

**SALE OF VEHICLE & OLD APPLIANCES**

The Asian Development Bank (ADB), Bangladesh Resident Mission, BSL Office Complex, 2nd Floor, 1, Minto Road, Dhaka, intends to sell the following vehicle and old & used appliances (in a lot) on 'As-Is-Where-Is' basis through sealed bids:

1. Toyota Corona-1600cc, 1988, Run-154579 kms.
2. Used Freezer, Refrigerator, Gas Cooker, Air-conditioner, etc.

Bids from individuals or institutions can be submitted any day during 27 April to 11 May 2000. The bidding closes on 11 May 2000 at 10:00 a.m. and bids will be opened in public at 12:00 noon on the same day. The bidders will have to attach with the bid a Pay Order/Bank Draft as full bid value. Staff of the ADB and their dependents are not eligible to bid.

Interested bidders are requested to contact the Head, Administration (Phone 9334017) to inspect the vehicle and old appliances and obtain details of the terms and conditions for the bidding on any working day between 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**WANTED IMMEDIATELY**

A group of Companies, for its Head office (Dhaka) and Factory (near Narayanganj), need the following experienced person for employment :-

**1. Director Marketing** :- Candidate must have Masters/MBA degree major in marketing and at least 7 years experience on marketing and sales. He will be the head of Marketing Division and responsible to the Company's Chairman.

**2. Assistant Manager Marketing** :- Must have BBA/MBA degree major in marketing with at least 2 years experience on marketing and sales.

**3. Engineers** :- Must be B.Sc.Engineer (Electrical/Mechanical) with at least 2 years experience on engineering productivity.

**4. Manager Administration** :- Masters or Graduate in any discipline, preferably Dip.in Personnel Management and retired army personnel not below rank of Captain, with at least 5 years experience on administration.

**5. Audit Incharge/Audit officers** :- Musters in commerce/Accounting preferably ICMA intermediate passed or CA course completed with at least 5/2 years audit experience on similar position.

**6. Sub Asstt.Engirneers** : Must be Dipoma in Electrical/civil Engineer with at least 2 years experience on similar position.

Interested candidates are requested to mail their application to **The Daily Star Box NO. A-1010** Dhaka by 10th May 2000 along with 2 P.P. Photographs and relevant certificates.

**Bangladesh Forest Industries Development Corporation**  
Eastern Wood Works  
185/A, Tejgaon Industrial Area, Dhaka-1208

**Re-Tender Notice**

Re-tenders in prescribed schedule in sealed envelopes are invited from manufacturing/supplying firms of GI Pipe, MS Pipe, GI Sheet, MS Sheet, MS Angle, steel furniture:

Tender schedule can be procured on 3-5-2000 during office hours from the Cashier, BFIDC, Eastern Wood Works, Tejgaon, Dhaka and the Cashier, BFIDC, Head Office, 73, Motijheel Commercial Area, Dhaka on payment of Taka 300/- (three hundred) (non-refundable) and will be received on 4-5-2000 till 12-00 noon in the tender box kept at office of the undersigned and the office coordination officer of Director (Finance), BFIDC, Head Office, 73, Motijheel Commercial Area, and these will be opened the same day at 12-15 PM in presence of the tenderers (if anyone remains present). No tender schedule will be sold on the day of opening tender.

Trade licence for the current year, certificate for income tax payment for the 1998-99 fiscal year, value added tax registration and earnest money at the rate of 5% (five per cent) of the total cost in the forms of Bank Draft/Pay-Order in favour of the Asstt. General Manager, BFIDC, Eastern Wood Works, Tejgaon, Dhaka will have to be submitted with tender DD/Pay-Order must be from schedule bank.

The authority reserves the power to reject the tender of the establishments which have been proved to have failed to supply manufacture steel goods to Bangladesh Forest Industries Development Corporation and units under it, other government establishment/office/directorate and also the power to accept or reject any tender or all tenders without assigning any reason.

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**Kalidas Saha**  
Asstt General Manager

**FACULTY POSITIONS AVAILABLE**

The University of Asia Pacific invites application from intending candidates for the following faculty positions:

Name of the Post	Department/Subject	No. of Post	Qualifications
Professor/ Associate Professor (Head of the Department)	Computer Science & Technology/Computer Science & Informatics	1	<p><b>For Professor:</b> Ph.D. in relevant subject with minimum 5 years experience in Teaching/research.</p> <p><b>For Associate Professor:</b> Ph.D. in relevant subject with minimum 3 years experience or MS or equivalent in relevant subject with 5 years experience.</p>
Assistant Professor/ Lecturer	Do	3	<p><b>For Assistant Professor:</b> MS or equivalent in relevant subject B.Sc. (Engg) degree in Computer Science &amp; Technology/Engineering with minimum 3 years experience.</p> <p><b>For Lecturer:</b> B.Sc. (Engg) degree in Computer Science &amp; Technology/Engineering. Masters degree holders in Computer Science having first class at Honours or Masters Level.</p>
	(1 in Electrical and Electronics Engineering)		

Applications to be sent to the undersigned with CV's by May 15, 2000. Salary commensurate with candidates' academic qualifications & experience.

**The University of Asia Pacific**

Registrar

House no. 53, Road no. 4A, Dhanmondi R/A, Dhaka-1209, Telephone: 861 2935, 9664951, E-mail: uap2@vasdigital.com

**Metropolitan****Zila Parishad Bill to be placed in next JS session**

Local Government Minister Zillur Rahman said that efforts are under way to strengthen Zila Parishad through enactment of necessary laws, reports BSS.

Steps have already been taken to enact laws for Zilla Parishad in the coming session of Jatiya Sangsad, he told Canadian High Commissioner in Dhaka David Preston when the latter called on the minister at his Secretariat Office.

Zillur Rahman said a strong Zilla Parishad comprising elected representatives will be formed for the overall and equal development of the villages.

The Minister was discussing with Preston possible Canadian assistance to strengthen local government institutions. The Minister said a four-tier

decentralised structure of local government has already been set up to remove poverty and strengthen economic activities at grassroots level. Elections to Union Council and Pournashabha have already been held in a free and fair manner and polling for Upazila and other local bodies will also be held soon.

The High Commissioner lauded the steps taken for induction of women representatives in all local bodies, including Union Council, and said the step would go a long way in empowering women and in ensuring women participation in all local government activities.

Preston assured the Minister of continued Canadian assistance to strengthen local government institutions and to remove rural poverty.

**International Labour Organization (ILO)****INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMME ON ELIMINATION OF CHILD LABOUR (IPEC)**

ILO is a United Nations Specialized Agency. Under the ILO's In-Focus Programme on Child Labour, IPEC is operating in sixty countries worldwide working towards progressive elimination of child labour.

To manage the IPEC Country Programme in Bangladesh, the ILO is recruiting a National Programme Manager (NPM). The job involves management and coordination of the country programme; working closely with IPEC implementing agencies including government, NGOs, employers and trade unions in the design and implementation of projects; monitoring and evaluation of the programme.

**NATIONAL PROGRAMME MANAGER: A CHALLENGING JOB!****Qualifications:**

- Bangladeshi national (F/M);
- Minimum Masters degree in Economics, Management, Social Science or equivalent;
- 5 years of project management and implementation experience in Bangladesh;
- 3 years of operational experience in combating child labour or related issues.

**Competencies:**

- Demonstrated ability to design and manage development projects;
- Excellent analytical skills and communication skill;
- Is, both written and verbal, in English and Bangla;
- Ability to train and guide personnel, and national counterparts;
- Ability to work independently with minimum supervision;
- Good interpersonal relations and ability to work in a team;
- Ability to handle complex issues in a diplomatic way;
- Work under time pressure and meet deadlines;
- Proficient in basic computer software (microsoft word, excel, and WP);
- Familiarity with ILO policies and United Nations procedures (preferred).

Please submit your application in a sealed envelope addressed to Director, ILO Dhaka, containing your CV, a sample of your previous work, a 1-page write-up on "Strategies to combat child labour in Bangladesh", references and contact telephone number. The application should reach the ILO Office in Dhaka, House No. 12, Road No. 12 (New), Dhanmondi R.A., Dhaka at the latest by 4 PM on 3 May 2000. Only short-listed candidates will be notified to sit for a written test on 8 May 2000. Please mark on the right-hand corner of the envelope "Application for the post of NPM".

Any form of canvassing, soliciting or influencing will be treated as a disqualification.

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Udichi demands action against religious fanatics

The Udichi Shilpi Gosti has demanded action against the religious fanatics and anti-liberation forces who are giving threats to eminent persons on different pretexts, reports BSS.

Udichi president Syed Hasan Imam and Secretary General Mahmud Selim in a statement yesterday said the reactionary forces in Brahmanbaria have raised their ugly heads and threatened the life of Quazi Faruque Ahmed of Proshika.

Earlier, these forces made threats to respected figures like late Sufia Kamal, Kabir Chowdhury and Shamsur Rahman declaring them as "Murtad".

Udichi demanded stern actions against those who are seeking to use religion to gain political ends.

Preston assured the Minister of continued Canadian assistance to strengthen local government institutions and to remove rural poverty.

A nine-day exhibition on art work created on the occasion of Baishakh Utsab begins at the art gallery of Indian Cultural Centre in the city tomorrow, reports UNB.

Renowned artist Prof Quayum Chowdhury will inaugurate the exhibition at 4:30 pm as chief guest while artist Md. Hussain, Prof Rafiqur Nabi and Deputy High Commissioner of India P R Chakravarty will be the guests of honour.

The exhibition, jointly organised by Institute of Fine Arts and the High Commission of India, will remain open from 3 pm to 8 pm daily till May 6.

**Ammu & Papa**

Wish you all the best on your 25th wedding anniversary.

**Shawon & Sunny**

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**Khaleda demands adequate relief materials for storm-hit people**

By Staff Correspondent

BNP chairperson Khaleda Zia yesterday demanded supply of adequate relief materials for the people who were hit by nor'wester in different parts of Mymensingh and Netrakona districts.

The hailstorm completely damaged the standing boro corps, killed 13 people and injured thousands. It also caused severe damage to educational institutions, she said.

The leader of the Opposition in Parliament said thousands of men, women and children are now living under the open sky in this rainy season, but supply of relief materials is inadequate.

The government's actions once again proved that this is not a people's government.

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As for these specific jobs, it is HSBC's policy to employ the best people in the market, and we would also be pleased to hear from experienced banking professionals who would be interested in a career working for one of the leading financial institutions in the world, which has ambitious, dynamic long-term plans for its operations in Bangladesh.

Application and CV which should include the names and addresses of 2 referees and a recent photograph to be sent to the following address:

**Human Resources Department,  
HSBC**

1/1-B Sonargaon Road,  
Anchor Tower (5th Floor), Dhaka-1205

On or before 11 May 2000

- Only candidates short-listed will be notified. Candidates who have applied and have been tested before need not apply. All applications will be treated with strictest confidence.

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