



Rashed Khan Menon, minister for civil aviation and tourism; Air Vice Marshal M Naim Hassan, chairman of the Civil Aviation Authority of Bangladesh; Syed Manzur Elahi, founding chairman of Mutual Trust Bank; MA Rouf, chairman, and Anis A Khan, CEO, open a lounge of the bank at Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport in Dhaka on Friday.

# Japan's business mood hits decade-high, labour shortage bites

Big manufacturers have more confidence in Japan's business conditions than they have had for a decade as a weak yen and robust global demand add momentum to the economic recovery, a closely watched central bank survey showed on Monday.

In a sign the recovery was broadening, small manufacturers' business confidence also hit a decade-high and the ratio of companies complaining of labour shortages was at a 25-year high, according to the Bank of Japan's

"tankan" quarterly survey. The upbeat data could help premier Shinzo Abe as he tries to convince voters in an Oct. 22 election that his "Abenomics" stimulus policies have improved their livelihoods.

It also supports Bank of Japan (BOJ) policymakers' hopes that a sustained economic recovery will boost wages and household spending, though many analysts expect inflation to remain distant from the central bank's 2 percent target.

"Big manufacturers' sentiment was probably driven by a weaker yen and

hefty corporate profits," said Yuichiro Nagai, economist at Barclays Securities Japan.

"The tankan results were in line with or even stronger than the BOJ's scenario. But the price trend remains weak," he said, adding he expects the central bank to cut its inflation forecasts again at a rate review this month.

The headline index for big manufacturers' sentiment stood at plus 22 in September, handily exceeding a median market forecast of plus 18 to mark the highest level since September 2007.

Olivier Loreaux, director for food and beverage at Le Méridien Dhaka, attends a programme at the hotel on Saturday to celebrate International Coffee Day, which was observed on Sunday.



LE MÉRIDIEN

# UK factory growth slows

REUTERS, London

British manufacturing growth cooled last month as cost pressures lurched higher, according to a survey that could put the Bank of England a step closer to raising interest rates, despite a murky outlook ahead of Brexit.

Monday's IHS Markit/CIPS UK Manufacturing Purchasing Managers' Index (PMI) fell to 55.9 from a downwardly revised 56.7 in August, undershooting the consensus of 56.4 in a Reuters poll of economists.

By contrast, euro zone factories had their best month since early 2011.

While the PMI survey signalled solid expansion at British factories, helped by robust exports, softer growth in new orders and a slowdown among producers of investment goods raised concern about the months ahead.

Britain's economy initially withstood the shock of the June 2016 vote to leave the European Union. But growth began to slow sharply this year as inflation rose following the pound's post-Brexit vote plunge, hitting households.

Against that background, the BoE surprised investors last month when its officials said they were likely to raise interest rates soon, citing a reduced tolerance for above-target inflation.

Analysts said Monday's survey - which showed a resurgence of price pressures - would do little to alter this judgement.

# RCom's debt-repayment plan hit as unit's merger deal with Aircel collapses

REUTERS, Mumbai

Embattled Indian telecom company Reliance Communications Ltd faced another setback on Sunday after a deal to merge its wireless business with smaller rival Aircel was called off, raising fresh doubts about its debt-repayment plans.

The company, widely known as RCom, said it had agreed with Aircel, a subsidiary of Malaysia's Maxis Communications, to call off the proposed deal due to regulatory delays and legal uncertainties.

Controlled by billionaire Anil Ambani, RCom had net debt of 443.45 billion Indian rupees (\$6.79 billion) at the end of March. The company has earned a temporary reprieve from its lenders, who have agreed to a standstill on its debt obligations as part of a planned debt restructuring.

RCom has been trying to reduce its debt by 250 billion rupees by merging its wireless business with Aircel and by selling a stake in its mobile masts arm to a unit of Canada's Brookfield Asset Management.

RCom had said in April the deal with Aircel would reduce its debt and deferred spectrum liability by 200 billion rupees.

The collapsed deal raises further doubts about the company's ability to repay debt, the head of an institutional investor in RCom told Reuters, declining to be identified.

"Will the investors have to take a hit? Will there be any kind of haircut to all the lenders in RCom? Those questions will also come," the person added.

Maxis did not immediately respond to request for comment. Aircel and Brookfield were not immediately reachable for comment.

Indian markets are closed for a public holiday on Monday and shares in RCom will only resume trading on Tuesday.

But RCom's overseas traded bonds fell marginally in early deals on Monday, with some analysts saying bond holders are now in a better position than before as subordination risk has diminished. Its bonds due 2020 were indicated at 53/54 cents on the dollar, showing the bid down by 3 points.

"While sounding negative, the development is actually positive to RCom note holders, because the merger if successful, would have put their claims in a subordinated position."

## Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh Local Government Engineering Department Construction of Bridge over Teesta River in Gaibandha Project

উন্নয়নের গণতন্ত্র  
শেখ হাসিনার মূলমন্ত্র

[Construction of 1490m long PC Girder Bridge on Panchpir Bazar-Chilmari Upazila Headquarter Road over Teesta River at Sundarganj Upazila under Gaibandha District (1st Revised)]  
RDEC Building, Level-13, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207  
www.lged.gov.bd

Memo No. 46.02.0000.736.05.001.17-441

Dated: 28/09/2017

### Invitation for Tender (IFT No: 01/2017-18)

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| 1 | Ministry/division         | Local Government, Rural Development & Cooperatives/Local Government Division.   |
| 2 | Agency                    | Local Government Engineering Department (LGED).   |
| 3 | Procuring entity name     | Project Director, Construction of Bridge over Teesta River in Gaibandha Project [Construction of 1490m long PC Girder Bridge on Panchpir Bazar-Chilmari Upazila Headquarter Road over Teesta River at Sundarganj Upazila under Gaibandha District (1st Revised)]. |
| 4 | Procuring entity code     | Not applicable.   |
| 5 | Procuring entity district | Dhaka.  |
| 6 | Invitation for            | Construction of Bridge over Teesta River in Gaibandha Project.  |
| 7 | Pre-qualification Ref No. | Memo No. LGED/PD/1490m Bridge/T-02/2015/438   |
| 8 | Date                      | 26/09/2017.   |

#### KEY INFORMATION

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| 9 | Procurement method | International Open Tendering Method. |
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#### FUNDING INFORMATION

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| 10 | Budget and source of funds           | SFD (Saudi Fund for Development). |
| 11 | Development partners (if applicable) | SFD (Saudi Fund for Development). |

#### PARTICULAR INFORMATION

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| 12 | Project code                          | 5-3731-5094   |                    |
| 13 | Project name                          | Construction of Bridge over Teesta River in Gaibandha Project.  |                    |
| 14 | Tender package No.                    | Package No-Sundarganj-W01   |                    |
| 15 | Tender package name                   | Construction of 1490m Long PC Girder Bridge over Teesta River including river bank protection works and bridge approach in Gaibandha District.                                |                    |
|    |                                       | Date Time   |                    |
| 16 | IFT invitation date                   | 28-09-2017  |                    |
| 17 | Tender last selling date              | 19-11-2017  | During office hour |
| 18 | Deadline of tender receiving          | 20-11-2017  | 2:00pm             |
| 19 | Tender opening date and time          | 20-11-2017  | 3:00pm             |
| 20 | Name & address of the office(s)       | Address   |                    |
|    | Selling tender document               | Office of the Project Director, Construction of Bridge over Teesta River in Gaibandha Project, RDEC Bhaban, Level-13, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207 up to 5:00pm. |                    |
|    | Receiving tender document             | Office of the Project Director, Construction of Bridge over Teesta River in Gaibandha Project, RDEC Bhaban, Level-13, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207.              |                    |
|    | Opening tender document               | Office of the Project Director, Construction of Bridge over Teesta River in Gaibandha Project, RDEC Bhaban, Level-13, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207.              |                    |
| 21 | Place/date/time of pre-tender meeting | Place Date Time   |                    |
|    |                                       | Office of the Project Director, Construction of Bridge over Teesta River in Gaibandha Project, RDEC Bhaban, Level-13, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207.              | 18-10-2017 11:00am |

#### INFORMATION FOR TENDERER

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| 22 | Eligibility of tenderer    | As pre-qualified.   |
| 23 | Brief description of works | (a) Construction of 1490m Long PC Girder Bridge over Teesta River.<br>(b) Electric works.<br>(c) River training works of bridge of 6300m.<br>(d) Construction of 2km approach road. |

#### Tender document prices

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| 24 | Package        | Scheme name   | Location           | Tender security                  | Completion time |
| 25 | Sundarganj-W01 | Construction of 1490m Long PC Girder Bridge over Teesta River including river bank protection works and bridge approach in Gaibandha District | Gaibandha District | BDT 650.00 lac (USD 8,12,500.00) | 30-06-2019      |

#### EMPLOYER DETAILS

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| 26 | Name of official inviting tender   | Project Director, Construction of Bridge over Teesta River in Gaibandha Project, RDEC Bhaban, Level-13, LGED, Dhaka.               |
| 27 | Designation of official inviting   | Project Director.  |
| 28 | Address of official inviting tender  | Office of the Project Director, Construction of Bridge over Teesta River in Gaibandha Project, RDEC Bhaban, Level-13, LGED, Dhaka. |
| 29 | Contact details of official inviting tender  | Tel. No. +88-02-8181248 Fax No. +88-02-8181248 e-mail: pd.1490m@lged.gov.bd  |
| 30 | Only 10 selected pre-qualified firms of this project will participate in this tender.              |  |
| 31 | The procuring entity reserves the right to reject all the tenders or annul the tender proceedings. |  |

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## The Security Printing Corporation (Bangladesh) Ltd



Gazipur  
Website: www.spcl.org.bd

### International e-Tender for Supply of 10,040 Reams Security Paper for Printing Academic Transcript and Certificates

Electronic tenders (e-Tenders) are hereby invited from the competent manufacturers/suppliers for supply of the above Security Paper for Printing Academic Transcript & Certificates for this Corporation as per under noted schedule. Tender documents showing terms and conditions with specification will be available at web: 114.130.43.56 or etender.spcl.org.bd. It is to mention here that this is online tender where only e-Tender will be accepted and no hard copy will be accepted except price of e-Tender schedule and earnest money. To submit e-Tender bidders need to register on 114.130.43.56 or etender.spcl.org.bd. For more details please contact cell: 880-1534002183 & 880-1534002184. Necessary information is given below:

1. Price per e-Tender : 5000.00 (five thousand) Taka only (non-refundable).
2. Date of publish of e-Tender : 02.10.2017.
3. Last date & time for submission of e-Tender : 05.11.2017 up to 11.00am.
4. Date & time for opening of e-Tender : 05.11.2017 at 11.15am.

Bidder may collect the e-Tender schedule from the abovementioned website. Earnest money @ 3% (three percent) of the total quoted price shall have to be submitted in the form of Bank Draft/Pay Order/ Irrevocable Bank Guarantee from any scheduled bank in Bangladesh in favour of the Managing Director, The Security Printing Corporation (Bangladesh) Ltd, Gazipur along with the price of e-Tender schedule in the form of a separate Pay-Order/DD in the tender box kept at Corporation's office in Gazipur on or before the scheduled deadline for submission of e-Tender. Irrevocable Bank Guarantee may also be given as earnest money from any international commercial bank abroad with a counter guarantee from any scheduled bank in Bangladesh. e-Tender(s) without earnest money and price against procurement of e-Tender schedule shall not be acceptable. The e-Tender shall have to submit as per e-Tender guidelines mentioned at above website. Offer(s) shall be opened as per schedule mentioned above in presence of the tenderer(s) if any. 01 (one) e-Tender schedule is applicable only for one supplier/manufacturer for submitting one offer along with earnest money and price of e-Tender schedule. The authority reserves the right to reject or accept any e-Tender(s) without assigning any reason whatsoever. Submission of e-Tender after the specified time shall not be acceptable under any circumstances.

**Md. Kalimulla**  
General Manager (Foreign Purchase)  
Phone: 88-02-9205116

GD-2021

## গণপ্রজাতন্ত্রী বাংলাদেশ সরকার



বাংলাদেশ পুলিশ  
ডিআইজি, নৌ পুলিশের কার্যালয়

৩৩৪/১০, আহমেদ নগর, পাইকপাড়া, মিরপুর-১, ঢাকা

### উন্মুক্ত দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি

প্রচলিত পাবলিক প্রকিউরমেন্ট আইন ও বিধিমালা মোতাবেক ২০১৭-২০১৮ অর্থ বছরের নৌ পুলিশ, ঢাকা'র নৌ পুলিশের নির্মাণ প্রকল্পে কাজ সম্পন্ন করার লক্ষ্যে প্রকৃত যোগ্যতা ও অভিজ্ঞতাসম্পন্ন ব্যবসায়ী/ঠিকাদার/সরবরাহকারী/প্রতিষ্ঠানের নিকট হতে পৃথক পৃথক সীলমোহরকৃত খামে কাজের নাম উল্লেখপূর্বক প্রতিযোগিতামূলক উন্মুক্ত দরপত্র আহ্বান করা যাচ্ছে।

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| ১. | মন্ত্রণালয়/বিভাগ         | স্বরাষ্ট্র মন্ত্রণালয়।                 |
| ২. | সংস্থা                    | বাংলাদেশ পুলিশ।                         |
| ৩. | দরপত্র সম্পাদনকারী প্রধান | ডিআইজি, নৌ পুলিশ, বাংলাদেশ পুলিশ, ঢাকা। |
| ৪. | কি কারণে দরপত্র আহ্বান    | "অন্যান্য ভবন ও অবকাঠামো নির্মাণ"।      |
| ৫. | দরপত্রের সূত্র নং         | নৌ পুলিশ স্মারক নং-নৌ/টেন্ডার/২০১৭/৭২৬৪ |
| ৬. | তারিখ                     | ২৮/০৯/২০১৭ খ্রিঃ।                       |

কাজের বিবরণঃ

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| ৭. | দরপত্র পদ্ধতি | উন্মুক্ত দরপত্র পদ্ধতি (OTM)। |
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অর্থের উৎসঃ

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| ৮. | বাজেট ও অর্থনৈতিক খাত | পুলিশ বাজেট কোড নং-“৩-২২১১-০০০১-সদর দস্তার-৭০১৬-অন্যান্য ভবন ও অবকাঠামো নির্মাণ” (পুলিশ হেডকোয়ার্টার্স ইহতে বাজেট প্রাপ্ত সাপেক্ষে)। |
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| ৯.  | দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রকাশের তারিখ          | ০৩/১০/২০১৭ খ্রিঃ।                     |
| ১০. | দরপত্র বিক্রয়ের শেষ তারিখ               | ১৯/১০/২০১৭ খ্রিঃ।                     |
| ১১. | দরপত্র জমা প্রদানের সর্বশেষ তারিখ ও সময় | ২২/১০/২০১৭ খ্রিঃ ১২.০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত। |
| ১২. | দরপত্র খোলার তারিখ ও সময়                | ২২/১০/২০১৭ খ্রিঃ ১২.৩০ ঘটিকা।         |

অফিসের নাম ও ঠিকানাঃ

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| ১৩. | দরপত্র ডকুমেন্ট/সিডিউল বিক্রয়কারী অফিস | ১। পুলিশ সুপার, এ্যাডমিন এন্ড ফাইন্যান্স, নৌ পুলিশ, ৩৩৪/১০, আহমেদ নগর, পাইকপাড়া, মিরপুর, ঢাকা।<br>২। পুলিশ সুপারের কার্যালয়, মুন্সীগঞ্জ জেলা।<br>৩। অধিনায়ক (পুলিশ সুপার) এর কার্যালয়, ১ এপিবিএন, উত্তরা, ঢাকা। |
|     | দরপত্র গ্রহণকারী অফিস                   | ১। পুলিশ সুপার, এ্যাডমিন এন্ড ফাইন্যান্স, নৌ পুলিশ, ৩৩৪/১০, আহমেদ নগর, পাইকপাড়া, মিরপুর, ঢাকা।   |
|     | দরপত্র খোলার স্থান                      | ২। পুলিশ সুপার, এ্যাডমিন এন্ড ফাইন্যান্স, নৌ পুলিশ, ৩৩৪/১০, আহমেদ নগর, পাইকপাড়া, মিরপুর, ঢাকা।   |

১৪. প্রি-টেন্ডার সভার স্থান, তারিখ ও সময়

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| ১৫. | দরপত্রের যোগ্যতা | সংশ্লিষ্ট কাজ বাস্তবায়ন সংক্রান্তে ঠিকাদারী লাইসেন্স, ট্রেড লাইসেন্স, হালনাগাদ আয়কর সার্টিফিকেট, ভ্যাট রেজিস্ট্রার সার্টিফিকেট, ব্যাংক সলভেন্সী সার্টিফিকেট, জাতীয় পরিচয়পত্র (সকল সনদ ১ম শ্রেণীর সরকারি গেজেটেড কর্মকর্তা কর্তৃক সত্যায়িত)। অন্যান্য শর্তাবলী সিডিউলে উল্লেখ আছে। |
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১৬. শাস্তসমূহের বিবরণ

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|  | কাজের নাম   | দরপত্রের মূল্য (টাকা) | নিরাপত্তা জামানত (টাকা) | কাজ সম্পন্ন করার সময় (দিন) |
|  | মুন্সীগঞ্জ জেলার গজারিয়া নৌ পুলিশ ফাঁড়ীতে সেমিপাকা টিনসেড ব্যারাক ভবনের স্যানিটারি, সুয়ারেজ লাইন, মাটি ভরাট, বৈদ্যুতিক ওয়ারিং ও রাস্তা নির্মাণ কাজ। | ৮০০/-                 | ৪৫,০০০/-                | ৬০ দিন                      |

দরপত্র সম্পাদনকারীর বিবরণঃ

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| ১৭. | দরপত্র আহ্বানকারী কর্মকর্তার নাম              | একেএম এহসান উল্লাহ।                                     |
| ১৮. | দরপত্র আহ্বানকারী কর্মকর্তার পদবী             | পুলিশ সুপার (এ্যাডমিন এন্ড ফাইন্যান্স), নৌ পুলিশ, ঢাকা। |
| ১৯. | দরপত্র আহ্বানকারী কর্মকর্তার ঠিকানা           | ৩৩৪/১০, আহমেদ নগর, পাইকপাড়া, মিরপুর, ঢাকা।             |
| ২০. | দরপত্র আহ্বানকারী কর্মকর্তার যোগাযোগের মাধ্যম | ০২-৯০২২২১৩ (অফিস)।                                      |

২১. বিশেষ শর্তাবলীঃ

- ১। নির্দিষ্ট সময়ের পর আর কোন দরপত্র গ্রহণ করা হবে না।
- ২। কার্যবাহী বাস্তবিক কর্তৃপক্ষ যেকোন দরপত্র গ্রহণ বা বাতিল করার ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করে।
- ৩। দরপত্র কার্যক্রম প্রচলিত সকল পাবলিক প্রকিউরমেন্ট আইন ও বিধিমালা মোতাবেক পরিচালিত হবে।

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