

Metropolitan

Appeal For Help

Shahida Begum, 35, a mother of three has been suffering from acute kidney disorder for the last two years. She is at present undergoing treatment at the BIRDEM which includes regular blood transfusion. Doctors say one of her kidneys is already damaged while the other one needs immediate surgery. She has been suggested dialysis and a kidney transplant. Her husband, Md Ali Akbar, is a security van driver at ANZ Grindlays Bank in the city. Anyone willing to help Shahida please make your kind contribution to Current Account No 7013376, Dhanmondi Branch of ANZ Grindlays Bank.

Tuition

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Bangladesh Power Development Board Corrigendum Notice

The dates of selling and receiving of tender documents of tender notice no 201/98/819 and 820 dated 8/10/98 for the work of reconstruction of police and ansar camps and renovation work of CBK Club under the 210 MW Siddhirganj TPS Project have been extended up to 24-11-98 and 25-11-98 respectively instead of 9-11-98 and 10-11-98. Other terms and conditions of the tender notice will remain unchanged.

20 injured in N'ganj clash

NARAYANGANJ, Nov 17: At least 20 people, including three women and one child, were injured in a clash between local rival groups at Alipara near Adamjee Jute Mills today, reports APB. Of the injured, Ibrahim, 20, was admitted to the Dhaka Medical College Hospital (DMCH) with bullet wounds while Nurjahan, 62, Nasia, 25, Nasrin, 30 and a two-year-old child Nadim to Narayanganj Hospital with splinter injuries. Police and local sources said the two groups attacked each other with firearms and lethal weapons during almost an hour-long fight at noon. The incident was a sequel to previous rivalry, police said. Both the groups filed separate cases with Siddhirganj police. None, however, was arrested in this connection.

Vandalism at DU Probe body yet to find out any clue

By DU Correspondent The one-member committee formed to investigate the November 13 incident in which some unidentified men damaged a bust of Shaheed Madhusudan Dey on the Dhaka University campus failed to find out any clue till yesterday, sources said. The Dhaka University authorities formed the one-member committee on November 14 with Prof A K M Nur-un Nabi. The committee was asked to submit its report within seven days. Meanwhile, the restoration work of the bust did not start till yesterday.

BCU protests attack on its activists

By DU Correspondent Bangladesh Chhatra Union (BCU) yesterday protested the incident of beating four BCU activists at Kalabagan Club in the city on last Monday evening. The BCU brought out a procession and held a rally at the DUCSU premises on the Dhaka University campus. At the rally, the BCU alleged that some Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL) activists of Dharmnord Thana unit beat them up because of not taking permission before distributing the leaflets. They also threatened to launch anti-government movement if the BCL do not stop the terrorism.

Memorial meet on Noorul Quader today

By Staff Correspondent A civic memorial meeting on veteran freedom fighter Noorul Quader will be held at the National Museum auditorium at 5:45 pm today. Poet Shamsur Rahman will preside over the meeting and it will be addressed by Barrister Syed Ishtiaque Ahmed, A K Khondkar, BU, Dr Anisuzzaman, IIT Imam, Prof Rehman Sobhan, Khondkar Asaduzzaman, and Enaetullah Khan. A film on Noorul Quader will be screened after the meeting. Poet Shamsur Rahman will recite self-composed poems. At the beginning of the programme Kalim Sharafi will present some songs devoted to Noorul Quader.

Int'l Miniature Art Exhibition begins

By Staff Correspondent A magnificent International Miniature Art Exhibition began at the Gallery Tone in the city yesterday. State Minister for Information Prof Abu Sayeed inaugurated the month-long exhibition in the evening. He also distributed prizes among the winners. Some 361 art works of 164 artists from USA, Japan, England and host Bangladesh have been put on display. Speaking on the occasion, the Netherlands ambassador, Dick den Haas, appreciated the venture. He explained that miniature painting was not common in Holland, although Rembrandt had indulged in it. He also hoped that the next international miniature venture in Bangladesh will have entries from his country too. Prof Bulbul Osman, Director of the Fine Arts Institute, said this exhibition will help our people once again focus on miniatures. He said sub-continental miniature art took its origin from Iran and Turkey and was monumental despite the little space that it occupied. Ahmed Nazir got the All Media Best Award. The other winners in different categories are: the Best Acrylic prize - Cyril B Turner; the best prize for water colour - Janet Laird Lagasse; best award for mixed-media - Naeed Sultana; print-making best prize - Eclissa F Merkl; first floral - Jannette Mullane; the first prize in still life Janet Laird Lagasse; the first award for human figure - Md Abdul Halim Chanchal; the first award in opaque water colour - Nurul Hossain; the first sculpture award - Farzana Islam Milky; the first prize for abstract - Md Aloptogin Tushar; the best landscape award - Mustafa Kamal; the first award for portrait - Jeanne Dunne and Johnl-Theiler and the best award for water colour - Fahmida Akhter. Kamrul Nahar won an honourable mention for her oil.

Natmandal opens Nov 26

The Department of Theatre and Music of Dhaka University is going to inaugurate its most modern theatre 'Natmandal' behind the Library building on November 26, reports UNB. Vice-Chancellor of Dhaka University Prof A K Azad Chowdhury, Ambassador of Norway in Dhaka Hans Fredrik Lenne, Dr HBM Iqbal, MP, Dean of the Arts Faculty, Dr Kazi Shahidullah, Chairman of the Department Dr Mridulakanti Chakrabarti and Dr Syed Jamil Ahmed will be present at the inaugural function. Fully air-conditioned and oval-shaped, the Natmandal was reconstructed with financial assistance of Norway. Talking to UNB yesterday, Dr Jamil said this building behind the Library building was used as an auditorium of the Public Library in 50s and in the late 70s. He said the 50-feet-diameter Natmandal has 150 seat capacity which can be extended up to 200. Dr Mridulakanti Chakrabarty, convener of the auditorium renovation and development committee, said Norwegian aid agency NORAD provided Tk 30 lakh for this project. 'We have lack of classrooms and stage. Now our students can easily use this stage for their practice,' Dr Chakrabarty said.

Workshop on animal breeding Nov 26

MYMENSINGH, Nov 17: The first National Animal Breeding Workshop will be held at the Bangladesh Agriculture University here on November 26, reports UNB. Deputy Speaker Adv M Abdul Hamid will inaugurate the day-long workshop while BAU Vice-Chancellor Prof Mohammad Hossain will be present as special guest, said a press release. The students, who obtained masters degree from the Animal Breeding Department of BAU and who are involved in animal breeding and production have been requested to attend the workshop with registration fee of Tk 200 and Tk 100 respectively.

Condolence meet held

By Staff Correspondent A condolence meeting was held yesterday in memory of drama activist Mousum Rahman Mou who died on November 8 at the age of 22, says a press release. The theatre group Natyachakra arranged the meeting at its Malibagh office. Mou was its member. Among others, M Hamid, Falguni Hamid and Asif Huda spoke at the meeting. Mou, daughter of former lawmaker Saif Hafizur Rahman, acted in all regular drama productions of Natyachakra.

What's on today . . .

- Seminar: A seminar on 'Strategic issues of poverty alleviation' will be held. Organisers: Embassy of Sweden, Local Government Engineering Department and Bangladesh Rural Development Board. Venue: LGED auditorium, Agargaon. Time: 9 am. Food festival: A month-long Winter Food Festival '98 will begin. Venue: Hotel Abakash, 83-88, Mohakhali. Time: 12:30 pm. Seminar: A seminar on 'community health and family practice' will be held. Organiser: Dhaka Community Hospital. Venue: DCH auditorium, 190/1, Wireless Rail Gate, Bara Moghbazar. Time: 10 am. Anniversary programme: Bangladesh Samyabadi Dal (ML) will hold a workers' meeting marking its 31st founding anniversary. Venue: Engineers Institute auditorium. Time: 10 am. Seminar: A seminar on 'Population and sustainable development' will be held. Organiser: Department of Population Environment, Independent University, Bangladesh (IUB). Venue: IUB campus, House: 6, Rd: 14, Baridhara. Time: 10:30 am-12:30 pm. Rotary meeting: The weekly meeting of Rotary Club of Dhaka-Buriganga will be held. Guest speaker: Dr Salahuddin Ahmed. Topic: Contribution of micro-credit programme on poverty alleviation. Venue: Sonargaon Hotel. Time: 5:30 pm. Rotary meeting: The weekly meeting of Rotary Club of Dhaka North West will be held. Venue: Dhaka Club. Time: 5:30 pm.

NOTICE

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh Request for Proposal (RFP) for Establishing An Elevated Mass Rail Transit System in the Dhaka Metropolitan City. 1. Government of Bangladesh hereby invites 'Proposals' from reputed firms/firms (local and international) having adequate technical and financial capabilities and experience to establish elevated rail system for mass transit in the Dhaka city on Build, Operate and Transfer (BOT) or Build, Operate and Own (BOO) basis. 2. The bidding will follow a two-stage process. In this first stage of bidding, the intending firm/firms will be required to submit proposals elaborating their technical, investment and business plans to establish and operate the elevated rail system for Dhaka city. The inputs and concessions which the bidders expect the government to provide for successful implementation and operation of the system shall also be proposed. Technical and financial capabilities of the bidding firms will be adjudged in the process to qualify them for the second (final) stage of bidding. Qualified bidder(s) will then be invited to attend bidder(s) conference at Dhaka to discuss and finalize the scope of the system which can be established and operated viably within the framework of existing socio-economic, technical and environmental policy criteria of the government. 3. Thereafter second phase (final) bid document containing firm guidelines regarding the risks and responsibilities of the parties to, and all other general and special conditions of, the potential contract(s) to be signed between the successful bidder(s) and the Government will be issued to the qualified Bidder(s). 4. First phase bid documents can be purchased from the office of the i. Divisional Commissioner, Dhaka Division, Segun Bagicha, Dhaka, ii. Divisional Engineer-1, Bangladesh Railway, Administrative Building, Kamalapur, Dhaka, & iii. Executive Engineer, RHD, Administration & Establishment, Sarak Bhaban, Block-A, 1st Floor, Ramna, Dhaka during office hours at a cost of Tk 4000/- (four thousand) only per set (non-refundable). Documents will be available for sale with effect from 20th November, '98 up to 15th December, 1998. 5. The first phase 'Proposals' shall be received on 2nd February, 1999 at 12:00 Noon in the same offices and shall be opened at 12:30 PM of the same day in presence of the bidder(s) or their representatives. Any submission received after the above deadline may not be considered. Bidder(s) who purchase bid documents are requested to confirm by fax, telex or letter their intention to bid at least 10 days before the closing date. 6. Clarifications, if any, may be requested in writing to the address mentioned below at least 15 days before the deadline for submission of bids. The bidder shall clearly indicate the name and address of the authorized person to whom all communication shall be sent. 7. The bidder(s) shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and delivery of bids, and the Government of Bangladesh will in no case, be responsible or liable for those costs. 8. The Government of Bangladesh reserves the right to accept or reject any or all of the bids fully or partially and to annul the bidding process at any time prior to award of Contract (s), without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders or any obligation to inform the affected bidder or bidders of the grounds for such actions.

Bangladesh Power Development Board Tender Notice

সময়মতো সঠিক বিদ্যুৎ বিল পরিশোধ করুন সরকারকে ফাঁকি দেয়ার প্রবণতা বন্ধ করুন Name of office: 18-Town Power Supply Project Construction Division-2, PDB, Dinajpur. 2) Name of work: Construction of 186 square metre office building on PDB compound of Panchagarh district of 9-town project under 18-Town Power Supply Construction Division-2, PDB, Dinajpur. 3) Eligibility of contractors: Civil and electrical contractors of 'KA' category with experience and enlisted with PDB up-to-date. 4) Estimated cost: 15,16,406/75 (Fifteen lakh sixteen thousand four hundred and six taka and paisa seventy-five) only. 5) Cost of tender: 1000/- (One thousand) Taka (non-refundable) only. 6) Date and places where tenders will be available: Detailed schedule of tender will be available till 7.12.98 during office hours at a) Janata Bank, Basuniapaty, Dinajpur b) Superintending Engineer, Transmission and Maintenance Circle, PDB, Dinajpur c) Project Director, 18-Town Power Supply Project, PDB, No 1, Abdul Ghani Road, Dhaka d) Office of the Divisional Commissioner, Rajshahi. Certificate of construction of work of Taka 10 (ten) lakh building in a single work order from the official of the equivalent to minimum rank of an Executive Engineer, attested copy of valid enlistment will have to be submitted with the application for purchasing tender. Prior permission for purchasing tender will have to be taken from the concerned head of the office after depositing the cost of tender in the form of Pay Order/Bank Draft in favour of the Deputy Director (Accounts), Regional Accounts Office, PDB, Dinajpur 7) Date and place of receiving tender/opening of tender: Tenders will be received in the tender box kept at the office of the undersigned along with the offices as mentioned in no 6 (except bank) till 8.12.98 at 12:00 Noon and will be opened the same day at 12:30 PM in presence of the tenderers (if any-one remains present). No tender will be sold on the day of receiving tender. Security money at the rate of 2.5% of the rate quoted by the contractor in the form of Pay Order/Bank Draft in favour of Deputy Director (Accounts), Regional Accounts Office, PDB, Dinajpur will have to be submitted with tender. Other terms and conditions of tender must be followed. Executive Engineer (Acting) Biddul/Jan-611(5)/98-99 18-Town Power Supply DFP-23832-10/11/98 Project Construction Division-2 G-2564 PDB, Dinajpur.

Bangladesh Shilpa Bank Head Office, Dhaka Law Department Sale Notice

Mortgaged assets of M/s Kishalaya Rice Mills Limited, Mymensingh. Capacity: 9600 MT Rice Crushing p.a. Mortgaged land, building and machinery of M/s Kishalaya Rice Mills Limited, Mymensingh will be sold by the Bangladesh Shilpa Bank (BSB) on cash payment and on 'as-is-where-is basis' for realising BSB's arrears loan and dues of Tk 121.80 lac as on 31-12-91 plus additional interest and other expenses until realisation of this amount from the above company and its directors as per Article 34 of BSB Order, 1972 (PO No 129/72) read with BSB (Direct Sale of Mortgaged Property Rules) 1980. 2. Bangladesh Shilpa Bank will not assume any legal obligation whatsoever on behalf of the company and/or its directors in respect of any dues/claims of Government and/or autonomous bodies such as WASA, local municipality, Electric and Gas Supply Authority, Land Revenue and other creditors. 3. The following persons are the directors of the company: 1. Mr Md Hashim Uddin, Managing Director, House No 29, Road No 8, Dhanmondi Residential Area, Dhaka. 2. Mr Md Safuruddin Ahmed, Director, 12, Tikkapara Bylane, Kabarkhana Road, Mymensingh. 3. Mr AKM Fakrul Alam, Director, 12, Tikkapara Bylane, Kabarkhana Road, Mymensingh. 4. Mrs Shamsun Nahar, Director, 12, Tikkapara Bylane, Kabarkhana Road, Mymensingh. 5. Mr Khaled Hshim, Director, House No 29, Road No 8, Dhanmondi Residential Area, Dhaka. 4. Schedule of Property: All that piece and parcel of land measuring 1.60 acres bearing CS Plot No 2470, 2471 & 2472, CS Khatian No 1407, ROR Khatian No 1056, Touzi No 281, JI No 154 under Mouza Bailor, PS Trishal, Dist. Mymensingh together with all structures, fixtures and fittings thereon both existing and future, land, building and machinery etc. 5. Tender schedule containing the details of the assets and properties (along with the list of machinery) may be obtained from the Law Department, BSB, Head Office, Dhaka on cash payment of Tk 250/- (Taka two hundred fifty) only (Non-refundable). 6. Intending tenderers/buyers may drop their tenders/offers in sealed cover along with earnest money (refundable) @ 5% of the quoted value in Bank Draft/Pay Order in favour of Bangladesh Shilpa Bank in the tender box kept at the above-mentioned department on 7-12-98 at 12:00 Noon. 7. On acceptance of offer, the successful bidders/tenderers shall have to deposit 50% of the bid or tendered money within 7 (seven) days and the balance within 30 (thirty) days from the date of acceptance of tender. In case of failure in making payment of the bid amount within stipulated time, the earnest money or the tender money (as the case may be) shall be forfeited and the mortgaged property may be resold. The project assets will be handed over to the successful bidder (s) by the Bank on fulfilment of the conditions. 8. Tenders will be opened on 7-12-98 at 12:30 PM at the aforesaid department in presence of the tenderers (if any). For further information, if any, the undersigned may be contacted. Bidders may purchase the above-mentioned movable and immovable property in a lot or separately. 9. The BSB reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tender/offers without showing any reason. Deputy General Manager Phone: 9556682

টেজারের সংশোধনী বিজ্ঞপ্তি ঢাকা ওয়াসা

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Bangladesh Shilpa Rin Sangstha Head Office 141-143, Motijheel Commercial Area BIWTA Bhaban (5th & 6th Floor) Dhaka Law Department

Notice for Sale of Mortgaged Assets and Properties of M/s Islamia Automatic Rice Mills Limited, Pabna

The mortgaged assets and properties of M/s Islamia Automatic Rice Mills Ltd, Pabna, will be sold in terms of Article 34 of Bangladesh Shilpa Rin Sangstha Order, 1972 read with the Bangladesh Shilpa Rin Sangstha (Direct Sale of Mortgaged Property) Rules, 1981 on 'as is where it is' basis and on the basis of 'cash payment' to realise the BSRS's outstanding loans and dues of Tk 40,416 million as on 1-1-1998 together with further interest and charges till realisation from the above named company and its directors listed at para-4 hereinafter. 2. The tenderers may submit their tender for the purchase of the entire properties mortgaged with BSRS's as a whole or for land & building and machinery separately. 3. Bangladesh Shilpa Rin Sangstha will not assume any legal obligation whatsoever on behalf of the company and/or its directors in respect of any dues/claims of government and/or autonomous bodies such as WASA, local municipality, electric and gas supply authorities, land revenue and other creditors for which the company is liable. 4. The following persons are the directors of the company: (1) Al-haj Md Farzand Hossain, S/o late Al-haj Osman Gani; and (2) Mrs Hosne-Ara-Begum, W/o Al-haj Md Farzand Hossain. 5. Description of Properties: About 54,000 sq ft of land situated at Mouza-Chaitani, BSCIC Industrial Estate, Pabna, bearing Plot Nos 35, 37 and 39 together with Main Factory Building-9,750 sq ft, Boiler Shed 480-sq ft, Husk Platform-416 sq ft, Raw Paddy Shed-480 sq ft, Generator Room-154 sq ft, Office Room-759 sq ft, Toilet-150 sq ft, Dry Yard-14,641 sq ft, Stair-136 sq ft, Labour Shed-370 sq ft, Kitchen-94 sq ft, Dust Store-42 sq ft, Switch Room-41 sq ft, Reserver-2 Nos, Chimny Duct-1 No, and Boundary Wall-567 sq ft and an industrial unit capable of producing/crushing 10,600 MT of rice per year. The machinery are of mainly Indian & Chinese origin. 6. The details of the mortgaged assets and properties and tender schedule containing the terms and conditions of sale may be obtained on payment of Tk 250.00 (non-refundable) from the Assistant General Manager, Law Department, Bangladesh Shilpa Rin Sangstha, Head Office, Dhaka and or Sangstha Office at 97, Greater Road, Rajshahi. The intending tenderers/buyers who are interested to inspect the project assets may contact the Assistant General Manager, Law Department, BSRS, Head Office, Dhaka or Sangstha's Office at Rajshahi. 7. The intending tenderers/buyers may submit their tenders/offers in sealed cover in the tender box kept at the BSRS aforesaid Head Office, Dhaka by 2:00 PM on the 8th December, 1998 accompanied with earnest money @ 5% of the tendered amount (refundable in case the offer is not accepted by the BSRS) in the form of scheduled bank's Draft/Pay-Order drawn in favour of the Bangladesh Shilpa Rin Sangstha and payable at Dhaka. 8. The tender will be opened on the 8th December, 1998 at 2:30 PM at the BSRS above mentioned Head Office, Dhaka in presence of the tenderers, if any. 9. The successful tenderers shall have to deposit 50% of the tendered amount within 7 (seven) days and the balance within 30 (thirty) days from the date of acceptance of the tender. In case of failure in making the payment of the tendered amount as aforesaid within the stipulated time, the earnest money, 50% of the tendered amount (including earnest money) or any amount of the tender money deposited shall be forfeited and the mortgaged assets and properties will be eligible for re-sale. 10. The BSRS reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders/offers without assigning any reason whatsoever. Assistant General Manager Law Department Phone: 9557655

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