



STRAY INCIDENTS MARK HARTAL

Dawn-to-dusk hartal, called by main opposition BNP and its ally Jamaat, was observed peacefully yesterday with some stray incidents of police action on pickets and arrests. The pictures were taken from Dhaka and the port city of Chittagong.

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'Reform law to protect rights of forest people'

DU CORRESPONDENT

Speakers yesterday called upon authorities concerned to reform "Forest Act 2010" and "Wildlife Conservation Act 2010" to preserve rights of people living in forests regions.

They also urged the government to stop eviction of indigenous people in the excuse of saving national parks, eco parks, safari parks, reserve forests and social forestation.

The demands came at a two-day national convention "to establish rights of minorities in Bangladesh" organised by Fascibad O Samrajjobad Birodhi Jatiya Committee at Teacher Student Centre auditorium of Dhaka University (DU).

Speakers there placed their demands including formation of "Ethnic

Commission" to solve socio-economic and political problems of indigenous people.

They urged the government to stop using the term "upajati" in government documents and textbooks as it undermines indigenous communities.

Speakers suggested representatives of people living in forest regions including the indigenous to form a separate political organisation for their welfare.

Presided over by noted intellectual and author Badruddin Umar, the inaugural session was addressed by DU international relations department Prof Dr Akmal Hossain, Greater Syhlet Adivashi Forum President Pidison Pradhan and United Peoples Democratic Front President Prosit Bikash Khisa.

Court records statement of GP official in Koko's case

COURT CORRESPONDENT

A Dhaka court yesterday recorded statement of one more prosecution witness (PW) in a money laundering case against Arafat Rahman Koko, younger son of BNP Chairperson Khaleda Zia.

Judge Mohammad Mozammel Hossain of the Special Judge's Court-3 recorded statement of Omar bin Harun Khan, additional general manager and head of legal and compliance corporate affairs division, Grameenphone Ltd, Dhaka.

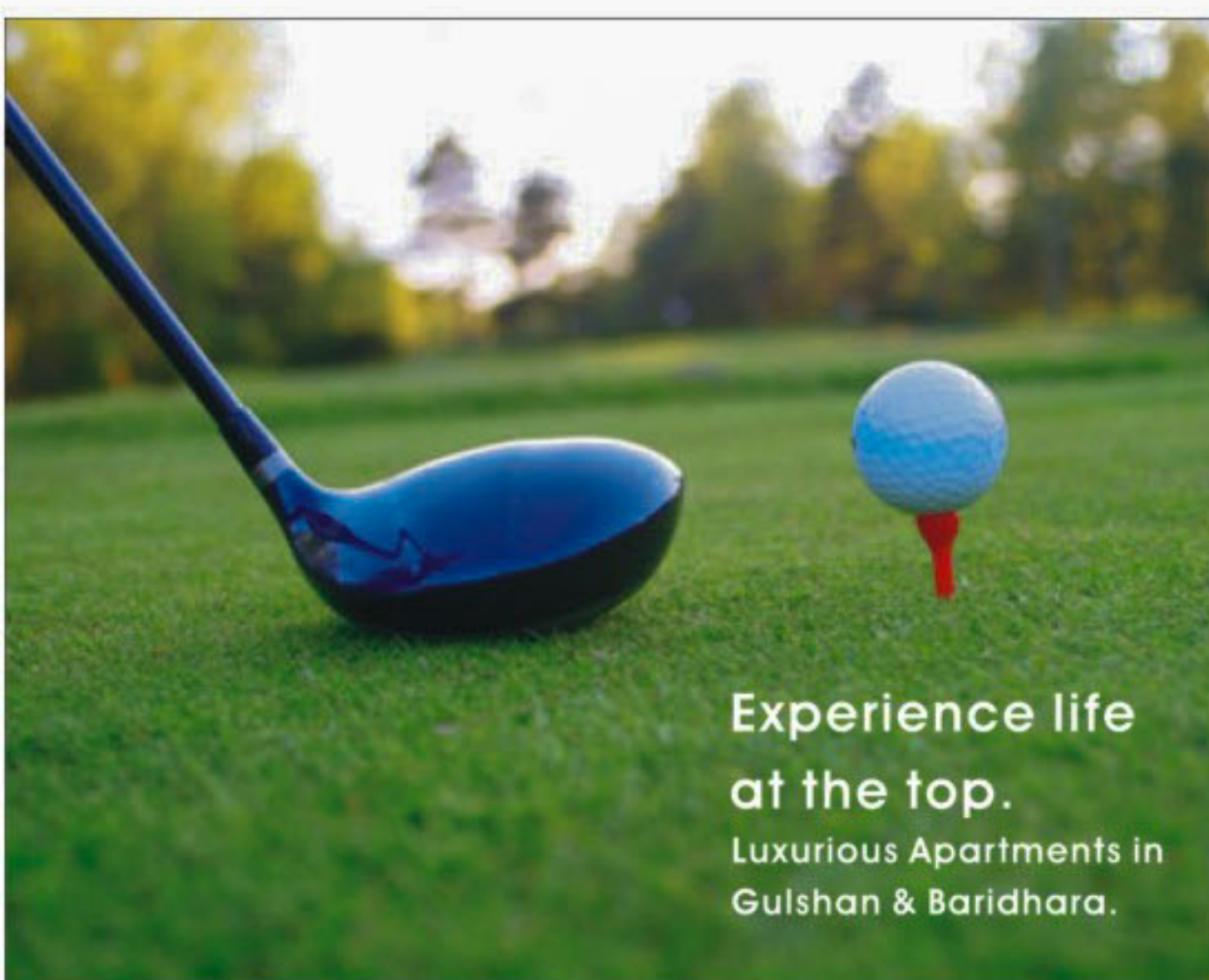
The court fixed today for the next hearing.

Earlier, the court recorded statements of 17 prosecution witnesses including complainant of the case.

Harun in his statement said ACC officer Abu Sayeed asked the Grameenphone authority on February 16 in 2009 to supply name and address of a number holder.

After receipt of the letter, the GP authority supplied it on February 24 the same year. The number holder is Ismail Hossain Saimon, son of former shipping minister late Akbar Hossain, also an accused in the case.

The ACC filed the case against Koko on March 17, 2009 along with others on charge of laundering money they received from China Harbour Engineering Company Ltd and Siemens for helping them win government contracts.



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