নিলাম বিজ্ঞপ্তি

জিলা-নারায়ণগঞ্জ, মোকাম-সাবজজ অর্থঋণ আদালত, নারায়ণগঞ্জ।
অর্থঋণ বন্ধকী ডিক্রীজারী মোকদ্দমা নং-১৩/৯৩,
সোনালী ব্যাংক, আরমানীটোলা শাখা, ঢাকা। .....ডিক্রীদার

বনাম

১ শেখ ব্রাদার্স অফসেট প্রিন্টার্স, স্বত্বাধিকারী শেখ লুৎফর রহমান।
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SB-No.-16/599/97
GD-160

Mongla Port Authority
Mongla, Bagerhat

Tender Invitation Notice

Tenders in Bangladesh Form No-2908 under sealed cover are hereby invited for supply of the undermentioned goods.

1)	Tender Notice No	: 01/97-98.
2)	Name of work	: Supply of survey equipment and their spare parts.
3)	Price of tender	: Tk 140.00 only, non-refundable.
4)	Earnest money	: 2% of the quoted price should be submitted with the tender through Bank Draft in favour of Mongla Port Authority.
5)	Class of tenderer	: Bonafide manufacturers, importers, dealers/agents and suppliers (uptodate valid trade licence as supplier and TIN certificate should be submitted at the time of purchasing tender).
6)	Offices where tender will be sold from and received at	: Office of the Senior Finance Officer, Mongla Port Authority, Mongla, Bagerhat. Liaison Office, MPA, 90, Nayapaltan, Dhaka and office of the Divisional Commissioner, Khulna Division.
7)	Last date of selling tender	: 22-10-97 up to 2:30 PM.
8)	Last date of submitting tender	: 23-10-97 up to 12:00 Noon.
9)	Date and time of opening tender	: 23-10-97 at 12:30 PM.
10)	Place of opening tender	: At the respective tender receiving offices. Will be opened before the tenderers (if any) present.
11)	Time limit of supplying goods	: Within 45 days from the date of issue of work order.
12)	Other terms and conditions of tender	: Will be available with the tender.

The authority reserves full right to accept or reject any tender in part or full without assigning any reason.

MPA/Board PR/1367
DFP-19989-4/9
G-2149

Senior Finance Officer
Mongla Port Authority.

Directorate General Defence Purchase
Ministry of Defence
New Airport Road
Tejgaon, Dhaka-1215

Tender Notice

1. Sealed tenders in local currency are invited from bonafide manufacturers/suppliers/dealers/indentors (Not necessarily enlisted with DGDP) for supply of the following items for Bangladesh Air Force:-

Sl. No.	Description of items	Selling date	Opening date	Currency
1.	Personal Computer with Printer and Voltage Stablizer	31-8-97 to 24-9-97	25-9-97	Local

2. Tender schedule with detailed specification will be available on payment in respective value (Non-refundable) on any working day between 0800 hrs to 1200 hrs. The tender will be opened on the specified date at 1000 hrs in presence of the bidders (if present).

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DFP-20129-7/9
G-2146

Squadron Leader
for Director General

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Office of the Executive Engineer
Public Works Division, Rangpur

Public Works Tender Notice
No-3-E/M-1997-98

Tenders in Bangladesh Form No-2911 under sealed cover are invited from Public Works Directorate's special 1st class and E/M Work's enlisted 1st class and Public Works Directorate, Rajshahi Zone, Rajshahi enlisted 2nd class (electrical) contractors for the undermentioned work. The tender will be received at the office of the undersigned and offices of all Executive Engineers under Public Works Directorate, Rangpur Circle up to 12:00 Noon of 16/9/97 and will be opened on the same day at 12:15 PM before the tenderers (if any) present.

Sl. No.	Name of work	Estimated cost	Earnest money	Time
1)	Internal electrification work and supply & installation of 1.5 Horse Power centrifugal pump motor of Haragach Fire Service & Civil Defence Office under Rangpur Public Works Division. 1997-98	Taka 2,52,340/=	Taka 5,048/=	2 (two) months
2)	Internal electrification work and supply & installation of 1.5 Horse Power centrifugal pump motor of Badarganj Fire Service & Civil Defence Office under Rangpur Public Works Division. 1997-98	Taka 2,52,340/=	Taka 5,048/=	2 (two) months
3)	Electrification work, supply of fan and extension of overhead line of the 1st floor of the hostel of Rangpur Mistripara Co-operative Administrative Centre under Rangpur Public Works Division. 1997-98.	Taka 2,29,608/=	Taka 4,593/=	2 (two) months
4)	Electrification work, supply of fan, installation of overhead line of Vendabari Police Barrack under Rangpur Public Works Division. 1997-98.	Taka 3,40,090/=	Taka 6,803/=	2 (two) months

Tender form and other descriptions and detailed terms & conditions can be seen and purchased from the office of the undersigned, all Executive Engineers under Public Works Circle, Rangpur and E/M Sub-Division, Rangpur during office hours up to 5:00 PM of 15/9/97.

Md. Rafiqul Islam
Executive Engineer
Public Works Division
Rangpur.

DFP-20080-4/9
G-2150

'One lakh sex workers in country'

There are some 100,000 sex workers in the country, mostly living in poverty situation manifested by low income and illiteracy, said a recent study, reports UNB.

Another estimate, however, suggested that 15-20 brothels operating throughout the country accommodate about 20,000 to 30,000 prostitutes.

This was stated in a country paper on Violence Against Women presented at a two-day SAARC workshop that began in the city yesterday.

The paper said it is difficult to provide an estimate of the number of prostitutes in the country. The Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics enumerates them as 'destitutes' and does not recognise prostitutes as a separate occupation group.

The prostitutes in general live in a poverty situation manifested by low income, low rate of literacy, malnutrition, lack of health care facilities, poor housing conditions with inadequate facilities of water, sanitation and drainage.

Estimate as made from the income and expenditure surveys of the Brothel inmates show that about 90 per cent of them belong to hardcore category (where earnings are not enough to procure 1805 kilocalories per day).

The prostitutes not only suffer from poverty, they are worst victims of deprivation with respect to basic human rights. The prostitutes have to provide harder proofs to get justice under the laws relating to violence against women.

The paper suggested that there is a need for greater sensitivity and public awareness about forced prostitution among general people particularly among law enforcing agencies and the judiciary.

About the violence on women, the paper said government is more responsive to the issues of violence and their manifold dimensions such as domestic violence, violence in public places, prostitutions, custodial violence and trafficking.

About the incidents of domestic violence, it said a recent study noted that during the period 1982-88, the proportion of female victims rose from 47 per cent to 78 per cent while that of male victims declined from 45 per cent to 20 per cent.

There is also a gender differential in the distribution of domestic violence by type, it said adding female victims generally suffer more sever forms of violence like murder, acid throwing and beating-stabbing.

In recent years, increasing violence against women are reported that are perpetrated by law enforcing agencies either in custody or outside. Administrative actions against such incidents appear to be inadequate.

This experience has resulted in severe erosion of confidence in the law enforcing agencies among the victims and has encouraged a feeling of defiance among the perpetrators of violence who hold position of power, the paper said.

Although official statistics on custodian violence is not readily available, informal sources suggested that women detained in police custody are at times subjected to beatings, molestation and rape. The incident of Seema Chowdhury is an illustration of this, the paper said.

Striking nurses of Bangabandhu Medical University (PG Hospital) held a press conference at the Jatiya Press Club in the city yesterday. — Star photo

SAARC workshop on women
Collective measures to combat violence against women sought

A SAARC workshop in the city yesterday called for taking collective measures to combat the serious problem of violence against women which has been increasing at a significant rate, reports UNB.

"Violence against women poses a serious threat to the national development efforts and undermines the issues of basic human rights," State Minister for Women and Children Affairs Dr Mozammel Hossain told the inaugural session.

He said this problem is increasing at a significant rate and assuming alarming proportion not only in the countries of the region but all over the world.

The two-day regional workshop on Violence Against Women at Hotel Abakash was organised by the Women and Children Affairs Ministry and participated by the delegates from the SAARC countries.

In his inaugural address, the state minister said trafficking in women and children constitute a most offensive form of violence against them and violate the basic and fundamental human rights.

"Despite existing laws against trafficking in women in almost all the SAARC countries, we find that trafficking in women and children is on rise," Dr Mozammel said.

The government attached highest priority to the elimination of violence against women from both domestic and public spheres of life, he said urging the civic society and NGOs in the SAARC countries to come forward to supplement the government efforts to check the problem.

Addressing the session, Women and Children Affairs Secretary Abdullah Haroon Pasha said perhaps most serious manifestation of violence against women and children are trapped within the web of trafficking and prostitution.

On average, some 10,000 girls of one SAARC country mostly between ages of 9 and 16 are sold to brothels in another SAARC country every year, Pasha said. Experts believe that more than 20,000 girls of a country are involved in sex trade, he added.

The inaugural function was also addressed by Dr Gulshan Ara and Jatiya Mahila Sangstha chairman Ivy Rahman. Diplomats, NGO workers and government officials attended.

Obituary

Md Abdul Baten, Asstt Vice President, National Bank Ltd died of cardiac arrest yesterday at Scott Center Hospital, of Delhi, India. He was 45, says a press release.

He left behind his wife, two sons, one daughter and father.

The bank management, executives, officers and members of the staff of the bank expressed profound shock and prayed for eternal peace of the departed soul.

Coast Guard drive to check licences from Sept 14

Bangladesh Coast Guard will conduct a drive to check validity of licence and other documents of all types of trawlers, coasters, barges and large mechanised-boats operating in Chittagong and Mongla sea ports, reports UNB.

The week long drive will begin on Sept 14.

Owners of these types of water vessels are advised to renew their licences before Sept 14.

Revolver recovered

By Staff Correspondent

The Detective Branch (DB) of police recovered a revolver and arrested one person in this connection from Shabujbagh area in the city yesterday.

During a raid, a DB team attested Shah Alam, 25, with a revolver from a house at north Manda at about 11 am.

Police said Alam was an accused in several cases including women repression filed with Shabujbagh thana.

JCD rally

By DU Correspondent

Leaders of the Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD) in a rally held on DU campus yesterday said that they would not accept the report of the probe committee formed to investigate the incident of humiliating the Vice Chancellor of the Dhaka University on August 12.

The activists of the JCD humiliated the VC when he, along with some other teachers and officials of the university, went to Zia Hall premises to supervise the rehabilitation process of bonafide students in their respective halls.

The JCD rally was addressed, among others, by Monzur-E-Elahi, Shahabuddin Laltu, and Nasiruddin Asim and Slimuzzaman Selim.

Meeting on SC bldg construction held

A meeting on the construction of Supreme Court annex building was held yesterday in the Planning Ministry's conference room with State Minister for Planning, Civil Aviation and Tourism Dr Muhiuddin Khan Alamgir in the chair, reports BSS.

HERE and THERE

Dhaka little theatre

The Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Dhaka Little Theatre was held recently, says a press release.

A new 13-member executive committee was formed in the meeting members of the committee are: Morshedul Islam - President, General Secretary, Organising Secretary, Finance Secretary — Mostafa Zaman Raihans, Office Secretary Shamsur Rahman Titu.

DU Jagannath Hall

By DU Correspondent

The prize-giving ceremony of Annual Cultural and Literary Festival, '97 of the Jagannath Hall of Dhaka University was held at the hall auditorium on Monday.

The prize-giving ceremony was attended, among others, by Vice Chancellor of the University Prof A K Azad Chowdhury, Pro-VC Prof Shahiduddin Ahmed, noted artiste Kalim Sharafi, Deputy Attorney General Laikuzzaman and Dr Mrinal Kanti Chakrabarti, chairman of the Department Dramatics and Music and Subash Singha Roy, VP of the hall student union. Prof Durga Das Bhattacharya presided over the function. State Minister for Youth and Sports Obaidul Kader attended the function as chief guest while Sujit Roy Nandi, the general secretary of the hall union conducted the function.

Obaidul Kader said that the present government was firm to give proper support to the cultural sectors of the country. He said that under the leadership of Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina the first "Dhaka SAARC Music Conference" and first "D-8 Cultural Festival" will begin from November 1.

DU Business Studies Faculty

The orientation of 1st year students of the departments of Accounting, Management, Marketing, and Finance and Banking under Business Studies Faculty of Dhaka University was held at TSC Wednesday, reports UNB.

DU pro-Vice Chancellor Professor Shahiduddin Ahmed attended the programme as chief guest. Director of DU Students' Counselling Centre prof Hamida Akhter Begum presided.

"The standard of education of Dhaka University is equivalent to the universities of the developed world", the DU VC stated, welcoming the newcomers.

We have resource constraints but our standard of education is very high professor Shahiduddin Ahmed said urging the students to become dedicated citizens through proper utilisation of its limited resources.

The function was also addressed by chairman of Finance and Banking department prof M Khairul Hossain, student advisors of the four departments and newcomer Shahidul Islam Tushar, said a press release.

Rotary Club of Dhaka Capital

The Rotary Club of Dhaka Capital has distributed about 500 numbers of Exercise Books among the poor Students of Laimatia Shishu Academy on last Sunday, says a press release.

It may be mentioned that the school is composed of students mainly from distressed and underpriviledged families of the area.

First Lady of the Club Rt Ann Mita Baral and Immediate Past First Lady Rt Ann Anju Ahmed distributed the exercise books while President of the Club Rtn. Deepok Kumar Baral and Immediate Past President Rtn. A M Mezbahuddin Ahmed were present on the occasion.

Siemens Employees Union

The general election '97 of executive committee of the Siemens Employees Union was held recently. The following executives were elected for the next two years, says a press release.

Md Dewan Hossain - President, James Mukul Halder, vice-president, Md Sirajuddin Sardar — General Secretary, Md Sadek Ali Mir — Finance Secretary, Md Abdul Mannan — Office Secretary.

FMDA

A seminar on "Global Moral Development and World Peace" was held at the Management Department of Dhaka University under the auspices of Foundation for Moral Development Approach (FMDA), reports UNB.

DU Pro-Vice Chancellor Prof Shahiduddin Ahmed attended the seminar as chief guest with Chairman of Management Department Abu Hossain Siddique in the chair.

Prof Dr Abu Obaidul Haque, former president of FMDA, presented the key-note speech on "Proposal to the United Nations on Global Moral Development."

Dr Haque pointed out that the catastrophic problems like corruption, AIDS, human rights violation, environment pollution, violence against women and terrorism are the by-products of moral degradation throughout the world.

ZRC

Seven teachers of Rajshahi University have joined the Zia-Khaleda Research (ZRC) Council, reports UNB.

They are Prof Moklesur Rahman, Prof Hamidur Rahman, Dr Shamsul Alam Sarkar, Dr Raquibuddin, Nazrul Islam, Amjad Hossain and Sadequl Islam.

All the seven teachers have been coopted in the central convening committee of ZRC, said a press release yesterday.

The ZRC, headed by BNP's Information and Research Secretary Ehsanul Kabir, was formed in April this year with a vision to uphold the ideals and contribution of the country's leading social and political personalities.

Agreement signed

To make Century Arcade Shopping Centre a commercially viable project, a Memorandum of Agreement with elaborate terms and conditions was signed on Sunday between The Free School Street Property Ltd(an Ispahani company) and the Century Arcade *Dokan Malik Samity*. The main features of the agreement are, offering outright ownership to all the allottees, arrangement of 350 shops of consumer varieties in the lower four floors and 100 professional chambers in the upper two floors, up-down escalators, lift services, standby generator, audio-video system, car parking with huge lawn etc., says a press release.

The agreement signed by MA Behrouze Ispahani, Vice-Chairman, Ispahani Group and Jalaluddin, President, Mahabubur Rahman, Secretary of the Samity.

Mirza Ali Behrouze Ispahani (2nd left), Vice Chairman of Ispahani Group, exchanging signed MOA with the President of samity Md Jalaluddin and Secretary Mahbubur Rahman.

Furniture industry has bright prospect: Kibria

Finance Minister Shah AMS Kibria yesterday said Bangladesh's furniture industry has a bright prospect in the export market, reports UNB.

The government will provide allout cooperation for the development and modernisation of the industry to enable it enter the export market, he said.

The minister was talking to a delegation of Bangladesh Furniture Industry Owners Association when it called on him at his office. Chairman of the association K M Akteruzzaman led the delegation.

Kibria laid emphasis on import of modern equipment to manufacture luxury furniture side by side conventional furniture, and training of the carpenters. He called upon the entrepreneurs to take greater initiatives in this regard.

The association leaders requested the minister to solve various problems that obstructed flourishment of the industry. They requested for setting up furniture industrial estate, removal of red tapism in furniture export and classification of VAT in furniture industry.

The Finance Minister gave the assurance to solve the problems of the furniture industry and instructed the National Board of Revenue to examine the issue of VAT.

Management of Dainik Bangla agrees to implement WB Award

By Staff Correspondent

The management of the state-owned Dainik Bangla newspaper Tuesday agreed to implement the Fifth Wage Board Award.

The decision came following a *gherao* of the Acting Editor of the daily by employees for several hours on Monday night.

According to sources in the newspaper, the journalists, employees and press workers withdrew their *gherao* after the written announcement of the Acting Editor.

Housewife found dead

By Staff Correspondent

A teenage housewife was found dead in her house at south Kamalapur under Motijheel thana in the city Tuesday morning.

Police said the body was identified as Laizu, 18, wife of a rickshaw puller, Swapan.

Motijheel police arrested Swapan following the incident at about 6 am. Swapan married Laizu about six months ago.

Her body was sent to DMCH for autopsy.

Laizu's father, Shadu Sheikh, filed an unnatural death case with Motijheel thana in this regard.

Bangladesh Export Processing Zones Authority
222, New Eskaton Road, Dhaka-1000

Corrigendum

In the tender notice published yesterday (10.9.97) under DFP-19606-31/8 on Page 9 the name of the organisation should be read as "Bangladesh Export Processing Zones Authority". G-2138

Directorate General Defence Purchase
Ministry of Defence
New Airport Road, Tejgaon, Dhaka-1215

Tender Notice

1. Sealed tender are invited in foreign currency from bonafide manufacturers/dealers/suppliers/indentors (Enlistment with this Directorate General is not necessary) for supply of the following items for Bangladesh "Army":
   a. Spare for Tractor Dozer Caterpiller D6D Size-II and D4E Size-IV — Qty-65 lines
2. Tender schedule with detailed specification will be available on payment as per I/T selling rate (Not refundable) from 19-9-97 to 28-10-97 on any working day between 0800 hours to 1300 hours. The tender will be opened on 29-10-97 at 1000 hours in presence of all tenderers.

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