



Actions committee for Increase in Number and Direct Election to Reserved Seats for Women in the Parliament organised a human chain in the city yesterday. — Star photo

Crops worth Tk 474 cr damaged by floods

L.37 lakh acres of khas land to be distributed among landless

Agriculture Minister Begum Matia Chowdhury yesterday informed the House that standing crops on over 154,223 hectares of land were damaged in the last flash floods in the southwestern districts of the country, reports UNB.

"In terms of money this loss was estimated at Tk 474.36 crore and in terms of production it was estimated at 4.22 lakh metric tons," she said replacing Shalijahan Khan (Madaripur-AL).

The Minister also listed the steps taken for agricultural rehabilitation in the flood-affected districts of Jessore, Jhenidah, Magura, Satkhira, Kusthia, Chuadanga and Meherpur.

Government has allocated Tk 8.76 crore for distributing seeds of boro, wheat, maize, pulses and vegetables, she said. Besides, Tk 15 lakh is being distributed among the betel-leaf cultivators.

Matia Chowdhury said different business organisations are also distributing seeds among the affected farmers of the area while the government has extended its agricultural extension service.

"We have taken all possible steps to ensure that affected people get necessary help to recoup their losses in shortest possible time," she added.

For helping the small and marginal farmers, she said, the government is actively considering a Tk 12-crore special project to distribute boro, maize, vegetable and fruit seeds

Seat plan for DU 'Kha' unit admission test

By DU Correspondent

The admission test for the First Year Honours courses under 'Kha' unit (Arts group) for the session 2000-2001 of the Dhaka University will be held on Friday.

This year's seating arrangement for the test of 'Kha' unit has been made according to serial number given on the admit cards instead of roll numbers, said a DU press release.

The seat plan is as follows: Serial No 001-366 at Arts Building ground floor, 367-1137 at Arts Building first floor, 1138-1585 at Arts Building second floor, 1586-2123 at Arts Building third floor class room, 2124-2504 at Arts Building third floor examination hall, 2505-3326 at Arts Building fourth floor class room and examination hall, 3327-4035 at Lecture Theatre Building, 4036-5473 at Business Studies Faculty Academic Building, 5474-6231 at Business Studies Faculty examination hall, auditorium and library, 6232-6641 at Institute of Modern Language, 6642-7273 at Institute of Education and Research, 7274-7713 at Institute of Social Welfare and Research, 7714-8278 at Institute of Business Administration, 8279-8528 at Department of Law (Science Annex Building), 8529-8820 at Geography and Environment Dept. (Science Annex Building), 8821-9138 at Mathematics Dept. (Science Annex Building), 9139-9454 at Statistics Dept. (Science Annex Building), 9455-9656 at Department of Applied Physics and Electronics, 9657-9867 at Institute of Statistical Research and Training (ISRT), 9868-10078 at Department of Applied Chemistry and Chemical Technology.

The seat plan also includes Serial No.10079-10220 at Department of Geology, 10221-10377 at Department of Biochemistry, 10378-10645 at Department of Zoology, 10646-10876 at Department of Botany, 10877-11048 at Department of Soil Science, 11049-11363 at Department of Pharmacy, 11364-11555 at Department of Chemistry, 11556-11766 at Department of Microbiology, 11767-11924 at Department of Computer Science, 11925-11987 at Department of Aquaculture and Fisheries, 11988-13001 at Department of Physics and 13002-13991 at Curzon Hall examination hall.

The detailed seat plan has been put on display in front of the Dean Office of Arts Faculty.

The candidates have been advised to take their seats by 9:30 am on the day of admission test, the release added.

Hamiduzzaman's sculpture show begins tomorrow

A 10-day special sculpture exhibition by famous sculptor Prof Hamiduzzaman Khan will begin on November 17 at Shilpangan Art Gallery in the city Dhanmondi area, says a press release.

Dr Anisuzzaman will inaugurate the exhibition at the gallery at 4:30 pm as the chief guest.

Noted sculptor Prof Abdur Razzaque, Institute of Fine Arts, will preside over the function.

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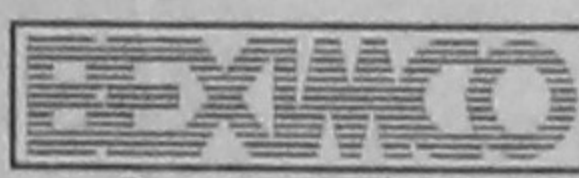


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