tive sign of improvement in the

health status of the people of the

come down by almost fifty per

cent," Prof Ahsanullah said adding

country with subsequent reduc-

"The rate of child death has

METROPOLITAN

'Anti-crime law anti-democratic'

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Various socio-political and profes- sity Teachers' Association said the the new law is contrary to the sional organisations protested the new law is a shattering blow to the freedom of speech and freedom of new law styled as 'Law and Order basic human and constitutional thinking. Disruption Crimes (Speedy Trial) rights. Act, 2002' terming it antibasic human and constitutional rights.

The law was passed in the Jatiya Sangsad on Tuesday.

Sammilito Ainjibi Somonnoy Parishad, a platform of the lawyers, held a protest rally at the Dhaka Bar Association audito-

Speakers at the rally condemned the law as 'black'. They also criticised the four-party alliance government for unleashing torture on the opposition activists.

Presided over by Dhaka Bar Association president Adv S M Altaf Hossain, the rally was also addressed by Adv Dewan Abul Abbas, Adv Sahara Khatun, Quamrul law. Islam Abdullah Abu and Abdur Rahman Hawlader.

democratic and contrary to the the passage of the law, Federation president R I M Aminul Islam and man rights. secretary general Dr. Iftekhar Uddin Chowdhury said the government may use the law as a weapon of political vindictiveness.

> They also demanded an end to the torture on the arrested who are taken on remand.

In another statement, the 11-Party alliance said the government had betrayed the people by passing such a law.

The new law will be used to harass the people and torture the opposition activists, they said.

The party will stage a demonstration with black flags in the city today to protest the passage of the

Jatiya Party acting president Sheikh Shahidul Islam and secre-

FAO Representation in Bangladesh

Empowerment of Coastal Fishing Communities for Livelihood Security

(BGD/97/017)

Expression of Interest

Security" works with the Government of Bangladesh to empower the disadvantaged and resource poor

coastal fishing communities through access to assets, recources and services and fostering skills in order to

promoting sustainable use of coastal fisheries resources through community based management. The

project encourages cooperation between government and non-government organizations in providing vari-

ous support services to the communities thus creating a conducive environment and platform for both GO

and NGOs to complement their development efforts and magnifying the overall impact. The project is likely to continue for another four years and during this period it would cover over seventy coastal fishing villages

tions, autonomous institutions and consultancy firms to participate in the implementation of the following

necessary locally available reputed resource persons may be invited.

The GOB/UNDP/FAO project "Empowerment of Coastal Fishing Communities for Livelihood

Expression of interest are invited from registered and experienced NGOs, voluntary organiza-

Training on participatory techniques including participatory rural appraisal (PRA) and Participa-

tory Planning for GO and NGO partners to be conducted by technical advisory group (TAG). If

Conducting participatory planning including training and overseeing the village organizations (VO)

Facilitating organizational development - formation of village organizations and management.

Training office bearers of VOs and other concerned on technical aspects as well as enterprise

Linkage with input providers and ensuring availability of desired inputs as per schedule

Provide intensive technical supervision / backstopping follow ups for a specified period

Orientation of GOB & VO leaders in supervising and monitoring of successful activities

Planning; training and providing operational support to VO based micro-finance system

Mother and child health (MCH). It also includes Immunization of children under six.

Mobilizing coastal communities in protection/conservation/management of coastal fisheries re-

Community based preparedness plan and physical requirements for implementation

Demonstration/supply/installation of renewable energy based utility appliances and servicing

Fuel efficient and smokeless chulha (stove) for the ease of women

Community based protection, conservation and regeneration of coastal fisheries resources.

Repatriation of fishers in case of involuntary trespassing of territorial waters of other countries

While sending the Expression of Interest the organizations must provide adequate and clear evidence

of their good reputation, adequate experience in the relevant field in which they are interested in,

financial solvency, good track record of implementing UN and bilateral assisted community empower-

Supporting documents must include registration certificate by NGO Affairs Bureau /ADAB/Ministry of

Social Affairs/ Company Registration; bank solvency certificate; certificate of experience in the rel-

evant field from concerned organizations; certificate and report from reputed Audit Firm about the annual income and expenditure of the organization; organogram, staff list and their expertise; re-

sources and management decision making practice; as well as annual reports and published mandate

/ mission statement of the organization. Organizations already working in the command area of the

project, working experience with the coastal fishing communities and having their network in the area

Interested organizations will be short-listed on the basis of information provided by them on above

lines. Short-listed organizations will be provided with TORs and will be invited to submit separate

The Expression of Interest together with supporting documents should be addressed and submitted to

FAO Representation in Bangladesh, House 37, Road 8, Dhanmondi, Dhaka on or before Thursday,

25 April 2002, clearly marking "Expression of Interest" on the envelop or package.

Primary health care awareness building - health is part of livelihood security.

Assessment of disaster management needs of coastal fishing communities

Legal aids for claims related business, accidents, Family Laws insurance, etc.

Awareness on Rights and privileges relating to fishing activities

Solar powered lighting and other electric appliances

Teachers and students of Kalyani accorded a reception to Sultana Sarwat

Ara Zaman, founder of the Bangladesh Pratibandhi Foundation, in the city

vesterday on her winning the Dr MR Khan and Anwara Trust gold medal

for her outstanding contribution to the welfare of the disabled.

of seven Upazilla of Cox's Bazar district.

Conducting PRAs

management skill

School based education services

Alternative Income Generating Activities

Identification of appropriate activities

Skill training for beneficiaries on identified activities

Implement school based education programme

Potable drinking water - possibly arsenic free

Identification of strategic intervention areas

Primary Health, Drinking Water and Sanitation Package

Preparation of cost and revenue plans for successful activities

Plan and design education programme - parent teachers committee

Feasibility study on introducing VO based health insurance.

Identification of market potential

Linkage with market access

Education need assessment

Consulting and referral services

Risk identification and analysis

Legal awareness on Family Law

Securing of tenure for homestead land

Low cost sanitary latrine

Drainage system

Awareness building,

Legal aid support and legal awareness

o Solar drier

Solar cooker

ment / development projects etc.

will be an added advantage.

technical and financial proposals.

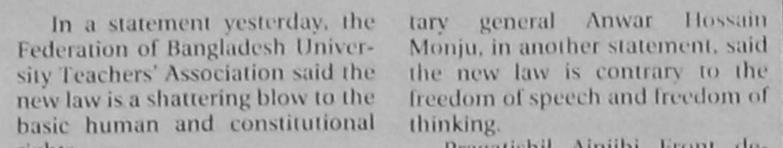
sources

Disaster Preparedness

Early warning

project activities.

Social mobilization



Pragatishil Ainjibi Front de-Expressing grave concern over scribed the new law as antidemocratic and contrary to hu-

Samajtantrik Sramik Front also condemned the law in its central committee meeting yesterday.

Addressing the meeting, its president Abdullah Sarker said the government turned the country into a police state by passing such

He said the government failed to maintain law and order and the ruling party leaders were harbouring the terrorists and crimi-

Biva placed on fresh remand

COURT CORRESPONDENT

Biva Rahman, arrested on charge of claiming herself as daughter of late president Ziaur Rahman, was placed on a three-day fresh remand yesterday for interrogation.

On expiry of a three-day remand, Kafrul police produced Biva before the Chief Metropolitan Magistrate's Court, Dhaka at 3:00 pm yesterday with a prayer for a seven-day remand for further interrogation.

In the forwarding report police said, Biva gave important information about her entrance into the house of Khaleda Zia. Moreover, some political parties might be involved in it, the report said.

Biva, 40, a resident of Banogram under Boalia thana in Rajshahi district, had turned up at the entrance of Prime Minister Khaleda Zia's Cantonment residence on April 5. She tried to enter the house to meet Khaleda Zia, claiming that she is the daughter of Ziaur Rahman.



French envoy Michel Lummaux and Tareque Masud, director of 'Matir Moyna' (The City Bird), a Bangla feature film, hold a poster of the film at a press conference in the city yesterday. The artists of the film were introduced in the programme.

Forged 500-taka notes on CU campus

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missions and/or established companies.

CU CORRESPONDENT

A number of forged 500-taka notes has been in circulation on the Chittagong University (CU) campus since last month.

The victims of the forgery are the students and teachers who were being harassed while buying anything in exchange for 500-taka

The teachers and the students alleged that a well-organised gang in collusion with the cashiers of a bank located on the CU campus is prits. circulating the fake notes.

One of the teachers of the university was harassed recently when he paid the bill of some stationery goods with the fake notes unknowingly.

The teacher said the fake notes came with the monthly salary he drew from the Agrani bank branch

VC Prof. Nuruddin Chowdhury asked the bank manager to take steps in this regard when the teacher brought it to his attention. The VC, however, was not

now staying in Dhaka. When contacted, the proctor of the university said they had informed the bank manager of the

available for comment as he is

forgery. The bank will take steps in this regard, he added. Romiz Ahmed, manager of the bank, said he is going to take proper measures to nab the cul-

He, however, denied the in- open market. volvement of the bank staff in the

transfer the cashier of the bank to pm. another post in the bank.

Other sources said some 'hundi businessmen' were circulating the fake notes in collusion | legal action would not be taken with a section of bank officials.

seized in Ctg

making exportable garments.

The cloths were seized while nel attended. being sold to the traders in Teribazar in the city.

about Tk one crore, were imported by Arco Apparels of Dhaka and unloaded at the port last week. Instead of transporting the consignment to the factory in Dhaka, the cloths were being sold in the

cials from Dhaka came to Chit But he added that he will tagong and seized the cloths at

Customs also issued notice on the Arco Apparel and its C&F agent asking them to explain why against them in this regard.

Consignment of imported cloths

UNB, Chittagong

A customs team on Tuesday night | rector of Save the Children USA, seized a large consignment of and Dr Ashraf Ali also spoke on the cloths imported free of duty for occasion. A number of physicians,

Police said the cloths, worth health sector have shown a posi-

On information, customs offi

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Besides, around 10 lakh un- that the situation is still at the derweight babies encounter alarming stage. "We have to do deaths every year and one lakh die more," he added. in mothers' womb, according to a study disclosed at a workshop here Red Crescent Department of Family Planning and Save the Children USA concert to raise jointly organised the workshop

and 1.5 lakh babies within 28 days tion of child mortality and mor-

20 newborns die

every hour

of their births each year in the bidity.

Twenty newborns die an hour

country due to infection, prema-

ture delivery and other delivery

styled as "Saving Newborn Lives:

Bangladesh Perspective" at Bang-

Dr Uzma Syed, associate pro-

ladesh Institute of Administration

gramme manager of Save the

Children, USA, presented the key-

note paper in the workshop which

was addressed by Programme

Manager Dr Izaza Rasul, Director

General of Family Planning Fazlur

Rahman and Director General of

Health Directorate Dr Prof A B M

Helen Gallaher, field office di-

health workers and media person-

It was observed in the work-

shop that all the indicators of the

and Management (BIAM).

BSS. Dhaka

complexities.

Ahsanullah.

Study reveals at a workshop

fund tomorrow STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Bangladesh Red Crescent Society will organise a musical concert to raise fund for the poor at the Army Stadium in the city tomorrow.

Sponsored by Pepsi, the concert titled 'Abar Mato Dhaka' will be performed by leading band groups of the country including LRB, Nagar Baul, Swadhinata. Vikings and Warfaze.

Price of the ticket is Tk 120 per

Tickets are being sold at different fast food shops and commercial establishments, said a press release vesterday.

Tickets will also be available at the gate of the venue at 11.00am.

unicef 😉

Pilot schemes on the solid waste management and composting of the environmental sanitation facilities for the environmental sanitation, hygiene and water supply in urban slums and fringes project

UNICEF-Bangladesh invites proposal from established local company to improve the environmental sanitation condition of the slums in the project areas by solid waste management activities and resource recovery by composting and recycling of solid waste.

Interested companies having previous working experience (for minimum 3 years) in relation to community mobilization for proper disposal of solid waste and composting technique with well equipped training section, are requested to collect detailed Request for Proposal (RFP/2002/003) for abovementioned service from UNICEF, Ground Floor, Right Wing, Dhaka Sheraton Hotel Annex Building, 1, Minto Road, Dhaka-1000 from Thursday, April 11, 2002, between 08-30 to 16:00 hours.

A briefing session on the requirement of the assignment will be held on Thursday, April 18, 2002 at 10:30 hours in Mitali Conference Room, 4th Floor, Central Wing, UNICEF-BCO. The proposal must be submitted on or before 15:00 hours on April 30, 2002 (Thursday) in the "Tender Box" located in UNICEF HR D-300 Section.



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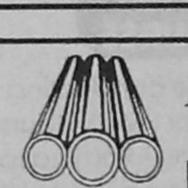
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By order of the Board (S.A.Jabbar)

Dated: 10.04,2002

Company Secretary



্ব 🔭 ু গ্যাস ট্রান্সমিশন কোম্পানী লিমিটেড (জিটিসিএল)

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