

GRAFT CASES SC adjourns hearing Khaleda's petitions

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The Supreme Court yesterday adjourned till July 24 hearing of two petitions filed by BNP Chairperson Khaleda Zia seeking stay on a High Court verdict that rejected her two writ petitions challenging the appointment of a judge who indicted her in two corruption cases.

Bashudev Roy, judge of the Special Judge's Court-3 of Dhaka, on March 19 framed charges against Khaleda, her son Tarique Rahman and seven others in Zia Orphanage Trust and Zia Charitable Trust corruption cases filed by the Anti Corruption Commission.

Yesterday, a five-member bench of Appellate Division of the SC headed by Chief Justice Md Muzammel Hossain passed the adjournment order after Khaleda's lawyer AJ Mohammad Ali moved a time prayer before it.

The lawyer said they have not got the certified copy of the HC verdict that on June 19 rejected two writ petitions filed by Khaleda challenging the appointment of judge Bashudev Roy.

ACC lawyer Khurshid Alam Khan opposed the time prayer of Mohammad Ali and said Khaleda Zia's lawyers have got adjournment orders for 32 times from the lower court in proceeding of the two cases on the ground that the matters are pending with the apex court.

If any further delay takes place in proceeding with the cases, a bad conception will be created among the people about the ACC, Khurshid told the court.

Mohammad Ali told the court that it should not care for such conception mentioned by the ACC lawyer.

Then, Justice AHM Shamsuddin Chowdhury Manik, a member of the apex court bench, asked Ali not to dictate this court about taking its decision.

Khaleda's four petitions--two petitions filed against another HC verdict passed on April 23 and two revision petitions against the indictment order against her and eight others--will be heard by the SC on July 24.

Khaleda filed the four petitions with the SC on July 7.

Appeal for help

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Dilruba Sultana, has been suffering from Peritoneal fluid, cytology: metastatic adenocarcinoma, cancer, for a couple of months.

Dilruba, 45, a teacher of New Model Multilateral High School, has undergone four major surgeries and spent around Tk 10 lakh for treatment. But now, her family cannot even afford to pay the fee of chemotherapy which she needs to receive regularly.

If you wish to rekindle hope in Dilruba, please extend your help to Account Name: Dilruba Sultana, A/C no. 002052361, Sonali Bank, Gono Bhaban Branch.

You can also contact her at 01713444202 and 01195410150.



BNP Chairperson Khaleda Zia, her son Tarique Rahman, his wife Dr Zubaida Khan Rahman and daughter Zaima Zarnaz Rahman offer prayers at the grave of Prophet Muhammad (pbuh) in Medina early yesterday. The Daily Star usually refrains from publishing photos of individuals making pilgrimage, but this exception is being made because of the political significance for Bangladesh of this family reunion.

PHOTO: COURTESY

Agitation for damages

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The protesters also submitted a written letter to the expatriates' welfare minister and urged him to take action to fulfill their demand. The minister's personal assistant received the letter.

"We have been cheated by the recruiting agencies. Now, we are demanding our money back," Mozammel said.

Between January and March last year, four recruiting agencies sent a total of 27 Bangladeshis including these 19 to Iraq to work for the M Kodia Company General

Trading Company promising them lucrative salaries.

But their Iraqi employer failed to start his construction project and kept them in a camp for 10 months without any work and salary, restricting their movement.

Later, the government brought 22 workers back home in November last year and February this year.

Although two recruiting agencies compensated three workers, the remaining 19 are yet to receive any compensation.

'Victim' denies incident

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The court also exempted Imtiaz, Salauddin and Bilkis from personal appearance before it.

The court fixed September 14 for further hearing of the petition.

It asked writ petitioner's lawyer, Abdul Halim, to submit a report before it by September 14 in reply to the reports placed by police and the doctor.

Halim told The Daily Star that Parul filed the case with Mirpur Police Station

on July 2 alleging the gang rape. The girl then alleged the gang raped before the investigation officer of this case.

Sub-Inspector of Women Support and Investigation Queen Aktar on July 11 filed another case with Adabor Police Station in connection with the incident. The girl then told the investigation officer of this case that she was not gang raped, said the lawyer adding that it is difficult to examine which statement of the girl is right.

Abbas still mad

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committee and Abbas, the chief, it was decided that the body would hold its maiden meeting as well as an iftar party yesterday. "But the programme was postponed as Abbas didn't agree," a new leader of the unit told The Daily Star, seeking anonymity.

"After hectic meetings with Abbas on Sunday and yesterday, it was finalised that the new committee will sit on July 23 in our Dhaka city office to fix the next course of action," he said.

The new body will also visit party founder and former president Ziaur Rahman's grave on July 25, the BNP leader said, adding that Abbas had consented to the programmes.

The new Dhaka city unit chief has not talked to journalists about his grievances, while according to sources, some influential party leaders have advised Sohel not to open his mouth until Abbas does.

Repetitive quizzing

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of the judgements [by the tribunals]? Never.... Little flaws in the investigation in such cases will not be taken into much consideration," he said.

Monowara Begum, the investigator and the last prosecution witness in Qaisar's case, yesterday faced cross-examination for the third day, and the tribunal asked the defence lawyer, Tarafder, to complete the cross-examination by 1:00pm today.

Qaisar, the alleged founder of anti-liberation Qaisar Bahini, was a state minister of HM Ershad's regime.

Meanwhile, the tribunal completed recording the cross-examination of Md Shahidullah alias Shahid, the 21st prosecution witness in the case against Jamaat-e-Islami leader Abdus Subhan. The proceeding was adjourned till August 6.

DSCC starts database

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were not paying any taxes to the city corporation.

The new move will bring all houses to a database system, which will help the corporation earn more revenue, he said.



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Half Yearly Financial Statements (Un-audited) 2014

Statement of Financial Position (Un-Audited) As of 30 June 2014				
	CONSOLIDATED		MJLBL	
	30.06.2014 Taka	31.12.2013 Taka	30.06.2014 Taka	31.12.2013 Taka
ASSETS				
Property, Plant and Equipments	5,237,194	5,102,602	4,721,671	4,804,497
Intangible Assets	6,730	7,405	6,605	7,405
Capital Work-in Progress	3,890,541	1,412,756	134,968	100,165
Investment in Subsidiary		183,001	1,897,813	1,897,813
Investment in Bonds and Shares	70,925	76,282	70,925	76,282
Total Non-Current Assets	9,205,389	6,782,046	6,831,982	6,886,162
Inventories	1,279,704	1,495,101	1,217,529	1,495,101
Receivables	567,788	410,054	499,749	324,265
Inter Company Receivables	369,556	347,566	645,730	365,937
Advances, Deposits and Prepayments	442,424	1,861,518	159,064	248,400
Advance Income Tax	1,318,138	1,221,915	1,318,138	1,221,915
Investments in Fixed Deposits	2,822,198	1,833,902	2,388,118	1,408,903
Cash and Cash Equivalents	324,285	179,549	267,318	155,580
Total Current Assets	7,124,093	7,349,606	6,495,646	5,220,103
Total Assets	16,329,482	14,131,652	13,327,628	12,106,265
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES				
Equity				
Share Capital	2,384,732	2,384,732	2,384,732	2,384,732
Share Premium	4,074,000	4,074,000	4,074,000	4,074,000
Share Money Deposits	757,799	448,200	0,000	0,000
Retained Earnings	844,326	840,353	886,798	879,363
Total Equity	8,060,857	7,747,285	7,345,530	7,338,095
Non-controlling interest	31,846	33,065	-	-
Total Equity	8,092,703	7,780,349	7,345,530	7,338,095
Liabilities				
Deferred Tax Liabilities	409,253	327,493	409,253	327,493
Long Term Loan	1,016,460	97,812	0,000	97,813
Total Non-Current Liabilities	1,425,713	425,305	409,253	425,305
Current Portion of Long Term Loan	292,875	391,250	292,875	391,250
Short Term Loan	4,176,824	4,056,685	3,027,591	2,532,657
Bank Overdraft	95,148		95,148	
Trade Creditors	302,251	256,081	238,465	228,921
Provision for Income Tax	1,173,755	981,612	1,166,613	974,469
Subscription Money Payable	15,501	15,764	15,501	15,764
Dividend Payable	484,496	16,905	484,496	16,905
Other Liabilities	270,216	207,699	252,156	182,898
Total Current Liabilities	6,811,066	5,925,997	5,572,844	4,342,865
Total Liabilities	8,236,779	6,351,302	5,982,097	4,768,170
Total Equity and Liabilities	16,329,482	14,131,652	13,327,628	12,106,265
Net Asset Value (NAV)	33.94	32.63	30.80	30.77

Statement of Comprehensive Income (Un-Audited) For the period ended 30 June 2014					
	CONSOLIDATED		MJLBL		Apr-Jun 2013 Total
	Jan-Jun 2014 Total	Jan-Jun 2014 Total	Jan-Jun 2014 Total	Jan-Jun 2014 Total	
Revenue	4,636,388	4,617,495	4,036,844	2,438,025,941	2,020,229,317
Less: VAT	520,861	520,861	468,087	274,301,323	240,252,003
Net Revenue	4,115,527	4,096,634	3,568,757	2,163,724,618	1,779,977,314
Less: Cost of Revenue	2,998,312	2,998,312	2,869,929	1,577,594,252	1,423,592,686
Gross profit	1,117,215	1,098,322	698,828	586,130,366	356,384,629
Add: Other income	119,974	62,627	133,687	33,291,471	53,960,681
	1,237,190	1,160,950	832,515	619,421,837	410,345,310
Less: Administrative and selling expenses	263,448	182,877	179,275	93,997,133	90,371,602
Financial charges	100,901	100,551	124,130	44,699,106	68,958,291
Profit before tax	364,349	283,428	303,405	138,696,239	159,329,894
Less: Provision for Income Tax	872,841	877,522	529,110	480,925,598	251,015,416
Net Profit after Tax	598,937	603,618	400,190	313,779,081	188,980,827
Non Controlling Interest (Share of operating loss)	-1,219				
Comprehensive Income attributable to Ordinary Share Holders	600,156	603,618	400,190	313,779,081	188,980,827
Earning per share (EPS) - Basic	2.52	2.53	1.68	1.32	0.79
Earning per share (EPS) - Basic-Annualized	5.03	5.06	3.36	5.26	3.17

Statement of Changes in Equity (Un-Audited) For the period ended 30 June 2014				
Particulars	Share Capital			
	Share Capital	Share Premium	Retained Earnings	Equity (Total)
Balance at 01 January 2013	2,384,732	4,074,000	793,660	7,212,392
Dividend for the year 2012	0.000		-596,183	-596,183
Other Comprehensive Income for the period	0.000		400,190	400,190
Balance at 30 June 2013	2,384,732	4,074,000	597,667	7,016,399
Balance at 01 January 2014	2,384,732	4,074,000	879,363	7,338,095
Dividend for the year 2013	0.000		-596,183	-596,183
Other Comprehensive Income for the period	0.000		603,618	603,618
Balance at 30 June 2014	2,384,732	4,074,000	886,798	7,345,530

Un-audited Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity For the period ended 30 June 2014					
Particulars	Share Capital		Non Controlling Interest	Retained Earnings	Total share holders equity
	Share Capital	Share Premium			
Balance at 01 January 2014	2,384,732	4,074,000	448,200	33,065	7,780,349
Ordinary Share Capital					0,000
Share money deposit			309,599		309,599
Dividend for the year 2013				-596,183	-596,183
Net profit after tax				600,156	598,937
Balance at 30 June 2014	2,384,732	4,074,000	757,799	31,846	8,092,703

Statement of Cash Flows (Un-Audited) For the period ended 30 June 2014			
	Consolidated	MJL BL	
	Jan-Jun 2014 Taka	Jan-Jun 2014 Taka	Jan-Jun 2013 Taka
A. Cash flows from operating activities:			
Cash received from Revenue	4,066,898	4,049,003	3,563,775
Payroll and other payments to employees	-150,740	-119,959	-137,109
Payment to Suppliers	-2,644,353	-2,535,103	-2,482,085
Payment for Admin & Selling Expenses	-178,218	-133,093	-140,376
Finance Expenses Paid	-99,849	-99,693	-121,697
Income Tax Paid	-96,223	-96,223	-95,363
Other Business Income	2,338	1,578	8,167
Net cash flow from operating activities	899,853	1,066,511	595,312
B. Cash flows from investing activities:			
Payment against Capital Work-in Progress	-1,081,005	-24,833	-48,582
Encashment of FDR & Bonds (Investment in FDR & Bonds)	-988,295	-979,215	236,296
Investment in Subsidiary	0,000	-257,803	-694,669
Investments	-16,632	-16,632	-24,701
Acquisition of fixed assets	-229,072	-8,162	0,000
Net cash flow from investing activities	-2,315,005	-1,286,644	-531,656
C. Cash flows from financing activities:			
Financial Income received	81,842	70,586	158,749
Share Capital Issued		0,000	0,000
Long Term Debt	-196,188	-196,188	-221,325
Share Premium Received	492,600		0,000
Subscription Money Paid	-0,264	-0,264	-0,829
Dividend paid	-132,346	-132,346	-105,204
Short term loan	202,636	494,934	206,388
Bank Overdraft	95,148	95,148	-81,647
Long term loan (project)	1,016,460	0,0	