

Weather

Dry weather likely

Weather is likely to remain dry over the country during the next 12 hours till 6 pm today, reports UNB.
Light rain may occur at one or two places over Rajshahi division, Met Office said.
Yesterday's highest temperature of 29.3 degree Celsius was recorded at Cox's Bazar and the lowest of 9 degree at Dinajpur.
The sun sets in the capital today at 5:23 pm and rises tomorrow at 6:42 am.
Maximum and minimum temperature and humidity recorded in some major cities and towns yesterday were:

City/Town	Temperature in Celsius		Humidity in Percentage	
	Max	Min	Morning	Evening
Dhaka	26.9	14.7	69	60
Chittagong	27.8	13.5	83	67
Rajshahi	26.4	13.0	76	70
Khulna	27.5	12.4	83	71
Barisal	27.0	11.6	81	79
Sylhet	27.5	14.4	69	58
Cox's Bazar	29.3	15.5	72	70

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Vacancy Advertisement

The United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), Bangladesh is seeking applications from Bangladeshi Nationals for its field locations at Sylhet, Rajshahi and Dinajpur districts to fill in the posts of:

**Field Officer
(three) positions**

Nature of Assignment:

The successful candidate will work in a team with professionals, under the guidance of Project Officers in Health and Nutrition Section. S/he will provide technical and managerial support for monitoring of sub-national and field level activities of the project on women's right to life and health targeted at reducing maternal deaths as a woman's right. S/he will be responsible to: establish and maintain regular contact and collaboration with Government and other partners/coalitions and provide technical assistance and support in the effective implementation of agreed upon activities and functioning of designated EOC facilities; develop annual plans for field assistance and provide periodic reports on status and progress of defined activities in defined facilities/geographical area; foster alliances with various stakeholders and support the activation of coalitions at the sub-national level; act as a resources person on "women's right to life and health" and advocate for promotion of activities to ensure self esteem and dignity of women at the sub-national level; identify needs for capacity building in ensuring technical, management and rights dimension of field and facility level programme activities.

Minimum Requirements:

- University degree in social science but medical graduates is highly desirable...
- At least 2 years of professional work experience at national/programme level in development and monitoring of indicators, including experience in field based implementation
- Preference will be given to experience with programmes related to women's health and rights. Current knowledge of issues, policies and procedures in the field implementation of activities aimed at reduction of maternal mortality and ensuring women's rights
- Managerial, analytical, negotiating, communication and advocacy skills
- Knowledge and use of standard office automation applications related to word-processing, graphics presentations, etc
- Ability to work harmoniously with government counterparts and development partners
- Proficiency in use of computers (word processing, spread sheets, etc)
- Excellent in written and spoken English and Bangla.

Remuneration:

Remuneration is at NO-A 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 14 January 2001. Mark on the envelope the post applied for. Only short-listed candidates will be called for interview. Any form of canvassing, soliciting or influencing will be treated as a disqualification. Those candidates who applied earlier for this nature of job need not to apply again.

APPLICATIONS FROM QUALIFIED FEMALE CANDIDATES ARE ENCOURAGED

UNICEF is a non-smoking working environment.

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What's on today

Founding anniversary: Jatiya Party has organised a discussion meeting to mark its 15th founding anniversary. Begum Raushan Ershad, MP, will preside over the meeting. Venue: Party office at Kalabagan. Time : 6 pm.

Anti-terrorism rally: Members of "Anti-terrorism Movement" will hold a rally to step up its campaign against terrorism. Venue: Ramna Batamul. Time : 9.30 am.

Discussion: Bangladesh Institute of Law and International Affairs (BILIA) will hold a discussion meeting on "Commercialization of Renewable Energy Technologies". Venue: Institute premises, Suhrawardy Bhaban, House # 22, Road # 7, Dhanmondi. Time : 2 pm.

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SHORT TENDER NOTICE**

Sealed Tenders in Form No 2911 are hereby invited from bonafide & experience 1st Class Contractors enlisted in any Govt./Semi-Govt./Autonomous Organization for "The Construction of Multistoried Academic Building (Twelve Storied Foundation)". Tender documents may be obtained from the office of the undersigned during office hours up to 16.01.2001 upon receipt of a non-refundable payment of Tk. 5000.00 (Taka five thousand only) in the form of Bank Draft/Pay Order from any Scheduled Bank of Bangladesh in favour of "Secretary, Viqarun Nisa University". Tender will be received up to 2:00 pm on 17.01.2001 and will be opened on the same day at 2:30 pm in the presence of the tenderer(s) if they wish to be present. Full instructions to the tenderers, drawings, specification, details tender notice, etc. are contained in the Tender documents & may be seen during the office hours. The authority reserves the right not to accept the lowest tender and can accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reasons whatsoever.
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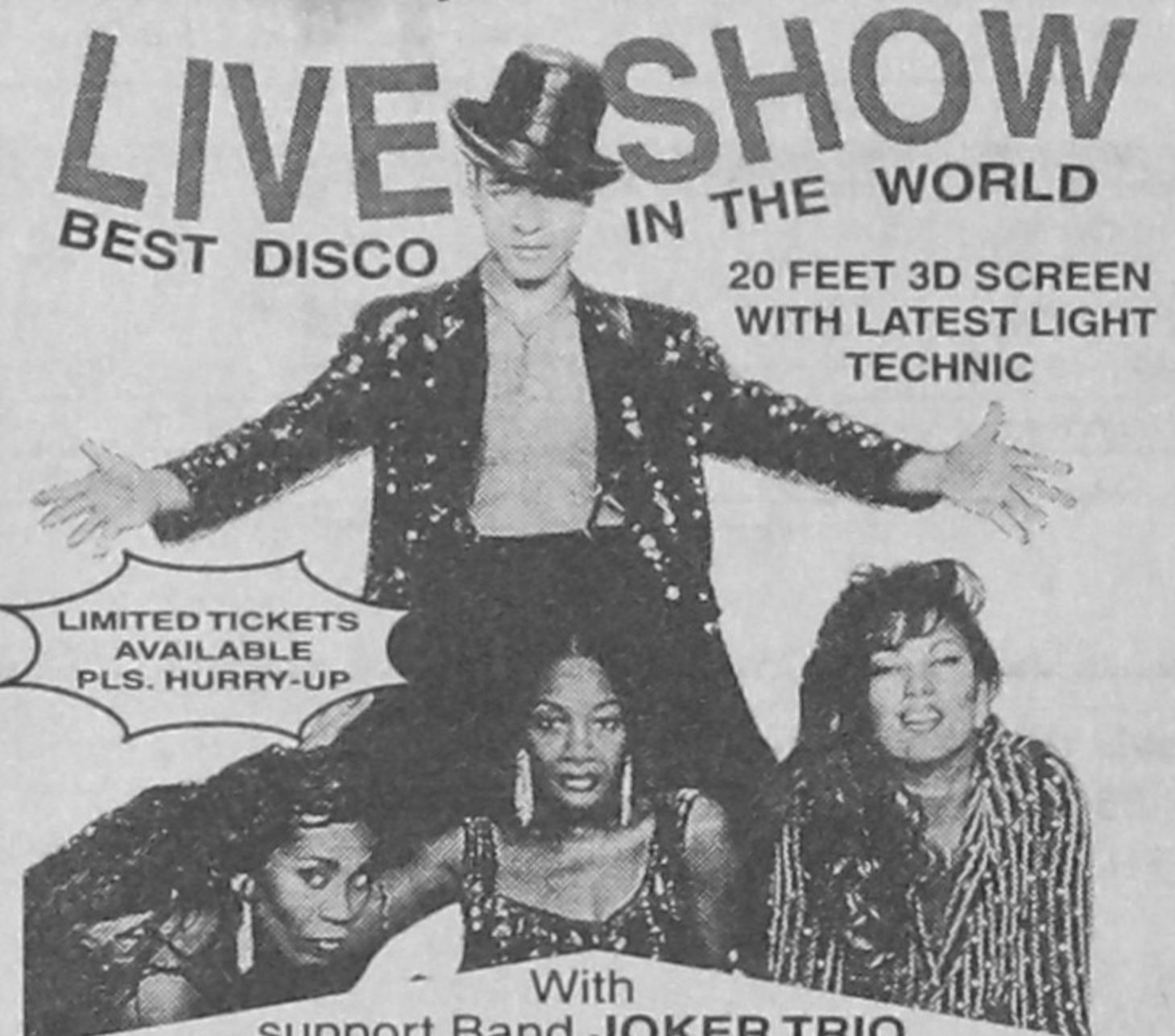
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Cab Services

UNICEF-Bangladesh requests bids from local companies for usage of cab services for transportation within Dhaka City maintaining strict timing.
Interested companies are requested to collect detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for above-mentioned services from UNICEF, HR Section, 4th Floor, Dhaka Sheraton Hotel Annex Building, 1 Minto Road, Dhaka-1000 from Monday, January 01, 2001, between 08:30 to 16:00 hours.
Proposals must be submitted on or before 14:00 hours on January 11, 2001 (Thursday) in a designated "Tender Box" located in UNICEF HR Section.

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Dhaka
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● YUMYUM, Dhanmondi
● WIMPY, Gulshan

Chittagong
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Five murdered in Khulna in 25 days

From Staff Correspondent
KHULNA, Dec 31: Five murders were committed in the metropolitan city during last 25 days of the current month.
On December 2, Jubo League activist Abdus Salam, 26, was shot dead at Charebat under Khalishpur thana.
On December 16, goldsmith Govinda was gunned down at Shibbarin road under Sonadanga thana.
On December 20, Purba Banglar Communist Party outlaw Mujahidullah was shot and hacked to death at Shantala under Daulatpur thana.
BPC outlaw Parimal was gunned down at Dokhola road under Khulna thana on December 22.
On December 25, a young boy Rajon, 17, was tortured to death at Choto Boyra area under Sonadanga thana.
Two bank dacoities, four house robberies and five armed nuggings were committed in the entire metropolitan city during the same period.
None has so far been arrested in connection with five murder cases already recorded with the concerned police stations.



Members of the Christian community brought out a colourful procession in the city yesterday on the occasion of 'Great Jubilee 2000' marking 2000 years since the birth of Jesus Christ. - Star photo

Bangabandhu memorial

Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina will inaugurate the memorial to Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman at Tungpara on January 10, reports UNB.

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Sealed tenders in two-envelope system are invited by the Managing Director, Urea Fertiliser Factory Limited, Ghorashal, Narsingdi, Bangladesh on the basis of C&F (C), Chittagong Sea Port/Dhaka Airport under Tender No-UFPL/FP-PM/7/2000-2001/689 for supply of conveyor belt. Tender will be received on 23-1-2001 till 11.00 am. Tender documents can be procured on payment of Taka 50/- (non-refundable) for each set from (1) Accounts Division, BCIC, 30-31, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka, (2) BCIC, No-6 Agrabad C/A, Chittagong and (3) Esaka Ltd. The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason.
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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the property situated at Plot Nos 3/10 and 3/11, Block "A", Lalmatia, Dhaka of which Dr Jabin Jalil, daughter of late Dr Syeda Firoza Begum is one-third owner has been unlawfully leased out to Mothercare Hospital Ltd by Dr Khalid Jalil and that the said Mothercare Hospital Ltd is in unauthorised and unlawful possession of the said property.
All persons dealing or transacting with or receiving medical services from the said Mothercare Hospital Ltd are hereby warned that such dealings or transactions or medical services rendered are being carried out from unlawfully occupied premises.
Be it further known that any person transacting with Dr. Khalid Jalil in respect of the above-mentioned property would be unlawful and therefore conducted at his own risk.

Abu Zahid

Advocate Supreme Court
C/o Juris Counsel
House 101/B, Road 4,
Banani, Dhaka-1213

For and on behalf of Dr Jabin Jalil

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Staff Pick up & Drop

UNICEF-Bangladesh requests bids from local companies for staff pick up and drop to/from Bangladesh Country Office (BCO) in Dhaka five days a week.
Interested companies are requested to collect detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for above mentioned services from UNICEF, HR Section, 4th Floor, Dhaka Sheraton Hotel Annex Building, 1 Minto Road, Dhaka-1000 from Monday, 01 January, 2001, between 08:30 to 16:00 hours.
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**COOPERAZIONE INTERNAZIONALE
(COOPI-Bangladesh)
Tender Notice**

No 01/2001
COOPI-Bangladesh, for the implementation of an ECHO financed project, invites sealed tenders from reputed firms for supply of the following items:

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Tender schedules with detailed specifications will be available during office hours (10.00 hours and 16.00 hours), on the tender's opening day.
Emergency Project Manager, Project Office, COOPI-Bangladesh
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