## RUINING THE JOY OF JOURNEY HOME

People heading home ahead of Eid are being coerced, manhandled and dragged into buses at Sayedabad Bus Terminal in the capital yesterday. A ring of bus conductors, brokers and local thugs, paid to get passengers for buses, harasses homebound people. What is supposed to be a pleasant trip home is thus ruined.

PHOTO: ANISUR RAHMAN











## FELANI VERDICT Amnesty India goes to SC

A CORRESPONDENT, Kolkata

Indian human rights body
Amnesty India yesterday
filed a writ petition with
the country's Supreme
Court, saying human rights
were violated in Felani
murder and confusion was
created surrounding the
trial process.
"We have sent the writ

petition by post and SEE PAGE 10 COL 4

### SEHRI, IFTAR TIMINGS

Ramadan July Sehri Iftar

26	14		6-53
27	15	3-49	6-53
28	16	3-50	6-52
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# Fresh Greek deal with tough terms

Eurozone leaders agree on \$95b bailout

REUTERS, Brussels

Euro zone leaders made Greece surrender much of its sovereignty to outside supervision yesterday in return for agreeing to talks on an 86 billion euros (\$95 billion) bailout to keep the near-bankrupt country in the single currency.

The terms imposed by international lenders led by Germany in all-night talks at an emergency summit obliged leftist Prime Minister Alexis Tsipras to abandon promises of ending austerity and could fracture his government and cause an outcry in Greece.

"Clearly the Europe of austerity has won," Greece's Reform Minister George Katrougalos said.

"Either we are going to accept these draconian measures or it is the sudden death of our economy through the continuation of the closure of the banks. So it is an agreement that is practically forced upon us," he told BBC radio.

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Greece however aims to reopen its banks on Thursday, bankers said after meeting the finance minister. Facing a wave of withdrawals, the banks closed two weeks ago.

If the summit had failed, Greece would have been staring into an SEE PAGE 10 COL 4

# New move to protect govt officials

Cabinet okays draft law prohibiting arrest before charge sheet

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The government has made a move that seems designed to shield the public servants from criminal cases filed over discharge of their official duties.

It has drafted a law making it mandatory for the law enforcers to seek prior permission from the government for arresting a public servant before the charge sheet is accepted.

Presently, law enforcers can pick up any public staff before the charge sheet is filed.

The cabinet at its weekly meeting yesterday approved the draft of the law, styled SEE PAGE 10 COL 1

## Roads made of plastic bottles!

INDEPENDENT.CO.UK

Rotterdam could be the first city to build streets with plastic bottles after the city council announced it is considering piloting a new type of road surface.

Construction firm VolkerWessels revealed





## SC clears way for release

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The Supreme Court yesterday granted a six-week bail to BNP leader Mirza Fakhrul

Islam Alamgir on medical grounds, clearing the way for his release from jail.

A four-member bench of the Appellate Division headed by Chief Justice Surendra Kumar Sinha also directed Fakhrul to surrender before a lower court concerned after six weeks. In its order, the apex SEE PAGE 10 COL 1



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We deeply mourn the demise of

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CEO of PRAN-RFL GROUP

We pray to the Almighty Allah for the departed soul so that it may rest in Heaven.



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