

Shiva, Kali statues damaged, burnt

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Criminals damaged statues of deities at two Kali temples in Lalmonirhat and Magura yesterday and the day before.

Shiva and Kali statues at Shialkhowa Sree Sree Kali Mandir at Shialkhowa village of Chalbola union in Lalmonirhat's Kaliganj upazila were vandalised and set afire early yesterday, reports our correspondent.

Five months ago, criminals vandalised another temple in the area but no action has been taken yet, said local Hindus, adding that they are in panic as criminals did the same again.

"It pains our heart to see attack on our deities," said Pushpojit Sarker, president of Shialkhowa Sree Sree Kali Mandir committee.

"We are trying to trace out and arrest the perpetrators," said Kaliganj Police Station OC Sajjad Hossain.

A Correspondent adds from Magura: A criminal vandalised a Kali idol of Ramnagar Thakur temple in Magura Sadar upazila on Tuesday.

"In the evening, my wife saw a man damaging the idol. Hearing her scream, locals rushed to the spot, caught the criminal and handed him over to police," said Utpal Chakrabarti, priest of the temple.

"Police produced the arrestee, Yasin Sheikh, 36, son of Eusuf Sheikh of Rupsha upazila in Khulna, before a court and the judge ordered sending him to jail," said Ajmal Huda, OC of Magura Sadar Police Station.



Cracks developed in a newly built U-drain that was repaired to cover up shoddy construction at former enclave Bhitorkuti in Lalmonirhat Sadar upazila. The photo was taken recently.

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Shoddy construction makes U-drains vulnerable

Former enclave people protest while LGED men indifferent

S DILIP ROY, Lalmonirhat

The cracks that developed due to use of poor quality materials during construction of twelve U-drains and a box-culvert in a former enclave were repaired hurriedly at night to cover up the shoddy construction work, locals alleged.

Local Government Engineering Department (LGED) officials said five U-drains in a package were built at a cost of Tk 4.71 lakh in former enclave Bhitorkuti under Sadar upazila.

Construction of seven other U-drains, a box-culvert and a 2.29 km road of another package will cost Tk 1.41 crore, of which the U-drains and box-culvert were constructed in the last six months in the enclave while the road is under construction.

Abdus Salem, 48, a farmer of the former enclave, said cracks developed in the newly-constructed U-drains and box-culvert as they were built using low quality materials, adding

that they would not be sustainable.

"We didn't see any LGED official while these infrastructures were being constructed," said Emdadul Haque, 40, adding that they protested the use of low quality materials but no one listened to them.

Residents of the former enclave claimed that there were irregularities and corruption in the development work, but the authorities of LGED rejected the claims.

Ayub Ali, 65, said LGED officials and the contractor are earning money through the development work. "Some U-drains were constructed without any plan, so those would not bring any benefit for the former enclave people," he said.

Shafat Ullah, 68, said, "We believe that the government sanctions fund as required for building sustainable infrastructures, but LGED officials and the contractor are allegedly doing low quality, unplanned work." "The contractor building the road is

not following the schedule," he added.

Sub-Assistant Engineer of Sadar Upazila LGED Jagobandhu Roy said he was not on the site when the U-drains and box culvert were constructed in the last six months, but he is monitoring the road construction properly.

Acting Engineer of Lalmonirhat Sadar LGED Masud Rana said he is not aware of the details of the development work in the former enclave as he is only acting engineer.

Executive Engineer of LGED in Lalmonirhat Al Amin Khan claimed the U-drains and box culvert were constructed following the schedule properly, and no irregularities or corruption were found. "I visited the sites a month back and checked whether there were any irregularities or corruption, but I didn't find any corruption," he said, adding that construction of the road is going on properly.

Mysterious death of Dubai expat

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Jhalakathi

A Dubai expatriate was found dead at his in-laws' house at Rajabaria village in Nalchity upazila yesterday.

The deceased was Abu Sayeed Khan, 35, of Purbo Ranapasha in the upazila. He came to Bangladesh from Dubai two weeks ago.

Sayeed went to his in-laws' house at Rajabaria on Tuesday evening, said his elder brother Abu Taleb Khan.

In the morning, he was found dead, Taleb said, adding that he was informed over phone from the house that his brother died of disease.

Sayeed married Hamed Shikder's daughter Sonia Begum two years ago, said family sources.

They went to the house and found that the body bore some torture marks, said the victim's brother.

Whether it is suicide or murder will be confirmed after the autopsy, said Nalchity police.

Murder accused

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Narayanganj in August 2014, on November 27 at his village home in Paschim Haguria in Natore town.

A Natore court sent him to jail after police produced him before it.

The jail authorities handed him over to the district police around 12:30pm on Tuesday to send him to Narayanganj District Jail, Faruk Ahmed, superintendent of Natore District Jail, told this newspaper.

Savar police would file a case against Shamim as he fled from police custody, and departmental action would be taken against the policemen for negligence in their duties, said Biplob Bijoy Talukdar, superintendent of Natore police.

Police would investigate how a shackled prisoner ran away from a bus, evading four members of the law enforcement agency, said AFM Anwar Hossain, an additional SP of the district police.

Meanwhile, a three-member committee, led by Anwar, has been formed to look into the incident.

Natore SB Inspector Ibrahim, however, said as the prisoner managed to flee, breaking the fetters, they would investigate if there was any negligence by the jail authorities.

"We put the fetters on him [Shamim] correctly, and police took the prisoner after checking it," said Natore Jail Super Faruk, adding, "A hammer is needed to break the lock of the fetters."

Kings set up Dynamite

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over, which began with Sabbir Hossain on strike and Rajshahi needing four to win.

Their first game of the league had ended with Mahmudullah performing last-over heroics to salvage a similar situation, but it was not to be this time as Franklin's monstrous hits sailed over long on. Sabbir ended on an unbeaten 52-ball 43 with two fours and a six while Franklin scored 30 off 24 balls with two fours to go with his match-winning six.

A circumspect approach from the Kings batsmen led to them needing 31 off the last five overs to overhaul the modest total. Franklin and Sabbir negotiated that well enough, with the only real moment of tension coming in the 19th over when Junaid Khan conceded just one run off the first three balls, but a scooped boundary over short fine leg eased the Kings' nerves.

Khulna's bowlers and fielders had their tails up when they started their defence of the below-par total. Mominul Haque was the first to depart, edging a drive off Kevon Cooper to slip in the second over.

Nurul Hasan looked promising with two boundaries in the fourth and fifth overs, but the second of those preceded his downfall when he chipped Mosharraf Hossain to midwicket to depart for 14, leaving the Kings at 34 for two in the fifth over.

Sabbir and the young and impressive Afif Hossain then put their heads down for a 33-run stand in 7.1 overs, which surprisingly the youngster dominated with a 27-ball 26 that featured three well-placed boundaries, none more impressive than a lofted four over cover after shimmying down the track against Benny Howell in the 10th over. However, he was dismissed in the 12th over when Mahmudullah dropped one short and turned it enough to hold its line and evade Afif's bat to trap him in front.

Sabbir was then on an extremely sedate 13 off 28 balls, but soon started to open his

shoulders by hitting his first boundary, a sweep past short fine leg off Naem Islam Jnr in the last ball of the 13th over. A massive six over long on off Mosharraf in the 15th over signalled his intentions to take this chase home.

Earlier, the Titans openers were under pressure from disciplined bowling and tight fielding from the start. The result was a needless run-out and a brilliant piece of fielding producing another as first both Mazid and Hasanuzzaman were stranded at the striker's end with the latter having to walk back to the hut, and then a swooping direct hit from cover fielder Mehedi Hasan Miraz saw Mazid trudging back later in the same over.

12 for two became 17 for three in the fourth over when Shuvagata Hom mishit Forhad Reza to mid-on.

With Pooran and Mahmudullah at the crease, the plan seemed to be to counterattack with Pooran taking the charge against Miraz in the off-spinner's first over by hitting two fours and a six straight down the ground.

Another six from Pooran off Afif Hossain in the first ball of the seventh over took Titans to 51 for three, but things started to go awry when the left-hander holed out to long off later in the same over for a 10-ball 22.

Benny Howell departed with a leading edge off Samit Patel, caught by Darren Sammy at cover in the 11th over, to leave the Titans on 74 for five. Eight runs later Khulna's last hope, Mahmudullah, was caught at point off a top edge for 22 in the 14th over, also off Patel, who took his third wicket when he had Cooper stumped later that over. Williams then trapped Naem in front and Mosharraf perished trying to hit a Sammy slower ball over mid off with the score reading 102 for nine in the 17th over.

But Ariful Haque, who came in at number seven, averted complete embarrassment with a 29-ball 32 and some late boundaries to take Khulna to 125 for nine. Patel was Kings' best

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Corrigendum No. 1 Dated 4th December 2016

To

IFP No. CP-05 & 06 dated 1 November 2016 of
Invitation For Prequalification Application (IFP) of
Contract NO. CP-05: "Construction of Viaducts of and Elevated
Stations (Bijoy Sarani,
Farmgate and Karwan Bazar) between Agargaon and Karwan Bazar for
MRT LINE-6"
AND/OR

Contract No. CP-06: "Construction of Viaducts and Elevated Stations
(Shahbag, TSC, Press Club and Motijheel) between Karwan Bazar and
Motijheel For MRT LINE-6"

The Prospective Applicants are hereby informed that the due date of sale/submission of Pre-Qualification documents for Contract NO. CP-05 & 06 has been extended as detailed below.

No.	Reference	Description	Revised
1.	Invitation for Prequalification (IFP), SI. NO.4	PQ documents on Sale	02 November 2016 to 15 January 2017 from 9:00 hrs. (BST) to 16:30hrs. (BST)
2.	ITA 16.1 (page 23)	Date and Time of deadline for submission of PQ Application	17th January 2017 up to 12.00hrs. (Noon) (BST)
3.	ITA 18.1 (page 23 & 24)	Date and Time of Opening of PQ Application	17th January 2017 at 12.30 hrs. (BST)
4.		Other Details	All other details published for its PQ dated 1st November 2016 remain unaltered.

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Date: 04/12/2016

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Tender ID No.	Package No.	Description of works	Online (e-GP System) tender publication date & time	Online (e-GP System) tender closing date & time
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76917	BARI/B&G/BM/JOY/100.01(92)/170 Date: 04.12.2016	Repairing of Sonali Bank Building at BARI, Gazipur	30/11/2016 10:00	19.12.2016 14.00
75950	BARI/B&G/BM/Akbarpur/156.01(07)/D ate: 04.12.2016	Supply & installation of x-former, switch gear, PFI and External Electrification of RARS, Akbarpur.	28/11/2016 10:00	13.12.2016 14.00
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 Meghna Petroleum Limited (A Subsidiary of Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation) 58-59, Agrabad Commercial Area, Chittagong		
Expression of Interest for Selection of Consulting Firm		
1.	Ministry/division	Power, Energy and Mineral Resources/Energy and Mineral Resources Division.
2.	Agency	Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation.
3.	Procuring entity name	Meghna Petroleum Limited (MPL).
4.	Procuring entity district	Chittagong, Bangladesh.
5.	Expression of interest for	Selection of Consulting Firm.
6.	EOI Ref. No. & date	PUR-053; Date: 06-12-2016
7.	Procurement method	Open Tender Method (OTM).
8.	Procurement sub method	Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) and as per method indicated in the RFP document.
9.	Budget & source of fund	MPL's own fund.
10.	Project name	Feasibility study for best utilization of MPL's land at 131, 132 & 133 Motijheel C/A, Dhaka.
11.	EOI receiving date & time	09-01-2017 on 15:00 hrs.
12.	Brief description of assignment	Meghna Petroleum Limited owns a plot of land at 131, 132 & 133 Motijheel C/A, Dhaka measuring around 22.43 (twenty-two and forty-three) Katha. Now MPL intends to appoint a consulting firm to carryout Demand Assessment Survey and best land use study of the land in order to finalise the manner in which way the land can be used to generate maximum revenue. Techno-Commercial Viability of the proposed aforesaid project shall have the following salient features: a) To carry out market survey to ascertain commercial demand in the area for the coming time of next 50 (fifty) years or more and to propose the type of construction suitable to the demand in the proposed high rise complex. b) Generate various development options/models and recommend which alternative that will be most beneficial to MPL. c) Suggestions for the most commercial viable project appropriate financing model as to whether the project is to be financed by MPL from its own resources. d) Each alternative of the proposal shall be supported by all the relevant vital details like cost of the project, time period of the completion, cash flow requirement, cost benefit ratio, the yearly profit likely profit to accrue to MPL by way of leasing out the built-up space, up-front payment with sharing of space/rental etc. e) Details of interaction with four to five renowned land development companies and business generate of the relevant field/area for assessing various parameters needed for viability of the project. f) In the City Development Plan/Area Plan/Revenue Records, the area of the compound and its usages has to be checked/arranged by the consultant. Comments on the feasibility of change of land use for the proposed scheme with likely premium to be paid to statutory authorities for the same project. g) Preparation and submission of the final report with recommendation of the most beneficial model to MPL. h) The consultant shall provide all the assistance or reply the queries which may be required till the report is finally accepted by the MPL.
13.	Qualification and experience	The applicant should have experience as below- a) The applicant should have satisfactorily completed similar works during the last 10 (ten) years ending last day of the month prior to the one in which the EOI has been invited as under: i) Two similar works each pertaining to develop of 10.00 Katha of land area in City Corporation. OR ii) One similar work pertaining to development of 15.00 Katha of land area in City Corporation. Similar work(s) shall mean providing of consultancy services for assessment of Techno-Commercial viability/feasibility and successful signing of concession agreement & appointment of developer for construction/development of Institutional/Commercial/Residential complex. b) At least one consultancy work of any type should have been executed in any Government/Semi-Government or Autonomous Organization in the last 10 years.
14.	Documents comprising the Expression of Interest (EOI)	The Expression of Interest (EOI) must comprise the following: i) Covering letter ii) Company profile iii) Experience details iv) Bank solvency certificate v) Availability of appropriate skilled staffs (list of relevant professional staff, their qualification and experience) vi) Copy of up-to-date trade licence vii) Copy of TIN certificate viii) Copy of VAT registration certificate and ix) Audit report/Turnover report etc. Only short listed consulting firm will be called to participate in the Request for Proposal (RFP).
15.	Association with foreign firm	Nil
16.	Place of receiving the EOI	Meghna Petroleum Limited, 58-59, Agrabad C/A, Chittagong.
PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS		
17.	Name of the official inviting EOI	Md. Tipu Sultan.
18.	Designation of the official inviting EOI	Assistant General Manager (Engineering).
19.	Address of the official inviting EOI	Meghna Petroleum Limited, 58-59, Agrabad C/A, Chittagong.
20.	Contact details of the official inviting EOI	Tel: 031-713951 Fax: 031-713951 E-mail address: tsultanmpl@gmail.com web: www.mpl.gov.bd
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