

Bangladesh urges Saudi Arabia to join UN Security Council

DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT

Bangladesh yesterday urged Saudi Arabia to join the UN Security Council to promote and protect the interest of humanity and that of the Muslim Ummah.

The call was made following a decision of the Saudi government on October 21 to reject its newly elected position in the UN Security Council for the term 2014-15.

Taking note of the decision of Saudi Arabia, the foreign ministry in a statement yesterday said Bangladesh said it fully appreciates the compulsion that led to Saudi Arabia's decision to reject a seat in the Security Council which is in need of effective reforms on the basis of a broad based consensus.

Respecting the decision of Saudi Arabia, the statement said Bangladesh believes that Saudi Arabia's presence in and engagement with the UN Security Council would help make effective progress towards a peaceful resolution to the crisis in Syria and on the question of Palestine.

As a close friend and a member of the Ummah, "Bangladesh encourages Saudi Arabia, leader of the Muslim Ummah, to join the UN Security Council to promote and protect the interest of humanity at large, and that of the Ummah in particular, in this important global forum."

18-party

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Fakhrul, who held the briefing on behalf of the opposition alliance, claimed since October 25, 18 leaders and activists of the alliance were killed and 7,052 injured.

He said the government cannot resolve the ongoing crisis through killing opposition men.



Bangladesh Mukti Joddha Mohajote forms a human chain in front of Jatiya Press Club in the capital yesterday demanding immediate execution of the verdicts in war crimes cases.

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Hartals aimed

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downs, he said, addressing a memorial discussion organised by Bangladesh Jubo Moitree at Liberation War Museum in the capital.

The meeting commemorated Rasel Ahmed Khan, a leader of Jubo Moitree, youth wing of Bangladesher Workers' Party, who was allegedly killed by BNP-Jamaat activists on October 28, 2006.

"The moment Jamaat started politics in Bangladesh, they started killing people. Their killing started in 1979 when they began to organise as a party, and the list of victims grows every day," said Shahriar, also executive

president of anti-war criminal forum Ekattorer Ghatok Dalal Nirmul Committee.

"We must keep vigil to make sure that no other deaths occur in the hands of Jamaat-Shibir," he said.

Condemning the recent attacks on important institutions of the state during hartal, Workers' Party lawmaker Fazle Hossain Badsha said it seemed as if the BNP were at war against the state. "We must occupy the streets to resist the anti-liberation forces," he added.

The discussion was presided over by Jubo Moitree President Mustafa Alamgir Ratan.

Indian envoy

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general election in Bangladesh.

The source said Pankaj Saran told Hasina that India looked forward to peace and stability in Bangladesh as well as a free, fair and peaceful election for continuation of the democratic process.

Tariq A Karim is now in

Dhaka for briefing the prime minister about the Indian government's views on Bangladesh's current situation.

Foreign ministry sources said Tariq went to the ministry yesterday, but they had no idea about his engagement in Dhaka.

Inu cautions Khaleda

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future would speak about it but the election schedule would be announced and the vote would take place as per the constitution.

The 10th parliamentary election is due before January 24.

Inu said he was concerned about the bomb attacks, arsons and violence by BNP-Jamaat but claimed that the law enforcement

agencies were tackling that with patience.

Condemning attacks on the media persons during the 60-hour hartal, which ended at 6:00pm yesterday, he urged Khaleda to shun the path of violence and join dialogue with an open mind.

S e p a r a t e l y , Communications Minister Obaidul Quader yesterday said violence and dialogue

could not happen at the same time.

Talking to journalists at his office, he said the door for dialogue was open but the opposition had to come with an open mind and without any precondition.

The presidium member of the ruling Awami League also said, "Sly hunters were now trying to fish in troubled waters."

Mozena to brief Washington

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Department officials and apprised them of Indian government's views on Bangladesh's political crisis over an interim administration to oversee the elections due before January 24.

Mozena is expected to return to Dhaka in less than two weeks with necessary directives from Washington, added the sources.

The US envoy met Indian

High Commissioner in Dhaka Pankaj Saran on October 22 before flying to New Delhi the next day. After returning to Dhaka on October 26, the two met again on Monday where Mozena reiterated US' position on a meaningful and constructive dialogue between the Awami League and the BNP.

Highly placed sources said though both the US and India had common interests

about Bangladesh on vital issues like counterterrorism, curbing militancy, connectivity and energy cooperation, India had more interests in Bangladesh as the two neighbours shared over 4,000 kilometres of land border.

The US and India, however, are unanimous about establishing peace and stability as well as holding of a free, fair, credible and participatory election in Bangladesh.

RMG workers

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Following them, workers of nine other nearby factories, including Tropical Sweater Ltd, Ahsan Composite Mills Ltd, Echotex Ltd, Divine Knitwear Ltd, Far East Sweater Ltd and Apex Holdings Ltd, also vandalised their factories for few minutes and then joined the demonstration on the road.

Police dispersed the demonstrators using a water canon.

EC to finalise

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Meanwhile, the schedule of the upcoming parliamentary election, which is due before January 24, will be declared 40 to 50 days prior to the polls, he said replying to another query.

Tribunal orders defence

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be prejudiced against the defence, he said, adding that for justice's sake, the tribunal should adjourn the proceedings.

Prosecutor Mohammad Ali opposed the petition.

The tribunal, in its order, mentioned that defence counsel Mizanul Islam was offered police protection due to hartal yesterday but the defence counsel rejected the offer.

The tribunal further said in accordance with an earlier order, it was inclined to reject the adjournment petition, but for the sake of justice another opportunity

was given to the defence to examine their witness.

Earlier on October 28, the tribunal said it would close recording defence witnesses' testimony, if defence lawyers do not show up before the court tomorrow (October 29).

Jamaat-e-Islami Ameer Nizami was shown arrested on August 2, 2010, in connection with war crimes charges.

Nizami is facing 16 war crimes charges for his alleged involvement in the crimes committed against humanity during the Liberation War in 1971.

Ruet registrar removed

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teachers and staff through illegal means."

Confirming that no syndicate was held in this regard, Shahiduzzaman, a

syndicate member and professor of electrical and electronic engineering, said the VC could have the removal order endorsed in the next meeting.

এসেনসিয়াল ড্রাগস কোম্পানী লিমিটেড

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TENDER NOTICE

Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (BDRCS) invites sealed quotations from bona-fide supplier/authorized dealers/ manufacturer for the supply of 0.46 mm Colour Coated Corrugated Galvanized Iron Roofing Sheet (Bangladesh made) and 2mm Translation Sheet (Fiber Glass Corrugated Sheet). Detailed specification are available in the tender document.

Supply will be received at BDRCS Warehouse located in East Patenga, Chittagong.

"Request for Quotation(RFQ)" containing invitation to tender, detailed terms, conditions and specifications, bill of quantity (BoQ), etc. for the suppliers can be collected from BDRCS Accounts Department at 684-686, Red Crescent Sarak, Bara Maghbazar, Dhaka between 1000 hrs. to 1600 hrs. on working days until 11 November 2013 on payment of non-refundable fee of BDT 1000/- by cash in favour of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society. A Pre-Tender meeting for the suppliers will be held on 06 November 2013 at 1130 hrs in BDRCS Conference room at Dhaka. All prospective bidders are requested to attend this meeting.

Tenders should be received at the BDRCS Accounts Department at 684-686, Red Crescent Sarak, Bara Maghbazar, Dhaka during working days between 1000 hrs. to 1400 hrs. on 12 November 2013 (Fridays, Saturdays and Public Holidays closed) and will be opened at 1500 hrs on the same date in presence of bidders who wish to remain present.

The offers must be accompanied by Earnest Money (refundable) equivalent to 2.5% of the quoted amount in the form pay order from a scheduled bank in favour of 'Bangladesh Red Crescent Society'.

The BDRCS reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the offers without assigning any reason whatsoever and is not bound to accept the lowest bid.

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Tender document containing invitation to tender, instructions to bidders, drawing/designs, technical specifications, bill of quantity (BoQ), location details, general and special conditions of the contract, etc. for the contractors can be collected from BDRCS Accounts Department at 684-686, Red Crescent Sarak, Bara Maghbazar, Dhaka between 1000 hrs. to 1600 hrs. on working days until 13 November 2013 on payment of non-refundable fee of BDT 1000/- by cash in favour of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society. Interested bidder are requested to submit an application in their company letter head pad while collecting the tender document. Bidder must quote for the all items mentioned in the BoQ, as per terms and conditions laid down in the tender documents. A pre-tender meeting for the contractors will be held on 07 November 2013 at 1130 hrs in BDRCS conference room at Dhaka. All prospective bidders are requested to attend this meeting.

The sealed offers will be received at the BDRCS Accounts Department at 684-686, Red Crescent Sarak, Bara Maghbazar, Dhaka during working days between 1000 hrs. to 1400 hrs. on 17 November 2013 (Fridays, Saturdays and Public Holidays closed) and will be opened at 1500 hrs on the same date in presence of bidders who wish to remain present.

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Japanese ambassador calls on Khaleda

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Japanese ambassador in Dhaka Shiro Sadoshima last night called on BNP Chairperson Khaleda Zia at the latter's Gulshan office.

The two leaders exchanged views on their mutual interests centring regional and international affairs during the meeting for nearly 40 minutes.

The Japanese ambassador expressed his country's firm determination to cooperate Bangladesh in various development sectors, the meeting sources said.

BNP Vice Chairman Shamsher Mobin Chowdhury and Khaleda Zia's adviser Reaz Rahman were, among others, present on the occasion.

Joy sees no possibility

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kill Awami League activists, minorities, civil society members, and progressive intellectuals, he added.

About an Indian newspaper's report that BNP chairperson Khaleda Zia's son Tarique Rahman had connection with Pakistan's Inter-Services Intelligence (ISI), Joy said, "This is not surprising. There were news reports in the past that he (Tarique) had links with terrorist like Dawood Ibrahim."

Replying to another

query, he said, "I don't have any plan to run in this election. If I contest, I will not be able to give time to my party. If the AL is voted to power, I will think about it next time."

Joy, who is a US-educated software engineer, criticised a recent survey of the Bangla daily Prothom Alo, which shows that the BNP was ahead of the AL in terms of public opinions. "I think the findings are not correct. The survey was methodologically flawed," he added.

EC wants

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equipment that have already been sent to the field offices.

There are 512 offices at upazila and thana level, 64 at district level, and 10 regional offices across the country.

Meanwhile, the EC has asked its field offices to keep voter migration activities suspended from November 15 until holding of the next general election due before January 24, said EC officials.

1.5 lakh prepaid

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Sector Investment Programmes" would be implemented in line with the government's 10-year National Education Policy (July 2013-December 2023).

The planning ministry statement said, under the project, various activities, including management efficiency improvement, curriculum review, infrastructural development, ICT based teaching and learning for poor and underprivileged students' stipend programme had

been taken.

Besides, local and overseas training programme for government and non-government teachers, trainers and educational administrative officials has also been included in the project.

Asian Development Bank (ADB) will provide Tk 720 crore for the four-year project scheduled to be commenced from January 2014.

The Ecneec also gave a nod to 15 projects involving a cost of Tk 4,253 crore.

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ক। প্রার্থীর যোগ্যতাঃ

- প্রার্থীকে এসএসসি এবং এইচএসসি/সমমানের পরীক্ষায় জীববিদ্যাসহ বিজ্ঞান বিভাগ থেকে ন্যূনতম মোট জিপিএ ৬.০০ থাকতে হবে। কোন অবস্থাতেই এসএসসি অথবা এইচএসসি বা সমমানের পরীক্ষায় জিপিএ ২.৫০ এর নীচে গ্রহণযোগ্য হবে না।
- ২০১১, ২০১২ ও ২০১৩ সালে উত্তীর্ণ এইচএসসি বা সমমানের প্রার্থীরাই কেবলমাত্র আবেদন করতে পারবে।

খ। ভর্তির শর্তাবলীঃ

- প্রার্থীকে বাংলাদেশের স্থায়ী নাগরিক হতে হবে।
- প্রার্থীকে অবশ্যই অবিবাচিত এবং সুস্বাস্থ্যের অধিকারী হতে হবে।
- আবেদনপত্র জমা দেওয়ার শেষ তারিখে আবেদনকারীর বয়স অনূর্ধ্ব ২২ বৎসর হতে হবে। এফিডেভিট গ্রহণযোগ্য নয়।
- মৌখিক পরীক্ষাসহ এসএসসি এবং এইচএসসি বা সমমানের পরীক্ষার ফলাফলের ভিত্তিতে প্রার্থী নির্বাচন করা হবে।
- উত্তীর্ণ প্রার্থীদের মূল সনদপত্র ও মার্কসিট ভর্তির সময় জমা দিতে হবে এবং কোর্স চলাকালীন সময়ে কলেজ অফিসে সংরক্ষিত থাকবে।
- ছাত্রীদের আবাসিক সু-ব্যবস্থা আছে। কোর্স ফি কিস্তিতে পরিশোধযোগ্য।
- কোর্স চলাকালীন সময়ে অন্য কোন শিক্ষা প্রতিষ্ঠানে অধ্যয়ন করা যাবে না।

গ। আবেদন ফরম সংগ্রহ ও জমা দেওয়ার নিয়মাবলীঃ

- ভর্তির আবেদন ফরম এবং ভর্তি বিজ্ঞপ্তি Website বারডেম নার্সিং কলেজের www.bnc-bd.org, Website বারডেম জেনারেল হাসপাতাল www.birdem-bd.org, Website বাংলাদেশ ডায়াবেটিক সমিতি ঢাকা www.dab-bd.org থেকে ডাউনলোড করে সংগ্রহ করা যাবে।
- "বারডেম নার্সিং কলেজ" এর নামে ৫০০ (পাঁচশত) টাকার অফেরতযোগ্য ব্যাংক ড্রফট/পে-অর্ডারের মূল কপি সহ পূরণকৃত আবেদন ফরম অধ্যক্ষ, বারডেম নার্সিং কলেজ, ১২২, কাজী নজরুল ইসলাম এভিনিউ, শাহবাগ, ঢাকা-১০০০ তিকানায় পাঠাতে হবে।
- এছাড়া অফেরতযোগ্য নগদ ৫০০ (পাঁচশত) টাকা বারডেমের যে কোন ক্যাশ কাউন্টারে জমাদান সাপেক্ষে পূরণকৃত আবেদন ফরমের সঙ্গে মানি রিসিট (হাসপাতাল কপি) যুক্ত করে আবেদন ফরম ২০৮নং কক্ষের সামনে রক্ষিত বক্সে জমা দেয়া যাবে।
- বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রকাশের তারিখ হইতে অফিস চলাকালীন সময়ে (সকাল ৮ঃ০০ থেকে ১ঃ৩০ পর্যন্ত) ভর্তির আবেদন ফরম বারডেম এর মেইন গেইটে রিসিপন কাউন্টার হতে সংগ্রহ করা যাবে এবং ৩০ নভেম্বর ২০১৩ তারিখে বেলা ২ ঘটিকার মধ্যে জমা দিতে হবে।
- প্রার্থীকে এসএসসি ও এইচএসসি/সমমানের পরীক্ষার একাডেমিক ট্রান্সক্রিপ্ট, সনদপত্র ও প্রশংসাপত্রের সত্যায়িত ফটোকপি, নাগরিকত্ব সনদপত্রের মূলকপি, সদ্যতোলা পাসপোর্ট সাইজের সত্যায়িত রপ্তান ছবি ৬(কপি) আবেদনপত্রের সঙ্গে জমা দিতে হবে।
- ভর্তি সংক্রান্ত তথ্য প্রসঙ্গপত্রসহ বর্ণিত আছে। এতদসংক্রান্ত সকল তথ্য উল্লিখিত Website এ পাওয়া যাবে এবং বিশেষ প্রয়োজনে কলেজের অধ্যক্ষের দপ্তর হতে অফিস চলাকালীন সময়ে জানা যাবে। মৌখিক পরীক্ষার সময় সকল সনদপত্রের মূলকপি সঙ্গে আনতে হবে।
- ভর্তি সংক্রান্ত বিষয়ে ভর্তি কমিটির সিদ্ধান্তই চূড়ান্ত বলে বিবেচিত হবে।

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