

BELA serves legal notice for proper maintenance of public places

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Bangladesh Environmental Lawyers Association (BELA) served legal notice upon different ministries and departments yesterday demanding proper maintenance and management of public places including parks and playgrounds in the city.

The legal notice was served upon the secretaries of the Ministry of Housing and Public Works and the Ministry of Environment and Forest, Mayor of Dhaka City Corporation, chief engineer of Public Works Department, director general of Department of Environment and chairman of RAJUK.

The notice stated that many

parks and playgrounds in the city including Osmani Udyan, Karwan Bazar Shishu Park, Gulistan Park, Gulshan Park, Babadur Shah Park, Botanical Garden, Balda Garden, Suhrawardi Udyan Hazaribag Park are under illegal occupation and used for construction purposes violating the city master plan and relevant rules and regulations.

It urged the authorities concerned to take immediate steps for proper maintenance of open places to ensure sports and recreational facilities for the city-dwellers.

The notice also warned that appropriate legal action will be taken against the authorities if they fail to give satisfactory responses within four weeks.



Dr. Muhammad Yunus, Managing Director of the Grameen Bank, along with his lawyer Dr. Kamal Hossain coming out of the High Court on Monday after he was granted anticipatory bail by the High Court in a case filed in the court of Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Dhaka by a subscriber of Grameen Phone.

Dr Yunus gets anticipatory bail

BSS, Dhaka

The High Court on Monday granted anticipatory bail to Managing Director of Grameen Bank Dr. Muhammad Yunus, Managing Director of Grameen Phone Ola Re and its Chairman Khaled Shams in a criminal case filed against them with the Chief Metropolitan Magistrate's Court.

A division bench comprising Justice M A Aziz and Justice Nazrul Islam Chowdhury granted the bail. The bench also issued a rule asking the government to show cause why they should not be granted permanent bail, upon a petition moved before the court.

Advocate Alauddin Hlawader filed a case alleging that Dr. Yunus and others have misled the subscribers of Grameen Phone by imposing incoming call charge in the Grameen Phone bill.

The court of Chief Metropolitan Magistrate took the matter in cognizance and issued summons against the accused. Dr. Yunus and the other accused appeared before the High Court on Monday and they were granted anticipatory bail.

Dr. Kamal Hossain and Advocate Abdul Malek moved the petition on behalf of the accused while Deputy Attorney General Abdul Awal appeared for the state.

SAARC information ministers' confce begins in Islamabad tomorrow

APP, Islamabad

Information Ministers from South Asian countries will meet here at a three-day SAARC Conference from tomorrow to identify steps for boosting regional cooperation in information and communication technology.

Ministers from Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, the Maldives, Nepal, Sri Lanka and hosts Pakistan will devote sessions over three days to extensive deliberations on how to strengthen the regional cooperation in the field of information and media.

The first SAARC Information Ministers' Conference was held in Dhaka in 1998.

South Asia is home to one fifth of humanity and recent SAARC meetings including the Summit of leaders from seven member countries in Kathmandu in January, have been calling for greater

regional cooperation.

The delegates from the member countries of South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation will start arriving in the capital on Thursday.

President General Pervez Musharraf will inaugurate the Conference on Thursday afternoon.

The member countries will also focus on developing an appropriate software for information infrastructure of SAARC functional cooperation.

HKI-BRAC agreement

An agreement was signed between Helen Keller International, Bangladesh (HKI) and BRAC for inclusion of children with disabilities like blindness and visually impaired in BRAC schools, says a press release.

Dr Andrew Hall, country director of HKI and Abdul-Mueved Chowdhury, executive director of BRAC signed the agreement at BRAC Centre in Dhaka yesterday.

Effective till March 2003, the agreement will be confined to all the eleven formal Primary Schools of BRAC.

HKI will train BRAC teachers and relevant staff and provide educational materials for the students.

In addition to teaching, BRAC will motivate the parents to send their disabled children to schools.

Publicity and projection of SAARC activities within and outside the region, evolving a SAARC common position for projection at the World Summit on the Information Society, to be held in Switzerland next year, will also be discussed at length.

The participants will decide the venue and dates of the third meeting of the South Asian Information Ministers.

Dr Moyeen Khan calls on Sonia

BSS, New Delhi

Information Minister Dr. Abdul Moyeen Khan made a courtesy call on Sonia Gandhi, Leader of the Opposition in Indian Lok Sabha and president of the Congress, at her official residence in New Delhi on Monday.

Dr. Moyeen Khan conveyed to Sonia the warm greetings of Prime Minister Khaleda Zia.

During the meeting, they exchanged views on all matters of bilateral interests and issues between the two friendly neighbouring countries.

Dr. Moyeen Khan was in Delhi to attend the Parliamentarians for Global Action (PGA) Regional Seminar on "UN's Peace Operations for Conflict Resolution".

He left for Dubai yesterday en route to Islamabad to attend the three-day meeting of SAARC Information Ministers beginning on Thursday.

WEATHER TODAY

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UNB, Dhaka

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	Max	Min	Morning	Evening
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Rajshahi	28.8	13.2	58	46
Khulna	31.0	16.5	55	57
Barisal	31.2	18.9	57	43
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DHAKA TODAY

Seminar

A national seminar on 'Raising Awareness about Earthquake' will be held with Minister for Disaster Management and Relief Chowdhury Kamal Ibne Yusuf as chief guest. Venue: Hotel Sonargaon.

Human chain

The Bangladesh Society for the Enforcement of Human Rights will form human chain and hold discussion meeting in observance of the International Women's Day. Venue: National Press Club and Central Shaheed Minar. Time: 10:00 am and 3:30 pm respectively.

Discussion

Sonar Bangla Juba Parishad will hold a discussion meeting in observance of the historic March 7. Venue: National Press Club. Time: 4:30 pm.

Reception

Daily Aker Kagoj will arrange a reception for its writers, readers and well wishers. Kagoj Literary Award-2001 and 2002 will also be distributed on this occasion. Venue: Hotel Sheraton. Time: 6:00 pm.

Human chain

Udichi Shilpi Gosthi will form human chain and hold discussion meeting in observance of the 3rd anniversary of bomb attack on its function in Jessore. Venue: National Press Club and Central Shaheed Minar respectively. Time: 4:00 pm and 5:00 pm respectively.

Blood donation

ISHA Electronics will organise a voluntary Blood Donation Camp. Venue: Maulana Bhasani Stadium. Time: 3:30 pm.

Memorial meeting

Pubali Bank Employees Union will organise a memorial meeting in

observance of the 4th death anniversary of its former president, Kamaluddin Ahmed. Venue: Pubali Bank Head Office Auditorium. Time: 4:00 pm.

UNESCO book fair

A two-day 'UNESCO Book Fair-2002', organised by the National Association of UNESCO Clubs in Bangladesh, will be inaugurated. Venue: Public Library premises. The fair will remain open from 11:00am to 4:00 pm daily.

Seminar

A seminar on the 'role of students in social services' will be held with Dhaka University Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Anwarullah Chowdhury as chief guest. Venue: TSC auditorium, DU. Time: 2:00 pm.

Human chain

Bangladesh Mohila Awami League will form a human chain in the city protesting the incidents of rape and killing across the country. Venue: In front of the National Press Club. Time: 11:00 am.

JP presidium meet

A meeting of the presidium of Jatya Party (Manjil) will be held. Venue: JP central office, 7110/A, Block-D, Lalmita. Time: 6:00 pm.

DHAKA TOMORROW

Launching seminar

The Launching Seminar of the CIM Programmes of the Chartered Institute of Marketing of UK will be held. Venue: BIAM Auditorium, 63 New Eskaton Road. Time: 4:00 pm.

Painting exhibition

A week-long painting exhibition organised jointly by Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy and the Japanese Embassy in Dhaka will begin. Venue: National Museum.

Bangladesh Petroleum Exploration and Production Company Ltd. (BAPEX)

(A Company of Petrobangla)

80/A-B, Siddeswari Circular Road, Malibagh, Dhaka-1217

(Construction Division)

Ref: 135.01.09 Dated: 26-02-2002

Tender Notice

1. Sealed tenders in the prescribed forms are hereby invited from the enlisted contractors of BAPEX by Bangladesh Petroleum Exploration & Production Company Limited (BAPEX) for the following works:

Sl No	Name of work	Estimated amount in Tk	Completion time	Cost of tender paper (non-refundable) Tk	Enlistment category
1.	Sand cushioning works for construction of internal road and well site yard in Sriakal Exploration Project.	Tk 3,12,943.80	30 days	Tk 500.00	A

2. Intending contractors may obtain tender schedule from 14-03-2002 to 21-03-2002 from Accounts Division, BAPEX, Shahjalal Tower (2nd Floor), 80/A, Siddeswari Circular Road, Malibagh, Dhaka.

3. Tender shall be received in the tender box kept in the Construction Division, BAPEX, Shahjalal Tower, 80/A (8th Floor), Siddeswari Circular Road, Malibagh, Dhaka on 23-03-2002 up to 12:00 Noon and the tenders shall be opened at 12:30 PM on the same day in presence of the tenderers (if any one remains present).

4. Tenderers will have to submit earnest money 2.5% of their total quoted amount in the form of Pay Order/Bank Draft from any scheduled commercial bank of Bangladesh in favour of Bangladesh Petroleum Exploration and Production Company Limited (BAPEX) along with their tenders. If the quoted amount is less beyond 5% of the estimated amount the contractor will have to submit itemwise rate analysis of the works in support of their quoted amount and an additional earnest money 10% of the quoted amount.

5. Authority reserves the right to accept any or all the tenders without showing any reason without accepting any liability.

DFP-4931-2/3/02
G-575 General Manager (Construction)

BCIC Tender Notice

বিসিআইসি'র পণ্য শিল্পায়নে জাতীয় অগ্রগতির প্রতীক

Managing Director, Chhatak Cement Co. Ltd., Chhatak, Sunamganj invites sealed quotation in double envelope system for supply of Hanger Bucket, Box Head Wheel from genuine manufacturer & manufacturer's agent against press tender No. Pur/A/RT-397/2000-2001/2001-2002. Tender will be opened on 24-03-2002 at 3:00 PM at Purchase Division, BCIC Head Office, Dhaka & Purchase Section, Chhatak Cement Co. Ltd. Tender documents will be available against cash payment of Tk 750/- only from (1) BCIC Head Office, 30-31, Dilkusha Commercial Area, Dhaka, (2) BCIC Branch Office, 6, Agrabad C/A, Chittagong & (3) Chhatak Cement Co. Ltd, Chhatak. No tender documents will be sold on opening day. The management reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reasons thereto.

BCIC-631-20/2/2002
DFP-4803-28/2/02
G-558 Md Saiful Islam
Manager (Purchase)
For Managing Director.

Directorate General Defence Purchase

Ministry of Defence
New Airport Road, Tejgaon, Dhaka-1215

Tender/Re-Tender Notice

1. Sealed tenders/re-tenders in local currency are invited from bonafide manufacturers/ dealers/ suppliers/ indentors (enlisted firms of this Directorate General) supply of following items:

Ser No	Nomenclature	Date of selling		Date of opening	Currency	Tender No	Cost of items
		From	To				
a.	Boxes PTGP Qty-100	11.3.2002	07.4.2002	08.4.2002	Local	214/2563/D-1/P-5 (A)	50/-
b.	IGEBA TF-35 Thermal Fog Generator Qty-15 Nos	11.3.2002	07.4.2002	08.4.2002	Local	214/2564/KE/P-5 (A)	200/-

2. Tender schedule with detailed specifications/conditions will be available on payment as per IT selling rate (not refundable) during office hours between 0800 hours to 1300 hours on the specified date of opening in presence of all tenderers (if present).

ISPR/Misc/02/197
DFP-4982-2/3/02
G-571 Major
for Director General

গণপ্রজাতন্ত্রী বাংলাদেশ সরকার

জনশক্তি, কর্মসংস্থান ও প্রশিক্ষণ ব্যুরো

৮৯/২, কাকরাইল, ঢাকা

নং-কল্যাণ তহবিল-৫২৭৪/২০০২/১৮২৪ তারিখ: ০৪/০৩/২০০২ইং

বিষয়ঃ দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি

জনশক্তি, কর্মসংস্থান ও প্রশিক্ষণ ব্যুরোর আওতাধীন ওয়েজ আর্নার্স কল্যাণ তহবিলের জন্য নিম্নোক্ত স্পেসিফিকেশন ও শর্তাবলী অনুযায়ী ১ (এক) টি টয়োটা কার ক্রয়ের নিমিত্তে প্রকৃত বাবাসারী/ডিলারদের নিকট হইতে এতদ্বারা সীলমোহরকৃত দরপত্র আহ্বান করা যাইতেছে।

Specification:

- Type : 4-6 Cylindir inline/V-type, 12-16 valve
- Piston Displacement : Maximum 1500 CC-1600 CC
- Fuel System : EFI System
- Fuel Tank Capacity : 50-80 Liter
- Transmission : 5 Speed Autogear.
- Type : Tube less, Radial, Wheel Cap, Hub Cap
- Seat Surface material : Vinyl
- Colour : White
- Model : Latest Model
- Origin and Make : Japan

Accessories:

Radio AM/FM with Cassette Player, 2 Speaker, Side Protection Moulding, Rear Window Defogger, Body Coloured Bumper, Boost Ventilator, Digital Clock, Special Instrument, Cigarette Lighter, Cup Holder, Front Seat Belt, Head Rest (Front), Fuel Lid Opener, Trunk Opener, Rear Console Box, Floor Carpet, Outer Mirror (door) 2 Pcs, Rough road package, complete tool box with wheel wrench and jack.

শর্তাবলীঃ

- ১। দরপত্রের সহিত যে কোন তফসিলভুক্ত ব্যাক হইতে ব্যাংক ড্রাফট/পে-অর্ডার আকারে উক্ত মূল্যের ২.৫% হারে আর্নেস্টম্যান হিসাবে "ওয়েজ আর্নার্স কল্যাণ তহবিল" এর বরাবরে দাখিল করিতে হইবে।
- ২। দরপত্র অতিরিক্ত মহাপরিচালকের (প্রশিক্ষণ) এর অফিস কক্ষে (কম নং-১০৬, সোতালা) ১১/০৩/২০০২ইং তারিখ বেলা ৩-০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত নির্দিষ্ট বাস্তব গৃহীত হইবে এবং এদিন বেলা ৩-৩০ ঘটিকা দরপত্রদাতাদের উপস্থিতিতে (যদি কেহ থাকেন) খোলা হইবে।
- ৩। কার্যাদেশ প্রাপ্তির ১৫ (পনের) দিনের মধ্যে গাড়ি সরবরাহ করিতে হইবে এবং গাড়ির রেজিস্ট্রেশন ও ফিটনেস সনদ সরবরাহকারী কর্তৃক সম্পাদন করিতে হইবে।
- ৪। সরকারী বিধি মোতাবেক যাবতীয় কর দরপত্রে উল্লেখ করিতে হইবে।
- ৫। কর্তৃপক্ষ যে কোন দরপত্র গ্রহণ বা বাতিল বা কোন দরপত্র আংশিক বা সম্পূর্ণ বা যে কোন শর্ত আংশিক বা সম্পূর্ণ শিথিল করার ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করেন।

মহা-পরিচালকের পক্ষে
সফিকুর রহমান চৌধুরী
পরিচালক (কল্যাণ)

জিডি-১৭৭ ফোনঃ ৯৫৬২৫০৩, ৯৫৫৪০৮২

আইসিবি-র বিনিয়োগ হিসাবধারীগণের জ্ঞাতার্থে বিজ্ঞপ্তি

আইসিবি-র সম্মানিত সংশ্লিষ্ট বিনিয়োগ হিসাবধারীদের সদয় জ্ঞাতার্থে জানানো যাচ্ছে যে, ইতিপূর্বে যে সকল বিনিয়োগকারী রিবেটের জন্য আবেদন করেছিলেন তাদের জন্য রিবেটগোত্র অর্থ পরিশোধের সময়সীমা কতিপয় শর্তে আগামী ৩১ মার্চ, ২০০২ইং তারিখ পর্যন্ত বর্ধিত করা হয়েছে। কোন অবস্থায় উক্ত সময়সীমা বর্ধিত করা হবে না।

এমতাবস্থায়, বর্ধিত সময়সীমার মধ্যে প্রয়োজনীয় অর্থ জমা প্রদানপূর্বক রিবেট সুবিধা গ্রহণের নিমিত্তে কর্পোরেশনের সংশ্লিষ্ট কার্যালয়ের সাথে যোগাযোগ করার জন্য সংশ্লিষ্ট সকলকে সর্নির্দক অনুরোধ করা যাচ্ছে।

আবু মোঃ ইউসুফ
সহকারী মহাব্যবস্থাপক
ইনভেস্টমেন্ট বিভাগ
ইনভেস্টমেন্ট কর্পোরেশন অব বাংলাদেশ
প্রধান কার্যালয়, ঢাকা।

জিডি-১৭৬ ফোনঃ ৯৫৬২৫০৩, ৯৫৫৪০৮২

Civil Aviation Authority of Bangladesh

Office of the Director
Zia International Airport, Kurmitola, Dhaka

No Zia/Asset/158/6/ Dated: 16-02-2002/04-10-1408 BS

বিমান বন্দর পরিচ্ছন্ন রাখুন

গাছ লাগান গাছের পরিচর্যা করুন পরিবেশ বাঁচান

Tender Notice

Sealed tenders in prescribed tender schedule subject to the terms & conditions as mentioned from persons/firms/organisations interested to take lease for the time stated against the undermentioned works of Zia International Airport:-

Serial No	Brief description of work	Price of tender per set (non-refundable)	Prescribed earnest money	Duration of lease	Date & time of purchasin g tender	Date & time of submitting tender	Date & time of opening tender
1.	Collecting entree fee from transports entering International Car. Park area in front of Int'l Terminal Building at Zia Int'l Airport.	Tk 750/- (seven hundred fifty) only.	10% (ten per cent) of yearly quoted rate.	6 (six) months from 01-04-2002 on the date of handing over lease site.	12-03-2002 up to 1600 hrs.	13-03-2002 up to 1430 hrs.	13-03-2002 at 1500 hrs.

1. Tender schedule can be purchased from Accounts Section of CAAB Headquarters & the office of Director, ZIA, Personal Assistant to Member (BD), Member (Finance), Chief Engineer & Director, ZIA subject to payment of the prescribed price on each working day.
2. Tender box will be kept at Aerodrome Section (Room No. 305) of Headquarters & Room No. 407 of CATC Administrative Building and tender function will be held at Room No. 40 of CATC Administrative Building and tender box will be opened in presence (if any) of the tenderers or their representatives.
3. If Bank Draft/Pay Order from any scheduled bank in Bangladesh for the earnest money to be submitted by tenderers is not found enclosed with the tender or found in amount less than requisite, the tender will be treated as cancelled outright.
4. Tenderer shall have to pay VAT at the rate 15% of lease amount & Income Tax at the rate 3%.
5. Tender should be submitted distinctly superscribing name of work on the sealed envelope.
6. The Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any tender or reject all tenders without assigning any reason.
7. If, under unavoidable circumstance, the tender function is not held on the prescribed date, it will be held on the next first working day at the same time.

Director
Zia International Airport
Kurmitola, Dhaka.

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G-578