

BANGLADESHIS KILLED IN QATAR ROAD CRASH Families want bodies back home quick

DWOHA CHOWDHURY, Sylhet

Upon entering Hasoi Miah and Mostafa Begum's house in Amorpur village of Kanaighat upazila in Sylhet, the smiling pictures of their two sons, hanging on the wall, greets the guests.

The pictures of Islam Uddin and Moin Uddin were taken couple of years back, before the brothers went to Qatar, by selling almost all of their properties, like many other fortune-seekers, in search of a better life.

The brothers worked hard and eventually were starting to put their lives in some sort of an order.

But on Tuesday, both of them died in a road crash at Dukkan, 30km away from Doha, the capital of Qatar.

The family has lost all of their wills to live and is in a constant state of despair, as the pictures are the only remnant of the two brothers now.

All they could do is to request the authorities concerned to bring their sons' bodies back.

This accident also killed Awlad Hossain and Muhib Uddin, two other migrant workers from the same upazila. The accident also left Awlad's brother Rezwanul Karim and another migrant Md Forid Uddin injured.

The families were informed about the accident by the migrants' friends and coworkers over phone calls from Qatar, said locals.

Awlad and Muhib's families have also lost their hopes of survival as they also sold almost everything to send them to Qatar. Awlad is the son of Kutub Uddin of Gordonakandi village and Muhib was from Kaptanpur village.

"We have requested the UP chairman and others to take a prompt action to bring back the bodies," said Delwar Hossain, a local school principal.

Tarek Mohammad Jakaria, UNO of Kanaighat, said, "Bringing back the bodies is the concern of the Foreign Ministry. If the locals or families appealed to the administration, we will forward a request file to the ministry."

"We are arranging a petition," said Rafiq Ahmed Chowdhury, Jhingabari union chairman.

At least eight people were going to work in a minibus when the driver lost control and went off the road on Tuesday morning.

The bodies would be sent home after completion of the official procedures, said embassy officials.



Saber Hossain Chowdhury, president of Inter-Parliamentary Union and a lawmaker, addressing the concluding session of the 10th international conference on "Community Based Adaptation" on the Independent University, Bangladesh campus in the capital's Bashundhara yesterday. More than 300 delegates from across the world attended the eight-day event jointly organised by the International Institute for Environment and Development, International Centre on Climate Change and Development at IUB, and Bangladesh Centre for Advanced Studies.

BCL infighting in Chittagong College intensifying

A faction blocks college road protesting attack by another; police indifferent

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Ctg

Some 50 activists of Bangladesh Chhatra League's (BCL) Chittagong Government College unit kept the college road blocked for nearly half an hour at Chawkbazar in Chittagong city yesterday afternoon, following a clash between two factions of BCL at the college.

The activists, who are loyal to BCL's city unit general secretary Nurul Azim Rony, alleged that the police were not taking action

Death anniversary

CITY DESK

Today is the first death anniversary of Saifuddin Quader Chowdhury, a businessman.

Born in 1951, he died of cancer in 2015. He was the chairman and managing director of QC Shipping Ltd, QC Trading Ltd, Multiport Ltd, QC Logistics Ltd and Dacca Dying Ltd.

He was the second son of speaker of the erstwhile Pakistan National Assembly AKM Fazlul Quader Chowdhury and Selima Quader Chowdhury. He was also a son-in-law of former vice-chairman of erstwhile Chittagong Port Trust AKM Fazlur Rahim Chowdhury. Saifuddin Quader established many educational institutions including Syeda Selima Quader Chowdhury Degree College in Rangunia and Fazlul Quader Chowdhury Ideal School and College in Hathazari.

Milad and doa mahfils and a Qurankhwani will be held at his grave in Gohira of Chittagong this morning. Another milad and doa mahfil will be held after the Asr prayer tomorrow at his Good's Hill residence.



Citizens' engagement in public procurement stressed in Ctg

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Ctg

Speakers at a workshop yesterday opined that citizens' engagement in public procurement would improve the quality of the works and ensure social accountability to help best use of public money.

They, however, emphasised on designing constructive mechanism in engaging citizens so that powerful persons cannot influence the procurement.

They said these at a Chittagong divisional workshop on "How to Engage Citizens and Ensure Social Accountability in Public Procurement", participated by government officials, teachers, contractors, journalists, social workers, and others.

Brac Institute of Governance and Development (BIGD), Brac University and Central Procurement Technical Unit (CPTU), IME Division of Planning Ministry jointly organised the workshop at a city hotel with Additional Deputy Commissioner Md Doulatuzzaman Khan in the chair.

Farid Uddin Ahmad Chowdhury, secretary of implementation, monitoring and evaluation division of the planning ministry, said citizens should be engaged in the purchase activities and project implementation.

Informing that 20 percent of the public purchases are currently done through online, Chowdhury said the government has plans to bring the total public procurement through electronic government procurement by this year.

CPTU Director Md Aziz Taher Khan said the government is trying to build a Third Party Monitoring (TPM) system with the help of BIGD with assistance from World Bank.

BIGD lead researcher M Mirza Hassan said currently the TPM systems are being developed at four upazilas in Sirajganja and Rangpur as pilot projects.

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World Health Organization
Country Office for Bangladesh

Request for Expression of Interest (EOI)-Call for registration of suppliers/service providers with World Health Organization Bangladesh

The World Health Organization with its constitutional mandate on international health work provides support to the Government of Bangladesh in developing and strengthening of public health systems through its Country Office in Bangladesh. In order to fulfill its mandate and achieve its vision WHO procures a significant volume of goods and services for its health programmes.

WHO Bangladesh hereby invites qualified Suppliers/Vendors in both Individual and Organization/Company capacities to submit their Expression of Interests (EOI) for providing different categories of Technical Services related to Health Programmes of WHO in Bangladesh.

Interested Suppliers/Vendors and Individual Providers can view and download the detailed Guidance Notes on Expression of Interest (EOI) and the Vendor Registration Form from <http://www.searo.who.int/bangladesh/procurement/tender/en/> and submit their Expression of Interests for one or more Major Service Categories under any of the Programme Component in the Vendor Registration Form (VRF) as per the above-referred Guidance Notes.

Deadline and Place of submission of the EOI: 14:00hrs, 17 May 2016 in the tender box of WHO Bangladesh Office, 10 United House, (Ground to 3rd Floor) Gulshan Avenue, Gulshan-1, Dhaka-1212.

The publishing of this notice is intended to register qualified suppliers/vendors interested in participating in the future works of WHO Bangladesh in various technical/programmes areas through separate procedures. Hence, this registration does not construe any commitment from WHO to any interested individual or party.

National Bank Limited
Registered Office : 18 Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka.

PRICE SENSITIVE INFORMATION

This is to notify for all concerned that the Board of Directors of our Bank in its 377th meeting held on 28th April, 2016 between 2.35 pm to 6.00 pm took the following decisions in connection with holding of 21st Extra-ordinary General Meeting for increasing the Authorized Capital, 33rd Annual General Meeting for the year ended 31st December, 2015 and purchase a floor space:-

01. Day and Date of 21 st EGM & 33 rd AGM	: Wednesday, June 29, 2016
02. Time of the 21 st EGM	: At 12.00 noon
Time of the 33 rd AGM	: At 12.15 pm
03. Venue for the 21 st EGM & 33 rd AGM	: Utshab, Radisson Blu Water Garden Hotel Airport Road, Dhaka.
04. Record date for the 21 st EGM & 33 rd AGM	: Tuesday, May 31, 2016
05. Proposed dividend for the year ended 31 st December 2015	: Stock Dividend @15% for the year 2015 (15 shares for each 100 shares)

The Board of Directors also declared the following comparative position of the Company.

	2015	2014
1. Earning Per Share (EPS) (Consol)	: Tk.2.26	Tk.1.56
2. Net Asset Value (NAV) (Consol)	: Tk.33,441,713,273.00	Tk.26,859,230,167.00
3. NAV Per Share (Consol)	: Tk.19.47	Tk.17.20
4. Net Operating Cash Flow Per Share	: Tk.9.76	Tk.(3.47)

The Shareholders whose names will appear in the Register of Members of the Bank on the Record Date shall be entitled to the dividend and to attend the AGM & EGM.

The Board also decided to increase the Authorized Capital of the Bank from Tk.1,750.00 crore to Tk.3,000.00 crore and also approved necessary amendments to relevant Clauses/Articles of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Bank subject to approval from the Regulatory Authorities and Shareholders in the Extra-Ordinary General Meeting.

The Board also decided to purchase a floor space measuring 5,457sqft. (approximately) at the 1st floor of a Platinum Green Building named CITYSCAPE Tower at 53, Gulshan Avenue at a price of Tk.55,000/- per sqft. including 03 nos car parking and undivided undemarcated proportionate land in the name of National Bank Limited subject to approval from Regulatory Authorities.

By order of the Board of Directors

M A Wadud
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Deputy Managing Director & Company Secretary

Dated : April 28, 2016