



Bangladesh Power Development Board Tender Notice

সময় মতো সঠিক বিদ্যুৎ বিল পরিশোধ করুন
সরকারকে ফাঁকি দেয়ার প্রবণতা বন্ধ করুন

Sealed tenders in PDB's T-1 Form are invited from Bangladesh Power Development Board's 'A' class enlisted contractors having valid A, B, C electrical licence and supervisory licence.

- Name of : Office of the Executive Engineer, Distribution Division, PDB, Tangail.
- Name of : Under Power Distribution Project (East & West) under jurisdiction of Distribution Division, PDB, Tangail.

Lot-1: Construction of new 0.4 KV line by salvaging different 0.4 KV bamboo lines — 112 km and maintenance of different 11 KV lines under Ghatail Power Supply.

Lot-2: Construction of new 0.4 KV line by salvaging different 0.4 KV bamboo lines — 65 km and maintenance of different 11 KV lines under Kalihati Electric Supply.

Lot-3: Construction of new 0.4 KV line by salvaging different 0.4 KV bamboo lines — 55 km and maintenance of different 11 KV lines in the areas lying outside the Municipality (Elonga and Balla feeder) under Tangail Commercial Operation.

Lot-4: Construction of new 0.4 KV line by salvaging different 0.4 KV bamboo lines — 38 km and maintenance of different 11 KV lines under Bhuapur Electric Supply.

Lot-5: Construction of new 0.4 KV line by salvaging different 0.4 KV bamboo lines — 30 km and maintenance of different 11 KV lines under Gopalpur Electric Supply.

Lot-6: Construction of new 0.4 KV line by salvaging different 0.4 KV bamboo lines — 40 km of Balla Electric Supply & 10 km of Sakhipur Electric Supply and maintenance of different 11 KV lines.

- Estimated cost
Lot-1: Taka 52,81,249/= (fifty-two lac eighty one thousand two hundred forty-nine) only.
Lot-2: Taka 34,49,695/= (thirty-four lac forty-nine thousand six hundred ninety-five) only.
Lot-3: Taka 32,19,660/= (thirty-two lac nineteen thousand six hundred sixty) only.
Lot-4: Taka 20,78,659/= (twenty lac seventy-eight thousand six hundred fifty-nine) only.
Lot-5: Taka 17,71,801/= (seventeen lac seventy-one thousand eight hundred one) only.
Lot-6: Taka 27,52,093/= (twenty-seven lac fifty-two thousand ninety-three) only.
- Price of tender document
Lot-1: Taka 5000/= (five thousand) only (non-refundable).
Lot-2: Taka 4000/= (four thousand) only (non-refundable).
Lot-3: Taka 3000/= (three thousand) only (non-refundable).
Lot-4: Taka 2500/= (two thousand five hundred) only (non-refundable).
Lot-5: Taka 2000/= (two thousand) only (non-refundable).
Lot-6: Taka 3000/= (three thousand) only (non-refundable).

5. Earnest money: 2.5% (two point five per cent) of the quoted amount should be submitted with the tender through Bank Draft/Pay Order in favour of the Deputy Director (A), Zonal Accounts Office (P&CO) PDB, Malibagh, Dhaka.

6. Eligibility of contractor: Contractors' firms who have successfully completed construction of 11/0.4 KV line worth minimum Tk 10 (ten) lac under a single work order under the Power Development Board/Dhaka Electric Supply Authority. Certificate of past experience in this regard issued by the Superintending Engineer/Executive Engineer or officer not below the equivalent status of the respective Department/Office should be submitted with the application for purchasing tender. (Certificate should state the name of work, work order No & date with quantity of the completed work and work order value).

7. Offices where tender document to be purchased from and submitted at: Tender document can be purchased on depositing Bank Draft/Pay Order from any scheduled bank in favour of the Deputy Director (A), (P&CO) PDB, Malibagh, Dhaka, from — (a) Divisional Commissioner, Dhaka Division, Dhaka, (b) Chief Engineer, Distribution, Central Zone, PDB, 1, Abdul Gani Road, Biddut Bhaban, Dhaka, (c) Superintending Engineer, P&D Circle, PDB, Boillah, Tangail and (d) On prior permission from the office of the undersigned, from the Local Uttara Bank, Tangail Branch, Tangail, and can be submitted at the same places.

Original copies of the undermentioned certificates should be produced and attested photocopies of the same should be submitted with the application at the time of obtaining permission for purchasing tender document.

- Original copy of Bank Credit Limit of minimum Tk 10,00,000/= (ten lac) issued by the DGM or equivalent officer of any scheduled bank of Bangladesh.
- Original copy of Power Development Board's up to date 'A' class enlistment.
- Original copy of valid A, B, C Electrical licence and Supervisory licence.
- Original copy of 1998-99 Trade Licence.
- Original copy of VAT registration certificate.
- Original copy of ownership document.

The said certificates must be enclosed with the tender document. Otherwise tender will be treated as cancelled.

8. Last date of selling tender: 07/12/99 (as per bank hours).

9. Date of receiving tender: Tender will be received up to 12:00 Noon of 08-12-99 and will be opened on the same day at 12:30 PM in presence of the tenderers (if any).

10. Within 15 (fifteen) days of informing the successful tenderer in writing, performance bond in the prescribed form supplied by the office should be submitted at the rate 10% of the accepted value in the shape of bank guarantee from any scheduled bank. Otherwise the tender shall be cancelled as well as the earnest money forfeited. This guarantee will be refundable after 13 (thirteen) months of successful completion of work and it should remain valid till then.

11. Work order will be issued subject to availability of materials and within 120 (one hundred twenty) days of which the work shall have to be completed.

12. The quoted rate should be distinctly written in figures & words. No tender document shall be sent or received by post. Rate analysis must be submitted with the tender if the quoted rate is 10% above or below.

13. The appropriate authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason and is not bound to accept the lowest tender.

Biddut/PR-712(6)/99-2000
DFP-2452-2/11
G-1937

Executive Engineer
Distribution Division
PDB, Tangail

RAOWA, Meena Bazar Nov 19, 20

RAOWA Ladies will hold a two-day long Meena Bazar on November 19 and 20 at the Club ground at Mohakhali, says a press release.

Those interested to book stalls at the Meena Bazar have been requested to contact the manager at the club premises (Tel # 605173) by November 15.

Rescheduled

The third national council of the Bangladesh Medicine Shop Workers Federation will be held on November 13 instead of the previously scheduled date due to the Opposition called hartals on November 7 and 8, says a press release.



Obituary

Begum Rahima Khatun, mother of Poet Fazal Shahabuddin, died of cardiac arrest yesterday. She was 81, says a press release.

She left behind four sons, three daughters, grandsons, granddaughters and a host of relatives to mourn her death.

Student held with arms in Rajbari

RAJBARI, Nov 6: Police arrested a college student with two Chinese revolvers at Daulatdia ferry ghat here today, police said, reports UNB.

They said Hafizur Rahman Milon, son of Abdur Rahman of village Mobarakpur in Jharkhand, was arrested along with the arms from ghat no 3 here when he going to Dhaka from Satkhira.



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Tenders are invited from A class of enlisted contractors of Power Development Board and bonafide supplier establishments for supplying stationery goods at an allocated expenditure of Tk 39,970/00 (taka thirty-nine thousand nine hundred and seventy) only for use in official purposes in Shahjibazar Power Generation Station through the tender no Shah/DM/CL-7/99/571 dated 24-10-99 and 9-7-1406 Bangla. Tender document/schedule can be procured from the offices of the Chief Engineer (Generation), PDB, WAPDA Bhaban, Motijheel, Dhaka and the undersigned at a cost of Tk 50/- (fifty taka) only (non-refundable) with prior permission till 05-12-99 and will be received in the said two offices till 12-30 PM on 6-12-99 and will be opened the same day at 12-45 PM before the tenderers (if there is any).

Deputy Manager
Shahjibazar Power Generation Station
PDB, Hobiganj.
Biddut/Jana-693(3)/99-2000
DFP 24502-2/11
G: 1935



Armed forces to be modernised to face challenges of 21st century: PM

Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina yesterday said her government would continue its effort to build up the armed forces as a modern, developed institution to face the challenges of 21st century and to further develop its skill and standard, reports UNB.

"The prime responsibility of our national defence forces is to protect sovereignty and independence of the country," she said addressing the graduating ceremony of the 1st National Defence College at the National Defence College in the city's Mirpur area in the morning.

On her arrival at the College, Commandant of NDC Major General Mansur Ahmed received the Prime Minister and delivered an address of welcome at the graduating ceremony. Twenty participants, including five from the civil service, graduated in the 1st defence course.

"Our armed forces earned confidence and love of the people through their participation in development and welfare activities," the Prime Minister said.

The armed forces have been playing a commendable role in facing various natural calamities, including flood, tidal surge and cyclone, apart from carrying out their onerous responsibilities, she added.

Hasina said members of the armed forces have been successfully working in different peacekeeping missions of the United Nations. As a result, Bangladesh's image has brightened abroad, she added.

The Prime Minister said the government is implementing massive programmes for strengthening and raising the standard of the armed forces.

She mentioned that the government has established one composite brigade, one support battalion, one engineering support battalion, one field ambulance, and one riverine engineering battalion for the army. Army Trust Bank has been established for the welfare of the members of the army, she said adding that the Military Institute of Science and Technology, the Armed Forces Medical College, and the Peacekeeping Operation Training Centre have been established.

She said modern equipment, including frigates, have been procured for the development of Navy, and MIG-29, C-130 transport plane and modern equipment procured for the air force.

Hasina said the Khulna Shipyard has been transferred to the Navy. The government has decided to transfer the Bangladesh Machine Tools Factory to the army. Pay, allowances and other financial benefits of the members of the armed forces have also been increased.

She said the government has decided to establish a separate brigade at Sylhet and Bangladesh Infantry Regiment at Rajshahi.

The government is going to set up Armed Forces War College next year for the training of mid-level officers. This college will start its course in 2001, she added.

The Prime Minister mentioned the government's success in socio-economic spheres and also the massive development steps taken for raising the standard of rural life and developing infrastructures across the country.

She mentioned steps for providing homes to the homeless under Asrayan project, old-age allowance programme, Employment Bank and steps for the empowerment of women and eradication of illiteracy.

She said it was because of the efficiency of the government that the quantum of foreign direct investment now stands at 670 crore US dollars. Due to the setting up of industries through foreign investment, opportunities have been created for the employment of thousands of people, she added.

The Prime Minister said the image of the nation has brightened abroad for pursuing a dynamic foreign policy. The government has laid emphasis on economic diplomacy.

"In terms of geographical landmass, our country is not a big one, but we have immense possibilities and huge human resources," she said calling upon all to work untidely to build a happy and prosperous "Sonar Bangla" (Golden Bengal) for facing the challenges of the new millennium.



Broken sewerage lines at Beltali of Begunbari area keeps this road not only flooded with the dirty water, but also engulfed in the nasty odour that causes immense suffering to the pedestrians using the road everyday. There apparently is no sign of any repair by the municipality though the problem has been existing for long.

— Star photo



Ahsanullah University closed sine die

Ahsanullah University of Science and Technology has been declared closed sine die from yesterday, a university press release said last night.

Join hands to foil all opposition conspiracies

KISHOREGANJ, Nov 6: Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives Minister Zillur Rahman today urged the people to join hands to foil the conspiracies of the opposition parties against the elected Awami League government, reports BSS.

"The beneficiaries of August 15 and November 3 killings have resorted to conspiracies as they do not want Awami League in power to run the country," he said while inaugurating the newly constructed Zillur Rahman High School Bhaban at Aganagar.

The minister said they are conspiring to repeat the August 15, 1975 killing once again.

Chaired by Bhairola Thana Awami League President Mohammad Saadullah Miah, the function was addressed, among others, by General Secretary Sirajuddin Ahmed and local Awami League, Jubo League and Chhatra League leaders.

The minister attended another function arranged to inaugurate the Anandabazar Bridge.

Zillur Rahman said the Opposition have become desperate to occupy power by creating anarchy and using violence as they knew for sure that it will be impossible for them to take office by winning the people's mandate.

Zillur Rahman also said that the government had established the franchise of the people, and the parliamentary by-elections, Union Parishad and Panchasabha polls were held under the present government in a free and fair atmosphere.

Programmes on anniversary of Bhasani's death

TANGAIL, Nov 6: The 23rd death anniversary of national leader Maolana Abdul Hamid Khan Bhasani will be observed here at Santosh on November 17 in a befitting manner, reports BSS.

The programme on the occasion includes Khatme Quran, placing of wreaths at the Mazar, Ziarat, Milad Mahfil, holding of discussion meetings, display and exhibition of books and articles of Maolana Bhasani, feeding of destitute and presentation of Murshidi and Marufati songs. "Halka Zikir" will also be held on the Mazar premises at the night.

Different political, socio-cultural organisations, educational institutions and followers of Maolana Bhasani will also hold separate functions to mark the day.

Institutions under Santosh Islamic University, Maolana Mohammad Ali Government College and Elashin Bhasani College will arrange programmes including Khatme Quran, Fatehkhani, Milad Mahfil.

Convocation of NSU Dec 9

North South University (NSU), the first private university of the country, will hold its third convocation programme at Osmani Memorial Hall on December 9, reports BSS.

President Justice Shahabuddin Ahmed, who is also the Chancellor of universities, has nominated Pro-Vice Chancellor Prof. Hafiz G. Siddiqi to preside over the convocation ceremony on his behalf. About 100 students are expected to be given graduation degree this year, a press release said in the city yesterday.

Dr G. Warren Smith, President of Slippery Rock University, Pennsylvania of USA, will be the convocation speaker while John C. Holzman, US Ambassador in Dhaka, will be present as the guest of honour. MA Kashem, the chairman of the NSU Foundation, will address the ceremony. A valedictorian, nominated by the graduating students will also speak on the occasion.

Holy Crescent Hospital takes up modernisation programme

CHITTAGONG, Nov 6: The Holy Crescent Hospital, the first under private sector and established in 1990 in the port city, has taken up a Taka three crore development programme in order to modernise and expand its medical services, reports BSS.

Managing Director of the hospital Brigadier (Retd) K M Abu Bakar said this at the first advisory committee meeting held at the hospital seminar room here today.

Bakar told the committee members that the Holy Crescent Hospital is already equipped with all necessary medical equipments, but its management had decided to renovate the hospital and equip it with more modern equipments so that improved medical services can be rendered by the hospital.

He said, procurement of CT scan, X-ray machine, diathermy, dopler machine, computerisation, the increasing number of beds from 50 to 100 are among development programmes of the hospital.

Karnaphuli Limited, a multinational company, has taken over the management of the Holy Crescent Hospital.

DU to hold convocation on Dec 18 every year

By DU Correspondent

Dhaka University authorities have decided to hold its general convocation on December 18 every year. The decision was taken at a meeting of DU Academic Council recently.

The last convocation of the university was held in 1970.

Pro-Vice-chancellor of DU Prof. M. Shahadat Ali told The Daily Star that the decision to hold the convocation regularly has been taken to hand over certificates to outgoing students of the university in a ceremonial way.

Prof Ali condemned the previous DU authorities for their failure in holding such functions of the university regularly. "The programme could not be carried out because of the unhealthy situation on the campus."

"We will now be able to hold the function annually as the peaceful atmosphere has been brought back on the campus," Prof Ali added.

Meanwhile, the DU authorities were preparing to hold its first ever general convocation after the independence of the country on December 18.

BMSSS calls hartal today

Bangladesh Muktiyoddha Smriti Sangrakshak Sangsad (BMSSS) on Friday announced a dawn to dusk complete hartal for today to press home their demand to declare the day as a 'black day', reports BSS.

The decision was taken unanimously at an executive committee meeting of the sangsad held at Mohammadpur Community Centre.

The BMSSS leaders said on November 7, the counter-revolutionary forces grabbed the state power by killing the freedom fighters.

They demanded of the government of punitive action against those who take pride in the so-called revolution on November 7.

Chaired by Ibne Aziz Chowdhury, the BMSSS executive committee meeting was also attended, among others, by senior vice-chairman Shushanka Bhushan Majumdar and secretary general Mohammad Ziaul Huq.

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Dhaka WASA Tender Notice

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Tenders are hereby invited from bonafide manufacturers/bonafide importers and their approved representatives under No 2 Form of Dhaka WASA for supplying 1) 100 cubic meter/hour (1.0 cusec) sub-pump for FM Division, and 2) 150 cubic meter/hour (1.5 cusec) sub-pump for FM Division. Tenders will be received till 12:00 Noon on 22/11/99 and will be opened the same day at 2:00 PM before the tenderers or their representatives (if anyone remains present).

Schedule of tender/bill of quantities will be available from the office of the Chief Accounts Officer of Dhaka WASA, WASA Bhaban, 98, Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Dhaka and all MODS Zone offices of Dhaka WASA. Other details will be available in the office of the undersigned.

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