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Dentists, students besiege CS office to press 6-pt demand

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Rangpur

Dental surgeons of the city and students and Interns of Rangpur Dental College besieged Rangpur civil surgeon's (CS) office for three hours from 11:00am yesterday to press home their six-point demand, including not providing membership of Bangladesh Medical and Dental Council (BMDC) to dental technicians.

Around three hundred dental surgeons, students and interns brought out a procession in Rangpur city and later besieged the CS office, put it under lock and key and staged demonstration there.

They also gave a memorandum to the

director general of the Directorate of Health through Dr Riazuul Islam, civil surgeon of Rangpur.

"We will start tougher movement if the authorities concerned do not comply with our demands within February 6," said Meftaul Islam Milon, assistant professor of dental department of Prime Medical College in Rangpur.

The agitators withdrew their cordon as Dr Riazuul Islam assured them of informing the authorities concerned of their demands.

The civil surgeon said they will take initiative as early as possible to stop practice of the fake dental surgeons and those without BMDC registration.

JESSORE, CHUADANGA BORDERS

BSF picks up three, injures another

STAR NATIONAL DESK

Indian border guards picked up three Bangladeshis from Benapole border in Jessore and Chuadanga border yesterday and the day before.

In Jessore, BSF personnel picked up two youths from border near Banapole check post on Saturday afternoon.

One of them was identified as Nayan, 26, of Sadipur village under Benapole union in Sharsha upazila. Identity of the other could not be known, reports UNB.

Nayek Subedar Fazlul Haque of BGB 26 Battalion said BSF men picked up the two, suspecting them to be smugglers as they were roaming near 'no man's land' at Sadipur frontier in Benapole on Saturday.

However, locals claimed that a group of BSF men entered Bangladesh territory from Petrapole at around 5:00pm and abducted the two youths.

Benapole BGB sources said they sent a letter to BSF, asking whereabouts of the two youths, picked up by them (BSF) from Sadipur border on Saturday.

Our Kushtia correspondent reported that a

Bangladeshi was injured as Indian Border Security Force (BSF) threw bombs on a group of four cattle traders on border in Jibonnagar upazila of Chuadanga district early yesterday.

According to BGB source, BSF personnel hurled two bombs at four Bangladeshi cattle traders while they were entering India through barbed wire fence gate No-1 on the border at around 4:30am, leaving one of them named Saidur Rahman, 32, of Jibonnagar upazila injured.

The Indian border guards also caught one of the cattle traders named Mukul Hossain, 26, son of Tana Mondol of Kusumpur village in the upazila while the rest two managed to escape.

Bomb injured Saidur was admitted to Jessore Sadar Hospital. The border guards of both Bangladesh and India held a flag meeting at Medinipur frontier at around 4:30pm.

In the meeting, BSF said they will return Mukul Hossain through a legal process," Lt. Colonel Kazi Asaduzzaman of BGB 35 Battalion said.

'Missing' Kushtia JSD leader still untraced

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Kushtia

Law enforcement agencies are yet to rescue Mohabbat Khan, Jatya Samajtantrik Dal (JSD) leader of Kushtia, who went 'missing' in Khulna nine days ago.

Publicity secretary of JSD Kumarkhali upazila unit, Mohabbat was 'abducted' by a gang from Cantonment area in the port city on January 25. He was accused in several cases including two murders.

Mohabbat's family at a press conference on January 26 alleged that some members of Rapid Action Battalion (Rab) in plain-clothes picked him up. A



Mohabbat Khan

general diary was also filed in this regard.

In Khulna, a group of people stopped Mohammad in front of Garision Cinema Hall at about 9:00pm and one of them identified himself as Captain Mehedi of Rab-6,

they said.

The officials of Rab-6, however, refuted the allegation. Captain Faruk of Rab-6 told the journalists that Rab was not even aware of the incident.

"We came to know this after Mohabbat's relatives contacted us," Captain Faruk said.

The Rab-6 official said that Captain Mehedi was working at Rab-12 headquarters in Sirajganj district.

This correspondent also talked to Captain Mehedi in Sirajganj who refuted his link with any such operation on the day.

"I also heard about it. But I was not in Khulna on the day," Mehedi said.

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Bangladesh Post Office
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Bangladesh

Notice: 42nd International Letter-Writing Competition for Young People (2013)

The Universal Postal Union (UPU) has been organising letter-writing competition for young people each year with an aim to develop young people's skills in composition and the ability to express their thoughts clearly, to foster their enjoyment of letter writing and to help strengthen the bonds of international friendship-one of the basic missions of the UPU.

For the year 2013, the International Bureau of the UPU selected the following as the theme/subject of the letter writing competition.

Theme: "Write a letter about why water is precious".

2. The following conditions are mandatory for participants in this competition:

- Participating boys/girls (students) must be permanent citizens of Bangladesh.
- His/her age (as on 30-4-2013) must not exceed 15 (fifteen) years.
- The certificates confirming the citizenship and age of participant attested by his/her head of the educational institution must accompany the letter. The certificates must bear the name of the participant along with names of parents, school, class, date of birth, and permanent address.
- 5 (five) copies of recent passport size photograph (good quality digital photo) to be attached.
- The letter must not exceed the limit of 800 words and the number of words written should be mentioned.
- The writing must be in the form of a letter and contain the elements of a letter (place and date, addressee's address, opening and closing salutation & signature). Writing in any other form will lead to its outright cancellation.
- The letter submitted must be recent, unpublished letters. It must be computer-composed in English.
- When writing one side of a paper (A4) should be used. Writing on both sides of a paper will not be accepted.
- Each participant is required to write in English his/her own name, class, name of educational institution, address and names of parents along with the full address of residence and telephone/mobile numbers (if any) at the end of the letter.
- Further information on this may be collected from www.upu.int/en/the-upu/international-letter-writing-competition-for-young-people.html.
- Children or wards of any officer/employee serving with the Bangladesh Post Office will not be eligible for this competition.
- The complete letter must reach the following address through the registered/GEP service offered by the Bangladesh Post Office, no later than 05 March, 2013 A.D.

Md. Faizul Azim
Director (UPUA)
Directorate of Post,
Dak Bhaban (Room-319), Dhaka-1000.

Any letter received after the abovementioned deadline and sent through any service other than the registered/GEP of the Bangladesh Post Office will not be considered as an entry to this competition.

The words "42nd International Letter-Writing Competition for Young People (2013)" should be written on top of the envelope.

Awarding in this competition will be at two levels: at the national level in Bangladesh, and at the international level.

Awarding at the national level in Bangladesh:

The winners at the national level in Bangladesh will receive the following prizes:

(I) **First prize:** Prize bond worth taka 5000/- (five thousand), an album of postage stamp, and a certificate.

(II) **Second prize:** Prize bond worth taka 4000/- (four thousand), an album of postage stamp, and a certificate.

(III) **Third prize:** Prize bond worth taka 3000/- (three thousand), an album of postage stamp, and a certificate.

Awarding at the international level:

The winners at the international level will receive the following prizes:

(I) **First prize:** Gold Medal, a certificate and other prizes. The gold medalist will also receive a trip to Berne, Switzerland, to receive prize at the International Bureau of the UPU.

(II) **Second prize:** Silver Medal, a certificate and other prizes.

(III) **Third prize:** Bronze Medal, a certificate and other prizes.

Only the letter of the participant securing the first place at the national level competition will be forwarded to the UPU International Bureau (Berne, Switzerland), to be included in the competition at the international level. All submissions to the UPU become the property of the Universal Postal Union.

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BCL protests principal's transfer, locks college gate

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Dinajpur

Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL) activists yesterday locked the main entrance to Dinajpur Government College protesting transfer of the college principal.

Prof Ahmed Hossain joined the college as principal on March 11, 2011. The education ministry on January 30 transferred him to Thakurgaon Government College as the chairman of Bangla department.

Though the ministry

asked Prof Ahmed Hossain to take over the charge by 4:00pm yesterday, he did not join the college as of filing of this report at 5:00pm.

Prof Md Mokarram Hossain, chairman of Bangla department of Kustia Government College, has been made the principal of Dinajpur Government College. He is supposed to join the college today.

Demanding cancellation of the transfer order of the "principal of their choice," the BCL activists also locked the office room of the princi-

pal so that the new one cannot join the college.

The BCL men threatened to continue their agitation until the transfer order of Prof Ahmed Hossain was withdrawn.

Contacted, Prof Hossain said he will comply with the ministry's order and join Thakurgaon Government College soon. Newly appointed principal Mokarram Hossain could not be contacted for his comment about the present situation on Dinajpur college campus.



Members of World Tour team have a walk in Rangamati town yesterday, after arriving there from Cox's Bazar. The team members from Germany, Italy and Switzerland are on a 700-day tour across the world, campaigning for peace and pollution free environment.

BAU incident: One of two probe bodies fails again

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh

One of the two probe committees, formed to investigate last month's violence at Bangladesh Agricultural University (BAU), missed its deadline to submit reports for the second time yesterday.

The violence that took place between two factions of BAU Chhatra League on the campus left Rabbi, a 10-year-old madrasa student dead on January 19.

As the death news spread, angry mob of

nearby villages vandalised five student dormitories. The authorities then shut down the university for an indefinite period.

The day after the mayhem, the probe bodies were formed and asked to submit reports on January 23.

But on January 23, they sought seven more working days to submit reports as the students, who are the key part of the investigation, were 'not available due to the closure of the university'.

However, over 30 people, including teachers, employ-

ees and residents of nearby Boira village and eyewitnesses to the violence were interviewed, said Prof Mustafizur Rahman, head of a committee.

Regarding the missing of deadline to submit the reports yesterday, Rahman showed the same old reason.

He however hoped that the probe report would be complete after reopening of the university.

Another committee headed by Prof ATM Ziauddin said they already submitted report on Thursday.

Office of the Director, Planning & Development Islamic University, Kushtia Invitation for Tenders (OTM)

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

1.	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Education.
2.	Agency	Islamic University.
3.	Procuring entity name	Planning & Development Department, Islamic University, Kushtia.
4.	Procuring entity code	Not used at present.
5.	Procuring entity district	Kushtia-Jhenidah.
6.	Invitation for tender	Procurement of Scientific Lab Equipment & Computer.
7.	Invitation Reference No.	P&D/IU/280/2013-1

KEY INFORMATION

8.	Procuring method	Open Tendering Method (OTM).
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FUNDING INFORMATION

9.	Budget and source of funds	GOB
10.	Development partners	None.

PARTICULAR INFORMATION

11.	Project code	-
12.	Project name	Project for Procurement of Scientific Equipment for Improvement of Educational Facilities in the Public University of Bangladesh.
13.	Tender package No.	Package No. 4 (with 10 lots).
14.	Tender package name	Procurement of Scientific Lab Equipment & Computer.
15.	Tender publication date	29/01/2013-04/02/2013.
16.	Tender last selling date	28/02/2013
17.	Tender closing date and time	12.00 noon date: 02/03/2013.
18.	Tender opening date and time	11.00am date: 03/03/2013.
19.	Name and address of the offices selling tender document	i. Agrani Bank Ltd, Islamic University Branch, Kushtia. ii. Agrani Bank Ltd, Thanapara Branch, Kushtia. iii. Agrani Bank Ltd, New Market Branch, Dhaka.
	Receiving tender document	a. Office of the Registrar, Islamic University, Kushtia. b. Office of the Superintendent of Police, Kushtia. c. Islamic University Rest House, Road No. 5, House No. 3, Kallanpur, Dhaka.
	Opening tender document	Office of the Chief Engineer, Islamic University, Kushtia.
20.	Pre-tender meeting	No pre-tender meeting will be held.

INFORMATION FOR TENDERER

21.	Eligibility of tenderer	Tenderer must meet the following qualifying and other eligibility criteria: a) The tenderer shall have a minimum 5 years of overall experience in the supply of goods and related services. b) The tenderer shall have a minimum 5 years of specific experience in the supply of similar goods and related services. c) The minimum production capacity or availability of equipment is are: Tk 25,00,000/- d) The minimum supply value of goods under a single contract in the last five years is Tk 50,00,000/- e) The minimum amount of liquid asset or working capital or credit facility is Tk. 25,00,000/- f) Current year trade license. g) Up-to-date Income Tax clearance certificate (2011-2012 tax years). h) VAT registration certificate.
22.	Brief description of goods or work	Procurement of Scientific Lab Equipment & Computer.
23.	Price of tender document (non-refundable)	Each lot Tk. 500/= (five hundred) only.

Package No.	Lot No.	Identification of lot	Location	Tender security amount (Tk)	Completion time in weeks/ months
1.	1.a	Equipment for the Department of Applied Physics, Electronics and Communication Engineering	Islamic University	5,000/-	2 (two) months
	1.b	Equipment for the Dept. of Computer Science and Engineering	Islamic University	11,000/-	2 (two) months
	1.c	Equipment for the Department of Information and Communication Engineering	Islamic University	9,000/-	2 (two) months
2.	2.a	Equipment for the Department of Applied Nutrition & Food Technology	Islamic University	11,000/-	2 (two) months
	2.b	Equipment for the Department of Biotechnology and Genetic Engineering	Islamic University	6,000/-	2 (two) months
	2.c	Equipment for the Department of Mathematics	Islamic University	9,000/-	2 (two) months
3.	3.a	Equipment for the Department of Accounting & Information Systems	Islamic University	7,000/-	2 (two) months
	3.b	Equipment for the Department of Management	Islamic University	4,000/=	2 (two) months
4.	4.a	Equipment for the Medical Center	Islamic University	18,000/-	2 (two) months
	4.b	Equipment for the Computer Center	Islamic University	5,000/-	2 (two) months

PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS

24.	Name of official inviting tender	Noor Mohammad.
25.	Designation of official inviting tender	Deputy-Director, Planning & Development.
26.	Address of official inviting tender	Office of the Planning & Development, Islamic University, Kushtia.
27.	Contact details of official inviting tender	Telephone: Office-071-62201-6, 62005 & 62008 Extn-2415
28.	Special instruction	University authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Note: No tender documents will be sold on the opening date of the tender. If the office remains closed on the scheduled date for any unavoidable circumstances, the tender will be received at the same time on the next working day and opened accordingly.

Deputy-Director
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