

Weather

Light rain likely

Light to moderate rain or thundershowers accompanied by temporary gusty wind is likely at a few places over Chittagong and Sylhet divisions in next 12 hours till 6 pm today, reports UNB.

Met office said weather may remain mainly dry with partly cloudy sky elsewhere over the country.

Night temperature is likely to fall by 1-3 degree Celsius over the country during the period.

Country's highest temperature 31.2 degree Celsius was recorded today (Tuesday) at Bogra and the lowest 18.4 degree Celsius at Dinajpur.

The sun sets today at 5.11 pm and rises tomorrow at 6.21 am.

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The newly appointed Ambassador of Nepal to Bangladesh Madhu Raman Acharya presenting his credentials to President Justice Shahabuddin Ahmed at Bangabhaban yesterday. — PID photo

Nazrul made
new envoy
to Qatar

The government has appointed A T M Nazrul Islam, Director General in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, as Bangladesh Ambassador to Qatar, an announcement said yesterday, reports BSS.

Islam, a freedom-fighter, served in different capacities in Bangladesh missions in Colombo, London, Ottawa and Yangon.

He did his master's in history from Dhaka University and joined foreign service in 1972.

More donations
from abroad

More foreign organisations have donated 21,826 US dollar and medicines worth about 36,180 US dollar for the flood victims in Bangladesh, reports UNB.

Honorary Consul General of Bangladesh in Greece Theodore donated 20 cartons of medicines worth US dollar 34,500 while four pharmaceutical companies in Greece donated medicines valued at US dollar 1,680.

Bangladesh community in Japan and some Japanese philanthropic organisations donated US dollar 19,565.22 and the ESCAP Staff Association and M/s Chai Kasem Bhaesaj Ltd in Bangkok donated US dollar 2,260.78 to the Prime Minister's Relief Fund, said an official handout.

US envoy meets
Law Minister

US Ambassador to Bangladesh John C Holzman called on Minister for Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs Abdul Matin Khasru at his Secretariat Office yesterday, an official source said, reports BSS.

They exchanged views on bilateral issues. The US Ambassador highly acclaimed the measures taken by the government in overcoming the century's worst flood successfully.

He also expressed satisfaction over the murder trial of Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman in an ordinary court.

The Law Minister informed the ambassador about the steps undertaken by the Law Ministry for establishing National Human Rights Commission (NHRC), the office of the ombudsman for ensuring accountability and efficiency in the administration.

The minister added that the National Human Rights Commission Bill would be placed in the next session of the Jatiya Sangsad.

The US Ambassador assured the minister of extending support for the successful implementation of the government programmes.

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No plan to set up
agri college

Agriculture and Food Minister Begum Motia Chowdhury yesterday informed the Jatiya Sangsad that at the moment the government had no plan to set up any agricultural college in the country, reports BSS.

The minister was making a brief statement in reply to a call attention notice on matters of urgent public importance raised by M Mashur Rahman (BNP-Jhenidah) demanding establishment of a government agricultural college at Jhenidah district headquarters.

In support of his demand, Rahman said, Jhenidah is an agro-based district where there is no industry to create employment opportunities.

He said with the establishment of an agricultural college many agriculture graduates will come out every year and they would contribute to the agricultural development in the district through application of modern know-how technology and thereby create employment opportunities.

RU Convocation
Nov 29

RAJSHAHI, Nov 24: The seventh Convocation of the Rajshahi University will be held on November 29, reports APB. President Justice Shahabuddin Ahmed, Chancellor of the University, will be in the chair and distribute certificates among the graduates of the university.

The university authorities have taken extensive preparations in this regard.

A press release of the university said that all functions in this connection will be held between 10 and 11 am at the Kazi Nazrul Islam auditorium of the Convocation building.

Education Minister A S H K Sadeq, Political Advisor to the Prime Minister Dr S A Malek, Minister of State for Primary and Mass Education Professor Zinatunnessa Talukdar will be present as Special Guests of Honour.

Former Vice Chancellor of the university and a valiant freedom fighter Professor Khan Sarwar Murshid will address the Convocation.

Professor Abdul Khaleque, Vice Chancellor of the RU, has called upon all concerned to make the Convocation a success.

Newspaper
holiday Dec 5

All newspaper offices will remain closed December 5 on the occasion of holy Shab-e-Barat, reports BSS.

Therefore, no newspapers will come out the next day, Dec 6, a BSP press release said.

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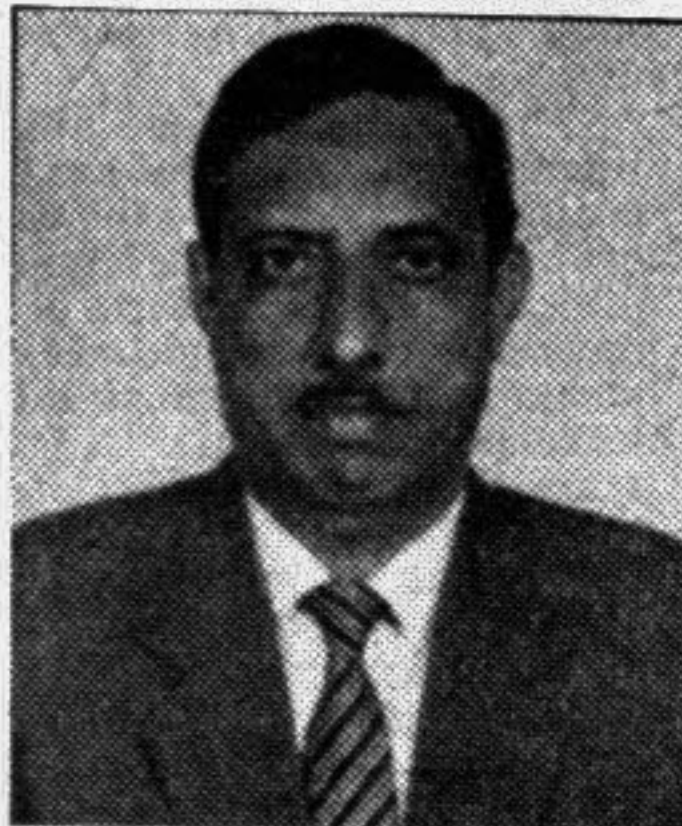
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- In case of local agents the quotation/tender should accompany copies of the following documents duly attested:- (a) Current Trade Licence, (b) Registration Certificate, (c) Income Tax paid certificate, (d) Indentors registration certificate, (e) VAT registration certification and (f) GIR number.
- Tender to be submitted into the tender box at Printing & Stationery Division, Agrani Bank, Head office, Dhaka latest by 1.00 PM on 20.12.1998 and on the same date tenders will be opened at 1.30 PM in presence of the tenderers or their authorised representative (if any).
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Office of the Executive Engineer

Saidpur WD Division-I
BWDB, Saidpur, Nilphamari

Tender Notice

1. Sealed tenders are hereby invited from the enlisted contractors of BWDB for the year 1998-99 for the following works of Command Area Development of Teesta Barrage (Phase-1) Project located in different thanas of greater Rangpur district:

Sl. No.	Description of work	Estimated cost (Tk.)	Eligibility of contractors
01	Construction of S ₅ D canal. (Remaining works)	43,36,493/-	A & B Class
02	Construction of S ₅ R canal. (Remaining works)	39,04,938/-	-do-
03	Construction of S ₄ R canal. (Remaining works)	32,13,406/-	-do-
04	Construction of T ₂ S ₄ D canal. (Remaining works)	29,46,952/-	-do-
05	Construction of S ₆ R canal. (Remaining works)	26,70,865/-	-do-
06	Construction of S ₁ R canal. (Remaining works)	26,48,014/-	-do-
07	Construction of S ₃ R canal. (Remaining works)	22,71,171/-	-do-
08	Construction of S ₂ R canal. (Remaining works)	22,57,247/-	-do-
09	Construction of Box Culvert at km 2.70, 9.73 over S ₂ R canal & 0.16 Km over S ₁ R canal.	15,94,601/-	-do-
10	Construction of pipe syphon at km 2.26, 6.95, 10.18 & 11.89 km. over S ₄ D canal.	13,25,997/-	A, B & C Class
11	Construction of T ₁ S ₄ D canal. (Remaining works)	10,91,131/-	B & C Class.
12	Construction of pipe syphon at Km 0.60 & 2.65 over S ₂ R canal.	10,78,097/-	-do-
13	Construction of 2 Nos. pipe syphons 3 Nos. box culvert over S ₃ R canal.	8,88,936/-	-do-
14	Construction of 2 Nos. pipe syphons over S ₄ D canal.	5,07,980/-	-do-
15	Construction of 2 Nos. pipe syphon over T ₁ S ₄ D canal.	3,65,229/-	C & D Class.
16	Construction of culvert at km. 10.74 over S ₄ D canal.	2,67,945/-	D Class.

2. Tender documents may be purchased from (1) Rupali Bank, Saidpur Branch, Saidpur, Nilphamari, (2) Rupali Bank, Rail Crossing Branch, Rangpur, (3) Sonali Bank, WAPDA Branch, Motijheel C/A, Dhaka, (4) Office of the Divisional Commissioner, Rajshahi on all working days up to 8.12.98 paying requisite price.

3. Tenders will be received in the (1) Office of the Executive Engineer, Saidpur WD Division, (2) Office of the Executive Engineer, Nilphamari WD Division, (3) Office of the Executive Engineer, Rangpur Canal Division, Rangpur, (4) Office of the Executive Engineer, Dhaka O&M Division, Dhaka (Group No. 16 only), (5) Office of the Superintending Engineer, Dhaka O&M Circle, Dhaka (Group No. 1-15) and (6) Office of the Divisional Commissioner, Rajshahi (Group No. 1-12) on 07.12.98 and 08.12.98 during office hours and up to 12-00 hours on 09.12.98. Tenders will be opened in the respective offices on 09.12.98 at 12-30 hours.

4. Each tender should accompany earnest money in the shape of Bank Draft @ 2% of estimated cost. Fixed deposit holders should have to deposit token earnest money @ 1% of estimated cost.

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