

## Environment Court helping plantation programme

Environment and Forest Minister Sveda Sajeda Chowdhury yesterday said that the afforestation programme of the government has become protected across the country following the establishment of Environment Court, reports UNB.

"Many people used to destroy trees and the law was not strong enough to dissuade them from such destruction. Now the situation has changed with the setting up of environment court", she told a press briefing at her office in the afternoon.

The conference was held to announce the names of recipients of the "Prime Minister's National Award on Tree Plantation-99" for outstanding contribution in planting trees in their respective areas.

The awards were given in 11 fields. Those awarded include educational institution, religious institutions, NGO, local bodies, club, private nursery and individuals.

Sajeda Chowdhury said the government is trying sincerely to turn the tree plantation into a social movement.

Disclosing the government's afforestation plans for the next year, she said it will distribute 1.42 crore saplings to the people at only Tk 2 per sapling.

## Non-govt pry teachers' grand rally now Aug 20

By Staff Correspondent

A delegation of the non-government primary school teachers called on BNP secretary general Abdul Mannan Bhuiyan yesterday morning. They apprised the BNP leader about their different demands.

They also informed him that their scheduled grand rally on June 25 was shifted to August 20 due to inclement weather.

BNP chairperson Begum Khaleda Zia will be the chief guest while Jatiya Party Chairman Hussain Muhammad Ershad, Jamaat Amir Prof. Gollam Azam and Islami Okkaj Jote Chairman Shaikhul Haq will be special guests at the rally.

During the discussion Abdul Mannan Bhuiyan accused the government of not accepting their demands.

Before going to power Awami League chief had assured of fulfilling of all demands by the non-government primary school teachers but immediate after assuming power she forgot everything, Bhuiyan alleged.

He also criticised the government for allocating a huge amount for the Prime Minister Office ignoring the demand of many other people, says a BNP press release.



An anti-hartal procession by Awami Sechchasehak League in the city yesterday.

— Star photo

## President, PM greet Russian counterparts

President Justice Shahabuddin Ahmed yesterday felicitated his Russian counterpart President Vladimir Putin on the occasion of the State Day of the Russian Federation today, reports BSS.

In a message, the president expressed his confidence that the friendly relations existing between the two countries will be further consolidated in the years to come.

"Please accept, my best wishes for your good health, well-being and long life and for the continued peace, progress and prosperity, of the people of the Russian federation," he said in his message.

In a separate message, Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina greeted Russian Prime Minister Mikhail Mikhailovich Kasyanov on the occasion Russia's State Day.

"On behalf of the govern-

ment and the people of Bangladesh and on my own behalf, I have great pleasure in extending to you and through you to the government and the people of the Russian Federation our heartfelt greetings and felicitations," she said in a message sent to Moscow.

Sheikh Hasina hoped that the bonds of friendship and the excellent relations between Bangladesh and Russia would be strengthened in the days to come.

## Tests deferred 20th BCS viva test June 29

The viva-voce of the 20th BCS examinations scheduled for today has been deferred due to unavoidable circumstances, reports UNB.

The viva will now be held on June 29 at same time and venue, said a BPCS press release yesterday.

No further letter will be issued to the candidates concerned in this regard, the release added.

Meanwhile, the viva-voce for the post of officer under Banker's Recruitment Committee also scheduled for today, has been deferred.

The viva will be held on July 12 at the same time. The candidates would be informed in due time through letters, said a Bangladesh Bank press release.

## M Ed admission examination

The admission test for M Ed (2000-2001) scheduled for today has been deferred due to unavoidable circumstances.

The test will be now held at 8:30 am on June 17 said a TTC press release yesterday.

## ICMAB discussion postponed

The Discussion Session on WTO and GATS implications arranged by the Institute of Cost and Management Accountants of Bangladesh (ICMAB) scheduled to be held today has been postponed due to unavoidable circumstances, says a press release.

A date of the discussion session will be informed later on it added.

## Progress of courses in JU discussed

The deans, directors, departmental chairman and controller of examinations of Jahangirnagar University discussed the progress of post-graduate and other examinations at a meeting yesterday, reports UNB.

Chairman of different departments mentioned the shortage of teachers but expressed satisfaction on the progress of courses.

Presided over by Vice-Chancellor of the university Prof. Abdul Bayes, the meeting also decided to complete the first year course by November.

## Bazlur Rahman takes over as Sangbad Editor

Bazlur Rahman, the Executive editor of the 'Sangbad' yesterday took over as the editor of the daily, reports BSS.

Rahman, who joined in this vernacular daily in the early sixties, has been working as the executive editor of the daily for a long time.

Ahmedul Kabir will act as the Chief Editor and publisher of the daily.

## Attack on Tarun Dal president protested

By Staff Correspondent

BNP Secretary General Abdul Mannan Bhuiyan has strongly protested the attack on Jatiyatabadi Tarun Dal president AU Ahmed Tuhin.

In a statement yesterday, he said terrorists had attacked Tuhin and struck him with a sharp weapon. They also ransacked his house and looted valuable articles.

City BNP president Sadek Hossain Khokha MP and general secretary Abdus Salam in a joint statement also condemned and protested the incident.

## Rotary News

### Weekly meeting

The regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Dhaka North will be held today at 7:30 pm at Fountain Fortuna Restaurant, 35 Kemal Ataturk Avenue, Banani, in the city, says a press release.

The meeting will be followed by fellowship dinner with Ann.

## Bank holiday June 15

Bangladesh Bank (BB) and all other scheduled banks will remain closed on June 15 on account of holy Eid-e-Miladunnabi (SM), said a BB press release yesterday, reports UNB.

## BKL leader dead

GOSAIRIAT, Shariatpur: June 11: Ali Hossain Gharani, President of Goshairhat Thana Krishak League (BKL), died of cancer here yesterday. He was 50, reports BSS.

Ali, also a UP member, is survived by his wife, one son and two daughters.

He was buried at Nutun Bazar Mosque Graveyard after Asr prayers yesterday.

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## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

### Health Directorate

Mohakhali, Dhaka-1212

Memo No: Health Directo/ME/BDS/99/173

Dated: 1-6-2000

## Notice

**Subject: Regarding Admission in BDS Course in Dental College/Units during 1999-2000 Academic Session**

60 (sixty) have been selected for admission provisionally in first phase from the waiting list of 250 (two hundred fifty) published earlier on merit basis in BDS course in first year in Dhaka Dental College/dental units in Chittagong and Rajshahi Medical College during 1999-2000 academic session. College/unit has been distributed among them on the basis of their merit and option and subject to vacancy of seats. Students who got the chance of admission are directed to complete the formalities of admission by 18<sup>th</sup> June, 2000 by contacting the principal concerned of Dental College/dental units. Other terms and conditions as published in the notice through the memo of the directorate No Health Directo/ME/BDS/99/232 dated: 8-2-2000 will remain unchanged. Information regarding automigration can be known from the office of the principal of their respective college/units.

Professor Shah Monir Hossain

Director

Medical Education and Health Manpower Development

DFP-14348-6/6

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Mohakhali, Dhaka.

## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Public Works E/M Division-7, Dhaka

Memo No E/M-7-126/4767

Dated, Dhaka 31-05-2000/17-02-1407

## Tender Invitation Notice

No 209/1999-2000

Tenders in Bangladesh Form No 2911 in sealed envelopes on percentage basis are invited for the following works from special first class, first class and second class contractors enlisted with the Public Works Department for electrical/mechanical work who have valid ABC/BC category of contractorship and supervisory licences issued by Electrical Licensing Board and registration certificate from Value Added Tax Department and TIN certificates for the undermentioned work. Tenders will be received in the tender boxes kept at the offices of the Executive Engineer, Public Works E/M Division-1/2/3/4/5/6/7/8, Dhaka, Public Works E/M Workshop Division, Dhaka, Public Works Timber Workshop Division, Dhaka, Public Works Eden Building Division, Dhaka till 12-00 Noon of 8-3-1407 Bangla/22-6-2000 Eng and will be opened on the same day at 12:30 PM in presence of tenderers (if anyone remains present).

Tender form, schedule of items, terms and conditions and rules, regulations etc can be purchased from the offices of the Executive Engineer, Public Works E/M Division-1/2/3/4/5/6/7/8, Dhaka, Public Works E/M Workshop and Timber Workshop Division, Dhaka, Public Works Eden Building Division, Dhaka till 7-3-1407 Bangla/21-6-2000 during office hours on payment of Tk 425/- only in cash (non-refundable). Tender form can be purchased by contractor himself or representative authorised by him by producing all necessary papers including registration book. Security money at the rate of 2 per cent of the total quoted cost in the form of Bank Draft/Pay Order/Treasury Challan/Cash Deposit from any scheduled bank in favour of the undersigned will have to be deposited with each tender.

Sl No	Name of work	Estimated cost	Earnest cost	Time allowed
1	Repairing work and change of electrical wiring, fitting and fixtures in the House No F-196 to F-219, a total of 24 houses in CGS Colony area at Sher-e-Bangla Nagar.		At the rate of 2 per cent of the total quoted cost.	1 (one) month.

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Md Aminul Haque

Executive Engineer

Public Works E/M Division-7

Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka

Phone: 326314.

## UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY, CHITTAGONG (USTC)

### FIRST CONVOCATION

All Qualified Students' Registration for Participation in the Convocation of USTC:

- Registration fee : Tk 2500/- (Two Thousand Five Hundred) each.
- Last date : 20-6-2000
- Contact :
  - Prof. Tofael Ahmed, Registrar, USTC Phone: 013-659069-71.
  - Mr. A. Jabbar, PS to Founder VC, USTC, 63, Central Road, Dhaka-1205. Phone: 8614959, 8614400, Fax: 8618300.

## R&H Tender Invitation Notice

- Tender notice no : 83/EE WD, Dhaka/1999-2000.
- Name of work : As per group list in the proforma below.

Group No	Name of work	Estimated cost	Amount of earnest money	Time for completion of work	Head of expenditure
a)	Supply of goods for Daf 210 HP engine under R&H Workshop Division, Dhaka.	As per schedule	2% (two per cent) of estimated cost.	30 (thirty) days	T&R.
b)	Supply of spare parts for 290 HP Volvopenta and 120 HP Ford engine under R&H, Workshop Division, Dhaka.	-Do-	-Do-	-Do-	-Do-

3. Eligibility of contractor : All classes of contractors enlisted with R&H Department as per regional and financial capability.

4. Offices of availability of tender and schedule : Workshop Division, Dhaka/Mymensingh/ Equipment Control Division, Dhaka and Workshop Sub-Division Tejgaon, Dhaka. Schedule with Bangladesh Form No-2908 can be purchased on payment of Taka 510/- per set (non-refundable) till the day before receiving tender during office hours.

5. Offices where tender and schedule will be received : Superintending Engineer, R&H Workshop Circle, Tejgaon, Dhaka/ Executive Engineer, R&H Workshop Division, Dhaka, Executive Engineer, R&H Workshop Division, Mymensingh/ Executive Engineer, R&H Equipment Control Division, Dhaka.

6. Last date of selling tender : 19-06-2000.

7. Last date of receiving tender in sealed condition : 20-06-2000 till 12:00 Noon.

8. Date and time of opening sealed tender : 22-06-2000 at 12:30 PM.

9. Date of lottery (if necessary) : 22-06-2000 at 2:30 PM.

Md Abdus Sattar

Executive Engineer, R&H (Mechanical)

Workshop Division, Tejgaon, Dhaka.

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## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer  
Public Works E/M Division-2, Dhaka

Memo No 27-69/1647

Dated: 31-5-2000

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## Re-Tender Invitation Notice

Tender Notice No 60

Tenders in Bangladesh Form No 2911 in sealed envelopes on the basis of quoting item rates are invited from special first/class one E/M contractorship establishment with the previous experience enlisted with Public Works Department, centrally air-condition system repairing establishment or local approved agents of the establishment for the undermentioned work.

Last date of purchasing tender: 22-06-2000 (during office hours).

Date and time of opening tender: 23-06-2000 (at 12:30 PM).

Name of work	Earnest money	Time limit for completion of work
Yearly maintenance and conducting of 2x52 ton capacity centrally aircondition plant and split type air conditioners of the state guest house Jamuna at No 30, Hare Road in Dhaka. 01-07-2000 to 01-06-2003.	2% (two) of the quoted cost.	36 (thirty-six) months.

Establishments as stated above interested in participating tender must have at least 3 (three) years previous experience in maintenance and servicing work satisfactorily of centrally aircondition machine in any government/semi-government/autonomous establishment and VAT registration certificate from National Board of Revenue.

The certificate of previous experience must be in the prescribed proforma (procureable free of cost from this office and must be issued by the official of the establishment concerned, not below the rank of an Executive Engineer). Application for permission of purchasing tender will have to be made at least 5 (five) days before the last date of purchasing tender alongwith the attested copies of TIN registration or VAT registration certificate, certificate of previous experience and register of enlistment/certificate of approved agent of manufacturer or certificate as manufacturer from the Superintending Engineer, Public Works E/M Circle-1, Dhaka through the undersigned.

Establishments getting permission can purchase tender from Public Works E/M Division-1/2/3/Public Works Eden Building Division, Dhaka on payment of fixed cost in cash and can drop tenders till 12-00 Noon on the day of opening of tender in the tender boxes kept at the offices of Public Works E/M Division-1/2/3/Public Works Eden Building Division. Interested tenderers participating in tender/their representatives may remain present at the time of opening tenders. Establishments which will get the permission can purchase tender on payment of Taka 425/- (four hundred and twenty-five taka) (non-refundable).

Earnest money in the form of Bank Draft/PO/SDR/CD from any scheduled bank approved by Bangladesh Bank in favour of the Executive Engineer, Public Works E/M Division-2, Dhaka will have to be deposited with each tender.

If the contractors who have their permanent security with the Public Works Department want to utilise the money for permanent security in lieu of security (if it is covered by the security money) then the certificate regarding permanent security as received within maximum 3 (three) months from the concerned Executive Engineer will have to be submitted with tender. If the amount of permanent security money is less than that of requisite earnest money, then the rest of the amount of earnest money must be submitted as per system stated above with the tender. Tender notice, terms and conditions, rules and regulations and Bangladesh Form No 2911 etc. will be treated as the effective part of the tender. The undersigned reserves the right to accept any tender or reject all the tenders without assigning any reason.

S M Waliullah

Executive Engineer

Public Works E/M Division-2, Dhaka

Phone: 9551688.

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## Bangladesh Council of Scientific & Industrial Research (BCSIR)

Ref No. Sec/Estb/1-17/98

Dated: 30-5-2000

## NOTICE

### BCSIR's Various Research Fellowships 1999-2000

Bangladesh Council of Scientific & Industrial Research invites applications in prescribed form from Bangladesh nationals for various types of post-graduate & post-doctoral level fellowships.

#### (A) BCSIR Research Fellowship:

Field of research: The selected fellow will be given to work in an on-going research & development project of BCSIR.

#### 1) Postgraduate level (3 fellowships)

Monthly allowance: Tk 5,000/- & an amount equivalent of two months allowance as yearly gratuity expenses.

Minimum qualification & age: MSc/MS/BSc (Engineering)/MBBS degree holder from any approved university. There must not be any 3rd class/division any stage of academic career. Age maximum 30 years.

#### 2) Post-Doctoral Level (2 fellowships)

Monthly allowance: Tk 8,000/- & an amount equivalent of two months allowance as yearly gratuity expenses.

Minimum qualification & age: PhD or equivalent degree with educational qualification of post-graduate research fellowship. Age maximum 40 years.

#### (B) Professor Mofizuddin Ahmed Memorial Fellowship (1)

Field of research: Research project registered for PhD/MPhil or equivalent degree.

Monthly allowance: Tk 4,000/- & an amount equivalent of two months allowance as yearly incidental expenses.

Minimum qualification & age: Registered for PhD degree at any recognised university in Bangladesh with educational qualification of post-graduate research fellowship. Age maximum 40 years.

Recent 2 copies passport size attested photographs, attested certificates of educational qualification & attested true copies of mark sheets of different examinations should be enclosed with the application. In case of Professor Mofizuddin Ahmed Fellowship, applications with certificates of candidates should be submitted to the department concerned of the university studying in. Application should be reached to the Council Office of Chittagong, Rajshahi, Dhaka personally or by post by 30 June, 2000.

Application form can be collected from the Office of Secretary, Bangladesh Council of Scientific & Industrial Research, Dhaka; Director, BCSIR Laboratory, Chittagong & Director, BCSIR, Laboratory, Rajshahi directly or application form for specific fellowship can be collected by sending self-addressed envelope affixed with required postage stamp to the Secretary, BCSIR, Dr Kudrat-e-Khuda Road, Dhaka-1205. For detailed information, if necessary, any of the above offices may be contacted.

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Secretary

BCSIR, Dhaka-1205.

## UNICEF Vacancy Advertisement

The United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) is seeking applications from Bangladeshi Nationals for its Dhaka Office to fill in the post of:

### Supply Officer

#### Nature of Assignment:

The successful candidate will be responsible for managing and coordinating offshore supplies of all programmes, in-country logistics management, import & export, shipping operations and coordination with GOB agents. S/he will monitor procurement action and coordinate action with Supply Division, Copenhagen to ensure timely and correct programme supplies from offshore sources and interpret and advise country office and government counterparts on policies and procedures impacting procurement of supplies for UNICEF assisted programmes. The post requires to coordinate and develop plans for emergency supply assistance in accordance with Emergency Policies and Guidelines. S/he also requires to manage and coordinate with clearing and forwarding agents for all imports and exports and for processing shipping documents of outgoing/incoming staff members for port clearance in conformity with established NBR, Customs, MOFA and CCI & E rules and regulations; provides guidance and supervision to the Procurement Services Operations unit.

#### Minimum Requirements:

The ideal candidate will have:

- Advanced university degree in Business Administration, Management or related field;
- 8-10 years of work experience in supply and logistics management and on monitoring at national and international levels. Preference will be given to those with experience in government, UN Agencies & Multinational Companies;
- Knowledge of monitoring and evaluation to link supply and programme functions;
- Proficiency in the use of computers and especially spreadsheets, graphics, presentation packages and ability/willingness to learn new software packages;
- Fluency in written and spoken English and Bangla;
- Good analytical and negotiating skills;
- Ability to work in an international multicultural environment.

#### Remuneration:

Remuneration is at NOC level of United Nations local salary scale. Applications with bio-data should be forwarded to the Chief of Human Resources Section, UNICEF-Bangladesh, Sheraton Annex, 1 Minto Road, Dhaka-1000, by June 25, 2000. On the envelope mention the post applied for. Only short-listed candidates will be called for interview.

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