

AN INTERNATIONAL CONSULTING COMPANY REQUIRES A FEMALE RECEPTIONIST

The Candidate is a courteous, well spoken Female with an above average knowledge of English and with a professional manner.

The Position : the candidate will greet visitors, operate the PBX system and will be required to do Word Processing in English. This is a project position.

Interested candidates are requested to apply in English to : Box No A-1654 C/O The Daily Star, House No-11, Road No-3, Dhanmondi R/A, Dhaka-1205.

Applications should be addressed to the Manager of Administration and include a cover letter with salary expectation, detailed Curriculum Vitae and a passport sized photograph. Application deadline September 20, 1998.



Visitors on the opening day of a photography exhibition at Drik Gallery in the city yesterday. The week-long exhibition has been organised to raise funds for flood victims and to mark the 9th founding anniversary of Drik Picture Library. — Star photo

LOGO DESIGN CONTEST

BASIS is the apex trade body of the software & information services industry. This newly formed association seeks logo designs from the public. The best logo designer will be awarded a certificate of recognition and a cash prize of Tk.10,000 (Taka Ten Thousand). All submissions will be the property of BASIS. Send your design submission to "Secretary General, BASIS, House 37, Road 6, Dhanmondi R/A, Dhaka-1205" by 15/09/98.

B A S I S

Bangladesh Association of Software and Information Services

France pledges \$ 85,000 grant for relief work

France yesterday sanctioned half a million French francs (about 85,000 US dollars) as grant for relief operations in the flood-hit areas of Bangladesh, diplomatic sources said, reports BSS.

The money will be made available through the French Embassy in Dhaka for disbursement on the advice of the government.

Additional food aid from France, which has already announced 22,000 tonnes of wheat under regular food aid, will be taken up as the second step, French officials said.

France is studying Bangladesh's flood situation to extend post-flood rehabilitation, the sources said.

UNB adds: The European Commission has decided to provide a sizeable quantity of food assistance to Bangladesh for the flood victims, said an official handout yesterday.

Earlier, the EC announced a donation of one million ECU as emergency assistance.

Money, goods donated to BNP relief fund

Different units of BNP and its front organisations yesterday donated money and relief goods to the party's relief fund, reports UNB.

BNP chairperson Begum Khaleida Zia received the money and relief materials from representatives of those units at her Minto Road official residence in the city last night.

Khulna district and city units of BNP donated Tk 267,000, Dhaka City Mohila Dal Tk 10,000, Kafrul BNP Tk 10,000 and 15 maunds of rice, 8 tins of biscuits, ORS, safety matches and candles while Jubo Dal 52 number ward donated 25 maunds of rice, Hawkers Dal city unit 24 maund rice, Krishak Dal 1,000-kg flour and JCD Dhaka University unit 5,000 packets of ORS.

A video camera was also donated by Krishak Dal leader A S M Alauddin.

BNP acting secretary general Ashraf Hossain, Sadek Hossain Khoka MP, Mirza Abbas, Abdullah Al Noman, Selima Rahman, Nazrul Islam Khan, and Jamir Mollah were present.

Ministers distribute relief goods

Government ministers and state ministers yesterday urged all irrespective of party affiliations to come forward unitedly to help the flood victims face the deluge, reports BSS.

During distribution of relief materials among the flood-affected people throughout the country, the ministers said that the government has been continuing with its disaster management steps, including providing shelter, food and medicines to the flood victims.

Forest and Environment Minister Sayeda Sajeda Chowdhury yesterday visited different flood affected areas in the city and distributed relief materials among the victims.

The minister also distributed relief goods among the victims who have taken shelter at Bangla Bazar Government Girls' School and Sadarghat areas.

State Minister for Disaster Management and Relief Talukder Abdul Khaleq yesterday visited flood-hit Agargaon and Adapara areas under Mohammadpur thana in the city and distributed relief materials.

Addressing the flood-affected people, the state minister said distressed families in different flood-hit areas would get vulnerable group feeding (VGF) cards. He called upon the people to face the floods with fortitude.

Minister Lt General (retd) Nooruddin Khan yesterday visited flood shelters at Kadamtara Pourashava under Bandar thana and distributed relief materials.

The minister distributed cooked food among the flood victims at a relief camp organised by Madanganj Paddy and Rice Traders' Association.

He visited Farazikanda Primary School camp, thana parishad complex and Haji Ibrahim Alam Chand School and College camps.

He also visited Madanganj, Shantinagar and Chunarbhura areas of Kolagachia union by speed boat.

State Minister for Jute A K Faezul Huq yesterday visited flood shelters at K M Bashir Primary School, Islamia High School, Rahmatganj Community Centre and Alia Madrasa at Lalbagh area in the city.

Huq distributed rice, lentils, potatoes, cooked food and some

emergency medicines among the flood-hit people. UNB adds: State Minister for Youth and Sports Obaidul Gauder visited some flood affected areas of Narayanganj district and distributed relief goods.

Gauder visited flood-hit Arahazara thana of Narayanganj and distributed rice, saris, lungis and cash among the victims of Brahmandi, Noapara, Emamuddin Madrasa and Pilot High School shelter centres.

Mayor of Dhaka Mohammad Hanif yesterday visited Sadarghat and Shambazar areas in the city and distributed cooked food, saris, lungis, milk, baby food, soaps, saline and water purifying tablets among flood victims at Armanitola Anandamoyi Girls' High School and Armanitola Government Girls' School centres.

Highcourt Mazar Sharif Administration Committee president Justice Mohammad Abdur Rouf, on the 20th day of the Mazar Sharif relief distribution programme yesterday, provided cooked food to 6000 distressed people at North Jarabari Haji Suruzzaman Government Primary School centre in the city.

Bangladesh Mahila Awami League president Ily Rahaman distributed relief materials at Middle Badda area in the city yesterday.

Queens University (Fully Government Approved) M B A PROGRAM (DAY/EVENING) 60 Credit Hours 2 Years 4-Semester courses plus internship. Includes details on admission, fees, and contact information.

Bangladesh University of Engineering & Technology, Dhaka Tender Notice. Details regarding procurement of PC, Printer, Overhead Projector, Photo Copier, UPS and Direct Projector.

চট্টগ্রাম বিশ্ববিদ্যালয় চট্টগ্রাম নিয়োগ বিজ্ঞপ্তি. Details regarding recruitment for various positions in the university.

জাতীয় মহিলা সংস্থা ১৪৫, নিউ বেইলী রোড, ঢাকা পুনঃ নিয়োগ বিজ্ঞপ্তি. Advertisement for a job opening at the National Women's Organization.

ইনস্টিটিউট অব ব্যাংকার্স, বাংলাদেশ. Advertisement for a bank-related institution, including details on fees and contact information.

Narrow Fabric Looms. Advertisement for Jakob Muller AG, Switzerland, regarding their narrow fabric looms.

Notice for Enlistment of New/Renewal of ABC & D Class Contractor's Firms Under DESA for 1998-99. Details regarding the enlistment process for contractors.