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## 'Kiddy's Cottage' inaugurated

Kiddy's Cottage, a young learners' home, started functioning in the city yesterday with the aim to provide a launching pad for educational and psychological development of young children, said a press release, reports UNB.

Run by Dhaka Grammar School, a secondary level English medium school, the Kid's Cottage will impart education to children between 3 and 7 years of age in English, Bengali and Mathematics.

## WB economist meets Finance Minister

The visiting chief economist of the World Bank John Williams called on Finance Minister Shah AMS Kibria at the latter's secretariate office yesterday, says UNB.

They discussed different matters relating to bilateral interest and exchanged views on macro-economic management in Bangladesh, said an official handout.

## Time extended

By Staff Correspondent

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**Government of Bangladesh**  
Office of the Executive Engineer, RHD  
Rajshahi Road Division, Rajshahi

## RHD Notice Inviting Tender

1. Tender Notice No.	17-RRD of 1996-97 Eng.
2. Name of work	Earth work in road embankment at 6th (P) K.M. of Rajshahi City bypass road under RHD, Road Division, Rajshahi during the year 1996-97 Eng.
3. Chargeable head	266-C/A (ADP).
4. Estimated cost	Tk. 17,17,101/-
5. Earnest money	Tk. 34,342/-
6. Time allowed for completion of work	60 (sixty) days from the date of issue of work order.
7. Eligibility of bidder	RHD enlisted contractor of General Category from "A" to "D" as per rule.
8. Last date for selling tender documents	Up to 26-2-97 Eng./14-11-1403 Beng. during office hours.
9. Last date & time for receiving tender	27-2-97 Eng./15-11-1403 Beng. up to 12.30 PM.
10. Date & time for opening tender	2-3-97 Eng./18-11-1403 Beng. at 11.00 AM.
11. Name of offices where tender documents will be sold	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i) Divisional Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, Rajshahi (Above 10.00 lac).</li> <li>ii) Executive Engineer, RHD, Rajshahi Road Division, Rajshahi.</li> <li>iii) Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division, Nawabganj.</li> <li>iv) Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division, Naogaon.</li> <li>v) Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division, Pabna.</li> <li>vi) Executive Engineer, RHD, Planning Division (Road &amp; Bridge), Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka.</li> <li>vii) Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division, Banani, Dhaka.</li> <li>viii) Sub-Divisional Engineer, RHD, Road Sub-Division-1/II/III/Rajshahi.</li> <li>ix) Asstt. Engineer, RHD, 1st Line Workshop Sub-Division, Rajshahi.</li> <li>x) Divisional Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, Rajshahi (Above 10.00 lac).</li> <li>xi) Superintending Engineer, RHD, Road Circle, Rajshahi.</li> <li>xii) Superintending Engineer, RHD, Monitoring Evaluation Circle (Road &amp; Bridge), Sarak Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka.</li> <li>xiii) Executive Engineer, RHD, Rajshahi Road Divn., Rajshahi.</li> <li>xiv) Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division, Nawabganj.</li> <li>xv) Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division, Naogaon.</li> </ul>
12. Name of offices where tender will be received	5-3-97 Eng. at 11.30 AM.
13. Date of lottery & time	Sealed tenders in Bangladesh Form No. 2911 for the work are hereby invited from the enlisted RHD contractors of General Category according to their financial limit & will be received by the offices mentioned above on the date & time fixed for opening of the tenders.

Tender documents consisting of BD Form No. 2911, Notice inviting tenders, Schedule of items of works, Instruction to the contractors, Additional terms & conditions, Materials specification & particulars of contractors etc. will be available for sale in the offices mentioned above during office hours on all working days up to the last date for selling tender documents at usual RHD rate. The tenders will be opened on the date & time fixed for the same in presence of intending tenders or their authorised representative who may like to remain present.

To ascertain availability of local materials/skilled labour, carrying facilities, transportation of materials, situation of the work, the services required to fulfil the contractual obligation etc. it is advised to purchase tender documents well ahead of the last date of selling tenders.

**M A Salam**  
Executive Engineer, RHD  
Road Division, Rajshahi

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**Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh**  
Local Government Engineering Directorate  
Office of the Executive Engineer  
Khulna

Dated: 03-02-97

## Tender Notice

**No. 16/96-97**

Tenders in Bangladesh Form No. 2911 under sealed cover are hereby invited from Local Govt Engineering Directorate enlisted current financial year renewed Special Class/PL-480, Title 3/RDP-18 & RDP-7 (as per financial capacity) qualified contractors for implementation of the two undermentioned package projects in Dighalha Thana of this district under PL-480, Title-3 Project during 1996-97 financial year. True copy of licence in support of contractor's enlistment must be attached with the tender.

- Qualified contractors or their qualified representatives can purchase the tender for the projects at prescribed price (non-refundable) from this office & the offices stated at serial 2 during office hours up to 24-02-97. Original registration book must be produced at the time of purchasing tender schedule.
- Tender for the projects will be received in the tender box kept at this office as well as offices of Project Director, PL-480, Title-3, LGED main building, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207; Divisional Commissioner, Khulna; Commissioner, Metropolitan Police, Khulna; Deputy Commissioner, Khulna; Manager, Janata Bank, Rupsa, Trand Road, Khulna; Executive Engineer, LGED/Sathkira/Bagerhat & Thana Engineer, Dighalha, simultaneously on 25-02-97 up to 1-00 PM and the tenders received will be opened on the same day at 1-15 PM before the tenderers (if any) present.
- Earnest money at the rate 2.5% (two point five per cent) of the total quoted amount for the project should be deposited with the tender in the form of Bank Draft/Pay Order in favour of the undersigned from any scheduled bank of Bangladesh Bank. Tender containing Bank Draft/Pay Order from any non-scheduled bank or finance company will be treated as cancelled outright. Deduction at the 7.50% (Seven point five zero per cent) from the contractor's bill will be kept deposited as security money against the work.
- Rate should be quoted in tender on all items in overall percentage above or below. The rate quoted should be written in words & figures. If the rate written in figures appears to be ineligible, then only the rate written in words will be considered. There should not be any striking off, erasing or overwriting in quoting rate and tender with struck off, erased & overwritten rate will be treated as cancelled forthwith.
- Tender submitted with rate more than 5(five) per cent below will be rejected outright.
- If tender is submitted quoting rate more than 5 (five) per cent above, then itemwise rate analysis must be submitted along with. Tender without rate analysis or with photocopy of rate analysis, or struck off/erased/overwritten rate analysis will be treated as cancelled forthwith.
- Time of implementation should be treated as an important factor. The work must be started within 7 (seven) days of issuing work order of the project & all works completed as per specification within the prescribed time. On failure, the earnest money will be forfeited & the work cancelled.
- Each contractor participating in the tender must attach VAT registration certificate (attested copy) vide rule 15 of VAT Act 1991 with the tender, otherwise the submitted tender will be rejected. On acceptance of tender, the original copy of the VAT registration certificate should be produced later on.
- Tender submitted in Form No. 2911 will be treated as 1st & formal. No Formal Tender will be received afresh from approved tenderer. However, if required, in case of negotiated rate between contractor & the authority, Formal Tender should be submitted before work order.
- In view of implementing the work of each item described in the tender schedule, Work Plan should be submitted with the tender. Tender submitted without work plan will be treated as cancelled outright.
- If Departmental/salvaged materials are used in the project work, then Income Tax & VAT will be deducted on the basis of the gross bill amount including the price of that materials.
- Construction materials stacked at the site of work can only be used in work after testing & approval from this office and the testing fee should be borne by the contractor concerned.
- The site of work should be visited & inspected prior to submitting the tender. Later on no cost/additional cost regarding difficulty in carrying, pumping out rain or underground water, construction of ring embankment should be claimed; if claimed, the authority will not entertain such claim under any circumstance.
- Additional terms & conditions and technical rules & regulations with tender form are integral parts of the original tender. Other terms & conditions of the tender can be known & seen during office hours.
- If more than one tender is submitted at the same rate (lowest rate), then lottery will be held at this office on 02-03-97 at 11:00 AM before the contractors present. No separate correspondence will be made for lottery.
- The authority is not bound to accept the tender with the lowest rate and can reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason. This notice is a brief one, and its details may be known & seen during office hours.

S. No.	Name of Thana	Package No.	Name of Project	Estimated cost (Taka)	Cost of schedule (Taka)	Time (month)	Class of contractor
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1.	Dighalha		Construction of 54 meter bridge over Brahmandanga big canal on Gazaliah-Terokhada Road in Dighalha Thana.	51,13,473.00	2,500.00	10	LGED's Special Class, PL-480, Title-3, RDP-18 & RDP-7
2.	-do-		Construction of 36 metre bridge over Barnadanga small canal on Gazaliah-Terokhada Road in Dighalha Thana	39,18,686.00	1,000.00	10	-do-

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**Md. Nurullah**  
Executive Engineer

## Body to formulate livestock policy formed

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## Biennial confce of CUJ begins today

CHITTAGONG, Feb 18: A two-day biennial conference of Chittagong Union of Journalists (CUJ) begins at the newly constructed Chittagong Press Club tomorrow morning, reports UNB.

The committee was formed at the fourth meeting of Bangladesh Livestock Development Council, held at the Livestock Department with State Minister for Fisheries and Livestock Sath Chandra Roy in the chair.

It was informed in the meeting that Livestock Department had taken 25 package programmes for development of the country's livestock resources.

## PRIVATE SECRETARY

Private Secretary for the Chairman of a private sector Commercial Bank is required.

Candidate should preferably be a Masters Degree holder with pleasing personality. He/She must be fluent in English and Bengali with 4-5 years working experience as office Secretary and should be aged within 35. He/She must have good communication skill, have the ability to draft letters in English, be Computer - literate and do other related work as Secretary. He/ She must have an aptitude to work additional hours when required.

Interested persons may apply with CV and passport size photograph to Box No. A-230

C/O. The Daily Star, Dhaka within 2nd March 1997.

## Razzak returns

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