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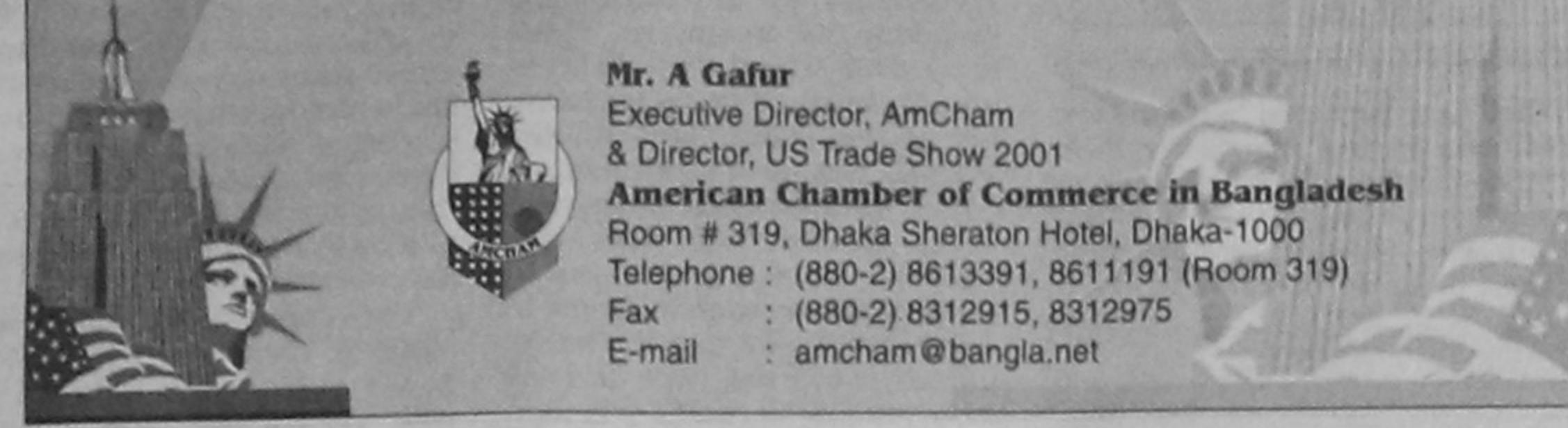
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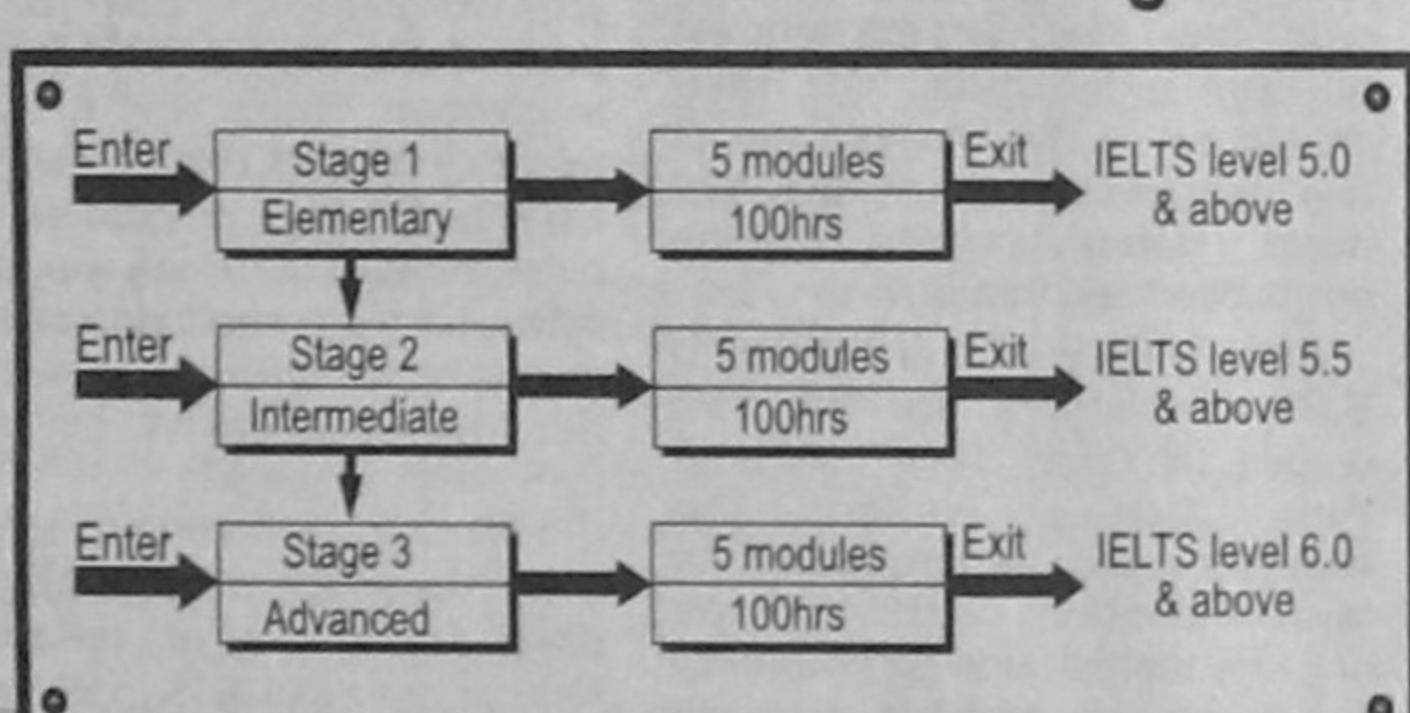
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Metropolitan Drama festival to mark ten years of Natraj

Natraj, a theatre group, will hold a 6-day long drama festival to mark its 10th founding anniversary, says a press release.

The festival will be inaugurated by the State Minister for Youth, Sports and Cultural Affairs Obaidul Quadir on November 21 at the Guide House auditorium in the city.

Liakat Ali Lucky, the Secretary General of Bangladesh Group Theatre Federation will be present as the special guest.

Seven dramas will be staged during the six-day event start-

ing with *Aroj Charitamrito* by Natyakendra and *Mayur Shinghasan* by Aranyak (November 21). *Sandhyatara* by Natraj (November 22), *Chiloy Kothar Shepal* by Uditchi (November 23), *Circus Circus* by Prachyanat and *Kanjush* by Loknatyad (November 24) and *Meraj Fakir Ma* by Theatre (November 25).

Aroj Charitamrito will be staged at the Mahila Sanitary auditorium while the others will be staged at the Guide House auditorium.

The workshop was jointly organised by the Bangladesh Society for Horticulture Science

and Bangladesh Agriculture Research Council (BARC).

Director General of Agricultural Extension Department M Enamul Haque, Executive Chairman of BARC Dr Zahurul Karim, Secretary General Agriculturalists Institution Abdul Mannan spoke on the occasion as special guests.

The workshop was presided over by Bangladesh Horticulture Scientists Association (BHSA) President A T M Saleh Uddin Ahmed Chowdhury, BHSA General Secretary and Head of the Department of Horticulture at Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Agriculture University Prof Mohammad Mofazzal Hossain presented the keynote paper.

Referring to about four and a half year's relentless efforts of the present government, Alamgir said we have now achieved self-sufficiency in food but now we have to strive to grow more vegetables, oil seeds and fruits to meet nutritional demands.

He called upon the horticulturists and fruit growers to take measures for the production of more jack fruits which contains vitamins, minerals and calcium.

A survey of the Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) reveal that around 76 per cent of the rural people mostly children have been suffering from malnutrition. Jack fruit can contribute to remove nutritional problem, the participants said.

Nat'l horticulture instt to be set up soon

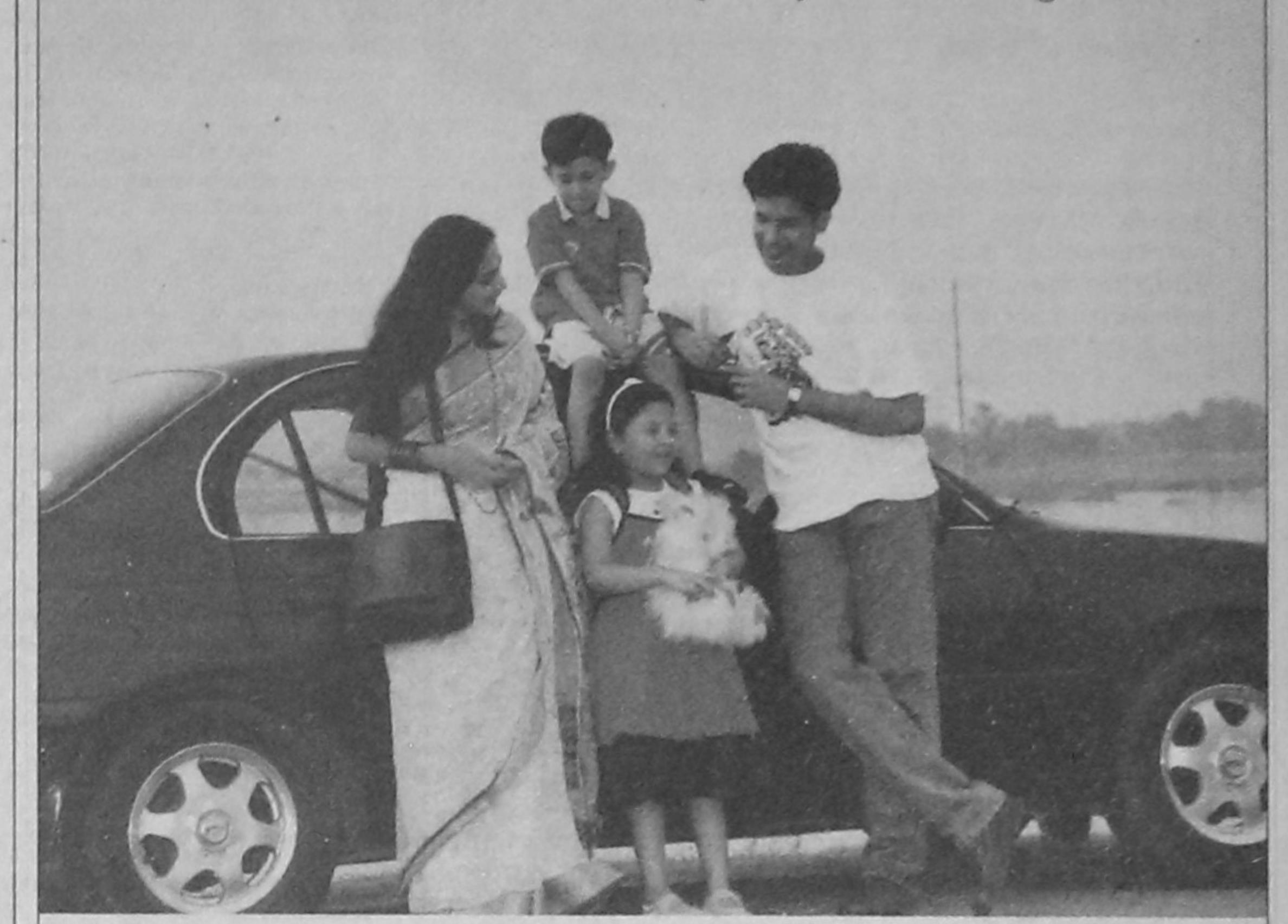
A national horticulture institute will be set up soon to meet the country's growing nutrition demand. State Minister for Planning Dr Mohiuddin Khan Alamgir said yesterday. reports BSS.

"We have kept a provision in government's five-years plan to set up an independent national institute for reducing country's alarming malnutrition. The government is striving to achieve self-sufficiency in food-grain production," he said while addressing as the chief guest a workshop on jack fruit development and research in Bangladesh in BARC auditorium.

The workshop was jointly organised by the Bangladesh Society for Horticulture Science

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