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LALMONIRHAT SADAR HOSPITAL

Healthcare limping due to shortage of doctors

S DILIP ROY, Lalmonirhat

Lalmonirhat Sadar Hospital cannot provide healthcare to the patients due to a shortage of doctors.

The 100-bed hospital is running with only one medical officer against 24 posts, five junior consultant doctors against 18 posts, and only one doctor against 26 posts for surgeons and specialists.

Centenarian Fazlur Rahman was taken back home from the hospital yesterday as he didn't get proper health care due to the lack of doctors. This elderly man from Teesta River char village Kalmati in Lalmonirhat Sadar upazila

was admitted to the hospital with bronchitis a week ago, but no doctor gave him treatment at the hospital.

"I admitted my father to the government hospital in the hope of getting proper treatment, but it was a wrong decision," said Fazlur's son Razzak Ali, 56.

Ataur Rahman, 56, a patient from Gokunda in Sadar upazila, said "Only nurses provide treatment and support, and no medical officer came to see me. I don't know how I can get treatment here."

Nili Begum, 46, wife of Noor Islam of Hiranik village under the upazila, was admitted to the hospital six days ago, but the medical

officer saw her only twice. "Now there is a common slogan in the hospital, 'no doctor, no medicine, no support,'" she said.

Masum Bakshi, 50, of Hospital Road in the town, said patients are crying out to get proper treatment from the government hospital. "The people here are poor, so most of them are dependent on the government hospital as they get treatment free of cost," he added.

Dr Azmal Haque, the lone medical officer in the hospital, said "I'm alone here, I maintain the office, I handle emergencies and I maintain outpatients treatment and admissions. Is it possible for me to do every-

thing? No, of course it is not possible."

Dr Nuruzzaman Ahmed, the superintendent of the hospital, said "I wrote several letters to the DG health, asking for doctors, but I have not received any response." He says it is imperative to post more doctors in the hospital to ensure health care service to poor people.

Dr Ahsan Ali, Lalmonirhat civil surgeon, said people are not getting proper healthcare facilities due to the lack of doctors and medical officers. "I also wrote to the DG health, asking for doctors, but I have not received any reply," he added.

53 AL men sued for vandalising UZ offices

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Gaibandha

Fifty-three leaders and activists of ruling Awami League, including Fulchhari upazila unit president GM Salim Parvez, have been sued on charge of vandalising the offices at the upazila parishad complex on June 6.

Upazila Parishad Chairman Habibur Rahman filed the case with Fulchhari Police Station on Tuesday night.

Police said several hundred supporters of GM Salim Parvez, defeated chairman candidate in Fulchhari Sadar Union, held a meeting at the upazila headquarters on June 6, demanding a recount of votes cast at two polling centres during the election on June 4.

They alleged that rebel chairman candidate Abdul Gafur Mondol won the election, casting false votes at Fulchhari Government Primary School and Fulchhari High School centres.

They demanded a second count of votes of the two centres as soon as possible. Otherwise, they threatened to launch a tougher agitation programme at the upazila headquarters.

Salim Parvez in his speech said he informed the authorities concerned about massive irregularities at the two centres, but they did not take any steps in this regard.

Later, the supporters of Salim Parvez took out a procession at the upazila town. At one stage, the processionists turned violent and vandalised the offices at the upazila complex.

Refuting the allegation, the upazila nirbahi officer (UNO) said the election to Fulchhari Sadar Union Parishad was held peacefully.

Land dispute leaves 30 injured in Sunamganj

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Moulvibazar

At least 30 people were injured, 12 by bullets, during a clash between two groups of villagers over a land dispute at Khasila village in Jagannathpur upazila of Sunamganj district on Tuesday.

Of the bullet-hit people, five were admitted to Sylhet MAG Osmani Medical College Hospital while the rest are undergoing treatment at Sunamganj Sadar Hospital.

Police quoted villagers as saying there had been a longstanding dispute between Dudu Mia and Shipon Mia of the village over the ownership of a piece of land.

After iftar on Tuesday, an altercation took place between the two over the issue, Sub-inspector Anwar Hossain of Jagannathpur Police Station said.

At one stage, the supporters of the two, equipped with sharp weapons attacked each other. They also traded gunshots during the clash that left 30 people from both sides injured.

On information, police went to the spot, dispersed the clashing groups and brought the situation under control.

Additional police have been deployed in the area to avert any further untoward incident, the SI said.

Lightning kills farmer

UNB, Sirajganj

A farmer was killed by lightning at Muradpur village in Chouhali upazila of the district on Tuesday.

The deceased was identified as Elim Mollah, 30, son of Bisha Mollah of the village.

Locals said a thunderbolt hit Elim when he was working in a cropfield around 3:00pm. He died on the spot.

BSF picks up 10 Bangladeshi fishermen from Padma

BGB arrests 11 Indian fishermen in retaliation

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Rajshahi

Border Guard Bangladesh (BGB) caught 11 Indian fishermen for illegally intruding into Bangladesh territory from the Pamda River at Charghat upazila of the district yesterday noon, hours after the Indian Border Security Force (BSF) picked up nine Bangladeshi fishermen and a minor boy, who were fishing in the Padma River near Sariakhal under the upazila, in the morning.

BSF members from Kagmari BSF camp, caught the fishermen breaking norms and took them to the Indian side at around 11:00am, Lt Col Shahjahan Siraj, director of Rajshahi BGB-1 Battalion, told this correspondent.

BGB protested the arrest

and requested BSF officials to return the fishermen.

As the Indian side did not respond, BGB members of Charghat BGB camp caught 11 Indian fishermen from the river.

"There is no border pillar in the river and the midstream is usually considered as the border. So, the fishermen of both countries often cross the border while fishing and the border guards of both sides accept it," said Lt Col Siraj.

"The BSF have broken the norms by arresting the Bangladeshis. Now if they do not return our nationals, we will not also return their nationals. If our citizens are sent to jail, we will also send their citizens to jail," he added.

The Indian fishermen

have been kept under BGB custody since their arrest, he added.

BGB officials did not disclose the names of the

fishermen of either country, but locals said all the Bangladeshi fishermen are from Miapur area of Charghat municipality.

TRADER DEBESH MURDER CASE

3 arrestees placed on 4-day remand

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Gaibandha

Three people, arrested in connection with the killing of trader Debesh Chandra Pramanik at Mohimaganj Bazar in Gobindaganj upazila on May 25, were placed on a four-day remand on Tuesday.

The arrestees are Abdullal-Masud, Atiqur Rahman Atique and Yousuf Uddin.

Judge ASM Taskinul Huque of the Chief Judicial Magistrate's Court passed the order after Sub-Inspector Mahbob Hossain, also the investigation officer of the case, produced them before the court with a 10-day remand prayer.

Police in separate drives arrested the trio from different areas adjacent to Mohimaganj Bazar.

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Amendment to the following advertisement of DPDC:

Name of the post	Date of publication	Name of the newspaper	Amendment
Assistant Engineer [Memo No: 87.404.401.07.01.001.015(01).1726; dated: 25.05.2016] and Sub-Assistant Engineer [Memo No: 87.404.401.08.01.001.2015(01).1727; dated: 25.05.2016]	26.05.2016	The Daily Jugantor, The Daily Ittefaq, The Financial Express and The New Age	The last date of submission of application for both the positions are extended till June 26, 2016
	28.05.2016	The Daily Star, The Daily Independent, The Daily Bangladesh Protidin and The Daily Amader Somoy	

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Invitation for Tenders

1	Ministry/Division	: Ministry of Housing and Public Works.
2	Agency	: Rajdhani Unnayan Karttripakkha (RAJUK).
3	Procuring entity name	: Chief Engineer (Implementation), RAJUK.
4	Procuring entity district	: Dhaka
5	Invitation for	: Tender for works.
6	Invitation reference No.	: RAJUK/Purbachal/IFT No-02/2015-16
7	Date	: 06-06-2016 (Tender notice issue date).
8	Procurement method	: Open Tendering Method (OTM).
9	Budget and source of funds	: Development Budget, RAJUK's own Fund.
10	Project name	: Purbachal New Town Project, RAJUK.
11	Tender package No.	: i) Package-30, Group-H-02 & ii) Package-31, Group-KA-01
12	Tender package name	: Land development work for remaining portion at different sector of Purbachal New Town Project.
13	Tender publication date	: 13-06-2016
14	Tender last selling date	: 13-07-2016 during bank office hours.
15	Tender closing date and time	: 14-07-2016, 12:00 noon.
16	Tender opening date and time	: 14-07-2016, 02:30pm.
17	Name and address of the office(s):	
	- Selling tender document	: Manager, Janata/Sonali/Agrani Bank, RAJUK Bhaban Branch, Dhaka.
	-Receiving tender document	: Office of the a) Chief Engineer (Implementation), RAJUK (4th Floor), RAJUK Bhaban, Dhaka-1000. b) Chief Engineer (Project & Design), RAJUK, RAJUK Annex Bhaban (4th Floor), Dhaka-1000. c) Project Director, Purbachal New Town Project, RAJUK Annex Building (7th Floor), Dhaka-1000. d) Divisional Commissioner, Dhaka, Commissioner Bhaban, Segunbagicha, Dhaka. e) Commissioner, Dhaka Metropolitan Police, DMP Headquarter, Ramna, Dhaka.
	-Opening tender document	: Office of the Chief Engineer (Project & Design), RAJUK, RAJUK Annex Bhaban (4th Floor), Dhaka-1000.
18	Eligibility of tenderer: Tenderer should be competent in terms of legal, financial and technical capacity. Tenderer must fulfill the requirements as set forth in the Tender Data Sheet (TDS) of the tender document and the undermentioned requirements:- (a) General Experience: Minimum 10 (ten) years experience in Civil Construction work. (b) Similar work experience: Land development work with earth/sand by truck or dredging or by any other means, loading and unloading at both side with following minimum costs in single contract within last 7 (seven) years. Tk. 2.00 (two) crore only For Package-30, Group-H-02 Tk. 6.00 (six) crore only For Package-31, Group-KA-01 (c) Annual turnover: Average Annual Construction Turnover with following minimum amount for the last five years. Tk. 6.00 (six) crore only Package-30, Group-H-02 Tk. 12.00 (twelve) crore only Package-31, Group-KA-01 (d) Liquid Asset: The minimum amount of liquid assets should be as specified below. Tk. 2.00 (two) crore For Package-30, Group-H-02 Tk. 3.00 (three) crore For Package-31, Group-KA-01 (e) Furnishing of any false, forged and misleading documents by tenderer shall result in rejection of his/her tender, may lead to forfeiture of tender security and action may be taken against tenderer as per PPR-2008 & PPA-2006.	
19	Brief description of works	: Land development work for remaining portion at different sectors of Purbachal New Town Project.
20	Price of the tender document	: Tk. 5,000/- (Taka five thousand) only (non-refundable) for each set tender document.
21	Identification of work	
	Package No.	Lot No. Name and location of the work Tender security amount Work completion time
	30	Group-H-02 Land development work for remaining portion at sector No-22 (part), mouza hirmal of Purbachal New Town Project Tk. 7.00 lac 06 (six) months
	31	Group-KA-01 Land development work for remaining portion at sector No-30 (part), mouza kamta of Purbachal New Town Project Tk. 20.00 lac 09 (nine) months
22	Name of the official inviting tender	: A S M Raihanul Ferdous.
23	Designation of the official inviting tender	: Chief Engineer (Implementation), RAJUK.
24	Address of the official inviting tender	: 4th Floor, RAJUK Bhaban, Dhaka-1000.
25	Contact details	: Project Director, Purbachal New Town Project, RAJUK Annex Building (7th Floor), Dhaka-1000. Phone: 9554969
26	The procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason.	

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