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**Shamsur Rahman receives Sheltech Award '98**  
 Eminent educationist Prof Zillur Rahman Siddiquei yesterday lauded poet Shamsur Rahman for his contribution to projecting the hopes and aspirations of the people in his poems and other works, reports BSS.  
 Prof Siddiquei was speaking as the chief guest at a function at the Jatiya Press Club, where poet Shamsur Rahman was awarded the Sheltech Award '98.  
 Presided over the chairman of Sheltech Tapon Chowdhury, the function was addressed, among others, by poet Shamsur Rahman and Managing Director of Sheltech Dr Towhique M Seraj.  
 Prof Zillur Rahman Siddiquei said poet Shamsur Rahman has given the Bangla poems a new dimension.  
 Later, Prof Siddiquei handed over a cheque for Taka 25,000 and the award to poet Shamsur Rahman.



BNP Chairperson Begum Khaleda Zia distributing relief materials among the flood victims in Kamrangirchar area yesterday. — Star photo

**BCIC Tender Notice**  
 বিসিআইসি'র পণ্য শিলায়নে জাতীয় অগণতির প্রতীক  
 Managing Director, Urea Fertilizer Factory Ltd, chorashal, Narsingdi invites sealed tenders under two envelope system for supply of 65/35 nylon polyester sewing thread & rollers for conveyor belt against Tender No (1) UFFL/LP-211/97-98 & UFFL/LP-215/97-98 respectively. Tender shall be opened on 9.8.98 & 10.8.98 at 3.00 PM. Tender documents will be available on cash payment of Tk 100/- & 50/- (non-refundable) per set from (1) The Controller of Accounts, BCIC, 30-31, Dilkusha, Dhaka, (2) BCIC, 6, Agrabad, Chittagong & (3) UFFL, Ghorashal, Narsingdi.  
 No tender documents shall be sold on the opening date.  
 BCIC 606-21/7/98  
 DFP-16014-23/7/98  
 G-1699

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**Govt. of the People's Republic of Bangladesh**  
 Marine Fisheries Academy  
 Chittagong

Memo No: 203(5 Part)/559 Dated: 22-07-98

**Notice**

Written admission test for selection of 20th batch cadets of Marine Fisheries Academy was held on 08-05-98. On the basis of the written test, the candidates bearing the following Roll Nos. have been selected for viva-voce. The viva-voce will be held at Marine Fisheries Academy, Fish Harbour, Chittagong according to the following dates & times.

Group	Roll No.	Date & Time of Viva-Voce
CN	005, 007, 008, 009, 010, 016, 025, 027, 055, 057, 065, 066, 070, 081, 082, 093, 099, 103, 104, 111, 115, 116, 122, 127, 134, 135, 170, 186, 188, 189, 190, 208, 212, 215, 216, 219, 220, 283, 285, 299, 339, 355, 359,	11-08-98 Morning 10 AM
DN	007, 013, 014, 022, 025, 027, 028, 032, 044, 046, 051, 055, 060, 061, 079, 082, 087, 092, 107, 116, 126, 148, 149, 158, 164, 171, 173, 182, 191, 192, 197, 199, 220, 225, 227, 230, 232, 239, 241, 260, 262, 269, 274, 280, 290, 302, 307, 309, 321, 335, 339, 349, 358, 375, 381, 386, 400,	12-08-98 Morning 10 AM
CM	006, 010, 011, 017, 039, 043, 052, 063, 065, 079, 086, 093, 094, 097,	13-08-98 Morning 10 AM
DM	002, 005, 006, 011, 026, 028, 031, 039, 097, 129, 142,	13-08-98 02 PM

1. At the time of viva-voce original certificates mentioned in the application and submitted along with the application will have to be brought.  
 2. Medical test (for all groups) and eye colour test (for group N only) for successful candidates in viva-voce will be held in phases. Candidates shall be informed about the date, time & place of tests later in due course.

DFP-16161-26/7  
 G-1698  
**Khwaja M Hasan**  
 Principal

**Ershad visits Rubel's residence**  
 Jatiya Party chairman and former President H M Ershad yesterday visited the residence of Shamim Reza Rubel who was killed in police custody, reports UNB.  
 "I want the trial of the killers of Rubel", he said while talking to members of the bereaved family of Rubel.  
 JP Secretary General Nazim Rahman Manju, city unit president Jahangir Mohammad Adel, general secretary Talyubur Rahman and some other leaders accompanied Ershad when he visited Rubel's parents at their Siddeswari residence.

**Diarrhoea breaks out in city's flood-hit areas**  
 By M Shamsur Rahman  
 Flood situation in the city's low-lying areas continued to deteriorate yesterday with new areas going under waters.  
 Manda, under Demra thana, is one of the worst hit areas where diarrhoea has broken out as polluted flood water entered into WASA supply lines through leaks.  
 Abul Basher, a rickshaw-puller, used to earn Tk 150 per day for his seven-member family. Five of the family members are suffering from diarrhoea for the last one week.  
 Almost 75 per cent of his tinshed rented house is under water. He now taken shelter on a 'raised platform' made of wooden planks, supported by bamboo.  
 Basher is also suffering from diarrhoea. He cannot earn now as much as he used to. But he has to work for some hours a day to purchase food, saline and medicine.  
 His wife Baby, with her youngest daughter Nupur on her lap said she has already sent her two sons to her parents' house which is yet to be affected by flood.  
 Nupur is also suffering from diarrhoea. "I was with her at the cholera hospital for two days. She is yet to recover." Baby said. "I went out a while ago and bought medicine worth Tk 8. I had to pay Tk four to the boatman. I am left with nothing now."  
 She hoped her husband would be able to go out for work to earn something for the family. She would cook for her family after he returns in the evening.  
 Abdul Hamid, another flood victim, supported his five-member family selling vegetables at Muga bazar. He had to change his job as his vegetable patch went under water.  
 Hamid now rows a small boat and earns between Tk 80 and 100 daily. He starts rowing at 6.00 in the morning and continues till late in the evening.  
 Most of his family members are also suffering from diarrhoea.  
 Housewife Hasina said her husband has no work for the last 20 days. Her husband used to earn Tk 100 a day as a construction worker but he is unemployed now as everything has gone under water.  
 Asked where she gets foods, she said, "Allah feeds us. No one dies of hunger. God looks after us."

**AL leader injured**  
 By Staff Correspondent  
 The organising secretary of Chandpur town Awami League B B Das (Bijoy) received serious injury in a road accident at Surtola in Dhaka yesterday and was admitted to the Holy Family Hospital, SM Ward No-3, Bed No-9 for treatment, says a press release.  
 Das came to Dhaka to publish a souvenir on Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman's ensuing death anniversary, the release said.



UNFPA Executive Director Dr Nafis Sadik called on Health Minister Salahuddin Yusuf at his office in the city yesterday. — PID photo

**INTERNATIONAL TENDER NOTICE**  
 BID PACKAGE NO. 20  
 UNDER KFAED LOAN NO. 440  
 Sealed Tenders are hereby invited by RURAL ELECTRIFICATION BOARD (REB) from interested suppliers in the following descriptions.  
 1. Bid Package No. 20 Description of Materials / Equipment Voltage Regulator & Accessories  
 2. Schedule of selling of Tender Document & Receiving/Opening of Tender:

Bid Package No	Tender Document Sale Date	Tender Receiving	Tender Opening
20	30.7.98	14.9.98	15.9.98

(Sale will be on and during working days and office hours only: time mentioned will be Bangladesh Standard Time indicated by time signals on Radio Bangladesh).  
 3. Tender Document will be available at: Directorate of Procurement (7th floor) Rural Electrification Board Joar Sahara, Khilkhet, Dhaka-1229, Bangladesh.  
 4. Place of Tender receiving and Opening: Room No. 107/A (Ground Floor) REB Head Office Building Joar Sahara, Khilkhet, Dhaka-1229, Bangladesh. Tender will be opened in presence of the bidders or their Representative (if any).  
 5. Price of Tender: Tender document will be available for sale at the address mentioned in Para-3 above through an application and on payment of appropriate price as detailed below in the form of Pay order/Demand draft in favour of Rural Electrification Board.  
 (a) Bid Package No. 20 Tk. 750.00 for each copy.  
 6. Bid bond: 2% (Two Percent) of the quoted price.  
 7. Mode of payment: Through Letter of Credit.  
 8. Source of Origin of Materials/Equipment: Materials & Equipment to be furnished under tender must have their "Source" and "Origin" in countries who are eligible to trade with the state of Kuwait and the People's Republic of Bangladesh, by REB to any purchaser by post or Courier.  
 9. No Document will be sent Service.  
 10. Offer must be submitted as per terms and conditions set forth in the Bid Document (s). Enquires, if any Must reach the undersigned at least one month prior to the opening date of tenders as mentioned in Para-2.

(Latifur Rahman)  
 Director (Procurement)  
 Rural Electrification Board  
 Head Office Building (7th floor)  
 Joar Sahara, Khilkhet  
 Dhaka-1229, Bangladesh.  
 Tel: 896420  
 Fax: 880-2-896400

DFP-16113-26/7/98  
 G-1701

**UNFPA will continue support to Dhaka, says Nafis Sadik**  
 The visiting UN Under-Secretary General and Executive Director of the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) Dr Nafis Sadik yesterday assured of continued support of UNFPA to Bangladesh, reports UNB.  
 Dr Nafis Sadik appreciated the pragmatic programme in population activities taken up by the Bangladesh government and expressed her happiness for achieving remarkable progress in health and population activities.  
 The UNFPA chief made the comments when she called on Finance Minister Shah A M S Kibria at his office in the city yesterday.  
 During the meeting they discussed matters of mutual interest with special reference to population control activity in Bangladesh.  
 The Finance Minister thanked the Executive Director of UNFPA for continued support of her organisation in population activities in the country.  
 He informed that significant improvement has been achieved in reducing population growth in Bangladesh which helped improve standard of living of common people as well as reduce poverty in the country.  
 The Finance Minister said the government gave top priority to health and education sector for ensuring better life of the people through implementing pragmatic programmes in these fields.  
 Kibria informed that the population growth rate in Bangladesh has come down to 1.6 per cent. He also informed Sadik of female education, skilled female labour, and self income generating activities like dairy, pisciculture and poultry farming in Bangladesh.  
 UNFPA representative in Bangladesh Alain Pierre Mouchiroud and Joint Secretary of ERD Nazmul Alam Siddique were present on the occasion.

**Parabat Express with new chair coaches from Aug 1**  
 Bangladesh Railway will introduce new Shovan chair coaches at the Intercity Parabat Express that plies between Dhaka and Sylhet, says a press release.  
 These new chair coaches will replace the present Shovan chair and Shovan (ordinary) coaches making the journey more comfortable from August 1.  
 Trained stewards will cater to the needs of the passengers and maintain cleanliness and security of the coaches.  
 There will, however, be no change in the existing fares of Parabat despite the enhanced facilities.  
 Sylhet bound Parabat express will leave Dhaka at 7.30 am and reach Sylhet at 2.10 pm. While Dhaka bound Parabat will leave Sylhet at 3.10 pm and reach Dhaka at 9.55 pm every day except Fridays.

**JP MP urges govt to distribute relief in Nilphamari**  
 A Jatiya Party lawmaker yesterday urged the government to distribute relief materials among the flood victims of Nilphamari district and greater Rangpur regions, reports BSS.  
 N K Alam Chowdhury, an elected member of parliament from Nilphamari-1 constituency, in a statement said a portion of the main embankment of the country's largest irrigation project Teesta Sech Prokalpa has been washed away.  
 He gave the statement following his visit to flood-hit Domar and Dima thanas of his constituency.  
 He said several thousand people of his constituency have been rendered homeless due to river erosion.  
 He appealed to the government to provide food, clothes, financial assistance and shelter to the flood victims of the district.

**Weather**  
**Moderate shower likely**  
 Light to moderate rain or thundershowers accompanied by temporary gusty wind is likely to occur at many places over Khulna, Barisal, Chittagong and Sylhet divisions and at a few places over Rajshahi and Dhaka divisions with moderately heavy falls at one or two places over Khulna, Barisal and Chittagong divisions in the next 12 hours till 6 pm today, reports UNB.  
 Met office said, day temperature may rise by 1-2 degree Celsius over the country during the period.  
 Country's highest temperature 32.4 degrees Celsius was recorded yesterday at Comilla and the lowest 24.0 degrees Celsius at Sawndip.  
 The sun sets today at 6:43 pm and rises tomorrow at 5:27 am.  
 Maximum and minimum temperatures and humidity recorded in some major cities and towns yesterday were:

City/Town	Temperature in Celsius	Humidity Percentage
Dhaka	33.0	92
Chittagong	32.8	71
Khulna	32.4	80
Rajshahi	33.4	81
Barisal	33.0	88
Sylhet	32.4	88
Cox's Bazar	32.5	78

**What's on today . . .**  
**Installation:** The 23rd installation ceremony of the Board of Director for '98-99 and the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Dhaka North West will be held. Venue: Sonargaon Hotel. Time: 5 pm. Chief guest: Minister for Commerce and Industries Tofael Ahmed.  
**Rotary Club of Dhaka Buriganga:** The weekly meeting of the club will be held. Venue: Sonargaon Hotel. Time: 5:30 pm.

**and tomorrow**  
**Training programme:** A 4-day animators training programme, organised by the 'Hunger Project' will begin. Minister for LGED and Cooperatives Zillur Rahman will inaugurate the workshop. Venue: LGED auditorium, Agargaon. Time: 9 am.

**SUMMON / NOTICE**  
 IN THE COURT OF ADDITIONAL ARTHA RIN ADALAT NO.1, DHAKA.  
 Title Suit No. 129/98  
**Islami Bank Bangladesh Limited,**  
 Chawk Mogultully Branch,  
 93, Chawk Mogultully, P. S.- Laibagh, Dhaka. . . . . Plaintiff.  
**- Versus -**  
 1. M/S. Aninda, Proprietor- Shobeb Kabir, 140/1, Razia Manjil, Khilgaon Chowdhurypara, Block-B, Matir Masjid, P. S.- Sabujbagh, Dist.- Dhaka.  
 2. Janab Soheb Kabir, S/o, Late A. Z. M. Abdul Kadir, 140/1, Razia Manjil, Khilgaon Chowdhurypara, Block-B, Matir Masjid, P. S.- Sabujbagh, Dist.- Dhaka. Permanent address - Bongnagar, P.O.- Narayanpur, Police Station Bauphal, Dist.- Patuakhali.  
 3. Janab Ahsan ullah (Sanu Miah), S/o. Late Mohor Chand, 33, Nabipur Lane, P. S.- Laibagh, Dist.- Dhaka.  
 4. Janab Mohammad Wazed Ali, @ Wazed Jabed, S/o, Md. Abdul Motaleb, 3/4/5, Lalchand Mokim Lane, P. S.- Kotowali, Dist.- Dhaka. . . . . Defendants  
 By this notice the above named defendants are notified that the Plaintiff Bank has filed the above suit for realisation of Tk. 2,17,486.00 (Taka two lac seventeen thousand four hundred eighty six) only as on 31.12.94 against you.  
 Therefore you are directed to appear in court in persons or through Advocate on 12.8.98 and to reply if any, otherwise the above suit will be heard exparte in your absence.  
**By Order**  
**Sheristader**

**Office of the Project Director, RHD**  
 Sylhet-Tamabil-Jaljong Road  
 Improvement Project  
 Sarak Bhaban, Block-B, Room 304  
 Ramna, Dhaka-1000

Memo No-115 Dated: 20.7.98

**Corrigendum No. 3 to Prequalification Documents**

Corrigendum No. 3 dated 20th July, 1998 for time extension of submission of application for prequalification for all contracts of Sylhet-Tamabil-Jaljong Road Improvement Project.  
 The last date of submission of applications for prequalification for all contracts of Sylhet-Tamabil-Jaljong Road Improvement Project is extended from 2nd August to 12th August, 1998. The time, venue and all other terms and conditions for submission of applications for prequalifications shall remain unaltered.  
 If they wish, the intending applicants who have already submitted the prequalification documents may take back the same update the informations & resubmit the same, within the extended date & time.  
 This corrigendum will be a part of the prequalification documents.  
**Project Director, RHD**  
 Sylhet-Tamabil-Jaljong Road  
 Improvement Project  
 Sarak Bhaban, Block-B  
 Room No. 304, Ramna, Dhaka.  
 DFP-15880-22/7/98  
 G-1700

**Civil Aviation Authority of Bangladesh**  
 Headquarters, Kurmitola, Dhaka

**Extension of Time for Submission of Concept Paper**

**INTERNATIONAL NOTICE INVITING OFFER FROM FOREIGN/LOCAL/FOREIGN LOCAL INVESTORS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF AIRPORT HOTEL AT ZIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**

On request of the different interested parties the receiving date of international tender notice for the Construction of Airport Hotel at Zia International Airport has been extended by the Civil Aviation Authority of Bangladesh up to 13 August, 1998.  
 Other terms and references of the concept paper will remain as usual.  
**Mostafizur Rahman**  
 Director (Planning)  
 Civil Aviation Authority  
 Kurmitola, Dhaka.  
 DFP-16165-26/7/98  
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