Salahuddin

role

gets FIFA

SPORTS REPORTER Bangladesh Football

Federation and South Asian Football Federation president Kazi Salahuddin has been appointed member of the FIFA Technical and Development Committee.

FIFA general secretary Jerome Valcke let the BFF know the decision of the FIFA executive committee through a letter yesterday.

Salahuddin, who is also member of AFC Audit committee, is expected to join the next meeting of the technical and development committee to be held in Zurich on February 8.

Bangladesh League

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Struggling Muktijoddha Sangsad earned the first point in the Bangladesh League when they drew against newcomers Shukhtara Jubo Sangsad at the Birshreshtha Shaheed Mostafa Kamal Stadium in Kamalapur yesterday.

After five straight defeat, Muktijoddha coached by Golam Sarwar Tipu, secured the first point in the sixth match to remain bottom of the 13-team point table while Shukhtara raised their points tally to three after their third straight draw after losing the first three matches.

ICC CEO in town today

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The chief executive of the International Cricket Council (ICC) Haroon Lorgat is scheduled to arrive in Dhaka today for a three-day visit.

ICC commercial general manager Campbell Jamieson will accompany him, said a Bangladesh Cricket Board press release.

Lorgat will attend the central organizing committee meeting of the ICC Cricket World Cup 2011 on Saturday at the Bangabandhu International Conference Centre at the Sher-e-Bangla Nagar on Saturday. He will also make a presentation to directors of BCB on Sunday on the ICC's areas of operation. Lorgat is scheduled to leave Dhaka on Sunday.

Memo No-E&T/EQ/48-2009/7

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Procuring entity name

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KEY INFORMATION

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Tender publication date

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Selling tender document

Receiving tender document

Opening tender document

Place/date/time

meeting (optional)

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Tender opening date and time

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Brief description of goods

PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS

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England batsman Ian Bell takes evasive action to avoid a bouncer on the fifth and last day of the third Test against South Africa at Newlands in Cape Town yesterday.

Dramatic draw at Newlands

back spasms, and bowled only

two two-over spells at greatly

reduced pace, while left-arm

spinner Paul Harris could not

extract any significant turn

sion review system to thank for

his survival, however, as he was

given out before he had scored,

asked for a review of umpire

Tony Hill's decision. Replays

showed the ball had gone off

wickets of nightwatchman

James Anderson and Trott

during the morning as

England batted cautiously,

taking a victory target of 466

determination, it took South

With Trott batting solidly

Date: 03.01.2010

Completion

time in week

8 weeks

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out of the equation.

South Africa claimed the

Collingwood immediately

caught at slip off Harris.

Collingwood had the deci-

from the pitch.

his thigh pad.

FROM PAGE 17

him playing and missing at balls which swung away late, earning a wry acknowledgement from the batsman, and twice almost bowling him with deliveries which cut back.

But at the end of a six-over spell Steyn had not taken a wicket and Collingwood, having faced 29 of the 36 balls bowled by Steyn with the new ball, was still battling away, as he did when England escaped with a draw in the first Test in Centurion.

At Centurion, Collingwood batted for 159 minutes and faced 99 balls in scoring 26 not out. On Thursday he batted for 276 minutes, facing 188 balls and making 40.

While Steyn bowled superbly with no luck, Smith could not find any magic from his other bowlers until the unlikely intervention of Duminy in the last hour.

The tall Morkel could not recapture the controlled hostility which brought him and Anderson defending with five wickets in the first innings.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Police Headquarters

Dhaka

Ministry of Home Affairs.

Purchase of Equipment.

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Police Headquarters, Dhaka.

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Inspector General, Bangladesh Police.

Police Headquarters, Phoenix Road, Fulbaria, Dhaka-1000.

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Operation Conference Room (1st Floor), Police

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Friedel de Wet, South Africa 46 minutes to make a Africa's third fast bowler, breakthrough, for which they required some luck. needed an injection on Wednesday after suffering Anderson swept Harris

and the ball went onto his boot before squirting out towards backward short leg where Ashwell Prince made a diving catch.

Trott had made a watchful 42 off 99 balls when he fell victim to Steyn during the second of two three-over bursts by the fast bowler before lunch. A fast, full ball swung in late and sent Trott's off stump flying.

SCOREBOARD

Final scoreboard of the third Test between South Africa and England at Newlands on Thursday:

South Africa: First innings 291 England: First innings 273 South Africa: Second innings

447-7 dec England: Second innings

(overnight 132-3) Strauss c Amla b Harris Cook c Boucher b De Wet 55 Trott b Steyn Pietersen lbw b Steyn Anderson c Prince b Harris 9 Collingwood c Kallis b Duminy Bell c Smith b Morkel

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Total: (For 9 wkts in 141 overs) 296 Fall of wickets: 1-101, 2-107, 3-129, 4-153, 5-162, 6-272, 7-278, 8-286, 9-290

Bowler	U	M	R	
Morkel	28	9	51	
Steyn	35	11	74	
DeWet	12	5	23	
Harris	40	14	85	
Kallis	14	4	28	
Duminy	12	3	30	
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Man-of-the-match: Graeme Smith Series: England lead the four-

match series 1-0. Umpires: Daryl Harper and Tony Hill.

Matches

FROM PAGE 17 not only ICC, but more importantly the broadcasters, who have the ultimate word in modern cricket. After sitting with all the parties, the tournament organizing commit-tee came to the decision that the remaining matches of the Idea Cup will start at 2pm instead of 2:30pm effective from 8th of January.

A press release from the Bangladesh Cricket Board yesterday said, "The decision has been made in an effort to minimize the impact of the afternoon dew on games. The three teams and the ICC Match Referee are in agreement over the changed timing."

100 while for the two Tests it has been set at Tk 50.

Eng 'lucky' over ball tampering

Cricket

AFP, London

SPÖRT

Former captain Michael Vaughan said Thursday England had been "lucky" to escape official censure over allegations of ball-tampering in the ongoing third Test against South Africa.

But Michael Atherton, another ex-England captain, said Stuart Broad and James Anderson, the two pace bowlers at the centre of the controversy, were victims of "trial by television". The Proteas raised concerns over the

state of the ball after television pictures

during Tuesday's third day at Newlands in

Cape Town showed Broad stopping the ball with his boot spikes and, moments later, Anderson working on the ball. Ultimately, no formal complaint was raised by South Africa and that led the International Cricket Council (ICC) to announce the matter was closed as far as

With England 179 for five at lunch on Thursday's final day, well adrift of their victory target of 466, and South Africa closing in on a 1-1 series levelling victory, it seemed that what, if anything, the tourists had done had had little impact.

But Vaughan, in his column in the London Daily Telegraph, was in no doubt England had been fortunate to avoid disciplinary action.

"They were lucky to get away without an official reprimand, or even a ban because there was no doubt in my mind that they were trying to change the condition of the ball.

"They will think twice before trying it on again at The Wanderers next week. As it is, Anderson is a lucky man, I don't think anyone could have argued if he had been asked to sit out the next match, but the ICC has brushed the whole thing aside because they don't want any contro-

Vaughan also accused the world governing body of double-standards, saying there would have been a furore if, for example, Pakistan had been involved.

"If Shoaib Akhtar or Mohammad Asif had been pictured using their fingers on the ball, there would have been uproar."

Meanwhile Atherton, who as England captain was fined in 1994 for rubbing dirt into the ball against South Africa at Lord's, questioned the Proteas' behaviour in raising the matter but then not following up with official action.

Atherton, now the cricket correspondent of British daily The Times, wrote: "Ball tampering is a serious allegation in cricket and if you make it, as South Africa effectively did by publicly raising their 'concerns' about the state of the ball, you had better be damn sure of your facts.

"But no formal complaint was forthcoming.

"After letting all and sundry know they felt England were up to no good on the third evening, South Africa ran for cover yesterday (Wednesday).

"South Africa's actions were akin to throwing a hand grenade in a public place - then running before the explo-Atherton added: "Anderson and Broad

have been tainted with cheating in the minds of the public with no chance to state their case. "It has been a trial of television:

images shown, the issue dissected; a judge and jury without the defendants present."

Roughing up one side of the ball is a way of inducing reverse-swing, and while this can happen through wear and tear during the course of an innings, it can also be done through banned methods such as picking at the ball.

Rony might miss Games

SPORTS REPORTER

it was concerned.

The Bangladesh Swimming Federation has faced a blow as SA Games gold medallist Shahajan Ali Rony was found suffering from jaundice ahead of the 11th South Asian Games in Bangladesh. The Games is scheduled for January 29 to February 9.

"Rony was feeling bad for a few days in training and on Wednesday he underwent medical test and was detected with jaundice," said camp commander Amirul Islam yesterday.

"The doctor told us that i would be understood after 15 days whether or not Rony will be cured for the Games," said Amirul adding that Rony was admitted to hospital in Mirpur.

Rony, however, was confident to be fit before the games, "If I get only five days before the start of the Games, I will be able to make up for the lost time, said Rony.

Rony was the lone successfu swimmer in the Colombo SA Games in 2006 after clinching the gold medal in the 50m breaststroke and Bangladesh this time are also hoping for a gold medal from the same event from the same swimmer.

On the December 16 trials, Rony bettered his time from what he took in the 2006 SA Games as he timed 30.41 seconds. Rony took 30.43 seconds to clinch the gold medal in Colombo.

DC Cup

Kushtia

OUR CORRESPONDENT,

Host Kushtia moved into the final of the Khulna Divisional Commissioner Cup with a 2-0 win over Chuadanga in the semifinal at the Kushtia

Stadium yesterday. Sohan gave the hosts a lead in the 20th minute before Khaledkari sealed the fate of the match striking the team's second goal 10 minutes into

the second half. Kushtia will face Bagerhat in the final on January 9 at the same venue.

Ponting not blaming his elbow "I've had a poor game and I've had a poor six

Cricket

CRICINFO, undated

Ricky Ponting is not blaming his elbow injury for a poor run of form that is threatening his worst home summer in 11 years. Ponting was forced to retire hurt in Perth last month when struck on the left arm by Kemar Roach and has since been susceptible to the short ball during a return of 216 runs at 27 in five Tests. Despite considerable pain, Ponting cleared

himself to play in Melbourne and felt improvement in Sydney, where his side stormed back from a 206-run first-innings deficit to defeat Pakistan by 36 runs. "I've been a bit restricted in the last couple of games," Ponting said. "There's no doubt about that. But I'm not going to use that as an excuse for why I haven't scored as many runs as I would have liked."

Since being struck by Roach, Ponting has added 2, 57, 12, 0 and 11, including being dismissed three times to short deliveries. Not since 1998-99, when he was cut after 47 runs against England in three Tests, has Ponting's output in an Australian summer been so small. He fell pulling to his first ball on the opening day in Sydney after deciding to bat -Australia slipped for 127 - and was out edging in the second innings.

or eight games," Ponting said. "So I've got to go to Hobart [for Thursday's final Test] and I've got to prepare well and I've got to start making some runs.' Ponting's last century came in the Ashes

opener in Cardiff in July and he finished 2009

with an average of 38.77, 16 runs below his career mark. He is now 35 and has started to look his age when he has batted, particularly when hampered by the elbow injury. "I was probably in the most pain in the first innings of the Melbourne game," he said. "But that was the highest score that I've made in the four innings that I've had in the first two Tests. I

put my hand up and said I'm right to play and I've got to get out there and make runs. That's my job.' Australia were saved by the second-innings contributions of Shane Watson, Michael Hussey, Peter Siddle and Nathan Hauritz as they swept to a 2-0 series win. The victory allowed the hosts to gain revenge after falling so quickly on the opening day and they celebrated

consecutive years. "We've been stretched to do it," Ponting said. "But the character that has been shown over the last couple of days of this game is terrific and I'm really proud of the guys for doing what they've done."

a third spectacular success at the ground in

Yousuf's sacking demanded

Cricket

PTI, Karachi

Pakistan's shocking defeat in the Sydney Test against Australia has the entire nation seething in anger with former players today demanding sacking of captain Mohammad Yousuf, coach Intikhab Alam and even cricket board chief Ejaz Butt.

The aftermath of the 36run defeat could be sensed from the fact that it also prompted a statement from the Presidential spokesman who appealed for calm and patience from everyone.

The appeal, however, did little to placate the angry former players like Inzamamul Haq, Aamer Sohail, Moin Khan and Rashid Latif and administrators, who demanded that heads, should roll.

Former Pakistan Cricket Board Chairman Nasim Ashraf felt it was embarrassing to lose a match after dominating the first three days and said Yousuf should be stripped of captaincy.

"What happened in the Test was so embarrassing. It made a complete mockery of Pakistan cricket and the entire team management.

Khan boxes for Pakistan

AFP, Karachi

World boxing champion Amir Khan on Thursday promised to help bring international sports back to Pakistan, saying he would try to convince English cricketers to tour the insurgency-hit nation.

"I am pleased to be back in the country of my forefathers and when people see me touring Pakistan it will put in their minds that it's a safe place to play," Khan, a Briton of Pakistani descent, told a press conference.

Khan, who became World Boxing Association (WBA) lightwelterweight champion last year, is in Karachi as a guest for the 20-nation Benazir Bhutto International Boxing Championship, named after the slain former prime minister.

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