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Bangladesh Gas Fields Company Limited
(A Company of Petrobangla)

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**Asian Development Bank Loan No. 1293-BAN(SF):
Third Natural Gas Development Project, Part-A
Invitation for Bids for Design, Supply and Installation of
LTS Type Gas Process Plants and Associated Facilities
for Titas Gas Field Against International Tender No.
BGFCL/TNG (MATS)031, Dated 08.7.1997**

- Bangladesh Gas Fields Co. Ltd. (BGFCL), a company of Bangladesh Oil, Gas & Mineral Corporation (Petrobangla) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders under International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures for the supply and installation of 2 (two) skid mounted LTS type gas process plants, each with a capacity of 60 MMSCFD and other associated facilities on turnkey basis to be installed at Titas Gas Field under the Third Natural Gas Development (TNG) Project, Part-A.
- Scope & terms of supply & installation, the information required to be furnished by the bidders, mode & submission procedures of bids etc. are detailed in the tender document and may be inspected at the office of BGFCL set out below.
- The People's Republic of Bangladesh (GOB) has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Third Natural Gas Development Project and it is intended that part of the proceeds of the loan will be applied to eligible payment of foreign currency under the contract for the supply and installation of 2 (two) skid mounted LTS type (TEG) gas process plants and associated facilities for Titas gas field. The local currency cost of the contract will be financed by GOB through its Annual Development Programme (ADP).
- Bidding is open to only reputed engineering companies, manufacturers, fabricators and suppliers from eligible source countries of the ADB.
- Tender document will be available from 17.7.97 to 14.10.97 between 0900 hrs & 1400 hrs BST on all working days on payment of Bangladesh Taka 3,000.00 (non-refundable) at the following address:
Bangladesh Gas Fields Co. Ltd.
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97, Purana Palta (Bijoyagar)
Dhaka-1000
Bangladesh
Telephone : 880-2-404290 (Dhaka)
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Fax : 880-2-836267
Tender document will also be available on payment of US\$ 75.00 (non-refundable) on all working days at the following Bangladesh foreign missions:
i) London; ii) Rome; iii) Bonn; iv) Paris; v) Washington DC; vi) Ottawa; vii) Singapore and viii) Tokyo.
- A two-envelope bidding procedure will be adopted. Bidders are to submit simultaneously two sealed envelopes, one containing the Technical Proposal and one containing the Commercial Proposal will be received at the Liaison Office of BGFCL at 97, Purana Palta (Bijoyagar), Dhaka-1000 up to 1100 hrs. BST on 15.10.97. The Technical Proposals will be opened on the same day at 1130 hrs. BST in presence of the bidders or their representatives, if any. Bids received after the deadline for submission will be returned unopened.
- 3 (three) copies of each of the Technical & Commercial Proposals (one original and two copies) are to be submitted in two envelopes separately. Bids submitted by telegram, telex or fax shall not be accepted. A Bidder may submit only one bid. No alternative bid will be considered.
- The Bidder shall furnish with Technical Proposal an acceptable Bid Security for the tender in the form of a Bank Draft/Pay Order or Bank Guarantee issued by a registered scheduled bank in Bangladesh or a scheduled foreign bank operating in Bangladesh, acceptable to BGFCL, in the proforma provided in the tenders document amounting to US\$ 50,000 (US Dollar fifty thousand) and valid for 180 days from the date of closing of the tender.
- The bids (both Technical and Commercial Proposals) must remain valid for a period of 150 days from the date of closing of the tender.
- The Bidder shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its bid and BGFCL will, in no case, be responsible or liable for these costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the bidding process.
- Bangladesh Gas Fields Co. Ltd. reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, and to annul the bidding process and reject all bids to any stage prior to the award of contract without assigning any reason whatsoever.

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BNP Secretary General Abdul Mannan Bhuiyan speaking at a discussion meeting organised in observance of the 73rd birth anniversary of late Moshir Rahman (Jadu Mia) at the auditorium of the Jatiya Press Club yesterday. —Star photo

'Leather industries owners asked to relocate units from Hazaribagh to Savar'

The government is pursuing the owners of leather industries at Hazaribagh to relocate their units to Savar to avoid serious pollution caused by them in the city, reports UNB.

This was stated by Water Resources Minister Abdur Razzak in the absence of the Industries Minister in Parliament yesterday while replying to a supplementary question from Makbul Hossain of Awami League.

Razzak said the tannery owners set some conditions for their relocation to Savar, but those conditions are hard to fulfill by the government. Discussions are still going on in this respect, he added.

Bank officer killed in road accident

Two people including a bank officer were killed in separate road accidents in Mirpur area of the city Tuesday morning, reports BSS.

Police said Mohammad Abdul Mannan, 38, Principal Officer in the Mirpur branch of Sonali Bank, died on the spot at about 11 am when a speeding truck knocked him down at Paikpara. His body was sent to Dhaka Medical College Hospital (DMCH) for autopsy. Police seized the truck but the driver fled away.

In another accident, a 50-year-old truck driver was run over by a speeding truck near Asia Cinema Hall at Mirpur at around 10:30 am. He died on the spot.

The truck sped away soon after the accident. The body was sent to the DMCH morgue.

Quantum of average loadshedding

Energy Minister Noor Uddin Khan yesterday gave a statement of the quantum of average loadshedding in 11 months since August last year, reports UNB.

Replying to a starred question from Mohammad Fazlul Azim (BNP), the minister gave the following statement:

| Month | Average Loadshedding |
|----------------|----------------------|
| August (1996) | 212 megawatt |
| September | 171 megawatt |
| October | 197 megawatt |
| November | 236 megawatt |
| December | 215 megawatt |
| January (1997) | 303 megawatt |
| February | 257 megawatt |
| March | 379 megawatt |
| April | 278 megawatt |
| May | 274 megawatt |
| June | 168 megawatt |

Three killed in separate incidents in Narayanganj

From Our Correspondent
NARAYANGANJ, July 9: Three persons, including a child, were killed in separate incidents in the district in last two days, according to police.

Liton, 20, a day labourer was killed allegedly by his friends — Chhunu, 20 and Zaili, 28 — at Aliganj under Fatullah thana, Tuesday evening.

Chhunu pushed an iron rod into the chest of Liton killing him on the spot, police said.

Police arrested Zaili but Chhunu was absconding. A case has been filed with Fatullah thana. The body has been sent to Narayanganj Sadar Hospital.

A woman and her 13-year old son died on the spot when a truck ploughed on their tinshed house near the Katchpur bridge early this morning.

The victims were identified as Nurunnahar, 45 and Sohel, Siddhirganj police recovered the bodies and sent them to Narayanganj sadar hospital for autopsy. The driver escaped. A case has been lodged.



The retrenched employees of the Directorate of Forest demonstrating at the Ban Bhaban in the city yesterday. —Star photo

What's on today . . .

Film show: Chalchitram Film Society and The British Council Dhaka have jointly organised a British Film Session. The film titled *Where Angels Fear to Tread* will be screened. Time: 5:30 pm. Venue: British Council auditorium.

World Population Day '97: The inaugural function of the World Population Day will be held. Time: 10:30 am. Venue: Osmany Memorial auditorium. Chief guest: Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina.

Seminar: A seminar on "International accounting standards relating to disclosure in the financial statements of banks and similar financial institutions" organised by ICAB and World Bank will be held. Time: 10 am. Venue: ICAB auditorium, at Chartered Accountant Bhaban (9th floor) 100 Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue. Chief guest: Finance Minister Shah AMS Kibria.

Rotary Club of Jahangirnagar Dhaka: The weekly meeting of the club will be held. Time: 5:30 pm. Venue: Officers' Club, Baily Road.

**Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
National Board of Revenue
Dhaka**

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- In all cases the rigidity of submitting asset statement has been relaxed. Asset statement should be submitted with return only in case of income of Taka two to five lakh, once in three years, and in case of income above Taka five lakh, each year.
- The amount of minimum tax has been reduced from Tk 1200/= to Tk 1000/=
- The existing terms of share holding for company Directors have been relaxed & raised from 5% to 10%. That is, if the share holding of any Director is not above ten per cent of the company's paid up capital, he/she may also submit return in self-assessment system.
- While considering the preceding year's assessed income as basis, the profit on capital (if any) of that year will not be brought into consideration.
- Any taxpayer, except limited company, can submit return in self-assessment system for income accrued from any head within the prescribed time. However, income cannot be shown below the preceding year's assessed income.
- Expatriate Bangladeshis residing abroad may also take the opportunity of self-assessment system by paying tax on their income accrued in Bangladesh at the rate applicable for residents.

Assess your tax yourself; take the opportunity of easy & attractive self-assessment system.

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PDB, DESA introduce 'award and reprimand' scheme

Energy and Mineral Resources Minister Mohammad Nooruddin Khan yesterday told the House that the Power Development Board (PDB) and the DESA had introduced an "award and reprimand" scheme for their officials and employees to minimise the existing system loss of power, reports BSS.

At present the three agencies — PDB, DESA and Rural Electrification Board (REB) are facing 20.37 per cent, 27.27 per cent and 15 per cent system loss respectively, the minister said in reply to a question by Delwar Hossain Sayeedi (Jamaat-Prozpur).

He, however, said the technical portion in the system loss is 'somewhat high' as the existing transmission and distribution systems are old and overloaded.

Khan said 16 magistrate courts under the PDB and four under DESA are now working to reduce system loss by taking legal actions against defaulting clients and illegal users of electricity.

He said besides the existing "system loss reduction scheme," a pilot scheme has been taken under Japanese assistance to reduce loss in Mymensingh, Chittagong, Rajshahi and Khulna.

The minister informed the House that construction of some more 230 kv, and 132 kv transmission lines and 33 kv and low voltage distribution lines had been started and with the completion of the lines, the loss in power transmission and distribution will be reduced further.

Besides, construction of a modern national load despatch centre is underway which would ensure "economic despatch" and controlled transmission minimising the losses, he assured.

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৬৮/২, পুরানা পল্টন, ঢাকা-১০০০
দরপত্র আঙ্গান

বাংলাদেশ সংবাদ সংস্থা (বাসস)-র ব্যবহার্য মনোহারী দ্রব্যাদি ক্রয়ের জন্য প্রকৃত ব্যবসায়ীগণের কাছ থেকে সীলমোহরকৃত দরপত্র আঙ্গান করা যাচ্ছে। দরপত্রের সিডিউল নম্বর ৩০০.০০ (তিনশত) টাকা মূল্যে বাংলাদেশ সংবাদ সংস্থা (বাসস) ৬৮/২, পুরানা পল্টন, ঢাকা-১০০০ এর প্রশাসন বিভাগ হতে সংগ্রহ করা যাবে। দাখিলকৃত দরপত্রের সাথে উদ্ধৃত সর্বমোট মূল্যের ২.৫০% জামানত/আর্নেস্টম্যান হিসাবে ডিডি/পে-অর্ডারের মাধ্যমে (সিডিউল ব্যাংক) বাংলাদেশ সংবাদ সংস্থার (বাসস) অনুমূল অবশ্যই দাখিল করতে হবে।

দরপত্রসমূহ প্রতি কার্যদিবসে আগামী ২০শে জুলাই ১৯৯৭ইং তারিখ দুপুর ১২ (বার) টার মধ্যে সংস্থার প্রশাসন বিভাগে রক্ষিত টেভার বাক্সে ফেলা যাবে। ২০শে জুলাই ১৯৯৭ তারিখে বেলা ২ (দুই) টার সময় উপস্থিত দরদাতা বা তাদের প্রতিনিধি যদি কেহ উপস্থিত থাকেন। এর সম্মুখে টেভার বাক্স খোলা হবে। কর্তৃপক্ষ যে কোন দরপত্র গ্রহণ বা বাতিল করার অধিকার সংরক্ষণ করেন। D-833

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**Bangladesh Rural Development Board
Bangladesh Rural Development Training Institute
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Appointment Notice

Applications are invited from bonafide Bangladeshi nationals for filling in the undermentioned posts on purely temporary basis and for preparing a waiting lists (panel) for the implementation of BGD/96/002: Community Empowerment for Rural Poverty Alleviation in Sylhet through BRDB with UNDP Finance.

| Sl No | Name of post | Number of post | Educational qualification & experience. | Age Maxi | Pay Scale |
|-------|---|----------------|--|----------|--|
| 1. | Computer Analyst | 1 | Post Graduate or equivalent degree with minimum two second class/division with honours at graduate level and with a Diploma in Programming. Minimum two years experience in Data Analysis and computer operation. | 30 years | Tk. 4800-14x175-7250/- plus admissible other allowances. |
| 2. | Community Organiser (Male/Female) | 12 | Should be 2nd class graduation degree holder. Preference will be given to candidates who have past experience in working with rural poor and experience of forming village level organisation and planning and organising development program. | 30 yrs. | Tk. 2300-115-3105-EB-11x125-4480/- plus allowances as admissible. |
| 3. | Office Secretary | 1 | B. Com. Degree or any other degree holder having experience in accounts management with 5 years service experience. Preference will be given to candidates with experience in computer operation. | 30 yrs. | Tk. 1725-7x105-2460-EB-11x115-3725/- and other allowances as admissible. |
| 4. | Equipment Operator | 1 | Graduation degree in any subject with minimum 3 yrs experience in computer operation and other office equipments. | 30 yrs | Tk. 1725-7x105-2460-EB-11x115-3725/- and other allowances as admissible. |
| 5. | Driver (Jeep Driver-1, Speed Boat Driver-1) | 2 | Class VIII passed and possessing valid driving licence with 5 yrs experience as driver. | 30 yrs | Tk. 1725-7x105-2460-EB-11x115-3725/- and other allowances as admissible. |
| 6. | MLSS | 1 | Class VIII passed | 30 yrs | Tk 1200-7x60-1620-EB-11x65-2335/-, do |

- Terms and conditions**
- Application stating name of candidate, Father's/Husband's name, permanent and present address, Date of birth, Nationality, Educational qualifications, (educational institution, Board/University, name of examination Division/Class/year), experiences etc. with three copies recent passport size attested photographs, attested certificate of educational qualifications/experience, character certificates from 1st class gazetted officer and nationality certificate from Union Parishad chairman/Municipality chairman should be submitted to the undersigned by 27-7-97.
 - Name of post should be superscribed on the left top side of the envelop.
 - Applicants in service should apply through their respective appointing authority.
 - A Bank Draft of Tk. 50/- (fifty) (non-refundable) in favour of Project Director, UNDP-GOB Project should be enclosed with the application.
 - The community organizer (male/female) will have to work in Union/Village of Derai thana in Sunamganj and Jaintapur thana in Sylhet district. Their stay in the respective Union is mandatory.
 - Candidates from the concerned project area for the post of community organizer will be given preference.
 - Government principles regarding age limits of freedom fighter women etc. will be followed.
 - Tenure of service will be valid only up to duration of the project. No separate notice will be given for their termination.
 - Age limit for the experienced candidate may be relaxable.
 - No TA/DA is admissible for attending written test/interview etc. in connection with the above appointment.
 - Preference will be given to women candidates at the time of recruitment.

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