

NGOs for commitment on child rights

By Staff Correspondent

Some fifty three non-government organisations (NGO) in a joint statement yesterday called upon all the political parties to come up with a clear commitment about child right and women issues.

They said that the child rights issue should be treated

as a common national agenda to avert negative effects on the interest of children caused by controversies or conflicts. "Children must be kept above party politics", the statement read.

They also demanded elimination of discrimination in the

case of girl child and women. Bangladesh Shishu Adhikar Forum, Khan Foundation, Mot tree Parishad, Gono Sahajya Sangatha, Red Barnet, Human Rights Association for Children, were among NGOs signed on the statement.

KT Hossain's death condoled

Bangladesh Economic Association (BEA) expressed deep shock at the sad demise of Prof KT Hossain of DU Economics department and a life member of the association, reports UNB.

BEA general secretary Dr Debapriya Bhattacharya yesterday in a statement condoled his death and conveyed deep sympathy to members of the bereaved family.

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