

Indonesia's Pertamina to raise oil imports

Pubali Bank Ltd recently participated at a fair titled 'Bank and Non-Bank Financial Institutions Fair 2008' at the Dhaka Sheraton Hotel to expand and promote customer services. Hafiz Ahmed Mazumder, chairman of the board of directors, Helal Ahmed Chowdhury, managing director, and other high officials were seen visiting the bank's stall at the fair.

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Titas Gas, Beximco Pharma, Beximco, ACI and Keya

advanced, with turnover also grew to Tk 290.13 million from Tk 246.88 million a day before. Of the issues traded, 52 gained, 59 lost and six remained unchanged.

It also posted a pre-tax loss of 106 million kronor, compared to a profit of 762 million a year ago, and an operating loss of 51 million kronor against a profit of 892 million.

Sales rose 8.7 percent, however, to 17.7 billion kronor.

Grameenphone Ltd and Titas Gas Transmission and Distribution Company Ltd have jointly launched the BillPay service for the collection of Titas gas bills. Under the services, anyone with a Titas gas connection can pay their bills either from their Grameenphone mobile or at any GP authorised BillPay center. Grameenphone CEO Ander Jensen, Titas Gas Managing Director Engr Md Abdullah, and other high officials from both parties were also present on the occasion.

Berthing position and performance of vessels as on 14/8/2008							
Berth No.	Name of vessels	Cargo	L. Port call	Local agent	Date of arrival	Leaving	Import duty
J/3	Pioneer Third	Gl	Sing	TMLL	11/08	16/8	1324
J/5	Sona	Rice(gl)	Kol	Mutual	05/08	14/8	1400
J/7	Hpaia	Oil(log)	Yar	12/08	15/8	1437	
J/8	Medina-ko-chand	Coal(gl)	Kala	Cink	12/08	16/8	1569
J/11	Asian Star	Cont.	Sing	MBOL	13/08	14/8	1562
CC7/1	Kota Ratu	Cont.	Sing	PI(Bd)	12/08	14/8	111
CC7/2	Seaways Prestige	Cont.	Kol	BSC	13/08	14/8	78
NC7/3	Sin Chon	Urea	Ruwa	Litmond	7/8	20/8	-
NC7/5	Santa Suria-II	C. Clink	Krabi	Seacom	6/8	14/8	-
CCJ.	Kate	C. Clink	Sing	BGL	10/8	16/8	-
GSJ.	Banga Lanka	Repair	-	Bdship	R/A	20/8	-
TSP.	Santa Suria	C. Clink	Krabi	Seacom	2/8	15/8	-
RM/3	Barbal	CD50	Sing	Rainbow	7/8	-	-
DOJ/6	Daminh	Naptha	Sing	Jadine	12/8	15/8	-

Name of vessels	Cargo	Last port call	Local agent	Date of arrival
Outside Port Limit				
Wira Keris	—	—	IBSA	R/A 28/7
Maitroui	Wheat	Sing	Rainbow	11/8
Ce Pacific	Crude Oil	Jebel	438	—
Banglar Shourabih	C. Oil	—	BSC	R/A 13/8

Tiger Wave	Cont	Sing	APL	138
Goulburn-1	Bitumen	Haid	MHSL	138
Xpress Manaslu	Cont	Viza	Season	140
Sinar Bandung	Cont	Sing	IPL	140
Smooth Sea-3	CPO	Indo	Unidev	118
Al Sabiyah	HSD/Jet A-1	Kuwa	MSTFL	128

Monte Rosa	Gas Oil	Sing	Pride	12
Heng Zhou	CPO	Dumail	Ryship	13

F. Jahan	Raw Sugar	Tuti	BRSL	26/
Yick Wing	Mop(gert)	Stpet	Angellic	21/
Vertigo	Raw Sugar	Mumb	Rainbow	13/
Kota Mulia	Scraping	-	Pil(Bd)	R/A (9/)

of CPA supplied by TRC Family, Dhaka.

The following is Thursday's (August 14, 2008) forex statement by Standard Chartered Bank.

Major currency exchange rates			Exchange rate of some currencies		
	BC Sell	TT Buy		Per USD	BDT per Currency
US dollar	69.00	68.00	Indian rupee	42.34	1.62
Euro	104.23	99.70	PAK rupee	75.35	0.91
Pound	130.49	125.24	Lankan rupee	107.67	0.64
Australian dollar	61.36	57.73	Thai baht	33.71	2.03
Japanese yen	0.65	0.62	Malaysian ringgit	3.33	20.57
Swiss franc	64.65	60.95			
Swedish kroner	11.69	10.31			
Canadian dollar	66.16	63.29			
Hong Kong dollar	8.86	8.69			
Singapore dollar	50.14	48.06			
US\$ dirham	18.54	18.36			
Saudi riyal	18.65	17.50			
Danish kroner	14.48	12.93			
Kuwait dinar	253.82	243.39			

DSE All Share Index :	2295.94962 (+)	0.49%
DSE General Index :	2675.07361 (+)	0.52%
DSE - 20 Index :	2479.53114 (+)	0.53%
CSE All Share Index :	8274.01600 (+)	0.40%
CSE - 30 Index :	7541.06060 (+)	0.19%
CSE Selected Index :	5380.15550 (+)	0.52%

Indicators	DSE	CSE
Total Turnover (Taka)	1,819,711,402.10	280,137,747.06
Total Turnover (Volume)	12,709,765	2,901,915
Number of Contracts	43,177	9,295
Total Traded Issues	225	121
No. of Issue Gam (Avg. Price Basis)	63	39
No. of Issue Loss (Avg. Price Basis)	157	80
No. of Unchanged Issue (Avg. P. Basis)	5	2
Market Cap. (Taka)	742,501,765.04	706,593,653.82
Market Cap. (US\$)	10,839,441,825	10,315,235,822
Total No. of Listed Companies	288	228
Total No. of Listed Companies	267	211
Total No. of Listed Mutual Fund	15	15
Total No. of Listed Debenture	2	2
Total No. of Share & Loan	2,339,622,035	416,612,120
Total Issued Capital	112,237,227,100	109,281,107,430
Price Earning Ratio	19.24	18.87
Earning Per Share (P.)	36.02	35.85

Company	Turnover			
	(Vol.)	(M.Trk.)	% Trk.	Big/Loss
Tias Gas TDCN*	720.250	253.22	13.92	20.000
Bemochem Pharma**	2.01.576	236.75	13.18	27.500
BEXIMO Ltd**	1.020.597	121.32	6.67	7.000
Li Limited**	2.301.878	121.31	5.90	2.000
Karya Cosmetics Ltd**	1.332.600	101.68	5.56	3.000
Latika-Bangla Finance**	324.425	72.20	4.00	2.000
BATBOL**	346.650	72.20	3.99	2.800
Islami Bank BD**	7.324	59.29	2.76	50
Agri Systems Ltd**	710.572	45.33	2.49	22.000
Pragati Life Insur**	17.100	43.25	2.27	500
Bemochem Pharma**	470.120	53.78	18.53	19.950
BEXIMO Ltd**	231.255	27.49	9.47	1.000
Latika-Bangla Finance**	85.350	18.95	6.52	10.000
Tias Gas TDCN	49.620	18.95	6.52	1.250
Karya Cosmetics Ltd**	229.000	17.45	6.01	1.000
Square Textile**	86.420	11.05	3.81	2.050
AB Bank**	11.595	8.86	3.40	250
Greenfield M F One**	19.600	9.91	3.38	3.000
AB Limited**	96.950	9.91	2.96	2.000
RATB**	16.500	8.95	2.96	2.000

Capital Gains

Company	Price Chn. (%)		Close Price	Turnover M.Tk.
	Class	Avg.		
Anand Galvanizing Z	18.74	15.44	141.00	1.58
Ranwick Jewellers B	10.00	9.71	434.50	1.95
Tias Gas TCO'N	8.20	2.25	363.00	253.21
Shampur Sugar Mills Z	8.68	7.72	10.70	0.02
Rahma Food Corp. Z	6.38	6.34	5.00	0.013
Anand Galvanizing Z	17.60	17.54	137.00	0.048
Sonar Bangla Indus. B	15.36	13.78	18.00	0.021
National Life Insu. A	9.97	9.97	3,870.00	0.00
Imam Button A	7.67	7.67	161.50	0.052
Tias Gas TCO'N	7.07	6.40	365.50	17.51

Company	Price Chng. (%)		Close Price	Turnover M Tk
	Close	Avg		
BD Monopool Paper-Z	-19.02	-16.46	37.25	0.130
Trust Bank-A	-12.59	-10.77	401.00	25.620
BD Thai Alum.-Z	-5.68	-2.95	365.00	0.7847
Sinobatta Industries-B	-5.57	-5.56	30.00	0.3210
3rd CBM F-A	-5.28	-5.28	1,099.25	0.0330
Orbita Insurance-Z	-16.43	-15	351.00	0.0428
Trust Bank-A	-13.36	-13.33	400.00	6.441
Prime Insurance-Z	-13.64	-6.82	190.00	0.0641
Legacy Footwear-Z	-11.35	-11.49	16.40	0.0082
Luxco-Z	-11.09	-11.04	13.25	0.005