

Health care at Biswanath needs a little care

UNB, Sylhet

Health care services at Biswanath upazila health complex are being hampered due to lack of necessary medical equipment and shortage of manpower much to the woes and worries of patients, especially the poor ones.

The 31-bed medical centre was built five kilometers away from the upazila Sadar at Kadipur under Rampasha union in 1984.

Sources said 54 posts, out of 117 at the health complex,

remained vacant since long. The vacant posts included medical officer, surgeon, anesthetist, dental surgeon, accountant, storekeeper, cashier, office assistants, medical assistants, nursing supervisor, health assistants and assistant health inspectors.

The generator of the hospital is lying out of order for about a decade. Two out of three ambulances also remained out of order for long.

Hospital sources said the doctors perform surgery in

candle lights when the electricity is off.

Locals alleged that doctors do not come timely and regularly in the hospital as most of them are engaged in private practice.

"Although the doctors have staff quarters at the hospital, they do not live there. As a result, the patients suffer much and often depend on quack doctors," said a local leader.

Rahima Begum, a patient at the health complex, alleged that doctors visited her only once in the last three

days.

Locals alleged that poor patients have to look for treatment elsewhere as they do not get the doctors at the hospital timely. They are also compelled to buy medicines from outside at higher prices.

Contacted, Upazila Health and Family Planning Officer Hekmat Ali told the news agency that he informed the higher authorities to take necessary measures to solve the problems at the health complex.



Farmers lay siege to the office of Water Development Board executive engineer in Patuakhali yesterday demanding construction of an embankment along Shoula Canal in Sadar upazila to save their agricultural land from saline water.

PHOTO: STAR

SNIPPETS

2 outlaws to die for murder

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Kushtia

A Chuadanga court yesterday sentenced two cadres of outlawed Janajuddho, one of the factions of Purbo Banglar Communist Party (PBCP-ML), to death for killing two siblings in 2003. Additional District and Sessions Judge Monjurul Haque also fined each Tk 50,000 and asked police to give the money to the victims' families. The condemned convicts -- Zohurul Islam 36, and Abdul Goni 39 -- were tried in absentia. According to the prosecution, the outlaws slaughtered Billal and his brother Anarul of Bamanagar in Chuadanga Sadar upazila on August 11, 2003 as they refused to pay Tk 2 lakh toll to the their party. Helal Uddin, younger brother of the victims, filed a case with Sadar police station in this connection.

Two children drown

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Kushtia

Two children were drowned in a pond in Bheremara upazila in the district yesterday. They are Jusi, 8 and Bithi, 6, daughter of Ehsan Ali at Thakur-Daulatpur village. Jusi was a student of class two while Bithi class one. According to family sources, Jusi and Bithi were playing by a pond near their house at about 10:30 am. After a while they were not found at the place. Their family members looked for them here and there but failed to trace them out. Finally, the family members launched a search at the pond and recovered the bodies from it at about 1:00pm.

Police-robbers gunfight

UNB, Sherpur

An hour-long gunfight between police and a gang of robbers took place at Purbo Narayankhola village in Nokla upazila early yesterday. Acting Superintendent of Police (SP) Anisur Rahman said being informed that a gang of robbers numbering 10-12 took shelter at the char village after committing a robbery police raided the place at about 12:30am. Sensing the presence of the police, the robbers opened fire prompting the law enforcers to return the fire triggering the gunfight. At one stage the gang managed to flee the scene. Police later recovered a foreign-made pistol, two guns and 92 bullets from the spot.

Cocktail found at RU Hall

A RU Correspondent

Police along with the authorities of Madar Bux Hall of Rajshahi University (RU) yesterday recovered a cocktail from the hall. Police on duty at the hall said they found the cocktail on the roof of dining hall at around 10:00am as they were moving inside the hall. Sources said the cocktail was recovered near the hall tent of Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL) men. BCL leaders alleged that Shibir cadres might have secretly kept the cocktail there to create panic among students. However, none was arrested in this connection, the hall authorities said.

Case filed against 23 'razakars'

UNB, Bagerhat

A case was filed on Wednesday against 23 alleged razakars (collaborators) with the Senior Judicial Magistrate court for killing a freedom fighter during the War of Liberation in 1971. Abdur Rab Sheikh, brother of martyred freedom fighter Jamiruddin Sheikh of Teligathi village in Morelganj upazila, filed the case with the court of Senior Judicial Magistrate Rakibul Islam. The court ordered the Officer-in-Charge of Morelganj police station to record the case as first information report (FIR). In his complaint, Abdur Rab alleged that the accused picked up his freedom fighter brother Jamir and shot him dead on May 26, 1971. They also set ablaze five houses in the village, he said.

Pirate held in Magura

UNB, Magura

Locals caught one of a gang of pirates while fleeing after committing robbery in a trawler in the river Nabaganga in Mohammadpur upazila early Saturday. Witnesses said a gang numbering 6/7 wearing military uniform stormed into the trawler at about 12:30 am at Binodpur ghat and looted Tk 30,000 in cash, mobile phone sets and other valuables from its passengers. The pirates also beat up some of the passengers indiscriminately while they tried to resist them. Hearing the hue and cry, locals rushed to the spot and after a hot chase caught one of the fleeing pirates, Imran Ali, 20, resident of Binodpur in the upazila. Later, he was handed over to the police.

Body recovered

UNB, Narayanganj

Police recovered the body of a young man from a pond in Fatulla here on Saturday, six days after his missing. The deceased was identified as Swapan Sarker, 35, son of Amulya Sarker of Rambabar Pukurpur area of the district town. Family sources said Swapan went out of his house on February 28 and since then he remained missing. Locals found the floating body on the pond in BSCIC industrial estate at Panchabti and informed the police. Later, police recovered the body and sent it to hospital morgue for autopsy.

Trader killed in Rangamati

UNB, Rangamati

Body of a trader was recovered from Kaptai Lake in Borkol upazila here yesterday morning. Police said Harun, a turmeric trader, went missing since he went to Bhusanchhara area of the upazila a few days ago on business purpose. Police with the help of BDR members of local camp recovered the body yesterday morning. Police suspected that Harun might have been murdered.

Indoor, outdoor services open at Dinajpur medical

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Dinajpur

Indoor and outdoor services of the Medicine Ward of long awaited 500-bed Dinajpur Medical College Hospital (DJMCH) opened yesterday for patients.

After Dinajpur-3 lawmaker Iqbalur Rahim inaugurated the functioning of Medicine Ward in the morning, several doctors led by Dr Md Khalid Hossain, head of medicine of DJMCH, provided treatment to patients.

Later Health Minister AFM Ruhul Amin in a telephone conversation with the lawmaker and doctors said DJMCH will start in full-swing within this month. Initially the hospital will start functioning with 250 beds.

DJMCH Director Dr Shamsul Alam, Dinajpur Medical College Principal Dr Hamidul Haque Khandaker, Civil Surgeon Dr Md Abdul Karim, Bangladesh Medical Association Dinajpur unit president Dr Shahidul Islam Khan, general secretary Dr Ahad Ali and

Dinajpur district AL vice president Md Abdul Momin Sarker were present as special guests during the inaugural session.

Students and interns of DJMCH had been agitating for the last three months to open the hospital early.

Academic activities of Dinajpur Medical College started in 1992.

Dinajpur Public Works Department started construction of the modern hospital building in November 2004 and completed it in July 2008, although the work was scheduled to end in July 2007.

The whole process cost Tk 146 crore -- Tk 70 crore was spent for building construction, Tk 65 crore for purchase of medical accessories and the rest for other purposes.

The new hospital will include several departments including cancer, urology and radiotherapy with 17 operation theatres -- 12 for general, two for emergency, one for delivery and two others for daily services, official sources said.

Mother, daughter burnt to death, 50 houses gutted

STAR NATIONAL DESK

A mother and her daughter were burnt to death in Lalmonirhat while at least 50 thatched houses gutted in another incident of fire in Thakurgaon yesterday.

According to a correspondent in Lalmonirhat, a mother and her 7-year-old daughter were burnt to death at Char Mukut under Kaligonj upazila early hours of yesterday.

The victims are Shefali Begum, 40, wife of Shamsul Haque and Bithika Khatun, 7.

Police and villagers said, the fire originated from the kitchen of Shamsul Haque at around 1:30am and engulfed the adjacent rooms where Shamsul, his wife, daughter and two sons were sleeping. In four other rooms there were five cows, six goats, tobacco and other crops.

As the fire broke out all the family members except for Bithika rushed out of the rooms. After a while Shefali realised the matter and entered the house again to save her daughter but both were burnt to death.

Villagers called the firefighters at Kaligonj, but the team could not reach the spot due to bad communication. So the villagers had to

extinguish the fire themselves.

In Thakurgaon, at least 50 thatched houses were gutted in a devastating fire yesterday at Velator village under Pirgonj upazila.

Fire service sources said that the fire originated from a kitchen at Abdus Samad's house which spread soon to the adjacent houses belonging to 21 families.

Fire fighters from Pirgonj rushed to the spot and brought the blaze under control after one and a half hour of frantic efforts with the help of local people.

The house owners

claimed that the fire damaged property worth Tk 15 lakh.

Meanwhile, at least 138 houses were gutted in separate fire incidents on Friday afternoon at Bashbari village under Panchagarh Sadar and at Darkhor village in Atwary upazila in Panchagarh.

The first fire incident at Atwary Darkhor village at about 3:30pm gutted eight houses, firefighters and locals said.

The fire originated from an earthen oven at Nurul Haque's house and soon engulfed the adjacent houses.

The house owners claimed the fire damaged property worth Tk 5 lakh while the fire fighters estimated the loss at Tk 1.5 lakh.

In the second incident, at about 4:45pm at Bashbari village under Sadar upazila in Panchagarh at least 130 houses were gutted. Firefighters and locals said the fire originated from an electric short circuit at Mokshed Ali's house.

The fire damaged property worth Tk 50 lakh, claimed the affected villagers while the firefighters estimated the loss at Tk 20 lakh.

গণপ্রজাতন্ত্রী বাংলাদেশ সরকার

অধ্যক্ষের কার্যালয়
চট্টগ্রাম পলিটেকনিক ইনস্টিটিউট
নাসিরাবাদ, চট্টগ্রাম

দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি

স্মারক নং-৮৬৫	তারিখঃ ০৩/০৩/২০১০ইং
১। মন্ত্রণালয়	শিক্ষা মন্ত্রণালয়।
২। এজেন্সি	কারিগরি শিক্ষা অধিদপ্তর, ঢাকা-১২০৭।
৩। দরপত্র কর্মকর্তার পদবী, ঠিকানা ও টেলিফোন নম্বর	অধ্যক্ষ, চট্টগ্রাম পলিটেকনিক ইনস্টিটিউট, নাসিরাবাদ, চট্টগ্রাম, টেলিফোন নম্বর-৬৮৩৫৩৮
৪। দরপত্রের সংক্ষিপ্ত বিবরণ	ছাত্র/ছাত্রীদের ব্যবহারিক ক্লাসের জন্য কাঁচামাল, যন্ত্রপাতি, শিক্ষা উপকরণ, আসবাবপত্র, খেলার সামগ্রী, অফিস সরঞ্জাম, কম্পিউটার সামগ্রী ক্রয়, বইপত্র, ইউনিকর্ম, ইত্যাদি সরবরাহ।
৫। ফাউন্ডার উৎস	গণপ্রজাতন্ত্রী বাংলাদেশ সরকার কারিগরি শিক্ষা অধিদপ্তর কর্তৃক ২০০৯-১০ইং অর্থ বৎসরের রাজস্ব বাজেট (মঞ্জুরী সাপেক্ষে)।
৬। ক্রয় প্রক্রিয়া	উন্মুক্ত দরপত্র পদ্ধতি (পিপিআর-২০০৩ মোতাবেক)।
৭।	সরবরাহযোগ্য প্যাকেজ নং সহ বিভিন্ন লটে বিভাজিত মালামালের সংক্ষিপ্ত বিবরণঃ

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Memo No: JSTU/Engg/Deep Tubewell-2009/107 Date: 02/03/10

Invitation for Tenders for Works (OTM)

Sealed tenders are hereby invited as per Public Procurement Rules-2008 and Public Procurement Act-2006 for the undermentioned works as per terms & conditions below.

1. Ministry/Division	Ministry of Education (MOE).
2. Agency	Jessore Science and Technology University.
3. Procuring entity name	Project Director, Jessore Science and Technology University.
4. Procuring entity code	Not used at present.
5. Procuring entity district	Jessore
6. Invitation for	Installation of deep tubewell & internal pipe networking work for Jessore Science and Technology University.
7. Invitation Ref No.	Tender No: W-01/2010, Memo No: JSTU/Engg/Deep Tubewell-2009/107
8. Date	02/03/10

KEY INFORMATION

9. Procurement method	Open tendering method (OTM).
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FUNDING INFORMATION

10. Budget and source of funds	GOB (Development).
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PARTICULAR INFORMATION

11. Tender publication date	Within 7 days
12. Tender last selling date	22/03/10
13. Tender closing date and time	23/03/10 12:00 noon
14. Tender opening date and time	23/03/10 2:00pm
15. Name & address of the office(s)	Address
Selling tender document (principal)	Office of the Vice-Chancellor & Project Director, Jessore Science and Technology University, Ambottola, Jessore.
Selling tender document (others)	1) Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Jessore. 2) Office of the Executive Engineer, EED, Jessore
-Receiving tender document	1) Office of the Vice-Chancellor & Project Director, Jessore Science and Technology University, Ambottola, Jessore. 2) Office of the Superintendent of Police, Jessore.
Opening tender document	Office of the Vice-Chancellor & Project Director, Jessore Science and Technology University, Ambottola, Jessore.

INFORMATION FOR TENDERER

16. Eligibility of tenderer	Described in schedule.		
17. Brief description of works	Installation of deep tubewell & internal pipe networking work for Jessore Science and Technology University.		
Description of works	Estimated cost (Tk)	Tender security amount (Tk)	Completion time
Lot-01 Installation of Deep Tubewell & Pump House	15,12,286.55	45000.00	60 days
Lot-02 Installation of Deep Tubewell & Pump House	15,83,069.43	45000.00	60 days
Lot-03 Internal Pipe Networking	21,57,933.00	60000.00	60 days
18. Special instruction	BD/Pay-Order should be in favour of Jessore Science & Technology University, Jessore.		

PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS

19. Name of official inviting tender	Prof. Dr. Md. Abdur Sattar.
20. Designation of official inviting tender	Project Director, Jessore Science & Technology University.
21. Address of official inviting tender	Office of the Vice-Chancellor & Project Director, Jessore Science and Technology University, Ambottola, Jessore.
22. Contact details of official inviting tender	Tel. No: 0421-62038 Fax No: 0421-62238 e-mail...Nil...
23. If the quoted tender price varies (above/less) more than 5% (five percent) from the official estimated cost the tender shall be rejected. The procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders.	

Project Director
Jessore Science & Technology University Establishment Project
GD-1086

প্যাকেজ নং	লট নম্বর	সংক্ষিপ্ত বিবরণ	আনেষ্টম্যানি (ফেরতযোগ্য)	সিডিউলের মূল্য (অফারযোগ্য)	সরবরাহের/কার্যসম্পাদনের সময়সীমা
	লট-১	কাঁচামাল ও খুচরা যন্ত্রাংশ ক্রয় (সিডিউল বিভাগ)	৯৩৭৫/=	৩৫০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
	লট-২	কাঁচামাল ও খুচরা যন্ত্রাংশ ক্রয় (ইলেকট্রিক্যাল)	৭২৫৬/=	৩০০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
	লট-৩	কাঁচামাল ও খুচরা যন্ত্রাংশ ক্রয় (মেকানিক্যাল)	৮৩২৫/=	৩০০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
	লট-৪	কাঁচামাল ও খুচরা যন্ত্রাংশ ক্রয় (পাওয়ার)	৪১৫০/=	১৫০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
	লট-৫	কাঁচামাল ও খুচরা যন্ত্রাংশ (ইলেকট্রনিক্স) বিভাগ	৪১৫০/=	১৫০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
০১	লট-৬	কাঁচামাল ও খুচরা যন্ত্রাংশ (কম্পিউটার) বিভাগ	৪১৫০/=	১৫০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
	লট-৭	কাঁচামাল ও খুচরা যন্ত্রাংশ ক্রয় (আর/এস)	১২৫০/=	১৫০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
	লট-১	বইপত্র সামগ্রিকী	৭০৮৪/=	১৫০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
	লট-২	খেলার সামগ্রী ক্রয়	২৭৫০/=	১০০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
	লট-৩	ইউনিকর্ম	১০০০/=	৫০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
০২	লট-৪	কম্পিউটার সামগ্রী ক্রয়	৬৭৫০/=	২৫০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
	লট-১	যন্ত্রপাতি ও অন্যান্য সরঞ্জাম ক্রয়	২৪,০০০/=	৯৫০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
০৩	লট-২	ইনস্টিটিউটের জন্য জেনারের ক্রয়	৪৫,০০০/=	১৮০০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
	লট-১	অফিস সরঞ্জাম ক্রয়	৫৭১৩/=	২০০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
	লট-২	শিক্ষা উপকরণ ক্রয়	১০,৮০০/=	৪০০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
০৪	লট-২	আসবাবপত্র	৫২৫০/=	২০০/=	২৮ কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে
৮।	দরদাতা প্রতিষ্ঠানের যোগ্যতা	সংশ্লিষ্ট কাজে অভিজ্ঞতাসম্পন্ন আত্মীয় প্রতিষ্ঠানের নিম্নলিখিত কাজগতর থাকিতে হবে। (ক) হালসন নাগাদ (২০০৮-২০০৯) ড্রেড লাইসেন্স। (খ) ভাট/টার্নওভার ট্যাক্স রেজিস্ট্রেশনের সনদপত্র। (গ) টিআইএন সহ হালসন নাগাদ আয়কর সাটফিকিটেট। (ঘ) পূর্ববর্তী সময়ে সর্বোচ্চ কত টাকার কাজ করিয়াছেন তাহার সনদপত্র। (ঙ) অভিজ্ঞতার সনদপত্র। (চ) ব্যাংক সলভেন্সির সনদপত্র।			
৯।	দরপত্র বিক্রয়ের তারিখ, সময় ও স্থান	অধ্যক্ষের দপ্তর, চট্টগ্রাম পলিটেকনিক ইনস্টিটিউট নাসিরাবাদ, চট্টগ্রাম ০৮-০৩-২০১০ইং হইতে ২২-০৩-২০১০ইং পর্যন্ত সকাল ৯.০০ ঘটিকা হইতে দুপুর ১.০০ ঘটিকার মধ্যে (ছুটির দিন ব্যতীত) দরপত্র ক্রয় করা যাইবে।			
১০।	দরপত্র সিডিউল দাখিলের তারিখ, সময় ও স্থান	২৩-০৩-২০১০ইং তারিখ দুপুর ১২:৩০ মিনিটের মধ্যে অধ্যক্ষ, মহোদয়ের কার্ফে রফিক টেডার বাজারে দরপত্র গ্রহণ করা হইবে। ডাক যোগ্য/কুরিয়ার সার্ভিসেও দরপত্র জমা দেওয়া যাইতে পারে। তবে উহা অবশ্যই নির্দিষ্ট সময়ের মধ্যে অধ্যক্ষের নিকট পৌছাইতে হইবে।			
১১।	দরপত্র খোলার তারিখ ও সময়	২৩-০৩-২০১০ইং দুপুর ১২:৪৫টা।			
বিঃদ্রঃ	প্রকিউরিং এন্টিটি কোন কারণ দর্শানো ব্যতিরেকেই যে কোন অথবা সকল দরপত্র গ্রহণ বা বাতিল করিবার ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করেন এবং কারিগরি শিক্ষা অধিদপ্তরের মঞ্জুরী সাপেক্ষে কার্যদেশ দেওয়া যাইতে পারে। প্রত্যেকটি প্যাকেজের প্রতি লটার প্রত্যেকটি আইটেমের দর অবশ্যই উন্মুক্ত করিতে হইবে। তুলনামূলক দর বিবেচনার সময় যেহেতু সর্বমোট দর বিবেচনা করা হইবে। সেহেতু কোন আইটেমের দর প্রদান না করিলেও ঐ আইটেমের দর আপনাদর বিবেচনায় আঁছে বন্দিয়া গণ্য করা হইবে।				

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