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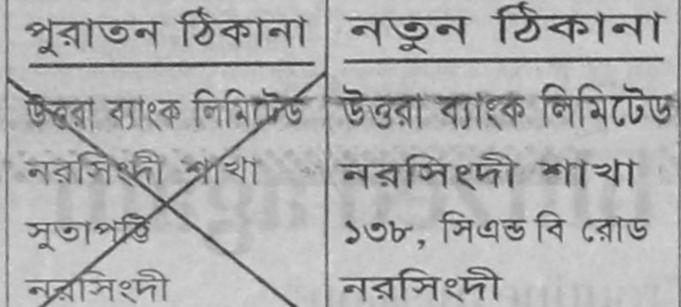
The interested candidates are requested to send their applications with full resume, attested copies of all academic certificates/degrees, 2 recent passport size photographs, contact telephone number etc. to the Senior Vice President, Human Resources Division, Prime Bank Limited, Head Office, Adamjee Court Annexe Building-2, 119-120, Motijheel Commercial Area, Dhaka-1000 within March 15, 2001.



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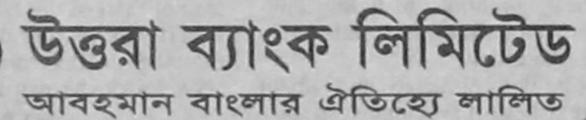
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সম্মানিত গ্রাহক, শুভানুধ্যায়ী ও সংশ্লিষ্ট সকলের অবগতির জন্য জানানো যাচ্ছে य, উত্তরা ব্যাংক निমিটেড, নরসিংদী শাখা পুরাতন অবস্থান থেকে নতুন ঠিকানায় স্থানান্তরিত এবং নতুন সাজে সজ্জিত হয়ে আজ ১৮ই ফেব্রুয়ারী, ২০০১ (রবিবার) থেকে যথারীতি কাজ শুরু করছে।



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## Community participation vital to alleviate poverty: Experts

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change of ideas as well as a clear understanding about poverty and evolve necessary programmes to come address. Dr S I Khan of Ro- Gram Bangla Model for Poverty

ing to a desired level through participatory processes, thus helping social realities.

erty alleviation - Self-reliance" was organized jointly by the GIR-DAP, Rotary Club of Jahangimagar gies to combat poverty in counand a local NGO Gram Bangla in tries like Bangladesh by ensuring Myanmar Ambassador in Dhaka and beneficiaries. Four papers -They stressed the need for ex- Ohn Thwin opened the seminar Community Participation in Povwhile the CIRDAP Director Gen- erty Reduction Programmes, eral Dr Mya Maung gave the wel- Model Rural Development Project.

Gram Bangla also spoke on the

Nearly 80 experts from government organizations, NGOs, The day-long seminar on "Pov- development partners and academics during their deliberations provided deep insights on stratechange a situation from the exist- tary Club of Jahangirnagar and Alleviation and Self-reliance and

Local Level Institutional Development and Capacity Building for Poverty Alleviation were presented at the seminar.

The presenters as well as the participants were of the common view when they upheld the importance of local level institutions, being regarded as potential breeding grounds for democracy and transparency, in the sphere of local self-governance in a democratic society. These institutions help the people understand democratic spirit and values leading to a decent life.

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Applications are invited for admission to the first year MBBS and BDS Class of Bangladesh Medical College for the session: 2000-2001.

Eligibility for MBBS and BDS: Candidates must have at least 1300 marks in the S.S.C & H.S.C Examinations taken together. Candidates who have passed S.S.C Examination in 1997 and H.S.C. Examination in 1999 and after are only eligible for admission. Physics, Chemistry and Biology subjects in H.S.C. Examination are essential. Candidates who got third division either in the S.S.C or the H.S.C Examination are not eligible.

Foreign Students: Foreign students having similar or equivalent qualification will also be eligible provided they fulfil the other conditions.

Schedule of Admission for MBBS:

Application forms will be available from: 17<sup>th</sup> February 2001.

Last date for receiving applications: 18<sup>th</sup> March 2001

Written Test: 29th March 2001 at 10.30 A.M.

Candidates who qualify in the written test will be called for Viva Voce. The list of candidates qualifying in written test will be published and hung in the College Notice Board on 12<sup>th</sup> April 2001.

Viva Voce: Viva Voce will commence from: 15th April 2001.

Final Result: The list of successful candidates will be hung in the College Notice

Board on 7th May, 2001.

Free Studentship: Free studentship will be awarded to five meritorious but fmancially handicapped students. Candidates must have at least 1400 marks in S.S.C **4** Which is the H.S.C Examinations taken together to become eligible for free studentship. Eligibility for free studentship will be determined by interviewing candidates and

guardians on 21st March 2001 from 10 A.M.

Applicants for free studentship will not be permitted to transfer to the open list. Schedule for BDS: The schedule of written and Viva Voce examination of 1st year BDS will be notified in the College Notice Board latter on.

Major General Anis Waiz (Retd.)

MBBS, FCPS, FRCP (I), FRCP (ED), FACP. Principal, Bangladesh Medical and Dental College.

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#### 1. NATIONAL POLICY AND PLANNING ADVISER

The National Policy and Planning Adviser will in particular be responsible for:

- Collection, analysis and dissemination of information for sector policy decisions.
- Advising MOA on capacity building needs in policy and planning.
- Preparation of short, issue-oriented policy papers and progress reports.
- Assisting MOA and the Danish Embassy to further develop the ASPS.
- Participation as a member on short-term consultancy missions. In addition, any other responsibilities as may be found appropriate from time to time.

Qualifications: The Adviser must possess strong analytical and communication skills. The Adviser must have proven ability to write policy papers in both English and Bengali. The Adviser must possess team working qualities, computer proficiency, and have at least 15 years of extensive experience at policy and management level from Bangladesh and preferably also from other countries. The Adviser is expected to have M.Sc. or Ph.D. in Agriculture/Agricultural Economics/related sciences. Age 45-65 years and be able to travel throughout Bangladesh.

#### 2. OFFICE MANAGER-CUM ACCOUNTANT

The Office Manager / Accountant will be responsible for:

- The daily operation of the PPSU office (initially 4 subordinates).
- The daily financial management of the PPSU budget and computerised accounts.
- The production of quarterly and annual accounts for external audit.
- The installation and operation of PPSU computer systems. Assist in the preparation of work plans, budgets and progress reports.

Assist in systems development for the sector programme. In addition, any other relevant responsibilities as may be agreed from time to time.

Qualifications: The Office Manager-cum-Accountant must possess managerial abilities and be competent with at least 10 years experience in financial controls, accountancy, computerised accounts and bookkeeping, preferably from similar project work. The successful candidate must be experiences in office routines and computer systems generally, and must posses team working qualities. The successful candidate is expected to have at least a Masters Degree in subjects related to financial management and accounting. Age: 35-45.

#### Terms of Employment (Both Positions)

The positions are in principle for a 5 year period. However, the appointments will be on contract with the PPSU for an initial period of 1 year renewable and on a full-time basis stationed at Dhaka. The remuneration package will be according to qualifications and experience. Benefits will follow the Danida service regulations for local staff.

Applications in English with a recent photo and CV must be addressed to: The Senior Adviser, PPSU, c/o GPO Box 2056, Gulshan, Dhaka 1212, and received not later than 8th March 2001. The envelope must be marked PPSU "National Adviser" or "Manager/Accountant" respectively. Only short-listed candidates will receive replies.