

Modern plant to burn city's garbage likely

LGRD and Cooperatives Minister Zillur Rahman yesterday said the government plans to build up a social movement with all city dwellers and voluntary organisations to keep Dhaka city clean and tidy, reports UNB.

He said a campaign has already been started in the capital with the slogan "My city, my home, I shall clean it regularly" to motivate the city people to keep their houses and surroundings clean.

The minister was speaking at the second meeting of a high level committee comprising service organisations of the city at the conference room of his ministry.

The meeting was informed that there was a possibility of establishing a modern plant with Japanese assistance to burn city's garbage instantly.

City Mayor Mohammad Hanif, LGRD Secretary A H M Abdul Hye and chiefs of different service organisations attended the meeting.

The meeting noted that significant development had been made in cleaning the city by removing garbage and water logging, and repairing main roads and lanes and by-lanes.

It said Dhaka City Corporation and voluntary organisations will implement various short, mid and long term programmes in the city to mitigate sufferings of its residents.

It reviewed progress of measures like maintenance of manholes, cleaning of underground and surface drains, construction of divider grill and road marking.

The meeting decided to excavate a big pond beside Bishwa road and install adequate street lights and control the traffic congestion.

It also decided to take initiatives to remove construction materials from roadside and illegal physical infrastructure and to conduct mosquito killing drive in the city.

They requested the President for taking necessary steps to implement all the provisions of the hill tracts Local Government Parishad Acts, 1989 and requested the president to provide constitutional guarantee for those acts.

President Shahabuddin said that he will look into the legal aspects of the acts and assured that they would continue to enjoy the existing rights and privileges under those acts.

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Local govt council team of 3 hill dists meets President

A six-member delegation of the Local Government Parishads of Khagrachhari, Bandarban and Rangamati called on President Justice Shahabuddin Ahmed at Bangabhaban yesterday, reports UNB.

The Chairman of Khagrachhari Local Government Parishad, Samiran Dewan, led the delegation.

The delegation apprised the President of various development activities of the three hill districts that included development of road communication and extension of electric supply to remote areas.

They stated that overall law and order in the hill areas is much better and educational institutions there are running smoothly with sufficient number of students.

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No decision yet on private TV channel: JS told

The government is yet to decide on allowing private television channel in the country, State Minister for Information Prof. Abu Sayeed told parliament yesterday, reports UNB.

"The matter is being examined by the authorities," he said in reply to a question from Gazi Mohammad Shahjahan (Chittagong).

The government is, however, working on establishing a separate channel of Bangladesh Television, he told Jahanara Khan.

Replying to another question from Shamsuzzaman Duda, Prof. Sayeed said the government has constituted a 16-member commission with the aim to give autonomy to Bangladesh Betar and Bangladesh Television.

The commission, headed by former bureaucrat Mohammad Asafuddin, has so far held three meetings, he said.

BSS adds: State Minister for Information Prof. Abu Sayeed informed the House yesterday that the construction of a full-fledged television centre was nearing completion at Pahartali in Chittagong.

Replying to a question from Mustafizur Rahman (AL-Chittagong), the state minister said that the Tk 67.58 crore television centre was expected to be commissioned next month.

In reply to a question from Abdul Mukit Khan (JP-Sylhet), the state minister said there were now nine centres of Bangladesh Betar.



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People-oriented nat'l land policy soon

State Minister for Land Rashed Mosharrar has said the government is formulating a people-oriented national land policy to ensure optimum use of land in the country, reports UNB.

The State Minister was addressing the revenue conference at Dhaka Divisional Commissioner office yesterday.

He said a high level metropolitan task force was constituted to identify "Khas" land, vested and abandoned lands, and acquired land.

Mosharrar said steps were being taken to formulate a national "Jalmahal" policy preserving the rights of the real fishermen and boosting fish cultivation.

The government is also implementing projects to modernise the country's land administration system to simplify land records, the State Minister told the conference.

He directed the deputy commissioners to be very cautious in acquiring land as there was scarcity of land in the country.

Presided over by Dhaka Divisional Commissioner Ahmed Mahmudur Raja Chowdhury, the function was addressed, among others, by Land Secretary Syed Murgub Murshed.

2150 megawatt power being generated: JS told

Energy and Mineral Resources Minister Mohammad Nooruddin Khan said yesterday that the present government under the leadership of Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina had taken up projects to meet the growing power demands, reports BSS.

Replying to a question from Dipankar Talukder (AL-Rangamati), the minister said a total of 2150 megawatt power was now being generated in the country.

Khan also said steps had been taken to reduce the system loss in the power sector.

The steps include introduction of rewards and censure for the officials and employees of the Power Development Board (PDB), introduction of 16 magistrate courts to realise revenue and take action against the illegal users of power and identification of illegal power connection, he added.

Replying to a question from Prof. Panna Kaiser (AL-Comilla-Chandpur) the minister informed the House that the system loss in the gas sector was 340.10 million cubic metres during the 1995-96 period.

Programmes to observe Bhasani's death anniversary

From Our Correspondent

TANGAIL, Nov 12: A week-long programme to observe the 20th anniversary of the death of Maulana Abdul Hamid Khan Bhasani began at Santosh Monday. The Santosh Islamic University Trustee Board and its allied organisations have organised the programme. The death anniversary falls on Nov 17.

Alema Khatun, wife of the late leader inaugurated the programme by opening a painting and cultural competition.

The programmes include Quran Khawani, milad mahfil, halka-e-zikr, mazar ziarat and discussion meetings. Bhashani melas and book fair.

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