

BTMC International Tender Notice

General Manager (Procurement), BTMC, BTMC Bhaban, 7-9, Kawran Bazar, Dhaka invites sealed International Tender No 525/2/3 (97-98) dated 27-11-97 for import of 24,000 kgs. Wool Tops (21,000 kgs. of 30% Wool + 70% Acrylic and 3,000 kgs of 100% Acrylic) on C&F Ctg basis for shipment by March '98 under SEM/ANY OTHER SUITABLE SOURCE to be closed at 11:00 AM and opened at 11:05 AM on 5-1-98 in presence of the tenderers, if any. Tender documents with detailed specification, information and terms and conditions will be available on all working days from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM from the Chief Accountant, BTMC, BTMC Bhaban, 7-9, Kawran Bazar, Dhaka and from General Manager, BTMC Shipping Office, 79, Agrabad C/A, Chittagong on cash payment of Tk 150/- (non-refundable) per set. No Tender documents will be sold on the closing date (5-1-98) of the Tender.

The authority reserves the right to accept/reject any tender partially or fully without showing any reason thereof. TMC-49 DFP-27389-2/12 G-3037 SA Momin General Manager (Procurement)

Arms recovered, 10 arrested

By Staff Correspondent The Detective Branch (DB) of police recovered a number of firearms and arrested ten persons in this connection from city's Motijheel and Shabujbagh areas yesterday. Police said during an 18 hour-operation a DB team arrested Kamrul Hasan, 25, Shahidul Islam, 24, Habibur Rahman, 20, Rahim Uddin, 32, Pavel Rahman, 25, Kamruzzaman, 20, Zakir Hossain, 22, Helaluddin, 20, Zakir Hossain alias Pintu, 25 and Anwar Hossain, 25. Following the statement of the arrested persons the team recovered a sawn-off rifle, a pistol, a revolver, a gun, a mobile phone set, a stolen TV set, 23 rounds of bullets and materials used for making arms. Police said the arrested persons were accused in several cases, including murder, dacoity, extorting in Motijheel and Shabujbagh areas of the city. However, police were interrogating the arrested persons. A case was lodged in this regard.

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Students of Motijheel T and T High School and their guardians brought out a rally in the city yesterday demanding immediate release of the school's headmaster, who was arrested on Wednesday. — Star photo

CHT peace agreement hailed

Different socio-political and professional organisations continued to hail the government for reaching an agreement with the tribal leaders within the purview of the constitution to end decades old insurgency in the hill tracts, report agencies. Workers Party Friday welcomed the signing of peace agreement on Chittagong Hill Tracts. It also opposed the stands of BNP, Jamaat-e-Islami and other rightwing groups about the accord, saying the statements of those parties are highly communal and politically motivated. The Workers Party gave the reaction after its standing committee meeting with president Amal Sen in the chair. Workers Party leaders Rashed Khan Menon, Haider Akbar Khan Rono, Bimal Biswas and Nurul Hasan were present in the meeting. Bangladesh Gano Azadi League, in a statement, said it believes that the far-sighted treaty would tie a permanent bond of brotherhood among the tribals and Bangalees living in the region and play an important role in the economic development of the country. "We convey our hearty congratulations to the government led by Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina for signing the historic treaty to resolve the longstanding political and socio-economic problems of the Chittagong Hill Tracts upholding the sovereignty and constitution of the country," S M Nurul Alam advocate and Ali Reza, president and general secretary respectively of the party said. Nari Mukti Andolon, a women organisation, congratulated both the government and Parbatya Chattagram Jana Sanghati Samity for resolving the hill problems. Muktiuddho and Ganomukti Andolon, in a statement, urged all pro-liberation forces to resist those who are opposing the pact to establish peace in the hill tracts as well as in the country. "These evil quarters are now trying to create anarchy in the country after the signing of the treaty," said the statement of the organisation. Vice-Chancellor of Bangladesh Open University (BOU) Prof M Aminul Islam has welcomed the CHT peace agreement and said it would restore peace and tranquillity in the hill districts. In a statement on Saturday, the VC said sustainable development in backward areas, particularly the maintenance of resources in the Chittagong Hill Tracts, would not be possible without local initiative. Speakers at a rally in the city yesterday observed that the peace accord signed between the government and the Parbatya Chattagram Jana Sanghati Samity (PCJSS) was very much in line with the constitution and it has paved the way for a permanent solution over two decades of armed insurgency problem in the Chittagong Hill Tracts (CHT). The accord was not signed under an executive order from the President or the Prime Minister, rather the national committee formed in parliament reached an understanding to solve the problem and sign an agreement in this regard, executive chairman of Bangladesh Bar Council Barrister Amirul Islam told the rally organised by Samilito Sangkritik Jote (SSJ) to felicitate the peace accord. Chaired by president of SSJ Ramendu Majumder, the rally was addressed by central leader of Jatitya Samantrik Dal (JSD) Kazi Aref Ahmed, Left Democratic Front leader Comrade Moshed Ali, SSJ leaders Nasiruddin Yusuf and Golam Quddus. Bangladesh Buddhist Association in a statement said the accord would strengthen the bond of brotherhood and communal harmony among all and accelerate the development process of the country. Samilito Sangkritik Jote yesterday observed "Solidarity Day" with a vow to unitedly resist those who oppose the accord. The organisation staged a rally at the Central Shaheed Minar where leading constitutional expert, Barrister Amirul Islam said the treaty is very much in line with the constitution and its opposition is nothing but a conspiracy. Bangladesh Muktijoddha Smriti Sangrakhan Sangsad in a statement called the oppositions today's strike call as a part of a conspiracy against the country's stability and peace. The statement welcomed the treaty as a "milestone" towards development and urged the people to protect the accord from all conspiracies.

CHT peace accord condemned

By Staff Correspondent National security and integrity of the country has been jeopardised by the Accord signed between National Committee on Chittagong Hill Tracts and Parbatya Chattagram Janasanghati Samity, said a statement issued by Satyanagorik Committee on Friday. The statement issued in press release signed by 101 prominent educationists of the country urged upon the patriotic people for effective measures for the cancellation of the Accord. "Grouping the three districts of Chittagong Hill Tracts into a region as underlined in the Accord is a clear violation of our Constitution," the statement said adding that it has virtually turned the area into a separate entity beyond the control of the government of Bangladesh. The executive powers of the Republic has been curtailed and the administrative discipline has also been breached under the Accord, it added. UNB adds: Two hundred and one physicians have strongly condemned the "unequal and anti-state" agreement on the Chittagong Hill Tracts which, they said, was signed in the name of peace accord. "Through this agreement, a parallel government has been established along side the Bangladesh government," they said in a joint statement issued in the capital today (Saturday). "This treaty is against the interests of people, independence, sovereignty and the Constitution, and just a ploy to split Bangladesh," they said and demanded of the government to scrap the accord immediately. FEJB condoles Dr Farooque's death Acting chairman of Forum of Environmental Journalists of Bangladesh (FEJB) Gazir Rahman and general secretary Quamrul Islam Chowdhury on Thursday expressed profound grief at the sudden death of secretary general of Bangladesh Environmental Lawyers Association (BELA) Dr Mohiuddin Farooque, reports BSS. In a message of condolence, the FEJB leaders described Dr Farooque as one of the pioneers of the environmental movement in Bangladesh.

Book on Suhrawardy published

LGRD and Cooperatives Minister Zillur Rahman Friday said that Hossain Shaheed Suhrawardy had devoted his political career for the welfare of the oppressed people of this soil. The minister was addressing a publication ceremony of a book on Suhrawardy, written by Serajuddin Ahmed, at the VIP Lounge of the Jatiya Press Club. Recalling his personal association with Suhrawardy, Zillur said that he found him working 19 to 20 hours a day for fighting the cause of the people through democratic norms. Chaired by Vice Chancellor of Dhaka University Prof AK Azad Choudhury, the function was addressed by Water Resources Minister Abdur Razzak and president member of Awami League Amir Hossain Amu as special guests. Dr Haroon-ur-Rashid and journalist Santosh Gupta took part in a discussion on the book.

Yusuf pays surprise visit to TB hospital

Health and Family Welfare Minister Salahuddin Yusuf yesterday paid a surprise visit to TB Hospital in the city to see for himself the condition of the patients and performance of the attending doctors and physicians, reports BSS. The minister was accompanied by health secretary Muhammad Ali and director general of Health Services.

Sajeda to attend Kyoto confce

Environment and Forest Minister Syeda Sajeda Chowdhury left here for Japan yesterday to attend the Kyoto conference on global climate change, reports UNB. The minister is leading a five-member Bangladesh delegation at the six-day conference beginning tomorrow.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh Tender Cancellation Notice

Medical College Public Works Division, Dhaka It is hereby notified for information of all concerned that the Tender Notice No 8/97-98 issued vide this office memo No MCD/W-1/1405(15) dt 12-11-97 for supply of one computer machine of brand IBM/HP/Compac/AT&T/AST/ Del/EPSON/ACER/Deck (manufacturing country — USA/UK/Japan/Australia) is cancelled under unavoidable circumstances. Md Sirajul Islam Executive Engineer DFP-27176-1/12 Medical College Public Works Division G-3034 Segunbagicha, Dhaka.

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Jamuna Multipurpose Bridge Authority Tender Notice for Computerisation of Provident Fund Accounts

The Jamuna Multipurpose Bridge Authority (JMBA) invites proposals from suitably qualified and experienced computer software suppliers/developers for the design, supply and implementation of a computerised accounting system for the JMBA Provident Fund. The proposal should meet the user requirements of the system as set out in the Terms of Reference. Tender documents will be available on a cash payment of Tk 400/- (non-refundable) from the Office of Director (Finance & Accounts), JMBA, Allenbury, Tejgaon, Dhaka-1215. Clarification of any aspect of the requirements or any further necessary information may be obtained from the said office before submission of the proposal. Technical and Financial Proposals are to be submitted separately. The "Technical Proposal" will carry 80% weighting in the evaluation process and the "Financial Proposal" 20% weighting. The tenderers shall be required to demonstrate the system before the Technical Evaluation Committee of JMBA within 3 weeks from the closing date of submission of tenders as may be called and will be taken into consideration for evaluation of the Technical Proposals. The Proposals shall be submitted in six sets for each of Technical and Financial Proposal before 12:00 Noon on 31 December, 1997 and will be opened on the same day at 12:15 PM in the presence of the tenderers if they wish to attend. Incomplete/conditional tenders will not be acceptable. JMBA reserves the right to accept or reject any/all tender(s). M Siraz Uddin Miah Deputy Director (Admn) DFP-27203-1/12 G-3039 Phone: 9116155

BCIC International Tender Notice

Managing Director, Karnaphuli Paper Mills Limited, 92, Sadarghat Road, Chittagong invites sealed quotation on C&F (C) Chittagong basis under any suitable source of financing for the following items under two envelope system:

Table with 5 columns: Tender No, Materials, Opening Date, Cost of Tender. Items include Black Liquor, Non-returned Valve, and Rotter with Axle for Rotary Kiln.

The quotation duly supported by 1% (min Tk 1000/-) earnest money will be received up to 11:00 AM in the mentioned date and will be opened immediately thereafter in presence of the tenderers, if any. The tender document on cash payment may be obtained from (a) Addl Chief Accountant, Karnaphuli Paper Mills Ltd, 92, Sadarghat Road, Chittagong and (b) Controller of Accounts, BCIC, 30-31, Dilkusha C/A on all working days. No tender document will be sold on the date of opening. BCIC 1071/30/11/97 DFP-27302-2/12 G-3038 Addl Chief Manager (Purchase)

Govt of the People's Republic of Bangladesh Office of the Executive Engineer PWD Divn II, Rajshahi PWD Tender Notice No 13 of 1997-98

Tenders in sealed cover are hereby invited in Bangladesh Form No. 2911 from undermentioned approved contractors of PWD for the undermentioned works. The tender will be received by the undersigned and as well as by the Executive Engineer, PWD Divn I, Rajshahi/Natore/Naogaon/Pabna/Sub-Divisional Engineer, PWD Sub-Divn, Nawabganj up to 12:00 Noon on 31.12.97 Eng. in the tender box kept for the purpose in the room of their respective offices and will be opened on the same day at 12:15 PM in presence of the tenderer who may like to remain present. Earnest money must accompany with each tender in BD/SDR/PO or CD in favour of the undersigned from any scheduled bank of Bangladesh. Contract tender documents can be seen and obtained from the offices of the Executive Engineer, PWD Divn I/II, Rajshahi/Natore/Naogaon/Pabna and Sub-Divisional Engineer, PWD Sub-Divn II, Rajshahi and Nawabganj on payment of fixed charges (non-refundable) up to office hour on 30.12.97 Eng.

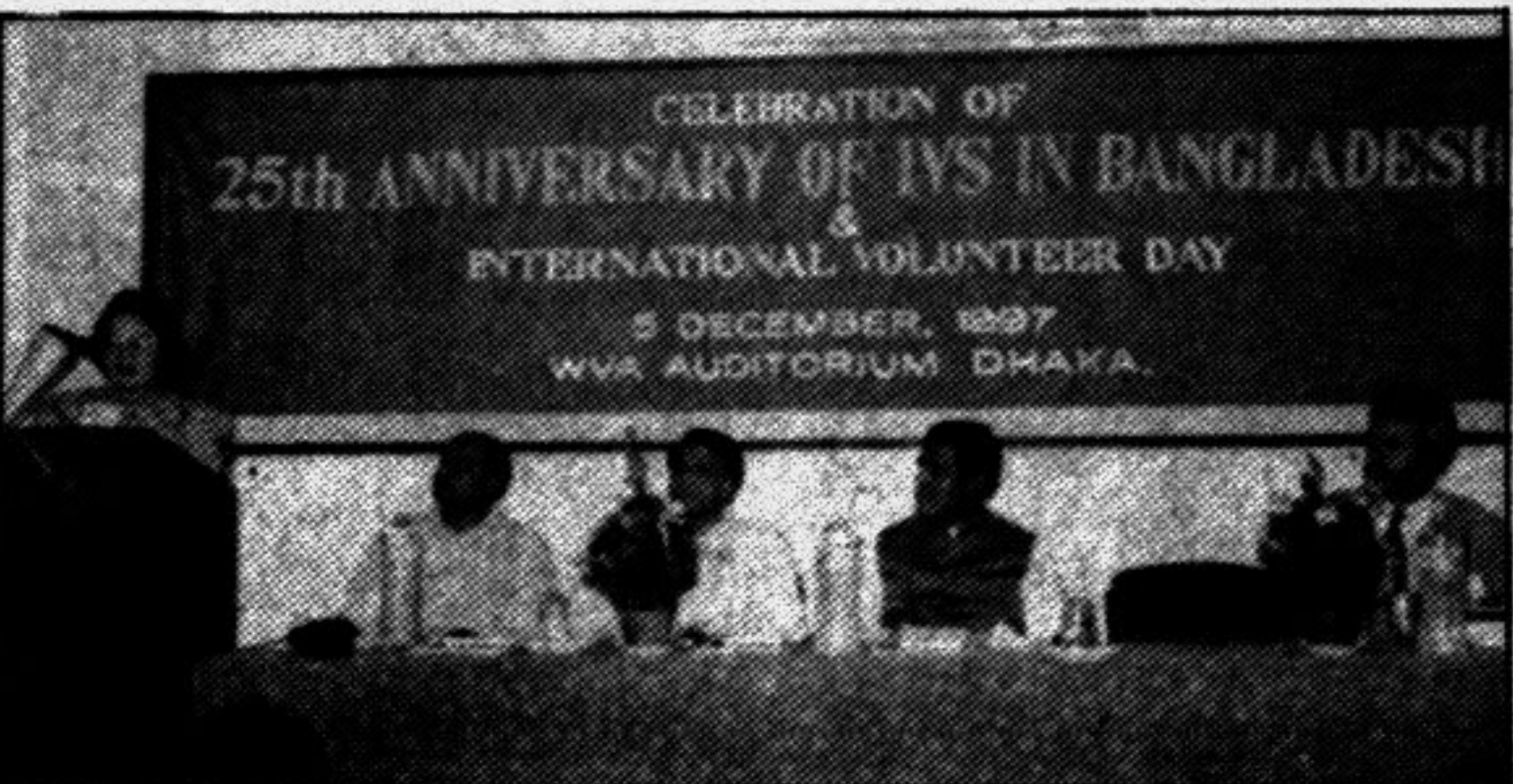
Table with 5 columns: Sl No, Name of work, Estimated cost, Earnest money, Class of contractors. Items include sanitary and water supply arrangement to District Judge Court.

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

1. Sealed tenders in foreign currency are invited from bonafide manufacturers/dealers/indentors (Not necessarily enlisted with this Directorate General) for supply of the following items for Bangladesh Navy.

Table with 4 columns: Sl No, Description of Stores & Qty, Tender Selling Date From To, Tender Opening Date. Items include Automatic Fire Detection System, Hot Oil Bath Electric, PCB Designing Kit, etc.

The tender schedule with detailed specification will be available at given rate (Not refundable) on any working day between 0800 hours to 1200 hours. The tender will be opened at 1000 hours on the abovementioned date in presence of the present tenderers. ISPR/Misc/97/985 DFP-27195-01/12 G-3032 Cdr BN For Director General.



Former Executive Director of International Voluntary Services (IVS) speaking at a function organised to celebrate the 25th anniversary of IVS at the WVA auditorium in the city Friday. Minister for Water Resources Abdur Razzak, ADAB Chairman Kazi Faruque Ahmed and IVS Country Director Abdul Matin also seen. — IVS photo

Dhaka WASA Tender Notice

(পানির অপকর্ষ বন্ধ করুন। ম্যানহোলের ঢাকনা চুরি রোধ করুন) Tenders are invited from bona fide RCC pipe manufacturers in machine in Bangladesh for manufacturing & supply of 900, 750 & 450mm dia RCC pipes for pipe drain construction work at Dhaka University at an allotted cost of Tk 7,26,520/- under Dhaka Integrated Flood Protection Project (Drainage Component). Tender will be received up to 12:00 Noon on 14.12.97 & 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 & all MODS Zone offices of Dhaka WASA. Other detailed description will be available at the office of the undersigned. Address: Segunbagicha, Dhaka WASA-PI-276/97 DFP-27151-1/12 G-3035 A K M Zafarullah Executive Engineer Drainage Division-3 Dhaka WASA