AK Shamsuddin Siddiquey, Director Health Services, Dr Mustafa Kamal, National Programme Manager on AIDS and E Jesuthasan, WHO Programme Management Consultant on AIDS took part in the discussion.

Speakers discussed elaborately about AIDS with special emphasis on modes of transmission, methods of prevention and role of truck drivers in prevention of the disease.

Azimpur Community Centre

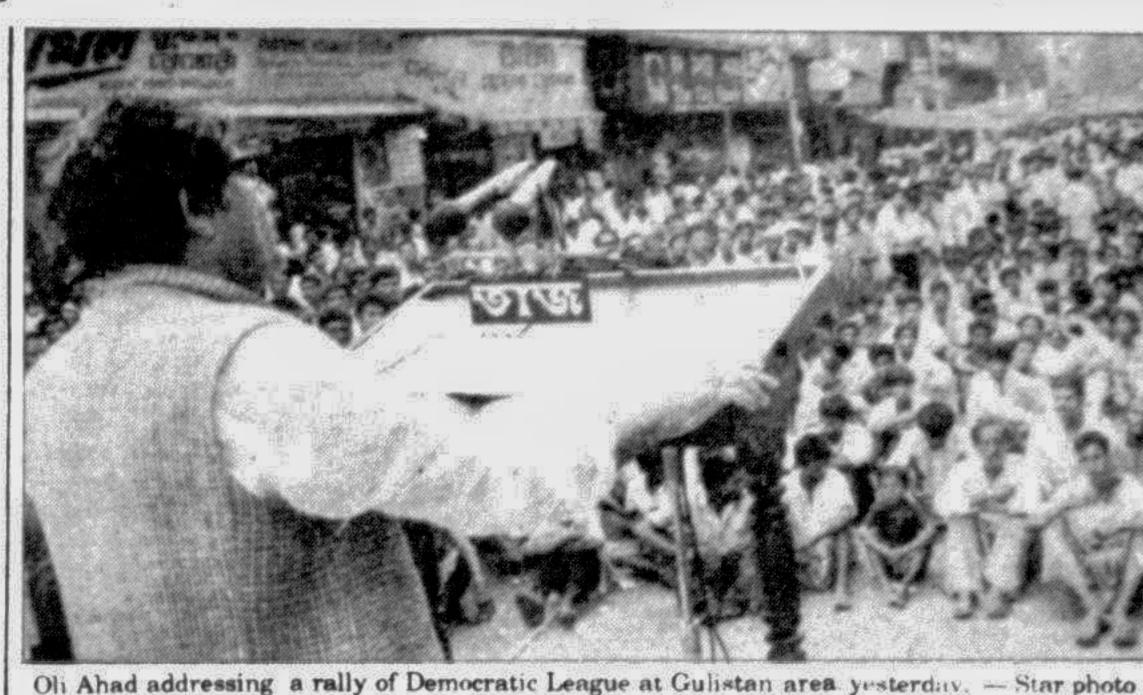
Noted artiste Dilara Zaman was accorded a public reception here yesterday.

The Executive Committee of Azimpur Community Centre organised the reception to the artist for being awarded the Ekushey Padak.

Joint Secretary Motahar Hossain presided over the



Fazlur Rahman, Chairman T&T Board, addressing a meeting of the Lions Club of Dhaka Progoti Greater on "Role of Telecommunication in the Development Activities in Developing Countries" at the Officer's Club in Dhaka city recently. Club Director Lion Engg M Nurul Islam (Ist from left), Club President Lion Gautam Saha (2nd) and Club Secretary Lion Engg Rafiqul Islam Sarker (4th) also spoke on the occasion.



Deposition of Janata Tower case IO completes

Ershad obtained benefit worth Tk four crore

prosecution witness, after

identifying the FIR, made the

deposition by reading out from

The prosecution witness

said as 10 he visited the 14

storied Janata Tower and

RAJUK Bhaban and seized all

relevant papers and docu-

ments in connection with this

case from different agencies

and offices and prepared the

seizure list. Those were

marked as exhibits in this

tigation, the PW said he had

recovered some files and doc-

uments carlier seized by CID in

connection with a case of simi-

the deposed President

Mr Rahman said that ex-

During the course of inves-

this case.

lar nature.

The deposition of Mujibur Rahman, Investigating Officer in the Janata Tower Case completed yesterday in the court of special judge Md Ansaruddin Sikder, reports BSS.

Rahman who is an ASP with Bureau of Anti-Corruption while making the deposition stated that in the FIR deposed President H M Ershad was charged with misusing his official position to obtain pecuniary benefit to the tune of Taka 4 crore for his wife and others by way of allotment of plots in Kawranbazar Commercial Area of city through illegal

The FIR filed on 14.4.1991 also named other persons including Begum Raushan Ershad and former minister MA Sattar as abettor in the illegal transaction.

Ershad is the principal accused in this case. Charges have been brought against twenty persons, of

which two remained absconding since the beginning. Besides Begum Raushan Ershad and M A Sattar, prominent among those who have been charged included former

Rohingya situation

Affected locals to

get compensation

Commission for Refugees

(UNHCR) will start a special

supporting programme in the

name of "affected Bangladeshi

village project" soon, reports

dollar will be involved in the

project for compensating the

sufferings of the local people

generated from Rohingya

This was disclosed by

UNHCR Bangladesh Mission

Chief Darioush Bayandor at a

meeting with the State

Minister for Establishment Md

Nurul Huda at his office here

Tuesday, an official handout

Minister of the whole-hearted

willingness of UNHCR in safe

and quick secured repatriation

of the refugees. He said

UNHCR was always working to

ease tension and anxiety of the

erous help of UNHCR and per-

sonal attention of Bayandor to

relieve the burden of

Bangladesh in maintaining

refugees for years together. He

assured UNHCR for rendering

all sorts of government help

and support in implementing

the new project. He asked the

UNHCR authority for close

touch with the government for

successful implementation of

New radio

programme

in Bangla

launched in NY

weekly radio programme in

Bangla for half-an-hour from 1

pm to 1-30 pm on every

Saturday was launched in New

York on April 17, according to

a message received here yes-

telephonic news reports from

Dhaka, London, Washington DC

and Montreal and other inter-

esting subjects can be heard

on 1520 KHZ in the AM band,

Jersy and Connecticut and

their adjacent areas can hear

the programme which is being

organised and produced by

Tariq Mahboob, a Bangladeshi

News Editor of the monthly

English magazine "Voice of

Bangladesh" based in New

Listeners in New York, New

The programme featuring

terday, reports BSS.

the message said.

"Banglar Mukh," a new

the benevolent project.

Huda appreciated the gen-

local people and refugees.

Bayandor apprised the State

refugees.

Primarily three million US

United Nations High

cepting one, he talked with all the accused persons. When asked by Attorney General Aminul Haq, who was conducting the deposition, about the contents of his questioning Ershad, Defence Counsel for

protested. After hearing both sides, special judge and additional RAJUK Chairman M Rahmasession judge upheld the obtullah and former Member of jection raised by Khondker Parltament Alhaj Abdul Wadud Mahbub Hossain. The PW in-

formed the court that the first Rahman, probably the last charge sheet of this case was submitted on 7.9.91 and a supplementary charge sheet filed on 29.2.92.

it. Mujibur Rahman is PW-35 in Prosecution witness included four former defence personnel including two who directly served under Ershad (in his capacity as supreme commander) and employees of RAJUK including its acting chairman. KZ Islam, Managing Director of Nirman International Limited, the construction firm that built the multistoried tower and some of his employees also deposed in this case as prosecution witnesses.

Incidentally this is the first case in which both Ershad and wife Begum Raushan Ershad are accused.

Ershad's Defence Counsel began cross examination of the The PW-35 admitted that

charge sheets do not contain allegations that Ershad gave away Taka 6.5 crore to Nirman for construction of Janata Tower. He, however, said the information was revealed during investigation.

World News 1.25 World News Horizon Horizon

The deposition over, Khandker Mahbub Hossain,



Amala Ursula of Women's Federation for World Peace (WFWP) discussing various matters relating to Peace and role of Women in better Family' with Zeba Rashid Chowdhury, National Commissioner of Girl Guides Association at the latter's office on Tuesday.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Ministry of Works, Sec Admin 5 Memo No SA 5/5 C-34/91-/116

11-04-93 (28-12-998S) Second Show Cause Notice under Section 5(2) of Government Employees (Special Arrangement) Ordinance 1979.

To: Address when undertaking foreign training Mr Md Abdul Kader Mia,

Executive Engineer Public Works Design Division, Dhaka Division of HSBAIT, GPO Box No 2754, Bangkok-10501, Thailand.

Permanent Address Son of late Shafizuddin, Village - Sukandi, P. O. Tongi, District - Gazipur (Dhaka)

Whereas you Md Abdul Kader Mia, Executive Engineer, Public Works Design Division-6, Dhaka being absent from duty without permission since 28-5-87, accusation brought against you under Section 3(B) of Government Employees (Special Arrangement) Ordinance, 1979 and the same was published in the Daiink Bangla on 16-9-91 and the Morning Sun on 24-9-91 respectively. Therein you were instructed to show cause, why you should not be removed from service, within 5(five) days of publication of the notice in the newspaper. But even then you, Mr Md Abdul Kader Mia, did not submit any answer or personally made any contact with the authority.

Latest known local residence-9/19 Humayun

Road, Block "C", Mohammadpur, Dhaka-7

Now, therefore you Mr Md Abdul Kader Mia, are instructed to show cause why you should not be dismissed or removed from service under section 5(2) of Government Employees (Special Arrangement) Ordinance, 1979 within 3 (three) days of publication of this notice in the newspaper.

It may be noted that if no reply is received from you within the prescribed time, then you will be dismissed or removed from service without any further notice.

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Mohammad Abdur Rashid

Secretary Ministry of Works

STAR BBC

Thursday, 29th April (All programmes in local time)

World News **Asia Today** World News World News **Asia Today** Newsnight

World News **Asia Today** Tomorrow's World World News Open Space

World News **BBC Business Morning** World News Public Eye World News Rough Guides World News Rough Guides

World News World News Day World News World News Day World News Salmon Run World News

News from London World News Floyd On Britain World News World News

World Business Report Open Space World News Tomorrow's World 11.00 World News News from London World News Holiday

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World News

World Business Report

Force Five: Gaiking Ovid & The Gang Dappledown Farm Force Five: Gaiking Shadow of the Stone Jupiter Moon 9.00 Attitudes Image Workshop 11.00 Santa Barbara Hollywood Stars The Bold & The Beautiful

Donahue High Days & Holidays Attitudes Dappledown Farm Terrahawks Just For The Record A Traveller's Guide To The Orient

Holiday The Crystal Maze Hill Street Blues Riviera Hollywood Stars The Bold & The Beautiful Santa Barbara Stay Lucky

Tour Of Duty Beyond 2000 Travel Travel: Les Vegas The Bold & The Beautiful Santa Barbara Donahue: Sister's Egg, Husband's Sperm, Sister-in-Law

Had My Baby 4.00 Attitudes 5.00 Size Small 5.30 Children's Room



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MTV Prime VJ David Wu Day in Rock 3 From One The Grind MTV's Most Wanted Dial MTV

MTV Heart and Soul Angela Classic MTV VJ Sophiya VJ Danny McGill Day In Rock 3 From One

The Grind

4.30 Angela Chow PRIME

Awake on the Wild Side

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West Indies v Pakistan 2nd Test, 5th Day **ABC** National Team Challenge 10 Pin **Bowling Fort Worth USA-8** 10.30 Int. Ice Hockey Tournament Finland v France

11.00 ATP, Nice Final US PGA Seniors From PGA National Golf Course Palm Beach. USA 4 Day Asian Golf Tour

Taiwan Open West Indies v Pakistan 2nd Test, 5th Day Cup Night World Cup Qualifier England v Holland

10.00 US PGA Seniors From PGA National Golf Course Palm Beach, USA Day 4 Asian Golf Tour

Taiwan Open Boxing

Cup Night World Cup 4.00 Qualifier England v Holland

2.00