



Jatiya Samajtantrik Dal (JSD) forms a human chain, participated also by freedom fighter Taramon Bibi Bir Pratik and lawmaker Mahub Ara Gini, in Gaibandha town yesterday demanding early start of the trial of war criminals. JSD took similar programmes in several other districts.

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# Three housewives murdered allegedly for dowry

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Three housewives were killed allegedly for dowry in Thakurgaon, Chapainawabganj and Sirajganj on Tuesday.

A newly married housewife was killed allegedly for dowry at Pahardanga village under Sadar upazila in Thakurgaon, reports our correspondent.

Police and locals said Sabina Akhter, 19, daughter of late Azizuddin was married to Mahabub, 25, son of Babul Hossain of the same village just four months ago.

To knot the tie, Mahabub's parents demanded Tk.50,000 as dowry.

Finding no alternative, Moslema, ultra-poor mother of Sabina, sold a portion of her homestead land and collected money from the villagers and paid Tk.40,000. As she could not arrange the promised amount Sabina's in-laws often tortured Sabina.

On Saturday Mahabub's family members forced Sabina to go to her parent's house to bring the rest money.

As her mother failed to manage Tk.10,000 Sabina did not return from her mother's house. At this, the family members of Mahabub brought her to their house Monday night.

On returning home they started to torture Sabina. At one stage at about 2:00am they strangled her to death.

Our Correspondent in Chapainawabganj reports: A newly married woman was killed allegedly by her husband and in-laws over dowry at Chandlai-Namopara of the town on Tuesday morning.

Locals and police said, Chhobiara Begum Rekha, 18, daughter of Fazlur Rahman was married to Mohammad Nadim only two months ago. Her husband and in-laws used to torture her regularly for dowry since the marriage.

On the fateful day, Nadim and his family members beat up and then strangled Rekha at their house at about 9:30am. The alleged killers later went into hiding.

Police recovered the body yesterday noon and sent it to Sadar hospital morgue for autopsy.

In Sirajganj, a pregnant housewife was killed allegedly by her husband at Nimgachhi village in Raiganj upazila as she refused to bring dowry money from her father's house.

The victim was identified as Kazori Khatun, 22, wife of Haydar Ali of the village reports our Correspondent.

Victim's family sources said, Kazori daughter of Abul Kashem of Madhainagar village in Tarash upazila of the same district was married to Hydar Ali of Nimgachhi village around four years ago.

During the marriage, Kazori's father gave a good sum of dowry to Hydar Ali.

But, Hydar had been demanding more money from her father-in-law.

On the fateful day, Hydar locked in a quarrel with Kazori and suffocated her as she refused to bring the dowry money.

On information, police rushed to the spot and recovered the body and sent it to Sirajganj Sadar hospital morgue for autopsy.

Victim's father Abul Kashem lodged a case with the police station in this connection.

## SNIPPETS

### 150 bullets recovered

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Rangpur

Police recovered 150 bullets from a field at Topodhan in Sadar upazila yesterday morning. Abdus Samad, a farmer of the village found the bullets while digging the field. On information, Kotwali police went to the spot and seized the ammunition of Light Machine Gun (LMG) from a field at about 11:30 am and took those to the police station. Sub-inspector Noor Alam who seized the ammunition said they would examine the ammunition whether those were live or defunct. A general diary was lodged with Rangpur Kotwali police station.

### BNP activist murdered

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Jhenidah

A rival group killed a BNP activist in the district on Tuesday night. The incident occurred at Teltupi village under Harinakundo upazila. The deceased was identified as Aslam Fakir of the village. Officer-in-charge (OC) Jahangir Alam of Harinakundo police station said, Aslam had been absconding for long. As he was coming home on Tuesday afternoon, his rival group hacked and beat him up on the way. He was rushed to Kushtia hospital where he succumbed to injuries at night.

### Drug peddler gets life

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Chapainawabganj

A Chapainawabganj court yesterday sentenced a drug peddler to life term imprisonment under the Narcotics Control Act. Convict Mamun alias Tota, 22, is son of Sirazuddin of Matkata village under Godagari upazila in Rajshahi. District and Sessions Judge Anwar Hossain pronounced the verdict. The court also acquitted Tozammel Haque of the same area of charges. According to the prosecution, police arrested Mamun and Tozammel from Jhilmim bus stand along with 100 grams of heroin on January 26, 2007.

### 150 trees felled

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Jhenidah

Criminals on Tuesday night felled at least 150 mahogany trees at Ghoragacha and Binodpur villages under Harinakundo upazila. Aziz Kumar of Binodpur village and Tota Mia of Ghoragacha village own the trees. Soheli Mia of Ghoragacha village said, hired criminals fell the trees because of previous enmity with Tota Mia. Aziz Kumar said, he planted the mahogany trees five years ago. He also made similar complaint. Officer-in-charge (OC) of Harinakundo police station said, he is yet to get any official allegation in this regard.

### 5 held with arms, liquor

UNB, Sherpur

Bangladesh Rifles (BDR) jawans arrested five people with firearms and Indian liquor along Naokuchi border in Jhinaigati upazila on Tuesday night. A BDR team of 45 Rifles Battalion halted a private car and a motorbike in the border area at about 8:00pm and recovered 11 bottles of Indian liquor and a loaded pistol. They also arrested Shyamol Chandra Shaha, 38, engineer Lokhman Ali, 50, Abdul Halim, 50, Nur Alam Chowdhury, 40, and Alamgir Hossain, 40, in this connection. Two cases were filed against the arrested persons with local police station. They were produced before a judicial magistrate court yesterday noon. The court sent them to jail after hearing.

# Four more sued in Bagerhat on war crime charges

A CORRESPONDENT, Bagerhat

A case was filed yesterday with a Bagerhat court against four people on charges of killing two siblings and raping three of their relatives during the liberation war in 1971.

Freedom fighter Md Phool Miah Khalifa of Matherpar village under Sharankhola upazila filed the case with the court of senior judicial magistrate Md Rakhibul Islam.

The court ordered the officer-in-charge of Sharankhola police station to record the case as an ejarah.

The two brothers killed by the alleged razakars are Chan Miah Khalifa and his younger brother Abdur Rashid Khalifa.

The accused are Lutfor Hawlader, 65, Abdur Rab Gazi, 63, Fazlul Haque Khalifa, 70, and Mofazzal

Khalifa, 62. All of them hail from Matherpar village under Sharankhola upazila.

The plaintiff in his ejarah said, he took training at Naihati camp in India and participated in the 1971 liberation war.

Taking advantage of his absence during the war, the aforesaid accused entered their house and shot dead his elder brother Chan Miah Khalifa.

Later they took his younger brother Abdur Rashid Khalifa to a place near the house of Afez Gazi and slaughtered him there.

The alleged razakars also raped his sister-in-law Nurjahan Begum, sister Sofia Begum and Rashid Khalifa's daughter Elachi Begum, according to the complaint.

# 15 hurt as rival BNP men clash in Kushtia

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Kushtia

At least 15 people, including a policeman, were injured during a clash between two factions of BNP district unit yesterday.

Kushtia BNP is divided into two factions. One is led by Minhazur Rahman Alo and Nurul Islam Ansar while the other by Syed Mehedi Ahmed Rumi and Sohrab Uddin.

The trouble began at around 1:30pm when Alo-Ansar group took out a procession in the town on the occasion of a meeting of the party's grassroots leaders and activists of Kushtia, Meherpur and Chuadanga districts scheduled to be held in Kushtia today.

Standing Committee member Dr Moyeen Khan, Krishak Dal President Sahamsuzzamun Dudu, and former state minister Ukil Abdul Sattar are expected to attend the meeting.

When the procession reached near the district BNP office at Nawab Sirajuddowla

Road, activists belonging to Mehedi-Sohrab faction came out of the party office and attacked their rival party men.

The feuding groups used sticks, iron rods and other lethal weapons during the clash that continued for half an hour, leaving at least 15 activists from both sides injured.

As police rushed to the spot, BNP activists of Mehedi-Sohrab group swooped on them, injuring a constable named Ashrafur Islam of Kushtia Sadar Police Station. The law enforcers then charged baton on the clashing groups and dispersed them. Police arrested an activist of Alo-Ansar group from the spot.

Of the injured, Nurul Islam Ansar, Makhhan Pramanik, Ariful Islam, Askar Mollah, Ratan Hossain, Amirul Islam, Akkas Ali, Moyeed Hossain were admitted to Kushtia General Hospital and different clinics in the town while the rest given first aid.

# UP chairman, aid stabbed to death

UNB, Dinajpur

Two people, including a UP chairman, were killed in an attack by criminals at Rambhadrapur in Nababganj upazila Saturday night.

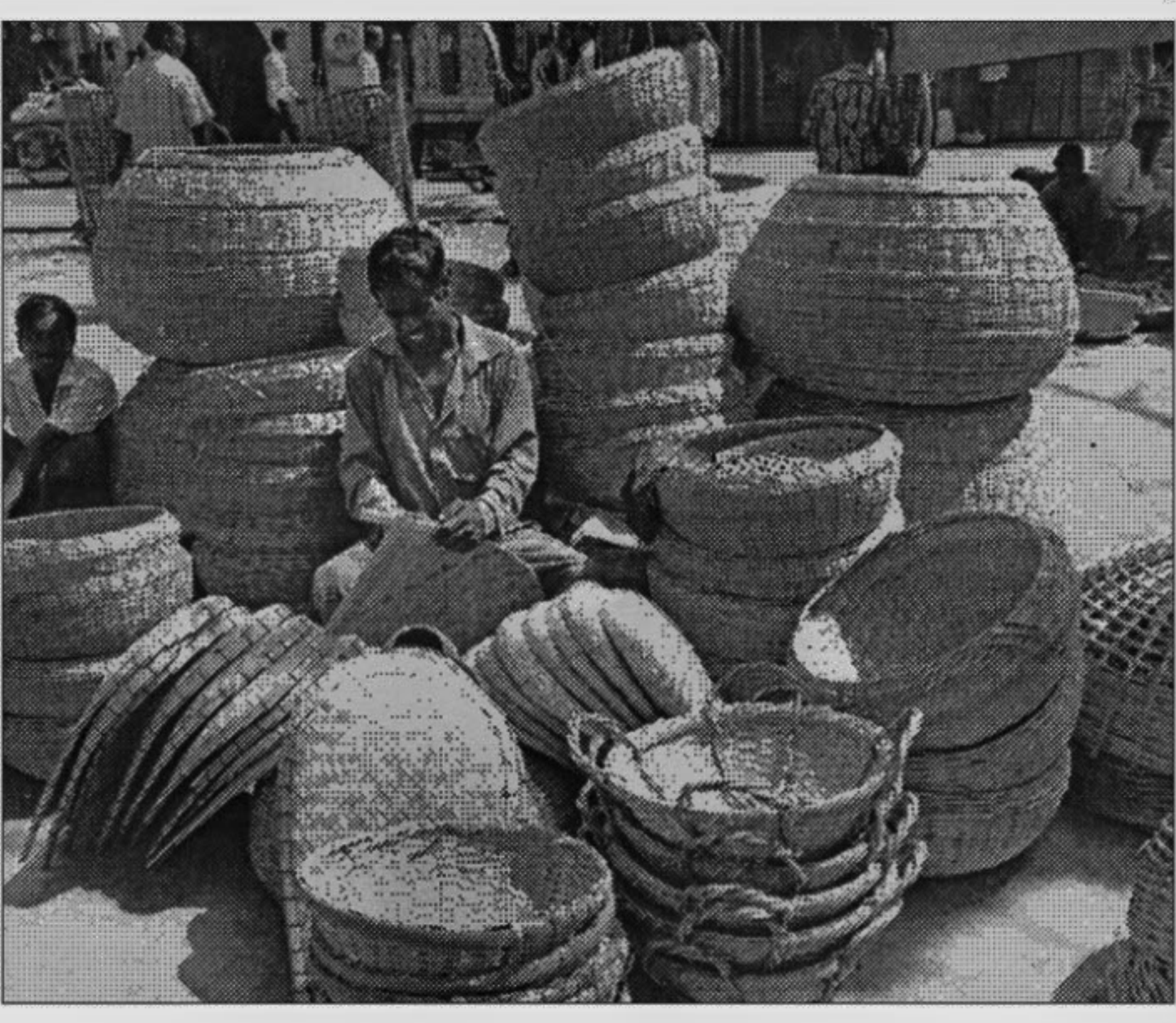
The deceased were identified as Binodnagar union parishad chairman Sirajul Islam, 45 and his associate Enamul Kabir Jewel, 32.

Witnesses said a gang of 8/10 armed criminals intercepted the motorbike of Sirajul Islam when he was returning home from Nababganj along with Jewel at about 11pm.

The assailants stabbed both indiscriminately, leaving Sirajul dead on the spot.


Jewel was rushed to Dinajpur Medical College Hospital immediately where he succumbed to his injuries.

Police suspected that they might have been killed because of previous enmity.



Locally produced bamboo-made baskets winnows and other utility items still survive, albeit with difficulty, amid ever increasing popularity of plastic items. The photo was taken from a market in Patharghata upazila of Barguna district.

PHOTO: FOCUS BANGLA



## ঢাকা পাওয়ার ডিস্ট্রিবিউশন কোম্পানী লিমিটেড

### DHAKA POWER DISTRIBUTION COMPANY LTD

(An Enterprise of the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh)

Memo No : PD-2/D-4/DPDC/2010/918 Date: 29/03/2010

### Invitation for Local Tender

1.	Agency	Dhaka Power Distribution Company Ltd. (DPDC)					
2.	Procuring Entity Name	Project Director-2 DPDC, 1, Abdul Goni Road (2 <sup>nd</sup> floor), Dhaka-1000.					
3.	Procuring Entity District	Dhaka.					
4.	Invitation for	Group A) ভূমিবিভাগ এর প্রশাসনিক কেন্দ্র স্থাপনের জন্য কাঁচা ভবনের ৩য় তলার উপরে ১(এক)টি ফ্লোর নির্মাণ কাজ। Group B) করিম শূট মিলের সংলগ্ন ৩৩/১১ কেভি উপকেন্দ্রে সংলগ্ন বাসি জায়গায় এনএলসিএস ডেভরা যানেজার দপ্তর (হয় তলা কন্ট্রোল রুম বিসিটি) বিতল ভবন নির্মাণ কাজ।					
5.	Invitation Ref. no.	PD-2/D-4/DPDC/2010/918					
6.	Date	29-03-2010					
<b>Key Information :</b>							
7.	Procuring Method	Open Tendering Method (OTM)					
<b>Funding Information</b>							
8.	Source of Funds	Revenue Budget 2009-2010, DPDC "Capital Expenses, Land Building Infrastructure Building Non-Residential"					
<b>Particular Information</b>							
9.	Tender Name	Selling					
10.	Last Selling Date of Tender, with Bid submission and Bid Opening Date, Time	Last Selling Date	Bid submission and Bid Opening Date	Bid submission Deadline			
		02-05-2010	03-05-2010	12.00 Noon			
				Bid Opening Time			
				2.30 P.M			
11.	Name & Address of the Office for selling, receiving and Opening of Tender Document	<table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%; vertical-align: top;">                     i) Project Director-2, DPDC, 1, Abdul Gani Road (2<sup>nd</sup> floor), Dhaka-1000.                      ii) Project Director -1, House No. 47, Rd. No 135 Gulshan Circle-1, Dhaka-1212                      iii) Company Secretary, DPDC, 1, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka-1000.                      iv) Manager (Tech), Design-4 Civil, Project-2, DPDC, House No. 47, Rd. No 135, Gulshan Circle-1, Dhaka                 </td> <td style="width: 33%; vertical-align: top;">                     Receiving                      1) Company Secretary, DPDC, 1, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka.                      2) Project Director-2 DPDC, 1, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka.                      3) Project Director-1 DPDC House No. 47, Rd. No 135, Gulshan Circle-1, Dhaka                 </td> <td style="width: 33%; vertical-align: top;">                     Opening                      Project Director-2 DPDC, 1, Abdul Gani Road (2<sup>nd</sup> floor), Dhaka-1000.                 </td> </tr> </table>			i) Project Director-2, DPDC, 1, Abdul Gani Road (2 <sup>nd</sup> floor), Dhaka-1000. ii) Project Director -1, House No. 47, Rd. No 135 Gulshan Circle-1, Dhaka-1212 iii) Company Secretary, DPDC, 1, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka-1000. iv) Manager (Tech), Design-4 Civil, Project-2, DPDC, House No. 47, Rd. No 135, Gulshan Circle-1, Dhaka	Receiving 1) Company Secretary, DPDC, 1, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka. 2) Project Director-2 DPDC, 1, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka. 3) Project Director-1 DPDC House No. 47, Rd. No 135, Gulshan Circle-1, Dhaka	Opening Project Director-2 DPDC, 1, Abdul Gani Road (2 <sup>nd</sup> floor), Dhaka-1000.
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12.	Eligibility of Tenderer	a). Before purchasing the Tender documents/schedule prior permission Shall have to be taken from the under-signed/Concern Head of office. b). No Tender Schedule will be sold on the day of Opening of the Tender. c). No Tender Schedule will be sold or received by Courier or by Mail. d). The Tenderer shall have to apply to the concern head of the office mentioning the name of work in original letter head pad (photocopy not allowed) of the tenderer for purchasing the tender document. e). The Contractor Shall have to submit the experience certificate who have completed the same nature of work in a single work-order amounting not less than Tk. 90.00 (Ninety) Lac only for work of Group-A, Tk. 80.00 (Eighty) Lac only for work of Group-B within the last 2(Two) Years. f). Item wise rate and total amount must be quoted by the bidder in figure & words in the Tender Schedule. g). Before issuing work order the successful Tenderer's (Lowest bidder) must submit 10% (Ten percent) Performance Bond on quoted amount/work order amount in favour of the Project Director-2, DPDC, Dhaka. h). Tender document shall have to be submitted along with necessary Earnest Money & attested copies of all other necessary documents in a sealed Envelope. i). All other Terms & Conditions will be available in the Tender schedule. j). The tenderer shall have to submit along with the tender document attested photocopies of up to date renewal ABC supervisory License, Managerial efficiency, Experience in related work, Goodwill certificate, manpower availability, professional and technical qualification for completing the contractual agreement, financial support, equipment, documentary evidence of Infrastructural support, otherwise the tender will be considered as rejected. k). Any Eligible contractor can purchase Tender documents of any or all groups fulfilling the qualifying criteria. l). All Activities will be followed according to DPDC Financial Rule.					
13.	Price of Tender Document (Taka)	Tender document will be obtained on payment ( Non-refundable) of Tk. 2000.00 (Two Thousand) for both group (A & B) only per set/per group in the form of Bank-draft/Pay-order from any schedule Bank of Bangladesh in favour of the Project Director-2, DPDC, Dhaka.					
14.	Tender Security Amount (Taka)	An Earnest Money of Tk. 2,44,000.00 (Taka Two Lac Forty Four Thousand) for group (A), Tk. 2,20,000.00 (Taka Two Lac Twenty Thousand) for group (B) only shall have to be submitted along with the offer in the form of Bank draft/Pay-order in the form of an irrevocable Bank guarantee (W3) issued by a schedule Bank of Bangladesh in favour of the Project Director-2, DPDC, Dhaka.					
15.	Contract Period	The Work shall have to be completed within 180 (One hundred Eighty) days from the date of issuance of work-order.					
<b>Procuring Entry Details</b>							
16.	Name of Official Inviting Tender	Md. Amanul Haque					
17.	Designation of Official Inviting Tender	Project Director-2 DPDC					
18.	Address of Official Inviting Tender	1, Abdul Goni Road (2 <sup>nd</sup> floor), Dhaka-1000.					
19.	Contract Details of Official Inviting Tender	Telephone : 9513820	Fax : 9513821	E-mail : Dgmt2@dpdc.org			
20.	The Procuring Entity reserves the right to accept or reject any/all Tender(s) without assigning any reason whatsoever.						

(Md. Amanul Haque)  
Project Director-2  
Dhaka Power Distribution Company Ltd.



Teachers of government colleges form a human chain at Manikganj town on Tuesday demanding punishment to the killers of Prof Harun or Rashid, a teacher of Sylhet Government Women's College.

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