

Authorities compelled to shed electricity in Pabna

From Our Correspondent

PABNA, Jan 17: Load-shedding of electricity throughout the district caused unprecedented problems for the people during the last six months. Every day supply of electricity is kept off without any prior notice to the consumers. The inconvenience caused to the people due to frequent disruptions in the power supply is too high.

The mills and factories, business establishments, offices, banks, hotels, hospitals and the deep and shallow tube-wells with electricity connections became faced with severe losses everyday. The domestic consumers have also faced with untold miseries when, during the evening everyday, they find no supply of electricity from six in the evening till about ten in the night. They can neither cook food for the night, nor they can look after their babies nor even they can ask their school or college-going sons and daughters to devote to their studies.

The students of different schools and colleges complained that they have been thrown into utter difficulties as so long absence of electricity every night as they cannot engage themselves into studies even before their final examinations. School and college authorities have lodged complaints with the PDB authorities time and again but to no effect.

An office-bearer of Pabna Chambers of Commerce and In-

College student killed in road mishap

SATKHIRA, Jan 17: A college student was killed in a road mishap at Sharakda bridge area here on Khulna-Satkhira road on Monday, reports UNB.

According to witnesses and police, the victim Abdur Razzak, age about 20 while crossing the road in the evening was hit by a fish ladder van. Razzak died on the spot.

The body was sent to sadar hospital for autopsy. A case has been filed with the police.

Another report adds: A housewife of Uzalmari in Kaliganj thana allegedly committed suicide by taking poison on Monday.

Family feud was the reason behind the suicide of Amena Khatun 60, wife of Abul Hosain.

Another report said: Cash and valuables worth about Taka one lakh were looted in a dacoity at Pawkhali bazar in Kaliganj thana on Monday night.

Shop owners of the bazar said a gang of dacoits entered the shops by breaking the doors open and decamped with the booty.

A case was filed in this connection.

Dhaka-Ctg highway Vigilance against miscreants intensified

COMILLA, Jan 17: Police have intensified vigilance against miscreants on the Dhaka-Chittagong highway, reports UNB.

A hijacked microbus was intercepted and recovered by Choudhogram police and four hijackers were arrested on January 9.

Police said five armed youths of Gajaria hijacked the microbus and were speeding towards Chittagong.

Getting information, Choudhogram police intercepted the microbus at Jogonath Dighee area and nabbed M Mizanur Rahman, Sirajul Islam, Al Amin and Mohammad Asad with the help of local people. Another youth Ujjal managed to escape.

Police seized the microbus and recovered four 'chappatis' and a toy pistol from their possession. A case was filed against them under Arms Act.

In another incident, Daudkandi thana police searched a passenger bus and rounded up one passenger with a pipe gun and six rounds of bullets on January 7.

The culprit, Tajul Islam of Kashimpur in Chandina thana was produced before the court and a case under Arms Act was filed with Daudkandi thana.

29 shops gutted in Barisal

BARISAL, Jan 17: A devastating fire broke out at Batajore Bandar under Gournadi thana on Monday morning which gutted 29 shops of different varieties of valuable goods, reports BSS.

Police said short-circuit of electricity lines had caused the fire which suddenly engulfed the nearby cotton shop. About 20 people were injured while they were engaged in bringing the fire under control. The local people and the police personnel brought the fire under control before the fire brigade reached there, the source said.

Four sweet shops, six cloth shops, four grocer's shops, four garments shops, three saloons, three fruits shops, four stationary shops and one crockery shop were burnt to ashes. State Minister for Fisheries and Livestock Satish Chandra Roy visited the spot and assured the victims of all sorts of help from the government.

Fertilizer Move to curb corruption by sub-dealers

LALMONIRHAT, Jan 17: The district administration has taken measures to streamline delivery, storage and sale of fertilizer following detection of corrupt practices by sub-dealers, reports UNB.

A magistrate has been given round the clock duty to oversee fertilizer lifting, storage and sale.

On the basis of specific allegation, cases were filed against two fertilizer dealers for selling 500 sacks of fertilizers in black market.

The accused dealers are absconding.

Ferry service resumes partly

LALMONIRHAT, Jan 17: The ferry service between Teestamukh and Bahadurabad resumed partly on Monday after an eight-day suspension, railway sources said Tuesday, reports UNB.

They said passengers of Dianpur-bound Ekota Express and Dhaka-bound Teesta Express were ferried by MV Suhrawardi after sweeping the sand from Kalasamarchar near Teestamukh ghat.

However, passengers of Dhaka-bound Inter-City, Ekota Express crossed the river by boat as MV Sher-e-Bangla could not move for want of necessary depth in the water.

The ferry service for passengers and wagons was suspended on January 5 following decrease of water level of the Jamuna river.

Two bike riders killed as truck hits them

MAGURA, Jan 17: A speeding truck ran off the road after hitting a motorbike near Ramanager in sadar thana on Magura-Kamarkhali road Monday, killing two people on the spot and injuring three others, reports UNB.

Police said, motorbike riders Biplob, age about 25 and Merin, 30, of village Parnanduali in sadar thana died on the spot when the Benapole-bound truck went down after hitting the motorcycle at about 8 am.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Office of the Executive Engineer, RHD Chittagong Road Division, Ctg. Phone: 614897

RHD-Notice Inviting Tender

Sealed tenders are hereby invited in Bangladesh Form No. 2911

1. Tender Notice No : 12 (Twelve), EE RHD, Ctg. Road Divn, Ctg during the year 1996-97.

2. Name of work : Providing 0.70 km flexible pvt. & widening road embankment at 8th km (P) & 9th km (P) of Joranganj-Burburiagh-Shantirhat road under Ctg. Road Divn. during the year 1996-97.

3. Expenditure head : 266, C.A.

4. Estimated cost : Tk 18,13,101/-

5. Earnest money : Tk 36,263/-

6. Completion time : 60 (sixty) days. (Form the date of work order)

7. Eligibility of RHD : "A" to "D" general category enlisted contractors

8. Price of tender : Tk 525/-

9. Name of the offices where tender documents can be purchased (during office hours) only : Divisional Commissioner, Ctg/ Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division Dohazari/P&D Divn, Ctg/Planning Divn. (P&P), Dhaka & office of the undersigned & all Sub-Divisional offices under this division up to 28-1-97 Eng/15-10-1403 Bang.

10. Name of the offices where tenders will be received : 1. Divisional Commissioner, Ctg. 2. Superintending Engineer, RHD, Road Circle, Ctg. 3. Superintending Engineer, RHD, Monitoring & Evaluation Circle, Dhaka.

11. Last date & time of receiving tender : 29-1-97 Eng/16-10-1403 Bangla up to 12.30 hrs.

12. Date & time of opening tender : 1-2-97 Eng/19/10-1403 Bangla at 11.00 hrs.

13. Date of lottery (If necessary) : 2-2-97 Eng/20-10-1403 Bangla at 11.00 hrs.

Tajul Islam Chowdhury
Executive Engineer, RHD
Chittagong Road Division
Chittagong

DDP-1022-14/1
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Tender Notice
বিদ্যুৎ ব্যবহারে মিতব্য হোল

Sealed local tenders are hereby invited by the Bangladesh Power Development Board for the procurement of materials for the following:

The expenditure will be booked against the ADP 1996-97 budget provision of 18-Towns Power Dist Project.

SI No	Tender no & date	Description of materials	Cost of tender document	Date of opening & receiving of tender
1.	Pur-201/97	PVC Insulated Copper Control Cables-1400 Meter	Tk 500/-	5.2.97

A complete set of tender document may be purchased by interested bidders on submission of written application and upon payment of non-refundable fee of Taka 500/- (Taka five hundred) only in the shape of Bank Draft/Pay Order favouring Director, Purchase, Power Development Board, Dhaka.

A bid bond equivalent to 2.5% (two and half per cent) of the offered price shall be submitted with tender. Tender will be received up to 11.00 AM and will be opened at 11.30 AM on the same date as mentioned in Col No 5 above in presence of the intending bidder or their representatives, if any. Tender shall neither be sold on the date of opening nor it could be collected by post. Offer sent by Post/Telex/Fax will neither be acceptable, nor it will be received.

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Tk 6.32 cr agri loan for farmers

MAGURA, Jan 17: Bangladesh Krishি Krishi under a programme has started disbursing Tk 6.32 crore loan among the farmers of the district in the current fiscal year, reports UNB.

The loan in being disbursed for crop cultivation, purchase of irrigation pumps and bullocks, cultivation of fish, poultry and dairy farming and small business.

Regional Manager of the bank said Tk 1.84 crore has already been disbursed among the farmers in four thanas through its 16 branches and at the same time the bank realised Tk 3.40 crore outstanding loan.

Of the amount, Tk 89.14 lakh was disbursed in sadar, Tk 52.14 lakh in Sreepur, Tk 29.44 lakh in Mohammadpur and Tk 13.33 lakh in Shalikha thanas.

Valuables worth Tk 3 lakh gutted

MADRIPUR, Jan 17: A devastating fire at a bazar in sadar thana gutted 10 shops and charred valuable worth about Tk 3 lakh, police said recently.

Law students' concern

PATUAKHALI, Jan 17: Law college students here who appeared at the LLB (part-I) examination-93 under Dhaka University expressed their concern at the delay in publication of their results, reports UNB.

According to the students, the examination was held in December 1995. But the results are yet to be published by Dhaka University.

The frustrated examinees said due to inordinate delay in publication of the results, many of them will not be able to continue their future studies.

They urged the authority to publish their results without further delay.

Dhaka WASA Tender Notice

পানির অপচয় বন্ধ করুন। ম্যানহোলের ঢাকনা চুরি রোধ করুন।

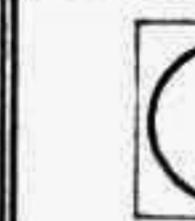
Tenders are invited from Dhaka WASA enlisted 1st, 2nd & 3rd class Civil Contractors for installation work of Water Line at Kalyanpur Road-2 sublane at an allotted cost of Tk 63,326.59. Tenders will be received up to 12:00 Noon of 27/1/97 and will be opened on the same day at 2:00 PM in presence (if any) of the tenderers or their representatives.

Tender schedule 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 details will be available at the office of the undersigned.

Address:

Mirpur, Dhaka
WASA-PI. -14/97
DFP-880-13/1
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Md. Ramjan Ali
Executive Engineer
MODS Zone-4
Dhaka WASA.



Bangladesh Oil, Gas & Mineral Resources Corporation (Petrobangla)

Purchase Department
Petrocentre
3, Kawran Bazar
Dhaka-1215

Dated: 03-01-97

Tender Invitation Notice

Sealed tenders in prescribed schedule are hereby invited from bonafide suppliers/manufacturers for purchasing printing & stationery goods for the organisation. Price of each schedule is Tk 500/- (five hundred) only (non-refundable).

Tender schedule consisting terms & conditions will be available at the Accounts Department of the organisation, 3rd floor, Petrocentre, 3, Kawran Bazar, Dhaka from 21-01-97 to 28/01/97 during office hours (up to 1:00 PM). Tender in sealed cover mentioning Tender No and description of goods should be dropped in the tender box kept at the Purchase Department, Petrocentre (2nd floor), 3 Kawran Bazar, Dhaka by 11:00 AM of 29/1/97, which will be opened on the same day at 11:10 AM before the tenderers (if any) present.

The authority reserves the right to accept/reject any or all tenders and increase/decrease the amount of goods without assigning any reason.

Manager (Purchase).
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টিআইসিআই প্রশিক্ষণ বিজ্ঞপ্তি

বিসআইসি'র প্রয়োজনে জাতীয় অস্থায়ির প্রতীক

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Course title and relevant information	Course content
1. Preventive Maintenance Level-II Participants : Junior & mid-level officers Duration : 23 Feb-06 March, 1997 Fee : Tk 5000 per person	Different maintenance methods, their comparison & cost analysis. Maintenance, inspection & monitoring of pumps, fans, compressors & turbines. Role of vibration analysis technology in preventive maintenance. Inspection and trouble shooting of different power transmission system & static equipment.
2. Trouble Shooting & Maintenance of Electrical Substation Participants : Junior & mid-level officers Duration : 23 Feb-06 March, 1997 Fee : Tk 5000 per person	Trouble shooting and maintenance of sub-station: Incoming and outgoing lines, Transformer, H.T. control system, L.T. control system, circuit breakers, protective devices etc.
3. Alignment Technology Level-I Participants : Mechanical maintenance technicians Duration : 12-25 March, 1997 Fee : Tk 5000 per person	Concept of alignment. Practice on different alignment methods. Checking of on-line alignment status.
4. Maintenance of Electrical Switchgear & Protective Devices Participants : Electrical maintenance technicians Duration : 12-25 March, 1997 Fee : Tk 5000 per person	Maintenance of control & protective devices of electric power system, motor and transformer. Hands-on practice on control components: Circuit breakers, contactors, relays, switches etc.
5. Operational Behavior of Centrifugal Pump and Pump Characteristics Participants : Junior & mid-level officers Duration : 29 March-10 April, 1997 Fee : Tk 5000 per person	Working principle and construction; operating characteristics; measuring, indicating and control instruments. Start-up and shut down procedure; series and parallel operation; trouble shooting. Sequential logic operation for automatic process control.
6. Automatic Process Control & Sequential Logic Operation Participants : Junior & mid-level officers Duration : 29 March-10 April, 1997 Fee : Tk 5000 per person	Close loop control of process parameter.