

PM reaches Turkey

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the areas of banking, customs, agriculture, education and culture.

The agreements will be ratified after the official talks between Bangladesh Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina and Turkish Prime Minister Recep Tayyip Erdoğan, said foreign ministry sources.

The premier reached Ankara yesterday evening on a three-day official visit at the invitation of her Turkish counterpart.

Turkish Education Minister Ömer Dincer received the prime minister at the Esenboğa International Airport.

Her 112-member entourage to Ankara includes Foreign Minister Dipu Moni, Industries Minister Dilip Barua, Mayor of Sylhet City Corporation Badruddin Ahmed Kamran, Ambassador-at-Large Mohammad Ziauddin and a 56-member business delegation.

Officials at foreign ministry said a protocol will be signed to link the spiritual capitals of Sylhet in Bangladesh and Konya in Turkey -- the resting places of two great Sufi philosophers and spiritual leaders Hazrat Shahjalal (RA) and Maulana Jalaluddin Rumi (RA).

The two countries have been working hard to explore the full potential of the bilateral relations since the visits of the Turkish president and the prime minister to Bangladesh in February and November in 2010.

Earlier, she left Dhaka yesterday afternoon on a VVIP flight of Biman Bangladesh Airlines.

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Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina will today first visit Anitkabir, the mausoleum of Kemal Ataturk, at 10:00am.

After lunch, she will go to Presidential Palace at 2:00pm to meet Turkish President Abdullah Gul.

From there, she will head to Turkish parliament to call on its Speaker at 3:15pm and attend a reception by the House.

Hasina will arrive at Turkish prime minister's office at 5:00pm. The two sides will hold an official meeting there to be followed by signing of the agreements.

In the evening, the Turkish premier will host a state banquet in honour of his counterpart at his residence.

On Friday, Hasina will address on "Bilateral Trade and Investment" at a breakfast meeting at 8:30am to be hosted by the Confederation of Businessmen and Industrialists of Turkey.

She will visit Ankara University at 10:30am and deliver a lecture on people's empowerment.

The prime minister will attend a luncheon meeting to be hosted by the Union of Chambers and Commodity Exchanges of Turkey at 1:30pm. She will also make a speech on trade and investment opportunities between Bangladesh and Turkey.

In the afternoon, Hasina will lay the foundation stone of Bangladesh Embassy in Ankara and unveil a sculpture of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman.

She will also meet Bangladeshi students in Turkey and the expatriate Bangladeshis at the venue.

Leader of the Opposition in Turkish Parliament Kemal Kilicdaroglu will call on Hasina at her Sheraton hotel suite at 5:30pm.

Bangladeshis living in different European countries will meet Hasina at the hotel at 6:00pm.

The premier will leave Ankara on a VVIP flight of Biman Bangladesh Airlines at 9:30pm.

She is expected to return home at 7:00pm on Saturday.

Hotels mushroom

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Chittagong targeting local business executives and professionals, and foreign buyers, who frequently visit the port city for business purposes.

"We are here to mainly attract foreign buyers and corporate travellers," said SM Shahab Uddin, general manager of Well Park Residence launched last year.

He said Well Park launched operation targeting foreign buyers coming to negotiate prices with the garment factories in the Export Processing Zones (EPZs) of Chittagong.

He added there are 5,000 to 6,000 factories in EPZs and more than 300 buyers come to Chittagong every month to place orders to these factories.

"They look for hotels with better standard that ensure safety and security along with comfortable accommodation, hygienic food and modern communication facilities," he observed.

These new hotels and guesthouses have come up finding a lack in the market of better hotels as there were only a handful of modern hotels in the port city until 2000.

The only known hotel that could partly meet the expectations of foreigners was Hotel Agrabad. But due to limited accommodation capacity in that hotel, many foreigners, especially buyers, tended not to stay in Chittagong overnight. Most of them used to return to Dhaka on evening flights, said hoteliers and businesses.

Insiders say investment to set up better standard hotels and guesthouses began to rise since 2000.

It got a boost further after the success of The Peninsula Chittagong which launched operation in the port city in 2005 in a bid to attract foreign travellers.

Shahab said over 30 hotels and guesthouses launched operation in the city in the past decade.

"There was a vacuum in the market earlier. And considering the prospect of growth in business centring the Chittagong port, a vacuum is still there," he added.

"Still there is a need to establish a couple of international standard hotels," said the official of Well Park, which registered 60 percent occupancy in the first year of operation.

"We have achieved our target," he said, claiming that many of the guests are foreigners, especially buyers of export-oriented garments.

Badruzzaman, manager of another newly established hotel, The Avenue Hotel and Suites, echoed Shahab Uddin.

"Still many foreigners don't spend nights here due to a lack of global standard hotels. I think two five-star hotels can easily do business here," he said referring to local and foreign top executives coming to Chittagong for business purposes.

But investment in hotel business did not come from entrepreneurs in Chittagong.

"Because, return on investment is slow in hotel business. But nowadays the entrepreneurs, who have seen the prospects, are investing," he said, citing the potential of growth of businesses in Chittagong in the coming days after construction of the deep-sea port.

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ANM Shahed, general manager of Orchid Business Hotel, said the boutique hotel launched operation seven months ago and has been registering 40 percent occupancy on an average since then.

"We have yet to provide all amenities to attract corporate travellers including foreigners. We hope to log good business after we have all amenities such as banquet hall and spa in place within this year," he said.

Monowara Hakim Ali, owner of the oldest Hotel Agrabad, termed the growth in hotels and guesthouses a positive sign.

"It's a very good sign. Investment in hotel industry is needed to promote business," she said adding, "We are also expanding the capacity of our hotels considering the growth of demand in future.

"There will be a massive change in Chittagong and it will be a major hub for businesses in future," she said, citing possible construction of a deep-sea port in Sonadia and linking of Bangladesh with the Asian Highway through Chittagong Division.

Boy killed

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road for over seven hours, much to the suffering of the commuters, he said.

They also vandalised two vehicles and set fire to the killer bus.

The situation returned to normal around 3:00pm after locals withdrew the barricades, the OC said.

Ayub Ali, conductor of the bus, was driving in absence of its driver, he added.

Dental X-ray

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during dental X-rays than most are today.

"It is likely that the exposure association we are seeing here is past exposure, and past exposure levels were much higher," said Dr Elizabeth Claus, a professor at the Yale School of Medicine in New Haven, Connecticut, USA.

Claus, the study's lead author, and her colleagues write in the Journal Cancer that dental X-rays are the most common source of exposure to ionising radiation -- which has been linked to meningiomas in the past.

For her study, Claus' team recruited 1,433 people diagnosed with intracranial meningioma -- a tumour that forms in the tissues lining the brain -- between May 2006 and April 2011.

All of the participants were diagnosed when they were between 20 and 79 years old.

For comparison, the researchers also followed 1,350 people who were similar in age, sex and state of residence as the study group, but who had not been diagnosed with a tumour.

The researchers found that those diagnosed with meningiomas were more than twice as likely as the comparison group to report ever having had bitewing images taken.

PM, Khaleda

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Pahela Baishakh greeting card to Khaleda's APS Surattuzaman at the leader of the opposition's parliament office around 3:00pm.

The opposition leader soon returned the gesture, her APS handing over her card to Khairul Islam at the prime minister's office around 4:30pm.

EC seeks Tk 40cr

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Commissioner Brig Gen (ret'd) Javed Ali told reporters at his office yesterday.

He said the EC has already asked the law enforcement agencies to draw up their plans to that effect.

"We may go for setting up closed-circuit cameras in polling stations to have footages of the situation," he added.

On details of the budget, the EC official said the proposed allocation for law and order will be spent for members of Border Guard of Bangladesh, police, Rab and Ansar to be deployed during polls. "The expenditures may increase if army personnel are deployed as well," the official said.

The official added the proposed allocation of Tk 15 crore will be spent for election management that includes procurement of all electoral goods and paying remuneration to polling officials.

According to the official, around Tk 2 crore will be spent for training of the polling officials. Another Tk 45 lakh would be allocated for the use of electronic voting machines in six wards, the official added.

Meanwhile, on expiry of the deadline of midnight yesterday, EC officials led by returning officers may launch special drives today against those who failed to remove posters and banners from the city streets.

"We will take actions tomorrow against those who failed to comply with the commission's order," Mihir Sarwar Morshed, returning officer of DCC North, told The Daily Star.

He however declined to elaborate on what actions might be taken against the

violators.

An EC official said the returning officers and assistant returning officers may ask the violators to remove the posters and banners instantly.

The EC might take photographs of any violation as evidence and use those against the violators if they want to contest the polls, the official added.

Satkhira daily

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newspaper to reply in three days why its declaration should not be cancelled for publishing false news.

Since the newspaper's reply was unsatisfactory, District Magistrate Anowar Hossain Hawladar yesterday cancelled the declaration of the newspaper that began its journey in October, 2001.


Nur Islam, editor and publisher of the daily, could not be reached for comment.

The newspaper on March 29 ran a false news item that said indecent remarks were made about Prophet Hazrat Mohammad (SM) in a drama titled "Hujur Kebla" performed by Fatepur High School students on the school premises on March 27.

The false report instigated a section of fanatics to torch and damage at least 17 houses in Fatepur and Chakdah villages, the Fatepur High School and a local club on March 31 and April 1.

They also looted several houses including that of Mita Rani, a teacher at Fatepur High School.

The administrative order said the dialogues of the drama "Hujur Kebla" based on a story by Abul Mansur Ahmed had been scrutinised, but no derogatory remarks about any religion were made there.



জাহাঙ্গীরনগর বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়

সাতার, ঢাকা

পত্র সংখ্যা: রেজি/গ্রশা/২০১১-২০১২/৬০৬৫(২) তারিখ: ১০-০৪-২০১২


নিয়োগ বিজ্ঞপ্তি

জাহাঙ্গীরনগর বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়ের নিম্নে বর্ণিত পদসমূহ পূরণের জন্য বাংলাদেশের প্রাকৃত নাগরিকদের নিকট হতে দরখাস্ত আহ্বান করা যাচ্ছে।

নং	পদের নাম ও বেতনক্রম	সংখ্যা	শিক্ষাগত যোগ্যতা ও অভিজ্ঞতা
১।	উপাধ্যক্ষ জাবি স্কুল ও কলেজ বেতনফেল: ২২,২৫০- ৩১,২৫০/-	১টি	ক) দ্বিতীয় শ্রেণীর অনার্সসহ কমপক্ষে দ্বিতীয় শ্রেণীর মাস্টার্স ডিগ্রি অথবা প্রথম শ্রেণীর মাস্টার্স ডিগ্রি অথবা দ্বিতীয় শ্রেণীর মাস্টার্স ডিগ্রি ও পিএইচডি ডিগ্রি। কোনো পর্যায়ে তৃতীয় শ্রেণী গ্রহণযোগ্য নয়। খ) কলেজ পর্যায়ে ১৩ (তের) বছরের শিক্ষকতার অভিজ্ঞতা; তন্মধ্যে সহকারী অধ্যাপক হিসেবে ৬ (ছয়) বছরের অভিজ্ঞতা থাকতে হবে। কলেজে ৩ (তিন) বছরের প্রশাসনিক অভিজ্ঞতা থাকলে অগ্রাধিকার পেতে পারেন।
২।	প্রভাষক (ইংরেজি) জাবি স্কুল ও কলেজ বেতনক্রম: ১১,০০০- ২০,৩৭০/-	২টি	ক) সংশ্লিষ্ট বিষয়ে কমপক্ষে দ্বিতীয় শ্রেণীর স্নাতক (সম্মান) সহ দ্বিতীয় শ্রেণীর স্নাতকোত্তর ডিগ্রি অথবা প্রথম শ্রেণীর স্নাতকোত্তর ডিগ্রি। সকল পরীক্ষায় কমপক্ষে দ্বিতীয় বিভাগ/শ্রেণী থাকতে হবে। শিক্ষকতার অভিজ্ঞ প্রার্থীদের অগ্রাধিকার দেয়া হবে।
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৪।	অধিকতর যোগ্যতাসম্পন্ন প্রার্থীদের ক্ষেত্রে যে কোনো শর্ত শিথিলযোগ্য।		
৫।	উপরোক্ত পদের জন্য প্রার্থীদের নিম্নাঙ্করকারীর অফিস হতে প্রাপ্তবা নির্ধারিত ফর্মে ১০ (দশ) কপি দরখাস্ত, শিক্ষাগত যোগ্যতা ও অভিজ্ঞতার সকল সার্টিফিকেটের সত্যায়িত কপি প্রতি সেটের সাথে সংযুক্তকরতঃ রেজিস্ট্রারের অনুকূলে অগ্রণী ব্যাংকের যে কোনো শাখা হতে জাহাঙ্গীরনগর বিশ্ববিদ্যালয় শাখার উপর ইস্যুকৃত ৬০০/- (ছয়শত) টাকার ব্যাংক ড্রাফট (ফেরতযোগ্য নহে) অথবা অগ্রণী ব্যাংকের বিবিধ জমা রশিদের মাধ্যমে অগ্রণী ব্যাংক জাহাঙ্গীরনগর বিশ্ববিদ্যালয় ক্যাম্পাস শাখার সিডি-৬৮নং হিসাবে জমা দিয়ে উক্ত জমা রশিদ এবং ২ কপি পাসপোর্ট সাইজের সত্যায়িত ছবিসহ দরখাস্ত আশামী ৩০-০৪-২০১২ তারিখের মধ্যে পৌছাতে হবে।		
৬।	রেজিস্ট্রার বরাবর ৬ (ছয়) টাকা মূল্যের ডাকটিকেটসহ নিজের নাম, ঠিকানা লিখিত ১০"X৪" সাইজের খাম পাঠিয়ে উপরোক্ত পদের জন্য আবেদন ফরম (অফিস চলাকালীন সময় সকাল ৭-১০ ঘটিকা হতে দুপুর ২-০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত) রেজিস্ট্রার অফিস থেকে সংগ্রহ করা যাবে। বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়ের ওয়েবসাইট www.juniv.edu থেকেও নির্ধারিত ফরম ডাউনলোড করে আবেদন করা যাবে।		
৭।	চাকরীরত প্রার্থীকে অবশ্যই স্ব-স্ব কর্তৃপক্ষের মাধ্যমে আবেদন করতে হবে।		
৮।	নির্ধারিত তারিখের পরে প্রাপ্ত আবেদনপত্র কোনো অবস্থাতেই গ্রহণযোগ্য হবে না।		
৯।	অসম্পূর্ণ দরখাস্ত সরাসরি বাতিল বলে গণ্য হবে।		

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বাংলাদেশ বিদ্যুৎ উন্নয়ন বোর্ড

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বিদ্যুৎ সাশ্রয়ী বাতি ব্যবহার করুন

Invitation for Tenders

GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH

1	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources/Power Division.		
2	Agency	Bangladesh Power Development Board.		
3	Procuring entity name	Bangladesh Power Development Board (BPDB).		
4	Procuring entity code	N/A		
5	Procuring entity district	Dhaka.		
6	Invitation for	Construction of 04 (four) Nos. new and 7 (seven) Nos. renovation 33/11KV sub-stations emergency rehabilitation & expansion of urban areas power distribution system under Chittagong Zone on Turnkey basis.		
7	Invitation Ref No.	Memo No. 792-BPDB(Sectt.)/Dev-192/2009.		
8	Date	09.04.2012.		
KEY INFORMATION				
9	Procurement method	Open Tendering Method (OTM).		
FUNDING INFORMATION				
10	Budget and source of funds	Government of Bangladesh (GOB).		
11	Development partners (if applicable)	N/A.		
PARTICULAR INFORMATION				
12	Project/programme code (if applicable)	N/A		
13	Project/programme name (if applicable)	Emergency Rehabilitation & Expansion of Urban Areas Power Distribution System Under Chittagong Zone, BPDB, Chittagong.		
14	Tender package No.	01 (sub-station)		
15	Tender package name	Construction of 04 (four) Nos. new and 7 (seven) Nos. renovation 33/11KV Sub-Stations Emergency Rehabilitation & Expansion of Urban Areas Power Distribution System Under Chittagong Zone on Turnkey basis.		
	Date	09.04.2012.		
16	Tender publication date	22.05.2012.		
17	Tender last selling date	Date		
18	Tender closing date and time	23.05.2012		
19	Tender opening date and time	23.05.2012		
20	Name & address of the office(s)	Address		
	- Selling tender document (principal)	Director, Dte. of Purchase, Bangladesh Power Development Board, WAPDA Building (9 th Floor), Motijheel Commercial Area, Dhaka-1000 (tender document will be available on 16.04.2012 for selling).		
	- Selling tender document (others)	N/A		
	-Receiving tender document	Secretary Bangladesh Power Development Board, WAPDA Building (1 st Floor), Motijheel Commercial Area, Dhaka-1000.		
	-Opening tender document	Secretary Bangladesh Power Development Board WAPDA Building (1 st Floor), Motijheel Commercial Area, Dhaka-1000.		
21	Place/date/time of pre-tender meeting (optional)			
INFORMATION FOR TENDERER				
22	Eligibility of tenderer	The minimum number of years of general experience of the tenderer in the construction works as Prime Contractor or Sub-contractor or Management Contractor shall be 3 (three) years. And Tenders will only be considered from individual firm or joint venture, consortium or association (JVCA) who are actually engaged and experience in the lines of work described herein. The tenderer himself and/or member(s) of JVCA shall have the experience in carrying out of complete modification, testing, commissioning work of equipment (as stated in the scope of work in chapter 6 & 7) during last ten (10) years. The tenderer himself and/or member(s) of JVCA having experience of design, supply, fabrication, installation, testing, commissioning of 33/11KV sub-station during last ten (10) years shall also be eligible for tendering. The said Unit/Sub-station should have been in continuous commercial operation for at least three (3) years. In any case, the tenderer shall have to submit with his tender at least one certificate from the end user of the 33/11KV sub-station which is located stating that the sub-station is installed or modified/upgraded within last ten (10) years by the tenderer and/or member(s) of JVCA and the said sub-station should have been in continuous commercial operation for minimum three (3) years and the performance of the sub-station is satisfactory. This certificate shall consist of the name of plant/equipment, capacity and commissioning date of the sub-station, equipment model & capacity supplied by the tenderer, issue date, name and address (telephone/fax/e-mail) of the end user duly signed in the official pad. Certificates furnished by the tenderer in the tender proposal shall have the information as stated above without such certificate, the tender shall be considered technically non-responsive. These certificates must be have authentication from the Chamber of Commerce of the tenderer's country or the Embassy/High Commission of the end user's country situated in Dhaka. In absence of that in Dhaka, authentication from tenderer's Embassy/High Commission for foreign bidders. For non-compliance of above requirements, the tender shall be considered as non-responsive. And The minimum specific experience as a Prime Contractor or Subcontractor or Management Contractor in constructions works of at least 1 (one) contract(s) of similar nature, complexity and methods/construction technology successfully completed within the last 10 (ten) years, each with a value of at least Tk. [600 million]. And The required average annual construction turnover shall be greater than Tk [1600 million] over the last 5 (five) years. And The minimum amount of liquid assets or working capital or credit facilities of the tenderer shall be Tk 400 million. Design, Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of 33/11KV Sub-Station Under Emergency Rehabilitation & Expansion of Urban Areas Power Distribution System Under Chittagong Zone.		
23	Brief description of goods or works	N/A		
24	Brief description of relates services	N/A		
25	Price of tender document (Tk)	Tk. 20,000/- (twenty thousand) only payable in the form of Pay-Order/Demand Draft in favour of the Project Director, EREUAPDS Chittagong Zone, BPDB, Chittagong for each set of tender document.		
	Lot No.	Identification of lot		
26	1	Construction of 04 (four) Nos. new and 7 (seven) Nos. renovation 33/11KV sub-stations emergency rehabilitation & expansion of urban areas power distribution system under Chittagong Zone on turn-key basis. The site is located at: Cox's Bazar, Kalatali; Hathazari, Fatayabad; Brahmanbaria, Sarail Biswa Road More; Feni, Sultanpur Comilla; Kotbari Comilla, Kaliajuri Comilla, Balutupa Comilla, Palpara Khagrachhari Daghinala Satkania, Chittagong		
PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS				
27	Name of official inviting tender	Md. Azizul Islam.		
28	Designation of official inviting tender	Secretary.		
29	Address of official inviting tender	Bangladesh Power Development Board, WAPDA Building (1st Floor), Motijheel Commercial Area, Dhaka-1000.		
30	Contact details of official inviting tender	Tel. 02-9554209, 02-9567350 Fax No. 02-9564765		
31	The procuring entity reserves the right to accept any or reject any/all tenders prior to acceptance without assigning any reason whatsoever. Tenders submitted by Fax, Telex, Swift, Cable, E-mail & by post/courier shall not be accepted.			
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