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The High Court yesterday ordered police not to arrest within a week around 30 opposition leaders, including BNP acting secretary general Mirza Fakhrul Islam Alamgir, who are accused in two cases over hartal violence.

The ruling came as a two-member HC

bench delivered dissenting orders on seven separate bail petitions by the accused in the cases, filed for blasts and arson during the April 29 shutdown.

Justice Moyeenul Islam Chowdhury, the senior judge of the bench, granted anticipatory bail to the accused petitioners till

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institutions in SSC results for the third consecutive year.

Latifur receives Oslo Business for Peace Award

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Latifur Rahman, chairman and CEO of Transcom Group and vice-president of International Chamber of Commerce Bangladesh, yesterday received Business for Peace Award 2012 at a function in the Norwegian capital Oslo.

The award is the highest distinction given to a businessperson for outstanding accomplish-

ments in the area of ethical business. This recognition has included Latifur Rahman in the group of exceptional business personalities

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Dakhil sees more GPA-5 achievers

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Although the pass rate in this year's Dakhil examinations increased to 88.47 percent from last year's 83.23 percent, the pass rate in SSC (vocational) exams dropped slightly from 81.37 percent to 80.69 percent.

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86pc pass SSC

: All indicators in quality education reflect record improvement

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

With the young learners doing well in English and mathematics, pass rate in this year's Secondary : School Certificate (SSC) examina-· tions has hit an all time record · 86.32 percent, 4.16 percentage points higher than that of last year. The results published yester-

day show a significant improvement in other indicators -- the number of highest grade achievers and the number of schools with cent percent pass rose remarkably while the number of schools with zero pass rate came down.

The combined pass rate in all **SEE PAGE 19 COL 4**

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Board	Pass Rate 2012	Pass Rate 2011
Rajshahi	88.33	80.32
Comilla	85.64	85.85
Jessore	87.16	84.04
Chittagong	78.96	78.27
Barisal	86.96	78.30
Sylhet	91.78	81.23
Dinajpur	87.16	77.48
Total	86.32	82.16

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