

Frauds used court to speed

FROM PAGE 1
The 190 were posted across the country as sub-registrars. They got the jobs because they were "employees" of the Mujibnagar government in exile.

A committee formed by the law ministry had moved to check the authenticity of their claims by reviewing an establishment-ministry list of 1,632 employees of Mujibnagar government and recommending appointing only 17 of them in 2008.

Several contempt of court petitions were then filed against the government for delaying appointments.

Following the large number of contempt of court petitions, the government in 2009 appointed the 190 so-called Mujibnagar government staff as sub-registrars.

"Therefore, it was not possible for the government to check genuineness of their copies of appointment and release letters as staff of the Mujibnagar government," it asserted.

In the wake of widespread allegation, the law ministry formed the enquiry committee on June 20 this year in line with the recommendation of its parliamentary standing committee.

A number of sub-registrars then moved to the High Court and obtained a stay order against the probe.

The government, however, filed a petition with the Appellate Division against the High Court order. The Appellate Division stayed the High Court order for six weeks. The probe resumed and the investigation was complete.

In its report, the enquiry committee recommended that the government file criminal cases against 189 sub-registrars, conduct a thorough investigation and take departmental action against them for the forgery. One of 190 died before the committee could get to him.

They got posted at various district registrar and sub-registrar offices that perform the crucial task of land registration. There are allegations of large-scale corruption in those offices.

MORE FINDINGS
The enquiry committee questioned 189 sub-registrars and found astounding information on how they collected fake documents from the establishment ministry and obtained the apex court's verdict in their favour.

The probe report said while questioning, the sub-registrars claimed that their appointment and release letters given by the Mujibnagar government were kept in boxes made of corrugated iron or in almirahs.

If the claims were true, then the colour and state of all documents were supposed to be the same. But on examination it was found that the state and colour of two documents never matched.

One document was made grey with heat of fire or smoke and others remained fresh. "It proves that the appointment letters and release letters were prepared later through forgery to be absorbed into the government services," the report said.

Examining their Mujibnagar appointment and release letters, the body said 119 changed the state of documents with heat of fire or smoke so that they look old while papers of other 71 look new.

The report said 79 of 190 gave false information about their educational qualifications.

Certificates claimed that they passed SSC and HSC examinations under Dhaka, Rajshahi, Jessore, Comilla and Madrasa education boards and obtained graduation and post-graduation degrees from namely Dhaka, Rajshahi, Chittagong and national universities.

"Due to daily workload, it was not possible for the probe body to visit education boards and universities concerned to check authenticity of their certificates," it added.

The report said the confessional statements of sub-registrar Halimuzzaman, Ashim Kumar Banik, Mosharraf Hossain Chowdhury, however, proved that all 190 accused submitted fake appointment and release letters of Mujibnagar government to get jobs.

While questioning, Sub-Registrar Halimuzzaman, who got posted at Motlab north of Chandpur, confessed that he collected some papers from a peon of the establishment ministry spending Tk 2 lakh and managed a copy of an appointment letter of Mujibnagar government by spending Tk 1 lakh. He spent between Tk 4-5 lakh.

Sub-Registrar Ashim Kumar Banik, who was posted at Kabirhat of Noakhali, willingly confessed that he collected necessary papers from the establishment ministry by bribing and had to spend more money to get appointed as sub-registrar.

Sub-Registrar Mosharraf Rahman, posted at Lemuria Feni, confessed that he collected the appointment and release letters as staff of Mujibnagar government from the establishment ministry in 1985.

Mosharraf Hossain Chowdhury, posted at Fulgazi of Feni, repented for his misdeeds and confessed that he took part in the Liberation War under subedar Lutfar Rahman in Noakhali.

He was not an employee of the Mujibnagar government but he collected necessary papers from a syndicate of the establishment ministry in exchange for money.

"Like me, everybody gave money. I spent Tk 2.20 lakh to collect the necessary papers. Many of them spent up to Tk 10 lakh. We together gave Tk 1 lakh to our counsel on each date of hearing of our case. I spent a total of Tk 5.20 lakh to get appointed as sub-registrar," Mosharraf told the probe body.

Following is the list of the 190 sub-registrars who the probe body claimed were not staff of the Mujibnagar government in 1971:

ANM Bazlur Rahman Mandal, Rehana Begum and Kaniz Fatema are now working as sub-registrar in Manikganj district, Nazma Sultana Babi and Sayeda Akhtar in Munsiganj, Jahirul Islam, Rafiqul Islam and Abu Taher Mohammad Mostafa in Narshindi, SM Ataur Rahman Khan, Ghyas Uddin, Delwar Hossain Khandaker, and Faridul Alam in Mymensingh, ASM Shamsuzzaman, Mozammel Haq Talukder, Haider Ali Khan, Lutfar Rahman Khan, Khandaker Nurul Amin, Mir Imrul Kayes Ali, and Nur-E-Alam in Netrokona, Mir Sharif Uddin, Shahin Hasan, Sabina Yesmin, Nurul Amin Talukdar, Abdul Haq, Bilkis Ara, and Nur Mohammad Shah in Kishorganj, Faruk Hossain, AKM Amirul Islam, Shabur Hossain Khan, Kamrul Hasan, 15 years and Aminur Rahman in Jamalpur, Gopal Rabbani Akand in Sherpur, Ashok Chandra Vhoumik, Sahibur Rahman Pradhan, and Shirin Chowdhury in Tangail, Shah Abdul Latif, ASM Shaiful Islam and Abdur Razaq in Faridpur, Naresh Chandra Adhikari, and Bijoy Kumar Basu in Rajbari, Nurul Haq Mia in Madaripur, Zakiul Haq, Abdul Matin, Kazi Nazrul Islam, and Sahadat Ali Molla in Shariatpur, SM Kuddus Mia, Rabindra Nath Biswas in Gopalganj, Rafiqul Islam, Firozul Ahsan, Majeda Begum, Swapan Kumar Dey in Chittagong, Motahar Hossain Chowdhury and Abdul Mannan in Cox's Bazar, Anwar Begum, Bilal Uddin Akond and Parvin Akhtar in Comilla, Neyamul Bari, Shah Alam, Mohammad Shah Alam and Abdur Rashid Mondol in Bhrammbaria, Halimuzzaman and Namita Rani Biswas in Chandpur, Ashim Kumar Banik in Noakhali, Mobarok Hossain and Mohiuddin in Laxmipur, Obayed Ullah, Jahangir Alam Khan, Mosharraf Hossain Chowdhury in Feni, Nurul Amin, Nur Uddin Mia, Abu Taher Ali Ahmed, Rafiq Uddin, ATM Mostafizur Rahman in Sylhet, Abul Bashir in Habiganj, Mazibur Rahman, MD Habibur Rahman and Borhanuddin Sarkar in Sunamganj, Azharul Islam and Azhar Ali Khan in Rajshahi, Johurul Islam, Rozob Ali, Ibrahim Ali, Abul Hossain, Ashraf Ali, Abdur Rob Mia, Shofi Hassan, AM Mazibur Rahman, Sahidul Islam, Sahadat Hossain Sardar, AK Feroz Nabi and Liakat Hossain in Naogaon, Nazrul Islam Sarkar and Khalilur Rahman Sarkar in Pabna, Dewan Mansur Alam, AKM Rafiqul Islam and Sahidul Islam in Sirajganj, Jahangir Alam, Muktiwara Khatun, Ashrafal Islam, Bashu Pradip Kumar and Mohammad Moniruzzaman in Bogra, Shaiful Islam Sarkar, Shah Alam, Nazrul Islam and Abu Bakar Siddique in Joypurhat, Mizanur Rahman Chowdhury, Altaf Hossain, Mahmudul Islam, Mozaharul Islam, Afshar Ali, Khairuzaman Mandal and Sankar Chandra Barman in Dinajpur, Ismail Hossain, Abul Bashar Mohammad Hossain, Mohammad Abu Hena Mostafa Kamal and Sudhir Kumar Sarkar in Panchagar, Amjad Hossain and Abdul Matin in Thakurgaon, Abdul Hannan, Fatema Khatun, Abdur Rashid and Ashekhal Haq in Rangpur, Mizanur Rahman, Mirza Mohammad Mortuza Reza and Sobrah Hossain Sarkar in Gaibandha, Profullo Kumar Barman, Profullo Chandra Mandal, Eshak Ali Mandal, and Ram Kumar Kundu in Lalmonirhat, Mizanur Rahman, Shamsul Alam, Rahenul Islam Sarkar, Khandaker Golam Kabir, Badiar Rahman Mondol and Osman Gani Mondol in Kurigram, Nurul Hakim and Shaiful Islam Sarkar in Nilphamari, Khorsheda Akhtar and Lutfar Rahman Molla in Khulna, Shah Jamal Molla and Bhagobat

Narayan Pal in Satkhira, Firoz Alam, Shriti Kona Das, Shaymol Lal, Hirendra Nath Mishiri, Shah Jahan Molla and Babul Sheikh [Babul Sheikh died after got posting] in Bagerhat, Kazi Ruhul Amin and Dulal Kumar Chowdhury in Jessore, Abdul Hannan, Momin Uddin Mondol, Rafiqul Islam, Yusuf Ali Mia and Dirat Latif in Jhenaidah, Abdul Hannan, Abul Hossain and Nihar Ranjan Biswas in Magura, Rafikul Alam and Zahidul Islam in Noreail, Mohammad Moniruzzaman, Sahjahan Ali and Golam Elahi in Khustia, Abdur Rashid Mondol in Meherpur, Sukumar Chandra Dewri, Poritos Kumar Das and Miniti Das in Chuadanga, Sahadat Hossain Sharif, Jahirul Islam, Ashim Kollo, Manik Chandra, AKM Foyez Ullah, Mohammad Faruk and Jahangir Kabir Mohammad Foyzal in Barisal, Nuruzzaman Hawlader and Alamgir Hossain in Jhalokathi, MA Jaill and Hafizur Rahman in Pirozpur, Abdur Barik, Rafiqul Islam, Badal Krishna Biswas and Abdur Rob in Patuakhali, Badal Kumar Biswas, Omar Faruk, Abul Kalam Azad and Monzurul Islam in Bhola, Shaful Alam, Mrittunjoyee Shikari and Nurul Haq in Barguna district.

The amendment to PSC initialled 11 months ago is an incentive for Cairn to carry out exploration and development in the offshore Magnama. Back in July, Cairn was ready to drill an exploratory well. But as the government delayed signing the deal, the company's annual funds for this job were diverted to other fields of activity.

An official of Cairn told The Daily Star that with the approval now, the company would undertake drilling and exploration in Magnama and other adjacent areas in October next year.

Cairn says if gas is found in Magnama, it could get around 20 to 30 million cubic feet gas per day in the next two years which it plans to sell to a third party.

Such a third party could be Kafco or a major industrial zone willing to pay more for steady gas supply for a guaranteed period.

For Petrobangla, this deal will have some extra benefits. If Cairn secures a higher price for gas, it will be able to recover its investment at a faster pace.

Khairul was enrolled as an advocate of the district court, the High Court Division and the appellate division of Bangladesh Supreme Court in the year 1970, 1976 and 1982 respectively.

He was elevated to additional judge of the High Court Division in April 1998 and appointed regular judge of the same division in April 2000.

He was promoted to senior judge in the Appellate Division on July 14 last year.

Later, he was appointed chairman of Bangladesh Judicial Service Commission (BJSC) on March 25 this year.

Justice Khairul Haque delivered a number of landmark judgements during the period of his judgeship in the High Court Division.

He upheld a lower court verdict that had sentenced 15 accused killers of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and his family members.

A division bench of the High Court headed by him ruled that it was Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman who had at first declared the independence of the republic on March 26, 1971.

The bench of Justice Khairul Haque issued verdicts declaring 5th amendment of the constitution illegal for saving environment including four rivers--Buriganga, Turag, Balu and Shitalakhya--around the capital city from pollution, and for protecting historical places relating to the country's liberation war.

Khairul Haque will retire on May 18 next year.

MK Alamgir

FROM PAGE 1
The petition said as per the Article 66(4) of the constitution, and the Member of Parliament Determination of Disputes Act 1980, the Speaker of Jatiya Sangsad, not the EC, is the authority to cancel the parliamentary membership of any elected lawmaker on acceptable grounds.

Petitioner's lawyers barrister Rafique-ul Huq and barrister Rakanuddin Mahmud told reporters that following the HC order Mohiuddin Khan Alamgir remains a member of the parliament.

During the hearing, Deputy Attorney General Nazrul Islam Talukder supported the writ petition.

The commission had cancelled Alamgir's candidature as he was convicted and sentenced to 13 years in prison in a graft case.

The SC on July 15 upheld an HC order that had declared legal the EC's decision to cancel Alamgir's candidature for the 2008 parliamentary election.

The EC on September 22 declared the seat vacant following the SC verdict.

The EC also cancelled its January 2009 gazette notification declaring Alamgir elected MP from Chandpur-1 constituency.

Cairn allowed

FROM PAGE 16
Santos and Haliburton.

This deal is the first of its kind in the country where gas sale is completely under government control. The government has allowed it by amending the production sharing contract (PSC) for Block-16 because the company's latest find in that block in the offshore Magnama appears to have very small prospect of being commercially viable.

Cairn said it would go for drilling a well there only if the government offered it an opportunity to find a higher price than that determined by the existing PSC. The maximum price for gas sale to the government now stands at \$ 2.9 per 1,000 cubic feet (mcf) as per the PSC. Cairn is looking for a price that could go up to \$5 per mcf.

The amendment to PSC initialled 11 months ago is an incentive for Cairn to carry out exploration and development in the offshore Magnama. Back in July, Cairn was ready to drill an exploratory well. But as the government delayed signing the deal, the company's annual funds for this job were diverted to other fields of activity.

An official of Cairn told The Daily Star that with the approval now, the company would undertake drilling and exploration in Magnama and other adjacent areas in October next year.

Cairn says if gas is found in Magnama, it could get around 20 to 30 million cubic feet gas per day in the next two years which it plans to sell to a third party.

Such a third party could be Kafco or a major industrial zone willing to pay more for steady gas supply for a guaranteed period.

For Petrobangla, this deal will have some extra benefits. If Cairn secures a higher price for gas, it will be able to recover its investment at a faster pace.

21 AL men sent

FROM PAGE 1
arrest them.

During the hearing, Sub-inspector of court Anwar Hossain opposed the bail petitions of the accused saying they carried out the attack on officials in broad daylight during a recruitment test, thus foiling it.

"They obstructed the government officers in discharging their duties and created a reign of terror. They should be sent to jail..." he told the court.

Abdul Ahad, counsel of the accused, however, said his clients were sent to jail only in consideration of "the significance of the case".

He said police accused his clients of the attack and vandalism but failed to produce any evidence including medical reports of the injured persons.

More than 100 Jubo League and Chhatra League activists on September 17 attacked two examination centres during a recruitment test of class-III government employees, as the DC refused to entertain various demands of AL lawmaker Golam Faruk Prince.

The attackers assaulted a number of government officers including two additional deputy commissioners and a female magistrate and vandalised a number of officers' vehicles.

However, as the police escorted the accused to police van following the court order, they chanted: "Joi Bangla, Joi Bangabandhu" (victory to Bangladesh, victory to Bangabandhu).

A group of Jubo League and Chhatra League activists also brought out a procession on the court premises protesting imprisonment of their party colleagues. They chanted slogans against the district administration and demanded release of the arrestees.

Police earlier arrested five Jubo League and Chhatra League men on charge of their involvement in the attack.

Following the assault, two magistrates filed two separate cases with Pabna Sadar Police Station accusing more than 100 people including 31 Jubo League and Chhatra League leaders and workers.

As the incident as well as the police failure to arrest the accused came under widespread criticism, the AL leadership asked them to surrender before the court. The decision to ask them to surrender came at an emergency meeting of the party's municipality unit on Saturday.

"I've asked them to appear before the court tomorrow [Sunday] morning, as I want the culprits to get punished," Prince told The Daily Star at his town home on Saturday.

Earlier in the morning, Pabna district Awami League withdrew its scheduled programme to lay siege to the deputy commissioner's office.

Leaders and activists of

This will also reveal how much money big consumers in the country are ready to pay for gas.

Under the amended PSC, a part of Cairn's gas will belong to Petrobangla for free.

Cairn had discovered and developed the small offshore Sangu gas field in 1996 and has had hard luck finding any commercially viable gas field ever since. It has however found a small prospect in Magnama, situated near the Kutubdia island in the Bay of Bengal. The company last year conducted a three-dimensional seismic survey in Magnama at an investment of \$18 million and is now studying the results.

Criminals' list

FROM PAGE 16
He said phensidyl is being smuggled into Bangladesh by Indian peddlers, who turn it into a drug item by mixing sedative tablets and coden.

He added they have also protested against frequent shooting and killing of unarmed Bangladeshi people inside Indian territories.

"We have asked the top BSF officials to restrain their troops from shooting Bangladeshi unarmed people and make them follow the Rules of Engagement (ROE)," said the BDR DG.

He added, "We have requested them to obstruct anybody first and shoot only for injuring those who will ignore the BSF signals."

The border conference started on September 22 at the BDR headquarters in Pilkhana and is scheduled to end today through signing of the Joint Record of Discussions (JRD) in the morning.

BSF DG Raman Srivastava is leading a 20-member delect, but none of them was from his constituency, claimed the lawmaker.

Citing a newspaper report about alleged irregularities in the appointment, he demanded formation of a parliamentary probe body to investigate the allegation.

In response to the MP's statement, Hamid said it is difficult to say what is happening in reality. "But I think the government should look into the matter," he added.

With an oblique reference to the recent meeting of Pabna district administration with personalities from civil society, professional bodies and political parties, the speaker said, "We also saw that government officials holding press conference. The government should also look into whether its officials can do it."

The government should take action if any irregularities and partisan influence affected the appointment process, recommended the speaker.

HC asks

FROM PAGE 1
League, filed the case with the Dhaka Chief Metropolitan Magistrate's Court on March 5 of 2008, for implicating and torturing him on charges of "attempting to kill" Prof Humayun Azad.

The three other accused officials are sub-Inspectors Rezaul Karim and Naser Ali of Ramna Police Station and sergeant Anwar Hossain who was in charge of Nishket police box at that time.

Earlier on September 22, Dhaka court issued arrest warrants against them in the case.

An HC bench of Justice Sharif Uddin Chaklader and Justice Md Fazlur Rahman yesterday, however, directed the police not to harass or arrest them within three weeks' period in connection with this case.

The court passed the order following a bail petition filed by the accused. The police officials yesterday appeared before the court for bail.

Advocate Khandker Mahbub Hossain appeared for the petitioners.

FBCCI wants

FROM PAGE 1
could not submit their income tax returns due to the holy month of Ramadan and Eid-ul-Fitr.

The last date for the submission of income tax returns is September 30 and the government has already announced that the deadline would not be extended in any circumstance.

Earlier, the Dhaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry (DCCI) and several other organisations sent written appeals to the chairman of the National Board of Revenue asking for the extension.

He thanked the government for taking steps to increase the tax-GDP ratio, and said the apex body of business organisations will cooperate with the government.

The minister also said 63 more fake staff of Mujibnagar government are trying to get jobs of sub-registrar, and they will also face legal action.

FROM PAGE 1
compromise with the fake staff, he told reporters, adding, they got judgment in their favour from the High Court by providing false documents.

He said 190 persons, one of whom died, managed to get the job.

The minister also said 63 more fake staff of Mujibnagar government are trying to get jobs of sub-registrar, and they will also face legal action.

Shaon's aides

FROM PAGE 16
which five days were granted by Metropolitan Magistrate Nazrul Islam.

Earlier, the CID arrested Mazharul Islam Mithu, another aide to Shaon on Thursday and took him on a three-day remand on the following day.

Sources said Delwar and Shimul and Mithu would be interrogated face to face to cross check the information received by the investigators.

Ibrahim, 38, was killed by a shot from Shaon's pistol in the lawmaker's car parked in front of the MP Hostel at Jatiya Sangsad Bhaban complex on August 13.

Following the incident, driver Kamal Hossain alias Kala filed an unnatural death case with Sher-e-Bangla Nagar Police Station.

Five days later, Ibrahim's brother Masum filed a murder case with a Dhaka court, accusing 16 persons including Shaon, his bodyguard Delwar, driver Kala, Mithu, Mizan, Jibon, Riton and Alam.

Speaker

FROM PAGE 1
allege that their recommendations are not entertained, added the speaker.

"Therefore, an enquiry should look into the matter to know the real picture," Hamid said responding to an MP's remark on recent recruitment under the health ministry.

Taking the floor on a point of order, ruling Awami League lawmaker Maj Gen (ret'd) Shubid Ali Bhuiyan (Comilla-1) said the health ministry has recently appointed health assistants across the country.

Some 99 health assistants were appointed from a single constituency of Comilla district, but none of them was from his constituency, claimed the lawmaker.

Citing a newspaper report about alleged irregularities in the appointment, he demanded formation of a parliamentary probe body to investigate the allegation.

In response to the MP's statement, Hamid said it is difficult to say what is happening in reality. "But I think the government should look into the matter," he added.

With an oblique reference to the recent meeting of Pabna district administration with personalities from civil society, professional bodies and political parties, the speaker said, "We also saw that government officials holding press conference. The government should also look into whether its officials can do it."

The government should take action if any irregularities and partisan influence affected the appointment process, recommended the speaker.

HC asks

FROM PAGE 1
League, filed the case with the Dhaka Chief Metropolitan Magistrate's Court on March 5 of 2008, for implicating and torturing him on charges of "attempting to kill" Prof Humayun Azad.

The three other accused officials are sub-Inspectors Rezaul Karim and Naser Ali of Ramna Police Station and sergeant Anwar Hossain who was in charge of Nishket police box at that time.

Earlier on September 22, Dhaka court issued arrest warrants against them in the case.

An HC bench of Justice Sharif Uddin Chaklader and Justice Md Fazlur Rahman yesterday, however, directed the police not to harass or arrest them within three weeks' period in connection with this case.

The court passed the order following a bail petition filed by the accused. The police officials yesterday appeared before the court for bail.

Advocate Khandker Mahbub Hossain appeared for the petitioners.

FBCCI wants

FROM PAGE 1
could not submit their income tax returns due to the holy month of Ramadan and Eid-ul-Fitr.

The last date for the submission of income tax returns is September 30 and the government has already announced that the deadline would not be extended in any circumstance.

Earlier, the Dhaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry (DCCI) and several other organisations sent written appeals to the chairman of the National Board of Revenue asking for the extension.

He thanked the government for taking steps to increase the tax-GDP ratio, and said the apex body of business organisations will cooperate with the government.

Ex-home secy

FROM PAGE 1
anything about it. Even we were not allowed to read the report and we could not know that all of the committee members were asked to sign it in the same way," he added.

Two other members of the committee former DIG (CID) Farukh Ahmed and former NSI director Brig Gen Enamur Rahman also made confessional statement implicating Babar and Omar Faruk last week.

Enamur Rahman in his statement claimed that they suggested mentioning the involvement of the NSI officials with the import and offload of the arms in the report, but the committee chief didn't do that.

Farukh Ahmed in his statement implicated Babar alongwith Faruk for diverting the incident and said everything was done on orders of Babar.

Meanwhile, a Chittagong court yesterday for the tenth time granted CID another two more months for further investigation into the sensational Chittagong arms haul case.

Acting Metropolitan Sessions Judge Inamul Haque Bhuiyan extended the time till November 24 following a time petition for 90 days.

Investigation Officer (IO) of the case Md Moniruzzaman Chowdhury, also a senior ASP of CID, moved the petition on Wednesday--two days before the expiry of previously extended time.

Regarding the time extension, Public Prosecutor (PP) Kamal Uddin said the court extended the time for 60 days from today since the investigation so far revealed the involvement of high ups of the then BNP-Jamaat government, NSI, DCFI and other concerned departments.

Moreover, if the reported involvement is found true and

any of the stalwarts has to be arrested then the investigation would require further time, said the PP quoting the time petition made by IO Moniruzzaman.

Besides, the investigators are yet to find out the identity of the vessel that carried the illegal consignment of arms into the water territory of Bangladesh in 2004.

During the tenure of the past caretaker government, a Chittagong court on February 12, 2008 ordered further investigation into the case following an appeal made by the then P/Absanul Hoque Hena.

Later in February 2009, a Chittagong Court ordered to change the IO following an appeal by the state lawyer and ASP Moniruzzaman of CID, Chittagong was then appointed as the fifth IO of the case.

The investigation made a significant headway when prime accused Hafizur Rahman made his confessional statement on March 2 last year indicating involvement of officials of NSI and DCFI into the incident.

The statement of Hafiz helped arrest of the then DCFI director Maj Gen (ret'd) Rezzakul Haider, NSI DG Brig Gen (ret'd) Abdur Rahim, NSI director Wing Commander (ret'd) Sahab Uddin, NSI deputy director Major (ret'd) Liakat Hossain and field officer Akbar Hossain, Chittagong Urea Fertiliser Ltd managing director Mohsin Talukder and its general manager Enamul Haque.

In the last 31 months the investigators interrogated around 100 persons including the members of committee the then government formed to probe the incident.

CID earlier submitted a report about the progress of the investigation on September 15 this year.

Body found

FROM PAGE 1
Mizan was strangled to death, morgue sources said.

Ayub told The Daily Star that they are three brothers and each of them has a jewellery shop at the market. He said a youth came to his brother's shop for three days or more in a row and told