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What's on today...

Workshop: IUCN - The World Conservation Union, Bangladesh will hold a workshop on application of Green Accounting in Bangladesh. Venue: National Economic Council (NEC) conference hall, Planning Commission, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar. Time: 9:30 am.

Photo exhibition: An exhibition of photographs on the wilderness of Antarctica by Enam-Ul Haque. Venue: Gallery-71, Eastern Tower, 20, New Eskaton. Time: 5 pm-8pm. Till Nov 10.

Discussion: A discussion on 'Peace Agreement' on Chittagong Hill Tracts (CHT) will be held. Venue: Children's auditorium of the National Museum. Time: 5 pm. Mukti Juddher Chetona Mancha, a platform of pro-liberation professionals, socio-cultural and research group, has organised the discussion.

Meeting: A joint meeting of the central committee and Dhaka Mohanagar Committee of the Jatiya Chhatra Sammelon Protsuti Committee will be held. Venue: 81/B, Segun Bagicha. Time: 4 pm.

Exhibition: An exhibition by the students of the Master of Fine Arts - 1991 Group of the Institute of Fine Arts will be inaugurated. Time: 4:30 pm. The exhibition will continue every-day for 2 pm to 8 pm till November 9.

Training programme: A 5-day training programme on 'Environment and environmental law' will begin. Organiser: Bangladesh Environmental Lawyers Association (BELA). Venue: BELA auditorium, House: 9, Rd: 8, Dhanmondi.

Obituary

Abu Reza Habibullah, a senior official of Bangladesh Jute Mills Corporation died Friday at the Combined Military Hospital following a stroke. He was 54, reports BSS.

His *qul khwan* will be held tomorrow after Asr prayers at House No. 356, Road No. 4, Baitul Aman, Adabar, Shaymoll.

New MD, chief editor of BSS takes over

M Anisuzzaman, a veteran journalist, joined Bangladesh Sangbad Sangstha (BSS) yesterday as managing director and chief editor, reports BSS.

Anisuzzaman was the chief editor and administrator of The Daily Azad and the editor adviser of The Daily Khabor.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Ministry of Education
Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka

Sub: Invitation of Application for Commonwealth Scholarship (Canada) 1998

Applications are invited from Bangladesh nationals for post-graduate (Master's degree) & Doctoral level study in the undermentioned subjects in Canada under 1998 Commonwealth (Canada) Scholarship:

Level	Subject	Number of Opportunity	Minimum Educational Qualification
Master's degree	Computer Engineering, Agri Engineering, Business Administration	3	A. Should possess first divisions in minimum 3 examinations from SSC to post-graduate level. Those who have secured minimum 65% marks in Computer Engineering & Agri Engineering degree examinations may also apply (even if not holding Master's degree).
Doctoral or equivalent course	Public Administration, Statistics/Mathematics, Marketing	3	Should possess 3 first divisions/class in all examinations from SSC to Master's degree level. Should have GMAT in marketing.

2. Application can be made for any one level. No candidate can apply for both Master's & Doctoral levels. Application cannot also be made for more than one subject. Application can be made only for the subject studied in the latest course. But in case there being no opportunity of study in that subject in Bangladesh, candidates who have passed in other directly related subjects may also apply.

3. 2 (two) copies of application in English as per the undermentioned proforma should be sent to the Secretary, University Grants Commission, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka by 9.11.97. Attested copies of certificates & mark sheets of all examinations passed and 1 (one) copy passport size photograph (attested) should be submitted with the application. In case have passed TOEFL, IELTS, GMAT, GRE etc. exams, attested copy of marksheet of the same should be submitted.

4. Proforma of application should be as follows:
Application for Commonwealth Scholarship (Canada) in 1998 Academic year
Subject prayed for:
A. Name of candidate:
B. Father's name:
C. Present address (including Telegraph office)
D. Results of all examinations:

Name of Examination	Branch/Subject	Year of Passing	Division secured	Total marks of examinations held	Total marks secured	Percentage
Secondary						
Higher Secondary						
Graduate (should be described)						
Post Graduate (should be described)						
Other related examination (should be described)						

E. In case have passed GMAT/GRE/IELTS etc, date of passing with score:
F. In case of PhD candidates, description of publication in recognised journal (if any):

Title & subject of article	Name of description of journal	Number of works	Description of degree/diplomas/certificate, if any, achieved on the basis of publication
	(Local/foreign/international publication, place etc)		

G. Permanent address:
H. Date of birth & age on 1.10.98:
I. In case of candidates in service, name of organisation with present position & date of joining:
J. Description of any other scholarship, if any, primarily/finally selected for:
Signature of candidate in full & date

5. Application (only filled in above proforma) should be typed out in a foolscap paper & submitted. Description of publication, if could not be accommodated in one sheet, may be enclosed in separate sheet.
6. Those candidates who have received grade instead of marks, should change into marks & show supporting calculation in a separate sheet and submit attested copy of certificate in this regard from the authorities concerned. Otherwise that will not be brought under consideration. Certificate in support of publication should be submitted & candidates should keep their publications in hand, which should be submitted immediately after informing the primarily selected candidates by correspondence.
7. "Commonwealth Scholarship (Canada)" & level ("post-graduate or PhD") should be distinctly superscribed on the envelope of application.
8. Incomplete application will be treated as cancelled.
DFP-24066-26/10
G-2596
Md. Didarul Ahsan
Senior Assistant Secretary

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Janata Bank
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INVITATION FOR BID

1. Sealed bids are hereby invited from the enlisted Firms/Contractors under Govt/Semi-Govt./Autonomous body for the construction up to 2 stories and basement of 10-storied Divisional Office Building of Janata Bank at KDA, Plot No. 8, Khulna. The completion period for the work shall be 12 (twelve) months (from the issue of work order). The interested bidders will be required to submit the following documents in support of their eligibility for participation in the bid:

- Experience of construction of a 10-storied building works within last 5 years in Govt/Semi-Govt./Autonomous Organization.
- Experience as prime contractor in construction of multi-storied building not less than worth Tk 5 (five) crores in a single contract in Govt/Semi-Govt./Autonomous Organization.
- One partner/director/owner of the firm should be an engineer having at least 10 years experience.
- Up-dated income tax certificate, tax identification numbers, VAT registration certificate and trade license for the year 1996-97.
- At least Tk 50 (fifty) lakh cash credit facility from any scheduled bank of Bangladesh.
- Current liquid asset of at least Tk 50 (fifty) lakh, and
- Construction equipment owned by the firm.

Experience certificates of works completed and in hand should be given by an Executive Engineer or an Officer not below the rank of Executive Engineer.

2. The intending bidders will have to submit a formal application in their letter head pad to the undersigned through the Consultant, M/s Sthapati Sangshad Ltd., House No. 55, Road No. 3/A, Dhanmondi R/A, Dhaka-1209 along with the documents in favour of the abovementioned requirements of Article 1 within 11.11.1997 during office hours.

3. On evaluation of the documents submitted by the applicants, it will be scrutinized and decided whether the applicant is qualified to participate in the tender. The list of eligible bidders will be available with the Engineering Division, Janata Bank, Head Office on 16.11.1997 during office hours.

4. The bidding documents will be sold only to the eligible contractors at a non-refundable amount of Tk 2,500.00 (Taka two thousand five hundred) only for each in the form of Pay Order/Bank Draft from any scheduled bank of Bangladesh in favour of the Janata Bank, Head Office, Dhaka during office hours up to 20.11.1997.

5. The bidders are required to submit along with the bid, a bid security/earnest money amounting to 2% (two per cent) of the total bid price in the form of Pay Order/Bank Draft from any scheduled bank of Bangladesh issued in favour of the Janata Bank, Head Office, Dhaka.

6. The bid shall be received up to 3:00 PM on 7.12.1997 at office of the undersigned and shall be opened on the same day at 3:30 PM in presence of the bidders or their representatives, if any, at the same office.

7. This bid notice and the eligibility documents submitted shall constitute part of the bid documents.

8. Any information/document furnished by the applicant if found to be false/incorrect or misleading at any time shall cause rejection of his bid at once.

The undersigned is not bound to accept the lowest bidder and reserves right to accept or reject any or all bids without assigning any reason whatsoever.

S A Md Kamruzzaman
Deputy General Manager
Engineering Division, Janata Bank, Head Office
GD-285

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Local Government Engineering Department
Office of the Thana Engineer
Thana: Saikupa, Dist: Jhenidah

Memo No. Te/Saik/Jheni/97/867 Dated: 26.10.97

Notice Inviting Re-Tender
No. 03/97-98

1. The Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh has received a credit from the International Development Association hereinafter referred to as the IDA towards the cost of the Second Rural Roads and Markets Improvement and Maintenance Project (RRMIMP-2) and intends to apply part of the funds to cover eligible payment under the contract for the undermentioned work.

2. The Local Government Engineering Department (LGED), Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh as represented by the Thana Engineer, LGED, Saikupa invited sealed tenders from eligible contractor and furnishing the necessary labour materials, equipment and services for the construction and completion of work mentioned below. It may also be mentioned here that the tender submitted previously against this office Tender Notice No. 01/97-98, will be valid.

3. Interested tenderers may obtain further information and inspect the tender documents at the office of the Thana Engineer, LGED, Jhenidah Sadar/Horinakundu/Saikupa or at the office of the Executive Engineer, LGED, Jhenidah dist, Jhenidah and also in the office of the Divisional Commissioner, Khulna.

4. A complete set of tender document may be purchased by any interested tenderer on the submission of a written application to one of the above and upon payment of a non-refundable fee as noted below against the name of the work. The tender documents will be available during office hours up to 19.11.97.

5. All tender must be accompanied by earnest money in the form of Bank Draft, Pay Order, Call Deposit, Demand Draft or Bank Guarantee in Taka in favour of the Thana Engineer, LGED, Saikupa thana.

6. All tender must be submitted to the tender box kept in the abovementioned offices up to 2.00 PM on 20.11.97.

7. Tenders will be opened in presence of those tenderers who choose to attend at 2.30 PM on the same day (20.11.97) in the above offices.

8. No tender will be received by mail.

9. The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason.

Particulars of work.

Sl. No.	Name of work	Contract No.	Earnest money	Eligible of contractor	Price of tender document	Completion of work days
1.	Construction of 12.00 m span bridge on Khulna Bazar-Chotto Moukuri (R-2/231064039) road at chainage 1100m		Tk. 30,000/-	Prequalified contractor in structures level ABC under RRMIMP-2 & LGED contractor AB having experience in similar type of works	Tk. 500/-	120 days

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