Brick kiln owners asked to abide by environmental laws

BSS, Dhaka

Environment and Forest Minister Shajahan Siraj yesterday said all brick kilns must abide by environmental laws and have environment certificate and licence from deputy commissioners to run their businesses.

Speaking at a meeting with brick kiln owners at Ashulia, he said small and sporadic problems eventually cause major hazards particularly as far as environment was concerned.

"The environment of the country will become hostile for future generation if these problems cannot be removed," he said. Additional Deputy Commissioner of Dhaka M Harun-Ur Rashid presided over the meeting.

State Minister for Environment and Forest Jafrul Islam Chowdhury, local MP Dr. Dewan Mohammad Salauddin, Director General of Environment Directorate Hedatyul Islam Chowdhury, President of Brick Kiln Owners' Association Afaz Uddin and local representative of Brick kiln owners M A labbar spoke on the occasion.

The minister urged the brick kiln owners to produce environment- friendly concrete block brick to save the country from pollution.

A seven-member committee was formed at the meeting to recommend measures for brick kilns in Ashulia area. Dr. Dewan Mohammad Salauddin MP was made convenor of the committee.



Moderate rain likely

UNB, Dhaka

Light to moderate rain or thundershowers accompanied by temporary gusty wind is likely at a few places over Khulna, Barisal and Chittagong divisions and weather may remain mainly dry elsewhere over the country during the next 12 hours till 6pm today.

Day temperature may remain nearly unchanged over the country, Met Office said.

Yesterday's highest temperature of 33.5 degree Celsius was recorded at Sylhet and the lowest of 18.5 degree at Srimangol. The sun sets in the capital at 5:25pm today and rises at 6:01am

tomorrow. The highest and lowest temperature and humidity recorded in

City/Town	and towns yesterday were: Temperature in Celsius		Humidity in percentage	
	Max	Min	Morning	Evening
Dhaka	30.8	21.5	67	59
Chittagong	33.5	21.5	79	68
Rajshahi	32.2	20.7	87	86
Khulna	32.4	21.5	75	79
Barisal	31.6	22.0	79	91
Sylhet	31.8	20.5	70	73
Cox's Bazar	33.0	24.5	73	75



ঢাকা ইলেকট্রিক সাপ্লাই কোঃ লিঃ (ডেসকো) বাড়ী # ৫, রোড # ১১/২, ব্লক-বি, সেকশন-১০, মিরপুর, ঢাকা জনস্বার্থে বিজ্ঞপ্তি

ডেসকো'র সম্বানীত সকল শ্রেনীর গ্রাহকবৃন্দের সদয় অকাতির জন্য জানানো যাইতেছে যে বিদাৎ বিল যথাসময়ে পরিশোধের সুবিধার্থে মিরপুর এলাকাস্থ আমাদের মনোনীত বিভিন্ন ব্যাংক শাখা সমূহ ছাড়াও নিম্ন্বনিত ব্যাংকের শাখা সমূহে এখন হইতে (ਪ੍ਰਤਾਨਗ'ਰ ਰਿਯਾਦ ਗਿਲ ਅਗਿਆਮ ਨਗ ਸ਼ਾਨੈਂਟਰ

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তিমসজিদ রোড শাখা, ধানমন্তি, ঢাকা
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াইডিবি ডবন শাখা, (রোকেয়া সরণী), ঢাকা
লশান-১ নং শাখা, ঢাকা

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer, RHD Road Division, Tangail

Corrigendum Notice No. 2 (two)

This is to notify that the date and time for opening of tenders in tender notice No. 1/TRD/2002-2003 circulated vide this office Memo No. 3-4/2515 dated 01/10/2002 is hereby shifted from 1:30 PM on 05/11/2002 to 1:30 PM on 14/11/2002 due to unavoidable circumstances.

This will be the part and parcel of the tender and other terms and conditions will remain unchanged.

DFP-25696-21/10 Executive Engineer, RHD GD-2210 Road Division, Tangail



Eastern Refinery Limited North Patenga, PO Box-35

Chittagong, Bangladesh (A Subsidiary of Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation)

TELEX CTG: 633291 ERL BJ TEL CTG: 740361-62 FAX CTG: 880-31-740296

741343-46 Local Tender Notice (1st Re-Tender)

Eastern Refinery Limited (ERL), Chittagong, Bangladesh intends to procure one Lap Top Computer. All interested bidders are requested to submit their offers in prescribed tender documents.

Tender documents will be available from (1) the Finance Division of the ERL's Registered Office, North Patenga, Chittagong and (2) ERL's Liaison Office at 67/4, Kakrail Road, Flat # A/2 (1st Floor), Dhaka-1000 (Phone 8313118, 8313074) at a cost of Tk 100/- (One hundred) per set only non-refundable, on all working days. Tenders will be closed on 11th November, 2002 at 1500 hours. No tender schedule will be sold on the date of closing of the tender. Tenders will be received at both the places as mentioned above.

ERL reserves the right not to accept the lowest offer or to reject all offers without assigning any reason whatsoever.

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Founder and Chairperson of BRAC Fazle Hasan Abed (2nd from left) discussed the BRAC-Afghanistan programme with Afghan Minister for Rural Rehabilitation and Development Mohammad Hanif Atmar (right) in Kabul recently. Adviser of BRAC Faruq Ahmed Chowdhury was also present at the meeting.

NU mulls changes in exam system

MUSTAK HOSSAIN

The National University (NU) is considering to allow those who have failed in one subject in master's final examination to reappear only for the same, an high official of the university said.

A decision to this effect would pave the way for several thousand students who failed in one subject to have their master's degree.

According to existing system, the failed students have to sit for

all the six papers. "We are considering to put forward a proposal to the Academic Council for allowing the examinees who have failed in one subject in the master's degree examination", NU Vice Chancellor Abdul Momin Chowdhury told The Daily Star.

Chowdhury said he was convinced about the idea since such provision was made for honours examinees last year.

He said the proposal would be placed at the next meeting of the . academic council. "The present system for reap-

pearing in all papers is loss of money, energy and time," said one About 10,000 examinees of

master's final examination of 1999 under the NU could not come out successfully. Most of them failed in 50-mark comprehensive test

sources said. The holding of master's final examination under the university was delayed due to political unrest and election last year. The examination started on November 4 last vear and ended in January this

The publication of result was also delayed by several months and the result of Management Department was published on October 12.

Many students said the university should make special arrangement to appear at the next examination scheduled for November 12 as the deadline for submitting the form has already expired.

"If the university does not allow us, we will never be able to have our master's degree," said one examinee who failed in one paper at the examination.

23 firearms recovered

UNB, Dhaka

Police recovered 23 firearms, 25 other weapons and 205 rounds of bullet during their countrywide drive in last 24 hours ending at 6am yesterday.



Danish Ambassador Niels Severin Munk visited UCEP-Dhaka Technical school for the underprivileged working children in the city yesterday.



A voluntary blood donation programme was held at the Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology recently on the occasion of Rag '02. The ORCA Blood for Life in association with the Sandhani Dhaka Medical College unit organised the event.



A milad mahfil was held at the Head Office of Uttara Bank Limited in the city recently on the occasion of seventh death anniversary of Alhaj Jahurul Islam, a renowned industrialist and one of the sponsors of the.

SC lawyers to boycott court on Oct 26

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The Bangladesh Supreme Court Bar Association (BSCBA) will boycott all courts of the High Court Division on October 26 to press home 6-point demand of the lawyers, says a press release.

This was decided at a meeting of the executive committee of the BSCBA yesterday with President Ojayer Faruk in the chair.

The meeting expressed its solidarity with lawyers' demand and decided to send a copy of the resolution of the meeting to the Chief Justice.

Six get Lifetime Achievement Award in Ctg

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Six persons were awarded the 'Lifetime Achievement Award 2002' at a function in the port city on Tuesday night.

Achievement, a socio-cultural organisation, gave the award for their outstanding contributions in the fields of journalism, social service, publication, sports, music and drama.

The recipients are Mohammad Khaled, editor of Azadi, for journalism, Bazlus Sattar for social service, Mohammad Shafi for publication, Abu Taher Putu (posthumously) for sports, Aloke Kumar Dutta for drama and Shefali Ghosh for music.

Amir Humayun Mahmud Chowdhury, president of Chittagong Chamber of Commerce and Industry (CCCI), Prof Dr Mohammad Moniruzzaman of Chittagong University, Swapon Das Gupta, first secretary of the Indian High Commission in Chittagong, Fazlur Rahman Arju, sports organiser and Obaidul Haq, chairman of Achievement gave away the crests.

Trauma centres to be set up along highways BSS, Dhaka

The government will set up some trauma centres along the highways across the country to provide quick treatment to the victims of road accidents.

The injured would get primary treatment in the centres immediately after the accident and later they would be treated as required, Health Minister Khondoker Mosharraf Hossain said.

The minister was said this while inaugurating the National Conference of Bangladesh Association of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation and scientific session at a city hotel.

Presided over by Association President Prof. Mohammad Kamrul Islam, the inaugural function was also addressed by Health Secretary Muhammad Fazlur Rahman, Vice-Chancellor of BSMMU Prof. M. A Hadi, Secretary General of Bangladesh Medical Association (BMA) Dr. A Z M Zaheed Hossain.

Former ADB chief Mitsuo Sato dies

BSS, Dhaka

Mitsuo Sato, former president of Asian Development Bank (ADB), died of a cardiac arrest in Tokyo on Sunday at the age of 69.

Sato served as ADB's president from 1993 to 1999, steering the Bank through one of Asia's most challenging periods, following the onset of the Asian financial crisis in 1997.

During his tenure, ADB expanded its mandate significantly from being a project-financier to a broad-based development finance institution.

As ADB President, Sato had visited Bangladesh in August 1997. Sato is survived by his wife and

Abed visits BRAC projects in Afghanistan

Founder and Chairperson of BRAC Fazle Hasan Abed had meetings with the Minister for of Rural Rehabilitation and Development Mohammad Hanif Atmar, Education Minister Yonus Kanuni and Finance Minister Dr Ashraf Gani Ahmedzai of Afghanistan during his recent visit to Afghanistan, says a press release.

Abed discussed with them details of BRAC programmes in Afghanistan and the progress made so far. He said that Bangladesh had the similar experience 30 years ago when BRAC was born and he thought that it should share its long experience with the rehabilitation and development efforts of Afghanistan.

The Afghan ministers greatly appreciated the initiative taken by the Bangladeshi organisation and pledged all support from the Afghan authorities.

The BRAC chairperson also had separate and joint meetings with the Afghanistan heads of UN Agencies, the World Bank, the Asian Development Bank, the European Union and other donor agencies.

He also visited the on-going BRAC programmes in Kabul, the provinces of Parwan and Balkh, and Mazar-e-Sharif in the north-

Registered in May this year, BRAC-Afghanistan has already set up eight offices with 52 employees, including 44 Afghans, and started livelihood programme with credit for the poor, eleven primary schools for girls and two health clinics in Parwan and Balkh.

During the visit, Abed was accompanied by Faruq Ahmed Choudhury, advisor of BRAC.

Night guard commits suicide

BSS, Dhaka

A night guard committed suicide by hanging himself from a ceiling fan with a rope in the city's Dilkusha area on Tuesday night, police

The victim was identified as Nur Alam, 27, son of Fazlur Rahman, resident of Narandia village under Doudkandi upazila in Comilla district.

He worked as night goard at the Department of Public Health and Engineering (DPHE) at 16/D Dilkusha Commercial area. Police recovered the body at

the Dhaka Medical College Hospital for autopsy. A case was registered with Motijheel Police Station.

9.30 am yesterday and sent it to

Art exhibition

The inaugural ceremony of the 3rd Group Art Exhibition of Young Artists of Bangladesh will be held. Rafiqun Nabi, an eminent artist will inaugurate. Venue: The Russian Cultural Centre, Dhanmondi. Time: 5.30pm. The exhibition will remain open till October 31 from 4.00pm to 8.00pm daily.

Film show

Zahir Raihan Film Society will screen two films titled 'At home among strangers' and 'The Barber of Siberia' directed by Nikita Mikhalkov on the occasion of his 57th birth anniversary. Venue: The Russian Cultural Centre, Dhanmondi. Time: 5.00pm and 6.30pm respectively.

SASC programme

A programme on 'Students' Antitobacco Campaign', organised by the Students Anti Smoking Committee (SASC), will be held. The programme includes distribution of an anti-tobacco book among the students apart from staging an anti-tobacco drama titled 'Upalabdhee'. Venue: Dhaka Residential Model School and College, Mohammadpur. Time: 10.00am.

ESDO programme

The inaugural ceremony of the programme titled 'Keep our city clean', organised by the Environment and Social Development Organisation (ESDO) in association with the British Council, will be held with Environment and Forest Minister Shajahan Siraj as chief guest. Venue: Dhanmondi Lake by Road-8/A. Time: 9.30am.

Reception

The Cine Drama and Cultural Forum of Stamford University, Bangladesh, organises a freshers's reception ceremony with Food Minister Abdullah Al Noman as chief guest. Venue: Lagoon Convention Centre, Rifles Square, Dhanmondi. Time: 11.00am.

Campus seminar

A seminar on the 'Present and future of coaching in the education system

of Bangladesh', organised by the University Campus Journal, will be held with State Minister for Education ANM Ehsanul Haque Milon as chief guest. Venue: Conference room of the campus journal: 33 Topkhana Road. Time:

UN Symposium

The United Nations Association of Bangladesh (UNAB) will hold a symposium on the occasion of the Minister M Morshed Khan as chief auditorium. Time: 9.30am.

guest. Venue: Hotel Purbani. Time:

UN seminar

The Department of Peace and Conflict Studies of Dhaka University organises a seminar in observance of the United Nations Day 2002 with State Minister for Foreign Affairs Reaz Rahman as chief guest. Venue: The conference room of the Business Studies Faculty of the university. Time: 10.00am.

Seminar

On the occasion of the World Habitat Day, Bangladesh Institute of Planners and the Department of Urban and Regional Planning of the BUET jointly organise a seminar with Mayor of Dhaka Sadeque Hossain Khoka as chief guest. Venue: BUET Council Bhaban. Time: 3.00pm.

Rotary meeting

Regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Greater Dhaka will be held with ARM M Kamal as guest speaker. He will speak on Hygiene Education and Promotion. Venue: CIRDAP Cafeteria, Topkhana Road. Time: 5.30pm.

TOMORROW

Discussion

The Junior Chamber Bangladesh in association with The Daily Star organises an open discussion on 'National Budget 2002: How does it promote IT and Agro/Agri based industry?' Venue: BRAC Centre Inn, Mohakhali, Time: 4.30pm.

Russian film show

Zahir Raihan Film Society will screen two films titled 'A Private Conversation' directed by Nikita Mikhalkov and 'A Cruel Romance' directed by Eldar Ryazanov. Venue: The Russian Cultural Centre, Dhanmondi. Time: 5.00pm and 6.30pm respectively.

French film show The Alliance Française will screen a film

titled 'Le Bossu' directed by Andre Hunebelle. Venue: Alliance Française auditorium, Dhanmondi, Time: 6.00pm

DUPDAA reunion

সর্বোচ্চ ড্রাফট

The third reunion and annual general meeting of Dhaka University Political Science Department Alumni Association (DUPDAA) will be held. United Nations Day with Foreign Venue: Teachers Students Centre

(ক) চলমান কোষ্টার জলযানঃ

টেভার অনুষ্ঠান

জিডি-৮৮১

সিডিউল ক্রয়ের তারিখ

দরপত্র দাখিলের স্থান

দরপত্র গ্রহণ ও খোলার

ক্রমিক নং

বিআইডব্লিউটিসি

বাংলাদেশ অভ্যন্তরীণ নৌ-পরিবহণ কর্পোরেশন (অভ্যন্তরীণ জাহাজ চলাচল প্রতিষ্ঠান) ৫. দিলকুশা বাণিজ্যিক এলাকা, ঢাকা-১০০০

দুর্ঘটনামুক্ত নৌ-চলাচল ও নিরাপদ যাত্রী সেবা প্রদান করিতে বিআইডব্লিউটিসি অংগীকারাবদ্ধ

টেন্ডার বিজ্ঞপ্তি

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ধারণ ক্ষমতা

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এবং একই দিন ১২১৫ ঘটিকায় উপস্থিত দরদাতাগণের সম্মুখে তারিখ (যদি কেহ উপস্থিত থাকেন) খোলা হইবে। টেভার সিডিউলে বর্ণিত সমস্ত শর্ত পূরণ করতঃ প্রয়োজনীয় কাগজপত্র সংযুক্ত করিয়া দরদাতার নিজম্ব লেটার হেড প্যাডে ফরওয়াডিং পত্রের মাধামে দরপত্র দাখিল করার জন্য অনুরোধ করা যাইতেছে।

কোন প্রকার কারণ প্রদর্শন ছাড়া যে কোন বা সকল দরপত্র গ্রহণ বা বাতিল করার ক্ষমতা কর্তপক্ষ সংরক্ষণ করেন।

(मिजनविन्दिः) २३ नः, भात इकवान त्त्राप्त, भूनना।

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মহা-ব্যবস্থাপক (বাণিজ্য/কার্গো ও ফেরী), বিআইডব্রিউটিসি ভবন,

০৬-১১-২০০২ইং, রোজ বুধবার, দুপুর ১২০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত গ্রহণ

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