

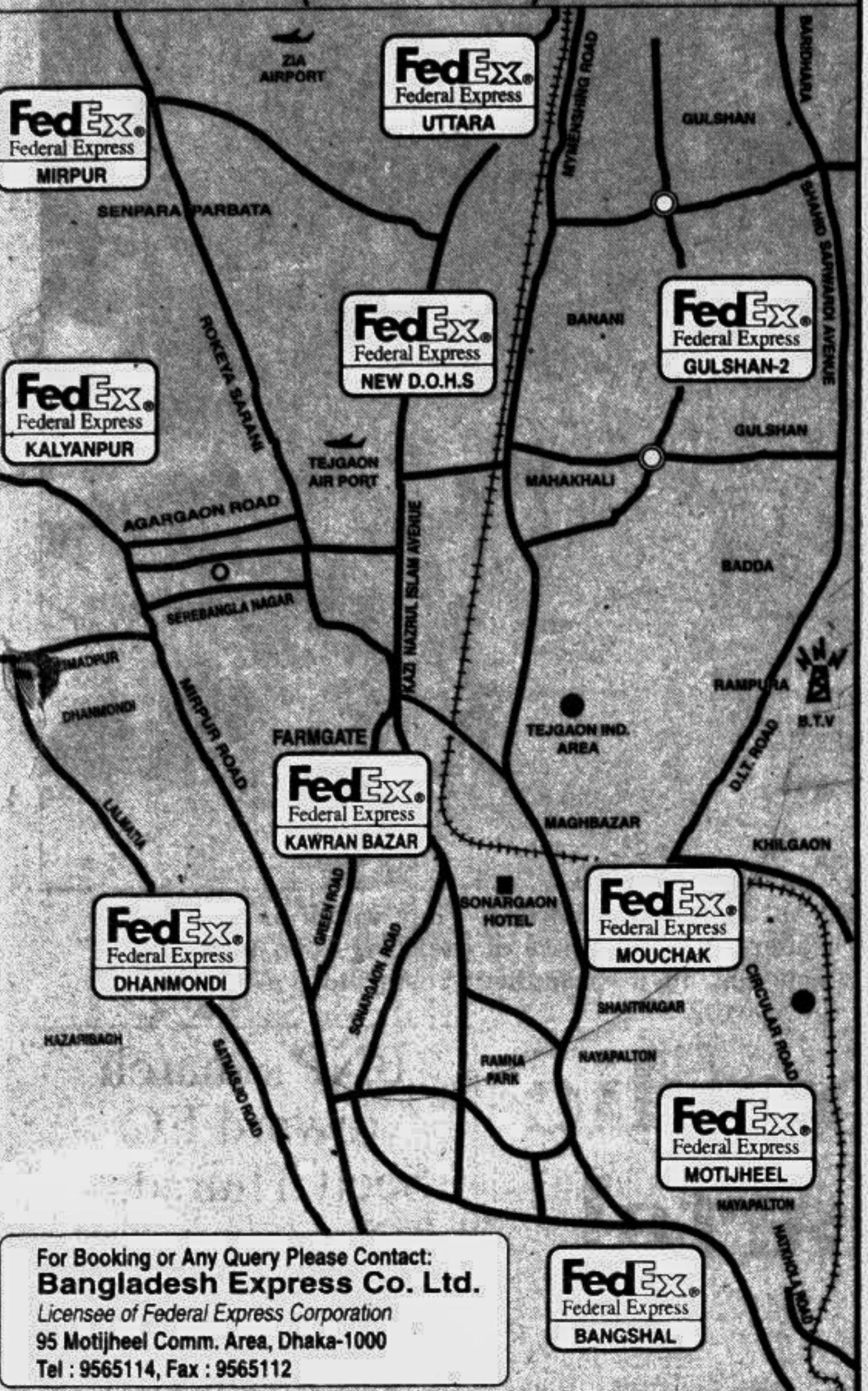
AIUB seminar on mobile communication

A seminar on 'Digital Cellular Mobile Communication' organised by AMA International University-Bangladesh was held on Saturday, says a press release.

The seminar was presided over by the Vice Chancellor of the University, Carmen Z. Lamagna while the principal speaker was Professor, Dr ABM Siddique Hossain of Electrical and Electronics Dept., Bangladesh University of Engineering & Technology.

AIUB Chairman, Dr Anwarul Abedin, Pro-Vice Chancellor, Directors Mr Hasanul A Hasan (HRD) and Ishtiaque Abedin, the faculty members, and students of the university attended the seminar.

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What's on today....

Workshop: Legislative Advocacy and Participation of the Civil Society Project has organised a workshop on 'Legal Aid Bill and Advocacy Initiatives'. Venue: CIRDP auditorium, Chamilly House, Ramna. Time: 9 am.

Int'l seminar: Islamic Economics Research Bureau (IERB) has organised a two-day international seminar on 'Zakat and Poverty Alleviation in Bangladesh'. Chief guest: Former President Abdur Rahman Biswas. Venue: Hotel Purbani. Time: 9:30 am.

Workshop: Shippers' Council of Bangladesh has organised a 3-day workshop in cooperation with UN-ESCAP on 'Multimodal Transport: Liability, Insurance, Documentation and Export/Import formalities' which will be inaugurated today. Venue: Hotel Purbani. Time 11 am.

Book on Amartya Sen published

A book on Nobel Prize winner economist Amartya Sen was published in the city yesterday, reports BSS.

Anupam Publication has published the book titled 'Martyr Amartya Sen', compiling new items, features and editorials published in different newspapers both in Bangladesh and India on winning Nobel Prize in Economics by Sen this year.

The book, edited by young researcher Dr Mohammad Hannan will be available in Dhaka Book Fair, according to a press release.

Photo exhibition begins today

A two-day photo exhibition on 'Life and works of M A Beg' begins in the city today on the occasion of the death of the late M A Beg.

Rare photographs of the War of Liberation by M A Beg and other photographs on his life will be on display.

Organised by North South University Photography Club in cooperation with the Begart Institute of Photography, the exhibition will be inaugurated by NSU Pro-VC Hafiz G A Siddiqi at the seminar room of the university (BTA Tower).

Artist Mostofa Monwar, Akku Chowdhury, and Golam Mostafa will be present at the inaugural ceremony as special guests.

The exhibition will remain open from 10 am to 5 pm, today and tomorrow.

Opposition urged to pursue politics of ballot

Foreign Minister Abdus Samad Azad yesterday advised the Opposition to have recourse to politics of ballot instead of hartal, reports UNB.

"Democratic rule expedites development and progress while politics of conspiracy and killing drives a country back," he told a discussion meeting marking the Victory Day in Tangail.

Azad said election is the recognised means to judge the public opinion. Unnecessary hartal would benefit none. He said 1970 general election had consolidated the demand for independence of the country.

The Foreign Minister said Awami League believes in democratic ideology and politics of justice against politics of vendetta.

Tangail district AL president Tofazzal Hossain Mukul chaired the discussion meeting. State Minister for Foreign Affairs Abul Hasan Chowdhury, former MP Fazlur Rahman Khan Faruq, Mir Moazzem Hossain Khan, Sawkat Ali Talukdar and Chhatra League leader Sohel Hazzari also spoke.

Husband beat up wife

By DMC Correspondent

A housewife was seriously injured when her husband beat her up following a family feud yesterday morning.

Delwara, 30, and her husband Monir Hossain, a rickshawpuller, were locked in a feud over the alleged kidnapping of their 12-year-old son Ruhul Amin a few days back.

Ruhul Amin went missing from their Rampura residence, but he was later found in a house in Maghbaria area.

Delwara claimed that her husband was behind the kidnapping.

At one stage of altercation, Monir hit her with a sharp object.

She is now undergoing treatment at the Dhaka Medical College Hospital.

BETA for improving standard of English teaching

Speakers at a meeting in the city have stressed the need for improving the standard of English teaching in the country.

The call was made at a general meeting of the Bangladesh English Teachers' Association (BETA) in the city on Friday, says a press release.

The meeting resolved to hold a seminar of English teachers after the Ramadan to raise awareness in this regard.

It also decided that they would apprise the Education Minister of their demands.

BETA has been campaigning for setting up a separate training academy for English teachers, introducing English in all levels, revision of the proposed syllabus for HSC students, creation of posts in different colleges, restriction on admission and ban on note books.

The meeting observed one-minute silence in memories of noted educationist Prof Mazharul Haq who died in a road mishap recently.

Presided over by Prof Anisur Rahman, the meeting was addressed by Gholam Mustafa, Mahbubur Rahman, Prof Alem Ali, and Ahmed Ahsanuzzaman.

Publication ceremony held

By Staff Correspondent

The publication ceremony of a book, 'Biniog Byabosthapan. Utpadan. Bipanar. Bastra Shilpa Prekshit', written by Abul Kashem Haider was held at the National Press Club auditorium on Friday last.

The book was published by Bangla Academy.

Chairman of Bangladesh University Grants Commission Dr Easj Uddin Ahmed was the chief guest at the function presided over by Director General of Bangla Academy Dr Syed Anwar Hossain.

ECMEA president Mostafa Golam Quddus, Dr Kazi Shariful Alam, Prof Fatema Begum, Mian Mohammad Ayub, Sirajul Islam Quadri, Mozammel Hossain Minto and Zaglul A Chowdhury took part in the discussion.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Ministry of Finance, Finance Department
Banking Section-7

No. MF/FD/Banking/Sec-7/Act-1(6)/97/Part-3/
Dated: 06-12-1998/22-08-1405 BS

Re-Notification

The government has decided to prepare a panel of specialists firms/individuals for appointment of Receiver for two Additional Liquidation courts in commercial areas of Dhaka & Chittagong including other Liquidation Courts in the country under Clause 64 of Liquidation Act. Applications are invited from eligible firms/individuals for inclusion in the panel.

2. Application should be made with detailed professional experience of the firm/individual, bank solvency certificate, bio-data of personnel appointed at senior management level & attested copies of other related professional certificates. In case of individual 10 years experience at senior management level at law firm and/or chartered accountants' firm & in case of firm (law firm/chartered accountants' firm) minimum 5 (five) years experience required.

3. Interested firm/individual may apply individually or jointly to the undersigned. Applications must reach the undersigned within 10 (ten) days of publication of the notice.

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Md. Zahid Hossain
Senior Assistant Secretary.

Bangladesh Rice Research Institute (BRRI), Gazipur Suppliers' Enlistment Notice No. 24 (1998-99)

Applications in BRRI's prescribed form are invited from bona fide sellers, manufacturers, agents & suppliers for enlistment of name as suppliers for supply of the undermentioned items.

Forms & stationery (including printing work), electrical & electronics, sanitary, hardware & construction materials, automobile parts & tyre-tube, agri instrument & machinery, furniture, chemicals, laboratory equipment, office equipment, fertilizer & insecticide, apparels, crockeries etc.

Tender form with terms & conditions can be collected from Accounts Department, Bangladesh Rice Research Institute, Gazipur at Tk 500/= (five hundred) only (non-refundable) per set during office hours up to 12-01-99. The undermentioned papers must be submitted with the application.

- Receipt of purchasing tender form.
- Photocopy of trade licence, VAT registration, turnover tax certificate, TIN & latest income tax clearance certificate attested by first class gazetted officer.
- Bank statement on financial transaction for 1995, 1996 & 1997 from govt approved bank.
- Documents of working with different organisations for past three years.
- Pay Order/Bank Draft for Tk 2000/= (two thousand) only issued by any nationalised bank in favour of Director General, Bangladesh Rice Research Institute should be deposited as enlistment fee for the said items all together. If considered for enlistment, the enlistment fee will not be refunded.
- The enlistment shall be for two years.

The application must reach the Director General, Bangladesh Rice Research Institute, Joydevpur, Gazipur by registered post or messenger within 13-01-99. If considered for enlistment Tk 20,000/= (twenty thousand) only as security deposit should be submitted in the form of Pay Order/Bank Draft in favour of Director General of the Institute, which will remain with the Institute free of interest for the period of enlistment.

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Dr Nurul Huq Choudhury
Director (Administration)
BRRI, Gazipur.

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তারিখ: ১০-১২-১৯৯৮/২৬-০৮-১৪০৫ বাং
মহাপরিচালক, বাংলাদেশ ডাক বিভাগ, ঢাকা কর্তৃক নিম্নবর্ণিত কাজের জন্য প্রতিষ্ঠিত কম্পিউটার ও এক্সপ্রেস ডেলিভারি সিস্টেমের প্রকল্পের অধীনে নিম্নবর্ণিত কাজের দরপত্র আহ্বান করা যাবে।

প্রকল্পের নাম: অন্যান্য শর্তাদি টেন্ডার দলিলে উল্লেখ আছে।

ক্র.সং	কাজের নাম	বায়না	দরপত্র দলিলের মূল্য	অনুমোদিত সময়
১	ঢাকা জিপিওর সঞ্চয় শাখায় কম্পিউটার ও এক্সপ্রেস সারবরাহ এবং স্থাপন কাজ	উদ্ধৃত দরপত্র ২.৫%	২০০০/-	৪ সপ্তাহ
২	চট্টগ্রাম জিপিওর সঞ্চয় শাখায় কম্পিউটার ও এক্সপ্রেস সারবরাহ এবং স্থাপন কাজ	উদ্ধৃত দরপত্র ২.৫%	২০০০/-	৪ সপ্তাহ
৩	বুলনা জিপিওর সঞ্চয় শাখায় কম্পিউটার ও এক্সপ্রেস সারবরাহ এবং স্থাপন কাজ	উদ্ধৃত দরপত্র ২.৫%	২০০০/-	৪ সপ্তাহ
৪	রাজশাহী জিপিওর সঞ্চয় শাখায় কম্পিউটার ও এক্সপ্রেস সারবরাহ এবং স্থাপন কাজ	উদ্ধৃত দরপত্র ২.৫%	২০০০/-	৪ সপ্তাহ
৫	সিলেট প্রধান ডাকঘরের সঞ্চয় শাখায় কম্পিউটার ও এক্সপ্রেস সারবরাহ এবং স্থাপন কাজ	উদ্ধৃত দরপত্র ২.৫%	২০০০/-	৪ সপ্তাহ
৬	ডাক জীবন বামা, ঢাকার কম্পিউটার ও এক্সপ্রেস সারবরাহ এবং স্থাপন কাজ	উদ্ধৃত দরপত্র ২.৫%	২০০০/-	৪ সপ্তাহ

আগামী ৩-১-১৯৯৯ তারিখে একযোগে ডাক অধিদপ্তর, ঢাকা এবং বিভাগীয় কমিশনার, ঢাকার কার্যালয়, ঢাকা - এর অফিসের রক্ষিত বাক্সে বেলা ১২.০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত দরপত্র গ্রহণ করা হবে এবং ৬-১-১৯৯৯ তারিখে বেলা ১২.০০ ঘটিকা উপস্থিত দরপত্রদাতাদের সম্মুখে (যদি কেহ উপস্থিত থাকেন) ডাক অধিদপ্তর, ঢাকায় নিম্ন বাক্সের অফিসে দরপত্র খোলা হবে।

৩। আগামী দরপত্রদাতাদের আগামী ৩০-১২-১৯৯৮ তারিখ পর্যন্ত অফিস চলাকালীন সময়ে সংশ্লিষ্ট কাগজপত্র প্রদর্শনপত্রক তত্ত্বাবধায়ক প্রকৌশলী/নির্বাহী প্রকৌশলী, ডাক অধিদপ্তর, ঢাকা-এর নিকট হইতে দরপত্র দলিল কয়েকটির বিধি অনুমতি নিতে হবে। যে কোন ডাকঘরে প্রকৌশলী বা দরপত্র দলিলের মূল্য (অফিসের অফিস) জমা দিয়া উর্ধ্বতন হিসাব রক্ষক, বিজিএস, ডাক অধিদপ্তর, ঢাকা এর অফিস হইতে রশিদ প্রদর্শনপত্রক ২৭-১২-১৯৯৮ তারিখ হইতে ৩১-১২-১৯৯৮ পর্যন্ত সকল কার্যদিবসে অফিস চলাকালীন সময়ে দরপত্র দলিল ক্রয় করা যাবে।

৪। আগামী দরপত্র দাতার কমপক্ষে ৫০ লক্ষ টাকার একক দরপত্র কম্পিউটার সফটওয়্যার সারবরাহ কাজের অভিজ্ঞতা থাকিতে হবে। দরপত্র দলিল ক্রয়ের পূর্বে অনুমতি গ্রহণের সময় নির্বাহী প্রকৌশলী বা তাহার পদস্থ কর্মচারীর নিকট নতুন এমন কর্মকর্তাদের নিকট হইতে অভিজ্ঞতার সার্টিফিকেট দেখাতে হবে। অন্যথায় দরপত্র দলিল ক্রয়ের অনুমতি দেওয়া হইবে না।

৫। কাজের সিডিউলের সাথে বিধিত শর্তাদি প্রণয়ন করিয়া দরপত্র জমা দিতে হবে। অন্যথায় দরপত্র বিধি বিধিত বাক্সে বিবেচিত হইবে।

৬। কর্তৃপক্ষ কোন কারণ প্রদর্শন ব্যতিরেকে যে কোন কিংবা সকল দরপত্র আংশিক/সম্পূর্ণ গ্রহণ অথবা বাতিল করার ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করেন।

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Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer
Facilities Department, Pabna Zone, Pabna

Tender Notice

No-08/ Revenue/FD/PZ/98-99

Dt. 30/11/98

Sealed tenders in Bangladesh Form No 2911 & 2908 are hereby invited from Facilities Department's enlisted contractors/bonafide furniture suppliers for implementation of the undermentioned works under Facilities Department, Pabna Zone, Pabna.

Group No	Name of work	Estimated cost	Amount of earnest money	Class of contractor	Time limit for completion of work
1)	Repairing & renovation of Natore Govt. High School in Sadar thana of Natore district.	1,50,000/-	3000/-	A1/A2	2 (two) months
2)	Repairing & renovation of Natore Govt. Girls' High School in Sadar thana of Natore district	1,00,000/-	2000/-	A2	2 (two) months
3)	Repairing & renovation of Natore Govt. Girls' High School in Sadar thana of Natore district	1,00,000/-	2000/-	A2	2 (two) months
4)	Repairing & renovation of Krishnapur Govt. Girls' High School in Sadar thana of Pabna district	1,00,000/-	2000/-	A2	2 (two) months
5)	Repairing & renovation of Krishnapur Govt. Girls' High School in Sadar thana of Pabna district	1,00,000/-	2000/-	A2	2 (two) months
6)	Repairing & renovation of Pabna Govt. Girls' High School in Sadar thana of Pabna district	1,00,000/-	2000/-	A2	2 (two) months
7)	Repairing & renovation of Pabna Govt. Girls' High School in Sadar thana of Pabna district	1,00,000/-	2000/-	A2	2 (two) months
8)	Repairing & renovation of Pabna Govt. High School in Sadar thana of Pabna district	1,00,000/-	2000/-	A2	2 (two) months
9)	Repairing & renovation of Govt. High School in Pabna Sadar thana.	1,00,000/-	2000/-	A2	2 (two) months
10)	Supply of furniture to the hostel of Pabna Zilla School	4,20,000/-	8400/-	A1/bonafide furniture suppliers	3 (three) months

- A) Last date of purchasing tender : 5/1/99 up to office hours.
- B) Date & time of submitting tender : 6/1/99 up to 12:00 Noon.
- C) Date & time of opening tender : 6/1/99 at 12:30 PM.
- D) Price of tender document (non-refundable) per set : Taka 400/- (four hundred) only.
- E) Offices where tender document to be had at & received at : Office of the undersigned, Deputy Commissioner, Pabna/Natore, Offices of all Executive Engineers of Rajshahi Division, Assistant Engineer, Pabna/Natore district.
- F) Description of earnest money : The amount mentioned as earnest money must be submitted through BD/Pay Order from any scheduled bank of Bangladesh in favour of the "Executive Engineer, Facilities Department, Pabna Zone, Pabna."

Terms & conditions:

- Only those A-2 class enlisted contractors who have deposited renewal fees for 1998-99 financial year, A-1 class contractors who have deposited renewal fees for 1997-98 financial year or those A-1 class contractors who have submitted their bio-data form at the Head Office for licence renewal, can only take part in the tender.
 - Permission for purchasing tender schedule should be obtained on production of up-to-date Income Tax clearance certificate, A-2 class renewal challan copy and original registration book. Attested copies of the said papers should be submitted at the time of submitting tender. Contractor should apply in their own letterhead pad at the time of purchasing tender schedule, otherwise permission to purchase tender schedule will not be given.
 - Tender will be treated as cancelled outright if submitted at rate more than 5% below the estimated cost.
 - Name of school may be cancelled or changed, but the contractor cannot claim any additional financial benefit for that.
 - Bill of the completed work will be paid subject to receipt of allotment, but the contractor will be bound to complete the work within the prescribed time.
 - In matters of furniture purchase, bonafide suppliers shall have to obtain permission for purchasing tender schedule on production of current year trade licence, income tax certificate & turnover certificate & certificate on satisfactory supply of furniture worth to the item of Tk 3.00 (three) lakh to any govt department, and submit attested photocopy of the same papers at the time of submitting tender.
 - VAT, Income Tax and security will be deducted from each kind of bill as per rules.
 - Tender will be treated as cancelled if submitted without filling in the contractor's complete bio-data form in B-Form (compiled in Bengali) attached to the tender.
 - Other terms & conditions of the tender will be available in the schedule.
- The authority reserves the right to accept any or all tenders or reject or accept any or all tenders without assigning any reason.

Arun Kumar Singha
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House No. 22, Road No 8, Sector 3, Uttara, Dhaka

Re-Tender Notice

Tenders are hereby invited from local reputed & bona fide experienced soil investigation companies/firms for right-of-weir soil investigation with a view to constructing Rashidpur-Ashuganj Gas Transmission Loopline by Gas Transmission Co Ltd (GTCL) for grid transmission of the gas produced at gas fields in the north-eastern region of the country i.e. greater Sylhet region.

- Name of work : Rashidpur to Ashuganj 82-km right-of-weir soil investigation for installation of Rashidpur-Ashuganj Gas Transmission Loopline installation.
- Price of tender : Tk 500.00 (five hundred) only. (non-refundable)
- Place of receiving & opening tender : Rashidpur-Ashuganj Gas Transmission Loopline Project, House No 22, Road No 8, Sector-3, Uttara, Dhaka.
- Starting & last date of selling tender : 15-12-98 to 11-1-99 (during office hours).
- Last date & time of receiving tender : 12-1-99 up to 11:00 AM.
- Date & time of opening tender : To be opened on 12-1-99 at 11:30 AM in presence (if any) of the tenderers.
- Bid security : 2.5% of quoted amount in Pay Order or Bank Draft.
- In case under unavoidable circumstance, the date of opening tender happens to be a holiday or remain closed, the tenders will be opened on the next working day at the same time & same place.
- The project authority is not bound to accept the lowest tender and reserves the right to reject or accept any tender or all tenders without assigning any reason.

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Ministry of Establishment, Discipline-4 Section
No ME/D4 (বিমা) 6/98-507 Dated: 18, Agrahayan, 1405/ 02 December, 1998

Sub : 2nd show cause notice in departmental case under Government Employees (Special Provision) Ordinance of 1979 against former Deputy Director of NGO Affairs Bureau & Member of BCS (Administration) Cadre Mr. Md. Ariful Huq Bhuiyan (ID No. 2935).

Whereas, you Mr. Md. Ariful Huq Bhuiyan (পরি নং 2935) while serving as Deputy Director of NGO Affairs Bureau were granted 3 (three) year lien Vide Ministry of Establishment Memo No. ME (FE)/Pradipan-195-814 dated 04-11-1995 for serving with NGO named 'Pradipan' and you taking release from NGO Affairs Bureau on 09-11-1995 joined 'Pradipan' and serving there only for 4 (four) days remained absent unauthorisedly, you were instructed vide Ministry of Establishment Memo No. ME/D4 (জিবি) 2/98-173 dated 18-05-1998 in accordance with Rule 3(B) of Government Employees (Special Provision) Ordinance 1979 through advertisement in the daily Banglar Bani on 31-08-1998 and by registered post to your permanent address at Kishoreganj to reply in writing within 5 (five) days of receipt & publication in newspaper of the notice and also to intimate whether you need personal hearing in the matter or not.

Whereas you sent a letter on 06-09-1998 as reply to that notice but without recording therein proper explanation to the show cause and praying for two months' time for giving proper reply on ground of your personal difficulty and whereas there is no provision for allowing two months' time under Government Employees (Special Provision) Ordinance 1979.

Now, therefore, you are instructed to show cause within 3 (three) working days of publication of this notice in newspaper, why you should not be dismissed from service.

A copy of this notice is sent to your permanent address and after expiry of the said prescribed time no claim or objection in this regard will be entertained.

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