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## TAG Interview Competition

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The entrants will be divided into two age groups (12-15 and 16-19 years). Please mention your name and date of birth, class and name of institution, home address and phone number. All entries must reach us by 19th March, 1999. Please e-mail your interview to Teenage Awareness@hotmail.com, or post or hand-deliver to:

TAG Interview Competition, Teenage Awareness Group, C/o The Daily Star, House 11, Road 3, Dhanmondi R/A, Dhaka-1205.

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## Tender Notice No-38/1998-99

“গাছ লাগান, দেশ বাঁচান”

Serial No	Name of work	Estimated cost	Earnest money	Eligibility of firm/contractor
1.	Internal water supply, sanitary work of hospital building under Narayanangj District Jail Project. (1998-99 fiscal year).	Tk 3,49,061/-	Tk 6,982/-	As per financial capability of valid enlisted contractor/firm of Public Works Department
2.	Places to receive tender notice	All the offices of Executive Engineers under Dhaka Public Works Circle-4, Dhaka and Eden Building Public Works Division, Dhaka.		
3.	Last date of selling tender	10-03-99 during office hours.		
4.	Date of receiving and opening tender	11-03-99 at 12-00 Noon and will be opened the same day at 12-15 PM.		

If more than one tender is found with the same rate, then the tender will be settled through a lottery on 22-3-99, Monday at 3-30 PM in the office room of the Executive Engineer, Narayanangj in presence of the tenderers (if anyone remains present).

Executive Engineer  
Narayanangj Public Works Division  
Narayanangj

## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer, RHD

Sylhet Road Division, Sylhet

Phone No : 716339

## Tender Notice

No 18 of Sylhet Road Division for 1998-99

1.	Tender Notice No	18 of Sylhet Road Division, Sylhet 1998-99.
2.	Name of works	Tender for widening and upgrading of road pavement at different KM of Charkhai-Zakiganj road under Road Division, Sylhet during the year 1998-99.
3.	Charge to	266 (Dev).
4.	Estimated cost	As per group list.
5.	Earnest money	As per group list.
6.	Whom estimate approved	Additional Chief Engineer, RHD, Comilla Zone, Comilla.
7.	Time allowed	As per group list.
8.	Name of offices where this tender will be received	Additional Chief Engineer, RHD, Comilla Zone, Comilla/Divisional Commissioner, Sylhet/Superintending Engineer, RHD, Road Circle, Sylhet/Superintending Engineer, RHD, Monitoring & Evaluation Circle, Dhaka and undersigned.

9.	Name of offices where tender document will be sold	Divisional Commissioner, Sylhet/Executive Engineer, RHD, Road Division, Sylhet/Moulvibazar/Sunamganj/Hobiganj/ Planning & Design Division-I (West area), Bridge Zone, Dhaka/Sub-Divisional Engineer, RHD, Road Sub-Division, Sylhet/Golapganj/Biswanath & Mechanical Sub-Division, Sylhet.
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10.	Last date of selling of the tender	15-03-1999 up to office hour.
11.	Last date and time of receiving the tender	16-03-1999 at 12-30 PM.
12.	Date and time of opening the tender	22-03-1999 at 12-45 PM.

13.	Date of lottery	24-03-1999 (if required). In office of the undersigned.
14.	Eligibility of contractor	RHD, Department 'A' to 'C' general categories contractor.
15.	Group List	

Gr No	Name of work & location	Estimated cost	Earnest money	Time allowed
1 (one)	Widening and Upgrading of road pavement at 1st KM of Charkhai-Zakiganj road.	Tk 31,43,946/-	Tk 62,879/-	90 (ninety) days
2 (two)	-do- 2nd KM -do-	Tk 45,31,759/-	Tk 90,636/-	-do-
3 (three)	-do- 27th(P) & 28th (P) -do-	Tk 49,33,890/-	Tk 98,678/-	-do-
4 (four)	-do- 28th (P) & 29th(P) -do-	Tk 50,09,869/-	Tk 1,00,197/-	-do-

Monjur Ahmed Bhuiya  
Executive Engineer, RHD  
Sylhet Road Division, Sylhet

DHAKA MONDAY, MARCH 1, 1999

## Metropolitan



People pay their last respects to Dr Ahmed Sharif at the Central Shaheed Minar. Dr Sharif's body was kept at the venue for two hours yesterday. — Star photo

## Egyptian FM calls on Samad Azad

Visiting Egyptian Foreign Minister Amre M Moussa met Foreign Minister Abdus Samad Azad at the latter's hotel suite in the city yesterday, reports UNB.

During the meeting, they discussed various matters of mutual interests with special emphasis on trade and economic cooperation.

## 13,500 community clinics to be set up in phases

In an effort to reach the modern-day medicare facilities to the doorsteps of rural people, the government has decided to set up 13,500 community clinics at union-level in phases, reports UNB.

Health and Family Welfare Minister Salauddin Yussuf made the disclosure at the national conference of Bangladesh Palli Chikitshak Samiti (BPCS) at Jatiya Press Club yesterday.

Implementation works of the project has already begun, he told the conference.

Yussuf said the government has undertaken pragmatic steps to develop the country's health

infrastructure, particularly in rural areas.

The minister said village doctors would be able to supplement the government efforts in strengthening the rural health infrastructure.

He called upon the village physicians to work with sincerity to raise awareness of the people about family planning, diarrhoea, child immunisation and other infectious diseases.

Vice-chairman of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society Sheikh Kabir Hossain, BPCS president Dr Mohammad Sabuj Ali and general secretary Dr Mohammad Abdus Sattar also spoke at the conference.

## What's on today....

**Launching ceremony:** The launching ceremony of a low-cost tubewell will be held. Organiser: International Development Enterprises, Bangladesh. Venue: Hotel Purbani. Time: 10 am.

**Rotary meeting:** The weekly meeting of Rotary Club of Dhaka North will be held. Venue: Sonargaon Hotel. Time: 6 pm. Guest speaker: Dr M Ataur Rahman Chowdhury will speak on 'Blood pressure control and good health'.

## Weather

## Temperature may fall

Weather is likely to remain mainly dry with temporary partly cloudy sky over the country during the next 12 hours till 6 pm today, reports UNB.

Night temperature may fall slightly over the country during the period. Met Office said.

Yesterday's highest temperature of 35.5 degree Celsius was recorded at Cox's Bazar and the lowest of 12.9 degrees at Srirangal.

The sun sets today at 6:01 pm and rises tomorrow at 6:20 am. Maximum and minimum temperature and humidity recorded in some major cities and towns yesterday were:

City/Town	Temperature in Celsius	Humidity in percentage
	Max	Min
Dhaka	32.3	17.0
Chittagong	34.0	22.2
Rajshahi	31.8	14.9
Khulna	32.5	18.0
Barisal	32.0	18.0
Sylhet	33.0	16.3
Cox's Bazar	35.5	24.0
	Morning	Evening
	64	40
	44	49
	50	52
	48	49
	48	51
	64	40
	48	53

## JS body reviews PID programmes

A meeting of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Information Ministry yesterday discussed setting up of PID regional offices in important places of the country, reports UNB.

Held at Jatiya Sangsad Bhaban with committee Chairman Abul Kalam Azad in the chair, the meeting stressed the need for construction of a permanent media centre.

Organisational structure, manpower, budget allocation of PID and the overall state of its various development programmes also came up at the meeting for discussion.

It urged the Information Ministry to formulate an overall development plan to gear up the activities of PID.

The meeting praised the PID's role in disseminating news and pictures at home and abroad during the last year's devastating flood.

Committee members State Minister for Information Prof Abu Sayeed, Sultan Mohammad Monsoor Ahmed, Mohammad Mostafizur Rahman (Fizul), NK Alam Chowdhury and Afzal H Khan attended the meeting.

Information Secretary M Akmal Hossain and other senior officials were also present.

## Landmine Ban Day today

**By Staff Correspondent**  
The Bangladesh Campaign to Ban Landmines (BCBL) will observe the International Landmine Ban Enforcing Treaty Day today.

The Landmine Ban Enforcing Treaty was signed by 133 countries including Bangladesh on March 1, 1997.

The BCBL will observe the day by bringing out a children's rally from Ramna Batamul in the city at 3 pm. It will hold a press conference on freeing South Asia from landmines later in the evening.

The BCBL is a non-political social organisation that is affiliated with the International Campaign to Ban Landmines (ICBL). According to a BCBL press release, in every 22 minutes around the world, one person dies or becomes disabled due to landmine explosion. Despite its negative impact, two million mines are being planted in different countries each year.

## PM to unveil Liberation War sculpture at DU

Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina will visit the Dhaka University campus on March 7 to unveil a sculpture based on the Liberation War, reports APB.

The sculpture is being put up at Fuller Road adjacent to the Pro-Vice Chancellor's residence. Noted sculptor Shamim Shikder is currently giving finishing touches to it.

## Dr Ahmed Sharif's body donated to Medical College

By DU Correspondent

The body of noted educationist and intellectual Dr Ahmed Sharif was donated to Bangladesh Medical College authorities yesterday for medical study.

Dr Sharif's wife and family members handed over his body in accordance with his last wishes. Sharif, a retired professor of Dhaka University, died of a massive heart attack on Wednesday.

Earlier, his corneas were grafted on two blind persons, Hafez Khairul Alam Khokan and Sahir Hossain.

Meanwhile, people from all walks of life thronged to the Central Shaheed Minar yesterday afternoon to pay their last respects to Dr Sharif. His body, kept at BIRDEM, was brought to the Central Shaheed Minar at 3:40 pm and kept there for about one-and-a-half-hours.

Various socio-political and cultural organisations and eminent personalities of the country went to the Shaheed Minar for a last glimpse.

The organisations included Projanmo 71, Bangla Academy, Shishu Academy, Bangladesh Samajtantrik Dal, Engineers' Institute, Dhaka Theatre, Nagarik Natya Sampradaya, Sammilta Sangskritik Jote, Group Theatre Federation, Dhaka University Teachers' Association, Ghatik Dal Nirmul Committee, Workers' Party, Samyabadi Dal, ADAB, Bangladesh Writers' Club, Udichi, Jatiya Sramik Federation, Bangladesh Chhatra Union, Chhatra Moitri and Chhatra Federation.

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