



Many areas in Hakaluki and Kawadighi haors of Moulvibazar have been inundated following heavy rain and onrush of water from the hills. The photo was taken at Suprakandi in Rajnagar upazila.

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One lakh people marooned

Moulvibazar flooded with the increase of water level in Hakaluki, Kawadighi haors due to continuous rain, onrush of hill water

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Water level has risen in Hakaluki and Kawadighi haors due to continuous rain during the last few days and onrush of water from the hills, leaving about 100,000 people marooned in the district.

The affected 50,000 people are from Sadar and Rajnagar upazilas while 50,000 others in Kulaura, Juri and Barlekha upazilas of the district.

Three upazilas -- Kulaura, Juri and Barlekha -- were inundated during the last two days following the fresh onrush of water from the hills.

Nearly two hundred families of eight unions in Sadar and Rajnagar upazilas have moved to eight shelter centres.

Locals said Boro crops were washed away in the haor during the flood in April.

In June, heavy rain and hilly water again flooded the area. The water started to recede from the middle of July, they added.

The flood situation has deteriorated in Aktuna and Akhialkura unions of Sadar upazila due to the heavy downpour and hailstorm in the last few days, and at least 20,000 people have become marooned. Shelter centres have been opened in Uluail Madrasa and Barakapan

Government Primary School in Aktuna union and in Kadipur Government Primary School in Akhialkura union. Around 168 families have taken shelter in the three centres.

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Road communication between Moulvibazar and Barlekha has been snapped as the roads linking the district town have been inundated following onrush of hill water.

off. Around 50 families have taken shelter in the centres in the last few days," Akhialkura Union Parishad (UP) Chairman Salim Ahmad said.

"Two shelters have been opened in my union. Besides, people have taken shelter in relatives' houses. Two-thirds of the union's area is flooded," Aktuna UP Chairman Md Abu Sufian said.

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Sarampur Government Primary School, Kamalpur Government Primary School, Uttar Atheni Government Primary School, Betahunja Government Primary School and Panchgaon High School in the upazila.

Munshibazar UP Chairman Md Salek Mia said around 6,000 people of Medinimahal, Nidanpur, Sonatki, Gazir Bazar villages have been affected and people are taking shelter in schools.

Fatehpur UP Chairman Nokul Chandra Das said water has inundated his office premises. Some families have taken shelter at North Andheri School, he added.

Rajnagar UNO Md Shariful Islam said water level in the haor has risen by seven to eight inches, adding that five shelters have been opened. The worst condition is in Fatehpur, Panchgaon and Munshibazar unions, he said. Taka 2 lakh and 30 tonnes of rice were allocated for the flood victims by the district administration, Shariful said.

"Water cannot flow out from haor as water of the Kushiarah river is blocking the outlet," said Moulvibazar Water Development Board Executive Engineer Bijoy Indra Shankar Chakrabarty.

inundated.

Alamgir Hossain of Rasulpur village in Akhialkura union said all the roads have become submerged and communication has been cut-off. There is no house in the area that is not submerged by floodwater, he added.

"The situation in my union is very bad. Three wards are completely cut-

Sadar Upazila Nirbahi Officer (UNO) Md Iqbal Hossain said 30 tonnes of rice have been allocated for the two unions.

Meanwhile, many areas of Fatehpur, Panchgaon, Munshibazar, Uttarbagh, Munshnagar and Rajnagar unions in Rajnagar upazila have been flooded. About 30,000 people have been affected and 25

Unmarked speed breakers pose risk

These have no coloured markings or any sign

M JAHIRUL ISLAM JEWEL, from Barisal

Unmarked speed breakers have become death traps for commuters on the Barisal-Dhaka, Barisal-Khulna and Barisal-Kuakata highways.

The speed breakers cannot be seen even from a short distance as there are no coloured markings or any other sign.

It is too late to control the vehicles when the speed breakers are seen, said Al-Amin, a bus driver of Nathullabad Bus Stand.

"Although I am a regular driver on the road, I sometimes forget about the speed breakers as there are no markings," said Akijur Rahman, a car driver.

Some speed breakers are so badly made that the chassis of a private car gets dented when the car crosses over them, he added.

"A month ago, some passengers in the back seat of my car got injured when I crossed the speed breaker at Kashipur in Barisal city because I could not see the speed breaker until it was too late," said Md Abul Hossain, a highway bus driver.

The speed breakers are death traps for new drivers on the road, he added.

Bike riders sustain severe injuries as they often fall on the road when they cross the speed breakers, many of them said.

"Some days ago I fell on the road and got badly injured when I crossed the speed breaker at Kaligira on Barisal-Khulna highway as I could not notice it," said a biker of Bogura Roan in the city.

Patients, particularly pregnant women, are badly affected by the speed breakers, said Doctor Mahbubur Rahman of Sher-e-Bangla Medical College Hospital in Barisal.

Twenty speed breakers on around 2 km of highway under the city and 19 speed breakers on 20 km on the road to Bakerganj under Barisal-Kuakata highway do not have coloured markings.

"Accidents can occur on these roads if the speed breakers are not maintained properly," said Md Aftab Uddin, president of Bus Owners' Association of the district.

All the speed breakers should be marked with colour immediately to avert any accident during the Eid rush, demanded the owners and drivers of all kind of vehicles in the city.

"We cannot mark the speed breakers as the roads are being repaired. We will mark them after completing the repair work," said Golam Mostafa, executive engineer of Roads and Highways Department in the district.



Unmarked and hardly noticeable speed breakers, like this one on Barisal-Dhaka highway near Barisal Technical School and College in the divisional city, pose higher risk of accidents during the Eid rush as many new drivers join to meet the demand for larger number of trips.

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HABIGANJ 4-KID MURDER

No Eid joy for families

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Moulvibazar

No festive mood has been seen among the family members of four kids killed in Habiganj's Bahubal upazila ahead of Eid-ul-Azha as they continued receiving threats from criminals.

They have been facing the situation after a Sylhet court on July 26 sentenced three people to death in the case for killing the minor schoolboys last year.

Two other accused -- Jewel Mia and Shahed Ahmed Bashir -- were sentenced to seven years' imprisonment on charge of abduction. Abdul Ali and Babul Mia were acquitted from the case as charges brought against them were not proved.

Meanwhile, the situation worsened further as Abdul Ali returned home from jail on July 27, alleged family members

of the dead kids.

The deceased were Zakaria Ahmed Shuvo, 8, son of Wahid Mia, his two cousins Tajel Mia, 10, son of Abdul Aziz, Monir Mia, 7, son of Abdal Mia, and Ismail Hossain, 10, son of Abdul Quadir of Sundartiki village.

Like others, fathers of the four passed busy time shopping for their kids ahead of Eid. But this year, a pall of gloom has descended on the four households at the village in absence of the kids, said locals.

"How can we celebrate Eid in absence of the apple of my eyes?" said Salma Begum, mother of victim Monir.

"Eid brought nothing but bittersweet memories of my son," said Amina Khatun, mother of deceased Tajel.

On February 12 last year, the four kids were killed over enmity between their fathers and their rival groups in the village arbitration council.

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Tender in sealed envelope individually for each group are hereby invited from interested manufacturer/distributor/supplier for Group-A(COM), B(COM) & C(COM) for supplying the following items to Biman Bangladesh Airlines Ltd.

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2. Group-B(COM): Computer Paper, Two Part, Plain, Self Carbonized, Size: 9½"x11", with Biman Logo & Insignia, Box of 1,000 Set, (1 set = 2 sheets), Qty: 20,00,000 Sets
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Tender schedule with details specification of the above item, terms and conditions will be available from the Assistant Manager Accounts (Cash & Banking), Head Office Balaka, Kurmitola, Dhaka during office hour of every working day up to 24/09/2017 on cash payment for each group of A(COM), B(COM) & C(COM) Tk 750.00 (seven hundred & fifty) (non-refundable) by applying in bidder's own letterhead pad mentioning tender reference no. and date. Tender related information will also be available at Biman website www.biman-airlines.com for ready reference.

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Dhaka North City Corporation
Office of the Project Director, PIU
Dhaka Integrated Urban Development Project (DIUDP)
Municipal Governance and Services Project (MGSP)
Plot # 23-26, Road # 46, Gulshan-2, Dhaka

Request for Expressions of Interest (REOI) for Procurement Specialist

Memo: ৪৬.১০.০০০০.০৪৩.৯৯.১৮৯৪.১৭ Date: ৩১/৮/১৭ইং

- The Government of Bangladesh is implementing the Municipal Governance and Services Project (MGSP) amongst other through Bangladesh Municipal Development Fund (BMDF). This IDA-funded project aims to improve municipal governance and basic urban service provision in participating Urban Local Bodies (ULB). Dhaka North City Corporation (DNCC) is seeking MGSP financing through BMDF for eligible subprojects. In this capacity, DNCC is looking to hire a **Procurement Specialist** to provide support and technical assistance to Project Implementation Unit (PIU) to implement subprojects to improve municipal governance and basic urban service provision.
- Duties and responsibilities: The duties, responsibilities and scope of works are available in Terms of Reference (ToR).
- Qualification and experience:
The consultant should have the following minimum qualifications and experience:
a. University Degree preferably in Engineering discipline or in Business Management (Bachelor level-minimum, Postgraduate --preferred) or a Post Graduate in Economics, Commerce or Planning;
b. 8 years procurement experience with a government/public enterprise/international NGO/consulting/project advisory/national or international bank or financial institution/JUN agencies, World Bank. Knowledge and experience of transport sector will be preferred;
c. Knowledge on PPR-2008 and experience with World Bank procurement policies, procedures and guidelines is desirable;
d. Excellent communications skills in English including for general communication, writing reports, and negotiation;
e. Excellent computer and document processing skills;
f. She/he must have training on PPR-2008 from government organization;
g. Experience in tendering through e-GP systems would be given preferences.
- The Project Director now invites eligible applicants to indicate their interest in providing the services. Applicants are invited to provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (complete CV in prescribed format with expected remuneration).
- Detailed Terms of Reference (ToR) will be available upon request from the address provided below either through email or in person.
- The consultant will be selected using the selections of individual consultant in accordance with the Guidelines for selection and employment of consultants under IBRD loans and IDA credits and grants by the World Bank Borrowers, January 2011, Revised July 2014.
- The services will be commenced immediately after selection at Dhaka; the consultant will be employed initially for 12 man-months extendable up to 18 man-months based on satisfactory performance and requirement of the Project.
- Expressions of Interest shall be submitted by 24/09/2017 during office hours on weekdays either in sealed envelope or through email sent to Project Director, and be clearly marked "Expressions of Interest for Procurement Specialist".
- The procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject all REOIs.

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