

POST-EID MOVEMENT
Khaleda warns
 govt against
 any obstacle
*Gives Tk 21 lakh to
 families of murdered,
 abducted party men*
STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The BNP-led alliance will give a fitting reply, if the government creates any obstacles to their anti-government movement after Eid, BNP Chairperson Khaleda Zia warned yesterday.

"BNP's post-Eid movement will be peaceful. If police try to obstruct the agitation with arms, they will give a tough reply," she told an iftar programme of BNP's Dhaka city unit at the parliament compound.

Referring to the BNP alliance's movement centring on the January 5 polls, Khaleda said the leaders and activists of the

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EID HOME RUSH Special private launch services from July 24

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Private launch operators will start special Eid services on July 24.

Sixteen new launches will be added to the fleet of around 159, said launch operators at a meeting with the representatives of Bangladesh Inland Water Transport Authority (BIWTA), the Department of Shipping, law enforcement agencies and district administrations at the BIWTA office in the capital yesterday.

"We have decided to give a 10 percent discount on deck fare to the passengers during the festival," said Mahbub Uddin Ahmed Bir Bikram, chairman of Bangladesh Inland Waterways (passenger carrier's) Association.

They did not announce any date for selling cabin tickets formally. The BIWTA will take necessary steps to ensure keeping sufficient numbers of life ring buoys in vessels and lifejackets in speedboats.

However, the launch owners are yet to take extra cautionary measures though the upcoming Eid rush will happen

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HC grants bail to BDR carnage convict

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The High Court yesterday granted bail to a convict in the BDR carnage case.

The HC granted one year's bail to Sarwar Hossain, a former Ansar member who was sentenced to three years' imprisonment, after hearing an appeal filed by him seeking bail in the case.

This is for the first time, a convict in the BDR carnage case got bail from the HC, Shameem Sardar, a defence lawyer, told The Daily Star.

He said the law enforcers arrested Sarwar in Chuadanga on April 5, 2009 with a mobile phone, which was used by Maj Saleh who was killed in the BDR mutiny. Sarwar's brother-in-law BDR sepoy Touhid had given the phone set to

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HC wants documents on Nizam Hazari's bail to examine legality

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The High Court yesterday asked for relevant documents regarding two appeals of ruling Awami League lawmaker Nizam Uddin Hazari in an arms case in order to examine whether the process of his getting bail was legal.

The Supreme Court registrar has been asked to produce before the HC by August 31 the records of the appeals challenging a lower court verdict that sentenced him to 10 years' imprisonment and seeking bail.

An HC bench passed the order during hearing a writ petition that claimed Nizam had committed forgery to get out of jail early and to contest in the

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To Know is to Prevent

Don't keep your dream child in the heaven any longer!

Today Ramisa turned one. Guests who have come to attend Ramisa's birthday are hugging and cuddling her, taking photos with her. Standing nearby greeting the guests is Fariya Faisal, mother of Ramisa. This colorful day, this music, fun and joy, all seem like a dream to Fariya. For this day, Fariya and her husband Faisal had to wait for long eight years. To conceive a baby they visited so many doctors, went abroad for treatment, even went to holy shrines; all these with no result!

A close friend suggested seeing a local renowned Infertility Specialist in an International Standard Tertiary Care hospital. Fariya and Faisal realized they should have come for treatment here much earlier. Best part was the doctor was very understanding and empathetic while he was explaining about the male and female reasons for not having a baby.

If any of the following conditions applies to any married female, she should seek help as soon as she notices that she is having difficulty conceiving:

- Irregular menstrual cycles
- Long, heavy or painful periods
- Having had gynecologic surgery
- History of pelvic infection or endometriosis

The doctor also said, a married female should seek help if she is:

- Under the age of 35 and she has been trying for one year.
- Between the age of 35-40 and has been trying for six months.
- Over the age of 40 – then she should see an Infertility Specialist without delay.

Further, if a woman is not having trouble conceiving, but has experienced two or more miscarriages, it is recommended that she seeks a diagnosis and treatment from a fertility specialist before attempting another pregnancy.

While regularly attending the Infertility Clinic in this hospital with International Accreditation, Fariya realized, as infertility management requires long treatment time, how beneficial it is to have it in your own country, not to mention the huge cost adding to the uncertainty in a foreign land! Fariya also felt the necessity of this treatment to be done in a centre where all sophisticated lab tests, freezing facility for preservation of gonads & embryos are available 24/7. She was amazed at the uninterrupted power supply system of the hospital which is essential to maintain quality of the preserved cells; who doesn't know what a big challenge it is in a developing country like ours!

* Name disguised to protect identity

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Fariya could see many couples in the hospital who wanted to keep the treatment process very private; hence she found the hospital to be commendable as it was a hospital with International Accreditation which maintained patients' confidentiality with paramount importance.

In the long eighteen months journey to conceive Ramisa, the hospital stood by Fariya and Faisal in every step, the doctor giving them confidence and hope all the way. So here they are, holding Ramisa tight, blowing candles and cutting the cake on her first birthday!

This is not the story of only Fariya and Faisal. Many couples do not know that there is right treatment available for infertility; some take it as God's will, while some blame it on the wife. For infertility treatment you need an Infertility Centre in a hospital which has skilled and experienced infertility specialists, high tech infertility lab and a system which ensures patient confidentiality; all these are available in your own country in a tertiary care hospital with International Accreditation; where the required long duration infertility treatment is possible at a much lower cost than hospitals abroad!



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