

HC allows Shawkat to go abroad for treatment

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The High Court yesterday allowed the BNP chairperson's adviser, Shawkat Mahmud, to go abroad for treatment for 40 days.

The bench of Justice M Enayetur Rahim and Justice JBM Hassan gave permission after hearing a petition filed by Shawkat, president of a faction of the Bangladesh Federal Union of Journalists (BFUJ).

Shawkat's lawyer M Masud Rana told The Daily Star that the HC has earlier asked his client to take permission from a proper court before going abroad on any purpose.

The HC had said this while granting bail to Shawkat in a criminal case filed against him, he said.

A Dhaka court on July 17 rejected an application filed by Shawkat seeking permission for going abroad as he did not specifically mention why he would go abroad, he added.

Shawkat Mahmud secured bail from the HC and lower courts in around 30 cases filed against him for vandalism and arson during the anti-government movement last year.

He got released from jail on June 22.



Piles of garbage occupy more than a half of the capital's Bangla Motor-Moghbar road in front of TMC building, hampering vehicular movement and contributing to environmental pollution. The photo was taken yesterday.

PHOTO: ANISUR RAHMAN

Jica chief's Dhaka visit 'postponed'

UNB, Dhaka

The planned visit of Japan International Cooperation Agency (Jica) President Shinichi Kitaoka to Bangladesh has been "postponed" as Japan wants to take more time to see "convincingly improvement" in security environment.

The Jica chief was scheduled to visit Dhaka on August 6-7 to thoroughly assess the situation on the ground after the Dhaka café tragedy and discuss future cooperation with the Bangladesh leadership.

During the visit, Kitaoka was scheduled to meet Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina, Finance Minister AMA Muhith, Foreign Minister AH Mahmood Ali and Home Minister Asaduzzaman Khan to discuss issues of mutual interest, with the security issue being on the top.

Japanese nationals who went home on vacation after July 1 attack on Holey Artisan Bakery are yet to return to Bangladesh, a diplomatic source told the news agency conveying the postponement of Jica chief's visit.

The vacation of the Japanese nationals, working in Bangladesh, has been extended twice, said the source, adding that they have been advised lately to stay back home until August 15. Seven Japanese people were killed and one was injured in the Gulshan terrorist attack on July 1.

SC clears way for railway-gate trial of Mridha

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The Supreme Court yesterday upheld a High Court verdict that directed a Chittagong court to accept the corruption allegations against railway's suspended general manager Yusuf Ali Mridha in a case filed for irregularities in recruitment process and to start his trial.

A five-member bench of the Appellate Division headed by Chief Justice Surendra Kumar Sinha dismissed an appeal filed

against the HC verdict.

The Anti Corruption Commission had dropped the name of Mridha, who was caught with Tk 70 lakh inside the Pilkhana Headquarters of the Border Guard Bangladesh in April 2012, from the charge sheet of the case.

Mridha was suspended on April 15, 2012, a week after he was caught. The money had allegedly been collected from railway job seekers.

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HSC, equivalent exam results Aug 18

UNB, Dhaka

The results of the Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC) and its equivalent examinations of 2016 will be published on August 18, Education Minister Nurul Islam Nahid told the news agency yesterday.

"The copy of the results will be handed over to Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina at Gono Bhaban at 10:00am on the day, and the results will be formally announced at a press conference later at noon," the minister said.

Over 1.2 million students under eight general education boards, Madrasah Education Board and Bangladesh Technical Education Board sat for the examinations that began on April 3.

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NEWSIN brief

JSC, JDC exams begin Nov 1

UNB, Dhaka

This year's Junior School Certificate (JSC) and Junior Dakhil Certificate (JDC) examinations will begin on November 1 across the country.

The examinations will end on November 17, Public Relations Officer of the Primary and Mass Education Ministry Rabindra Roy told the news agency yesterday.

The decision was taken at a meeting at the ministry on the day with Primary and Mass Education Secretary M Humayun Khalid in the chair, he said.

Security beefed up at Sylhet airport

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Sylhet

The authorities have beefed up security at MAG Osmani International Airport in Sylhet to avert any untoward incident following the recent terror attacks in the country.

After an anti-smuggling drive, Dr AKM Nuruzzaman, commissioner of Sylhet Customs, Excise and Vat Commissionerate, told the media about the security yesterday.

In the drive, Khairul Bashar, assistant commissioner of airport and airfreight department of the commissionerate; border guards, police and the airport authorities were present.

Ctg shipyard worker

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while working on Sunday around 3:00pm. He was declared dead at BSBA Hospital in the upazila.

"Though he was a worker of the shipyard and died in the accident there, the authorities did not take any liability. Instead, they are denying his family reparations," alleged the neighbour.

"The victim's relatives in a statement claimed that the accident occurred inside the shipyard, but the yard authorities denied their claim, saying that the accident occurred outside their yard. We have sent the body to CMCH morgue for an autopsy," said Safullah, sub-inspector of the police station, after visiting the spot. Contacted, Md Mohsin, the shipyard's director, claimed, "Salam was not a worker of their shipyard and the accident occurred outside their yard."

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- RFP/BAN/2016/015: Engaging expert for Costing of the National Adolescent Health Strategy and Action Plan, Bangladesh. Deadline for the submission of RFP: 14:00hrs, 16 August 2016

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