

icddr gets Conrad N Hilton Humanitarian Prize

Health organisation icddr received this year's Conrad N Hilton Humanitarian Prize. The Conrad N Hilton Foundation announced it yesterday at a programme in Los Angeles, USA. icddr will receive \$2 million in unrestricted funding. icddr has had a profound impact on health crises and breakthroughs worldwide," said Hilton Foundation President and CEO Peter Laughlin. icddr's Executive Director John Clements said, "The prize will help support our current research efforts to move forward." The award will be handed over in October, says a press release.



Speakers at a seminar on 'Analysis of women with disabilities situations in different law and policies' at the capital's The Daily Star Centre yesterday.

NEWS IN brief

EC begins talks with parties today

The Election Commission begins its talks today with political parties for their opinions on possible electoral reforms ahead of the next parliamentary polls. On the first day, the commission will hold talks with Bangladesh Nationalist Front (BNF) and Bangladesh Sangskritik Muktojati at the Nirbachan Bhawan. EC acting secretary Helaluddin Ahmed told The Daily Star yesterday.

Woman killed as train hits her

An unidentified woman was killed after a train hit her in Oxygen area of Chittagong city yesterday. Solohashor Station Master Shahab Uddin said the woman was hit by a city-bound shuttle train coming from Chittagong University around 3:00pm. Locals rushed her to Chittagong Medical College Hospital where doctors declared her dead.

Prisoner recaptured hours after escaping from DMCH

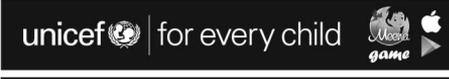
A prisoner was recaptured from Dhamrai area of the capital, hours after he had escaped from Dhaka Medical College Hospital early yesterday. Sujon, an accused in a drug case, fled from the third floor of the hospital around 4:00am. A team of prison guards captured him from his dharmoi house around 1:30pm, said Jahangir Kabir, senior jail superintendent of Dhaka Central Jail in Keraniganj. The prisoner was admitted to the hospital on Tuesday with injuries in one of his legs, Jahangir said. The prison authorities suspended two prison guards for their negligence. A departmental case was filed against Ikhlas Uddin, in-charge of the prison guards, who discharge duties at the hospital.

DU observes 'black day'

Teachers, students and staff of Dhaka University yesterday observed 'black day' marking the 'repression' on the university's teachers and students during the military-backed caretaker regime in 2007. Wearing black badges, they held a rally at Aparajay Bangla, attended by Civil Aviation and Tourism Minister Rashid Khan Memon. The DU authorities postponed all classes from 11:00am to 1:00pm and organised a discussion in the TSC auditorium. Vice-Chancellor Prof. AMAS Arifin Siddique said those who carried out the repression should be punished. On August 20, 2007, a clash ensued between some DU students and army personnel centring football match on the campus. Protesting the incident, students took to the streets and demanded withdrawal of an army camp from the university. The then government imposed a curfew on the divisional cities and arrested some university teachers and students.

UNICEF Vacancy Announcement

The United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) is seeking applications from Bangladeshi Nationals to fill the following posts for its Dhaka Office. For detailed Job Description, please visit our website and use the following link to apply for this post:
Health Officer (TA)-NOB, Dhaka.
<https://www.unicef.org/about/employ/?job=506799>
Programme Assistant (TA)-GSS, Dhaka.
<https://www.unicef.org/about/employ/?job=506799>
 Application Closing Date: **8 September 2017**
 Please note that no applications by email or post will be accepted. You must log on and create your profile with UNICEF global website and register for application. Attractive remuneration including social security and family medical benefits will be available for the selected candidate as per UN Policy. Only short listed candidates will be contacted. Any attempt to influence UNICEF's selection process will lead to automatic disqualification of the applicant.
UNICEF is committed to diversity and inclusion within its workforce, and encourages qualified female and male candidates from all national, religious and ethnic backgrounds, including persons living with disabilities, to apply to become a part of our organisation.
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Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation
 BSC Bhaban, 1st Floor, Saltgola Road, Chittagong.

Ref No: 28.03.0000.041.18.346.17 (Naphtha-158-RT) Date: 23 August, 2017

International Re-Tender Notice for Export of Naphtha Ex-ERL, Chittagong During September, 2017

Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation ("the Corporation") hereby invites offers from reputed buyers for export of 170,000 Barrels (plus/minus 5%) of Naphtha on FOB Chittagong basis Ex-Eastern Refinery Ltd, Chittagong in accordance with the terms & conditions set out hereinafter:

1	Ministry/division	Energy and Mineral Resources Division.
2	Agency	Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation (BPC).
3	Exporting entity name	Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation (BPC).
4	Exporting entity district	Chittagong.
5	Invitation for	Export of 170,000 Barrels Naphtha (plus/minus 5%) on FOB Chittagong basis.
6	Invitation Ref No. and date	Ref No. 28.03.0000.041.18.346.17 (Naphtha-158-RT), 23 August, 2017
7	Delivery schedule and place	14-16 September, 2017, Chittagong.
8	Price	Price to be quoted in US\$/BBL FOB Chittagong basis.
9	Tendering method	Open Tendering Method.
10	Tender package name	International Tender for Export of Naphtha.
11	Tender floating date	23 August, 2017
12	Tender last selling date	04 September, 2017
13	Tender closing date and time	05 September, 2017 and 1200 hours (BST).
14	Tender opening date and time	05 September, 2017 and 1205 hours (BST).
15	Offer validity date and time	12 September, 2017 and 1800 hours (BST).

16	Selling tender documents (principal)	Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation, BSC Bhaban, 1st Floor, Saltgola Road, Chittagong, Bangladesh.
17	Selling tender documents (others)	(a) BPC Dhaka Liaison Office, Jamuna Bhaban, 2, Kawran Bazar CA, Dhaka-1215 and (b) Bangladesh Missions in Singapore, Malaysia, Japan, South Korea, Indonesia, Thailand, India, Pakistan, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, UAE, USA & UK.
18	Name and address of the office receiving offers	Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation, BSC Bhaban, 1st Floor, Saltgola Road, Chittagong, Bangladesh.
19	Name and address of the office receiving offers	-Do- (in presence of the bidders or their authorised agents who would wish to be present).
20	Qualification of the suppliers	Necessary papers to be submitted complying the conditions mentioned in the tender document.
21	Brief description of goods/items	Specification of Naphtha set out in Appendix-C of tender document.
22	Tender documents price	Tk. 2,500/- or US\$ 40.00 per set.
23	Bid bond/bank guarantee	US Dollar 17,000.00 (seventeen thousand) or Taka 13,000 (thirteen) lac.
Entity Details		
24	Designation of official inviting tender	Sr. General Manager (Com. & Ops).
25	Address of official inviting tender	Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation, BSC Bhaban, 1st Floor, Saltgola Road, Chittagong, Bangladesh.
26	Contact details of official inviting Tender	Phone: +88 031-716121, Fax: +88 031-720147/724910
27	Bidder(s) must submit along with their offer the original money receipt for Tender Document purchased in Bangladesh and original/photocopy of money receipt for those who purchased tender document outside Bangladesh.	
28	Other terms and conditions will be as per general terms and conditions of export of Naphtha by the Corporation (Reference No. 28.03.0000.041.18.346.17/Naphtha-158-RT) Date: 23 August, 2017). Any conditions other than will be valid. The Corporation reserves the right to accept or reject any or all offers in part or in full without assigning any reason.	

Dhaka transport

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 Yashkar Bhattacharjee, national consultant to Access to Information (a2i) programme under the Prime Minister's Office, said the persons with disabilities should receive e-service facilities as collecting tickets from bus counters is not conducive to them. The speakers also said rights of the women with disabilities are being violated at the issue of their rights is absent in different laws and policies. Women with disabilities are deprived of their rights, said Salma Ali, executive director of Bangladesh National Women Lawyers' Association (BNWLA). She said there should be a monitoring cell especially for women with disabilities to strengthen the relevant laws and policies. To overcome the barriers for the women with disabilities, human rights-based approach should be implemented in laws and policies, said Dr Mizanur Rahman, professor of law at Dhaka University. Jaiya Samantanjit, Dal General Secretary Shihin Akhter, MP, said, "We all should work together to form laws and policies that will have an inclusive approach for persons with disabilities." Zakia K Hassan, president of Women for Women, and Shirin Akhter, Chairperson of WDFD, also spoke.

Stop use of pneumatic

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 run having pneumatic hydraulic horn or any device creating alarming noise, and to be seize for the vehicles with such horns after August 27. The officials, who are responsible for executing the directive are: DMP commissioner, joint commissioner (traffic) of DMP; its deputy commissioners (traffic north, south, east and west) and officers-in-charge of Dhakamoni, Gulshan, Umitra, Motijheel, Shabgab, Ramna, Rampura, Banani, Mirpurand Dhania. The court also issued a rule asking the authorities to explain in four weeks why their inaction in stopping of pneumatic horns or any device creating alarming noise by the vehicles should not be declared illegal and why they should not be directed to stop the use of such devices. The HC bench of Justice Quazi Reza-Ul Haque and Justice Mohammad Ullah came up with order and rule after hearing a petition filed by rights organisation Human Rights and Peace for Bangladesh. The rights organisation submitted the petition challenging the legality of pneumatic horn use and seeking necessary orders to stop sound pollution in Dhaka city. During hearing on the petition yesterday, petitioner's lawyer Manzil Mushtaq told the court that trucks and buses have been using pneumatic horns and other devices creating alarming noise and polluting environment at different areas in Dhaka city. Even, people in different residential areas including Dhanmondi, Motijheel, Gulshan and Banani cannot sleep at night due to tremendous sounds of the pneumatic horns. The lawyer also said as per Section 114 of Motor Vehicles Rules 1940 every transport vehicle shall be fitted with a bulb horn but using hydraulic (pneumatic) horn by the vehicles create severe alarming noise which causes pollution and health hazards of the citizens of Bangladesh specially children, students, old people and general commuters. Deputy Attorney General Tapas Kumar Biswas represented the state. Mofiz Uddin Ahmed, joint commissioner (traffic) of Dhaka Metropolitan Police told The Daily Star that police would act on the directives given by the court.

Dhaka life stalled

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 Bijoy Sarker, Dhanmondi Road 27, Mirpur Road, Manik Mia Avenue and Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue are being submerged every time there is an hour of moderate shower. Hafizur Rahman, a meteorologist at Bangladesh Meteorological Department, told The Daily Star that more rain is expected in the next few days in Dhaka which is likely to induce more sufferings due to waterlogging.

Ref No: IFT/SC/IBDCO/FF/170004 Date: August 24, 2017

Invitation for Tender (IFT) ICT Hardware & Equipment
 For: MaMoni-Health Systems Strengthening program under USAID Fund

The interested International (SCI) is hereby requesting Invitation for Tender (IFT) from the saved the experience bona fide organizations to supply **ICT Hardware & Equipment** for MaMoni-Health Systems Strengthening program under USAID Fund as per required specification.

Procurement Entity	Save the Children International (SCI)
Procurement item	Package Name: ICT Hardware & Equipment (6 LOTS) Lot 1: UPS & IPS Lot 2: PABX & LAN Lot 3: Multifunctional Photocopier Lot 4: Server and Network Equipment Lot 5: Print & System Tools Lot 6: Printer & Multimedia Projector
Working Experience	Open Tendering Method (National) The minimum years of experience should be 3 years for supplying similar goods. Detailed can be seen in Tender document.
Tender document price, Selling date, Time & Place	A complete set of tender document may be obtained from August 24, 2017 to September 18, 2017 between 9:00 am to 3:00 pm on working day from Save the Children Country office at House No. CWN (A) 35, Road No. 43, Gulshan-2, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh on payment of Tk. 500 (Taka Five hundred) only (Non-refundable) in the form of pay order/ demand draft in favor of Save the Children International issued by a scheduled bank in Bangladesh. Last date & time for schedule purchase: On or before September 18, 2017 at 2:00pm . IFT document are also available at: http://procurement.scidirect.org for viewing purpose only from August 24, 2017 (Please do not use https://) Tender schedule must be purchased for tender participation.
Pre-Tender Meeting Time & Place	August 30, 2017 at 11:00 am at Save the Children, House No. CWN (A) 35, Road No. 43, Gulshan-2, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh. (Meeting minutes will be available at http://procurement.scidirect.org)
Tender Security	Tender security as mentioned in tender document should be submitted in the form of Pay Order/Demand Draft/Bank Guarantee in favor of "Save the Children International".
Tender Document Dropping Date, Time & Place	Sealed tender should be dropped into the Tender box 1 kept at Save the Children, House No. CWN (A) 35, Road No. 43, Gulshan-2, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh. From September 18, 2017 during office hour. Last date & time for submission: On or before September 18, 2017 within 3:30 pm.
Tender Opening Date, Time and Place	The tender shall be opened on September 18, 2017 at 3:00 pm in presence of Tenderer's representative (if any) at Save the Children, House No. CWN (A) 35, Road No. 43, Gulshan-2, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh.
Contact number	Phone: 880-9612553333; Fax: 880-2-9886372

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- If the Tenderer(s) submit any false/incorrect or fake documents then the tender security may be forfeited.
- SCI management reserves the right to accept or reject part/whole of any or all the applications without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Senior Manager, Procurement & Supply Chain

পাবনা বিজ্ঞান ও প্রযুক্তি বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়
 গবেষণাকেন্দ্রের কার্যালয়

১ম বর্ষ ন্নাতক (ইঞ্জিনিয়ারিং) ও ন্নাতক (সেমান) শ্রেণিতে ভর্তি বিজ্ঞপ্তি

শিক্ষাবর্ষ: ২০১৭-২০১৮

পাবনা বিজ্ঞান ও প্রযুক্তি বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়ে ০৫ অক্টোবর অর্ন্তক্রেতে ১১টি বিভাগে ২০১৭-২০১৮ শিক্ষাবর্ষে ১ম বর্ষে ভর্তিক্রে শিক্ষাকার্যের নিমিত্তে বেলে নিম্নবর্ণিত শর্তে নিম্নবর্ণিত পদ্ধতিতে আবেদন আরাব করা হােবে।

(ক) আবেদন ২০১৮ ও ২০১৯ সালের কলেজসি/সেমান এবং ২০১৬ ও ২০১৭ সালের এইচএসসি/সেমান পরীক্ষার উত্তীর্ণ শিক্ষার্থীরা আবেদন করতে পারবে।

(খ) অধিক বিক্রি আবেদনের ন্নাতক জিপিএ এবং পরীক্ষার তারিখ ও সময়:

অনুমত (ইউসিটি)	আবেদনের ন্নাতক জিপিএ/জিপি (৪র্থ বিষয়ক)	তারিখ	ইউসিটি: সময়
ইঞ্জিনিয়ারিং এবং টেকনোলজি (A1 এবং A2)	এসএসসি: ৮.০, এএসএসসি: ৩.৫, এইচএসসি: ৩.৫, পদার্থ: ৩.৫, গণিত: ৩.৫	২৭/৯/২০১৭ শুক্রবার	A1: বিকাল ৩.৩০-০৪.৩০ A2: বিকাল ৩.৩০-০৪.৩০
জীব ও প্রু.বিজ্ঞান (B)	এসএসসি-এইচএসসি: ৭.৫, এসএসসি: ৩.৫, এইচএসসি: ৩.৫		B: সকাল ১১.৩০- ১২.৩০
বিজ্ঞানসে স্টাডিজ এবং মানবিক ও সামাজিক বিজ্ঞান (C)	মানবিক ও বাহ্যাবস্থা শিক্ষা প্রুপ: এসএসসি: ৭.০, এসএসসি: ৩.০, এইচএসসি: ৩.০ বিজ্ঞান প্রুপ: এসএসসি-এইচএসসি: ৭.৫, এসএসসি: ৩.৫, এইচএসসি: ৩.৫		C: সকাল ৯.৩০- ১০.৩০

১) আবেদনের সময়সীমা: ০৬ সেপ্টেম্বর, ২০১৭ থেকে ৩০ সেপ্টেম্বর, ২০১৭।

২) বর্ষক্রমের ফর্ম: A1, B, C সালের কলেজসি/সেমান টকা এবং A2 ইউসিটি ১০০ (আইসিটি) টকা (গার্ভিটি) টকা।

৩) আবেদনের নিম্নাবস্থা এবং ভর্তি পরীক্ষার যাবতীয় তথ্যাবলী www.pust.ac.bd এবং pust.cloudnbd.com ওয়েবসাইটে পাওয়া যাবে। আবেদন সংক্রান্ত যে কোনো সমস্যা pust.cloudnbd.com ওয়েবসাইটে মাধ্যমে জানাবা যাবে।

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