

Mutiny trial

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New York-based rights body had called upon the government to immediately halt the trials.

The BGB in a press statement yesterday described HRW's remarks as "thoughtless" and "illogical" and said the rights body's report as a whole was "baseless" and with an "ill motive".

It said the HRW had undermined the laws of the country by demanding a halt to the trials of 2009 BDR mutiny and the carnage.

The provocative demand had surprised and concerned the paramilitary force, the statement said.

The BGB accused the rights body of creating confusion among people about the laws of the land, hurting the morale of the members of the force, and depicting a negative image of Bangladesh in the international arena.

About the death of detainees in custody, the BGB said the HRW's report was exaggerated. It said they died in

the hospital due to sickness, old-age complications and incurable diseases.

The BGB also said the accused were enjoying all kinds of facilities like appointment of their lawyers, defending oneself and placing witnesses.

The statement said all arrested BDR jawans, including the ones detained in connection with murder, arson and looting, were sent to the civil jail. All of them were in the jail authorities' custody and were having all facilities the jail code allowed them to have, it added.

The statement said the accused were provided with at least 27 days to over six months' time to prepare their defence. They were also given sufficient time to produce their witnesses and many of them had produced their witnesses.

It said the trials of the hated and heinous crime that took the lives of 74 people, including 57 army officers, were being conducted

according to the directive of the Supreme Court.

The cases filed under Penal Code and Arms Act were being conducted under the existing laws of the land.

It said during the trials the courts willingly asked the accused about their illness, their places in jail, legal issues, job issues, family problems and any kind of complaint. All complaints were sorted out immediately according to their rights, it added.

The statement said the courts were conducting the trial in a responsible and fair manner. Journalists and anybody could be present in the courtroom during the trial which proves its transparency.

The statement said 11 special courts were formed in line with the Bangladesh Rifles Order, 1972, to conduct the trials. Trials of 52 cases had been completed and trials of four other cases were underway.

The trials had begun on January 5 last year.

Murray

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Roger Federer.

Murray became the first British man to reach the Wimbledon final since Bunny Austin in 1938 as he defeated Tsonga 6-3, 6-4, 3-6, 7-5 in front of an ecstatic Centre Court crowd yesterday.

The 25-year-old Scot seemed overcome with emotion before leaving the court, but is adamant he has no intention of making a big deal of his win because it will count for nothing if he doesn't beat Federer to claim his first Grand Slam crown.

That was the message driven home by his coach Ivan Lendl, an eight-time Grand Slam title winner, who offered only brief congratulations before focusing on their next practice session this morning.

"It's not the end of the tournament yet. The time for all of that stuff comes when I'm done," Murray said.

"I spoke to Ivan after the match. He said: 'Good job. You did really well. What time do you want to practice tomorrow?' That's it. There's no time for anything else."

"You have to try to make sure you don't get too excited on the court. Maybe in the past I was too up and down."

Everything must be done

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defence has to finish cross-examination of Muntassir by 3:45pm.

"My lord! It is not possible," said Mizanul.

"Okay. We will give an order at 3:45pm," the chairman said.

During this 50-minute cross-examination, the defence counsel asked the witness around 18 questions, like the name of first director of the Razakars in 1971, whether the director was arrested after independence, name of the chief of the Razakars in Dhaka district, number of Razakar members and whether the witness read the Daily Sangram and the Daily Ittefaq during the Liberation War.

When the clock struck 3:45pm, Muntassir drew the tribunal's attention and refused to answer any more questions.

The tribunal then asked the defence to respond on finishing off Muntassir's cross-examination.

Defence counsel Mizanul said the charges against Ghulam Azam were vast. He was accused of killing 30 lakh martyrs, rape of "4 lakh"

women and looting of thousands of houses and setting fire to houses during the Liberation War. Therefore, it is practically not possible to complete the cross-examination within a short time, the defence said.

The defence also claimed that Muntassir did not reply to their question satisfactorily. That is why they require at least two more days to complete the cross-examination.

Mizanul also said the witness could appear for cross-examination at times convenient for him and by this time other preceding of the case could go on.

"From our point of view, we will be deprived of justice," said the defence, adding he did not make any unreasonable delay.

Chief Prosecutor Golam Arif Tipu, however, said the defence was already given sufficient time and there was no need for more.

Delivering the order, Justice Nizamul said the defence had six full sessions in three days to cross-examine the witness. A time would come when witnesses would be reluctant to come to the tribunal, said the justice.

The tribunal said according to the International Crimes (Tribunal) Act, 1973, it reserved the right to take measures for speeding up proceedings of the tribunal.

The tribunal chairman observed that the defence tried their best to complete the cross-examination. "We will fix time for the defence and the prosecution to cross examine every witness coming to the tribunal in future," he said.

Regarding the plea for two more days, the tribunal gave the defence one more session for cross-examining Muntassir on a day convenient for the witness. Until then, the case proceedings would go on as usual.

Muntassir then stood up and said he would follow the order.

"Though I'm not feeling well, I have cooperated. But the accused of the case stays at the tribunal only for an hour. I'm also sick," said Muntassir.

Judge AKM Zahir Ahmed, a member of the tribunal, said, "He [Ghulam Azam] is accused in a case where the highest punishment is death penalty. That's why he is given the facilities."

Ghulam Azam, who was

the ameer (chief) of the East Pakistan [now Bangladesh] Jamaat-e-Islami in 1971, has been indicted on five charges of crimes against humanity based on 60 incidents during the Liberation War.

Meanwhile, International Crimes Tribunal-2 on Thursday deferred to July 9 the hearing on a petition of war crimes accused Jamaat leader Ali Ahsan Mohammad Mojaheed for reviewing his indictment order.

The three-member tribunal led by its Chairman Justice ATM Fazle Kabir fixed the fresh date following the petition of the defence.

On June 21, the tribunal indicted Mojaheed on seven charges, including murder, torture, and genocide and hatching a conspiracy to kill intellectuals during the Liberation War. On July 1, the defence filed the petition seeking review of the indictment order.

On Thursday, defence counsel Munshi Ahsan Kabir sought adjournment of the court proceedings saying that Abdur Razzaq, chief of the defence counsels of detained Jamaat leaders, was to place arguments on the petition but he was abroad.

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Vacancy No.	Post Title	Category	Duty Station:	No of Position
Job ID 12-22	Chief – Population Planning and Research	Fixed Term ICS10 (NO C)	Dhaka	1 (One)
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How to Apply:
For Details of the Job Description and instructions to apply, Please visit our website: <http://www.unfpabgd.org>. Only short-listed candidates will be called for written test/interview. **Any attempt to unduly influence UNFPA's selection process will lead to automatic disqualification of the applicant.** Application should be received no later than **17:00 PM, Saturday, 21 July 2012.**

UNFPA Bangladesh has established an electronic application management system, which allows applicants to create a candidate profile, which can be updated regularly and submitted to more than one vacancy.

ONLY APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED THROUGH UNFPA Bangladesh JOB PORTAL WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR FURTHER EVALUATION.

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Issued on: 7 July 2012
Deadline for Application: 21 July 2012

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Only short-listed candidates will be contacted.
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