

BTTB calls metered

STAR REPORT

If you are a telephone buff then keep your eyes peeled on the time. The Bangladesh Telegraph and Telephone Board (BTTB) introduced multi-metering on the local calls of digital telephones last night, ignoring a court order.

Thousands of Internet users faced problems while getting connected with their Internet Service Providers (ISPs) as the BTTB has introduced multi-metering several hours ahead of schedule on Sunday midnight.

The BTTB has issued separate seven-digit access codes for the ISPs to exempt them from the purview of multi-metering.

Internet users with dial-up connections will now have to dial a unique access code instead of the previously used telephone numbers.

The BTTB has allocated

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AL calls half-day hartal July 4 in city

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The Dhaka city unit of the Awami League (AL) will enforce a half-day hartal in the capital on July 4, demanding release of all political detainees, including Sayeed Khokon.

Also, the AL's two thana units -- Sutrapur and Kotwali -- will enforce a half-day hartal in those areas today, protesting the arrest of Khokon, the AL nominee for the last parliamentary election from the Sutrapur-Kotwali constituency and son of former Dhaka mayor Mohammad Hanif, says an AL press release issued last night.

Besides, the AL city unit will hold a protest rally at 4.00pm today at the party central office on the Bangabandhu Avenue.

Khokon was arrested by the Detective Branch of Police Saturday night under Section 54 of the CrPC and later placed on a one-month detention.

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	Sun Rises	Sun Sets
July 1		6:50 pm
July 2	5-14 am	
Prayer Timings		
July 1	Azan	Jamaat
Fair	4-15	4-45
Zohr	12-45	1-15
Asr	5-00	5-15
Maghrib	6-55	6-59
Esha	8-15	8-45
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