

**N'GANJ EARTH FILLING**

# HC verdict any day

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The High Court will deliver a verdict any day on a writ petition that challenged the legality of earth filling in croplands and wetlands in some areas of Sonargaon upazila under Narayanganj.

The bench of Justice Md Ashfaqul Islam and Justice Ashish Ranjan Das may deliver the verdict anytime as hearing concluded yesterday.

Bangladesh Environmental Lawyers Association (Bela) submitted the petition in 2014, saying that Unique Properties Development Ltd, a private housing company, had filled up land for establishing its Sonargaon Resort City, a housing project.

The Department of Environment (DoE) in 2012 had fined the company Tk 50 lakh for damaging the agricultural land and wetland.

The DoE also asked it to remove the dumped soil, but the company did not do so. Therefore, farmers of five moujas of Sonargaon upazila cannot grow crops in their land that is allegedly grabbed by the company, it said.

Following the petition, the HC on March 2, 2014 directed Unique Properties Development Ltd, a private housing company, to stop further filling up of land for establishing its Sonargaon Resort City and to remove the soil it has already dumped in the site.

It also issued a rule upon the authorities concerned of the government and the company to explain as to why the earth filling activities should not be declared illegal.

During hearing on the rule yesterday, Bela's lawyer and its chief executive Advocate Syeda Rizwana Hasan told the HC that Bangladesh Economic Zone Authority (Beza) had illegally permitted the company to fill up of land for establishing hotel and resort, though Beza has no right to do so.

Lawyers for Unique Properties Development Ltd and its sister concerns told that the company had halted the earth

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Devotees light candles on the occasion of Deepavali, also known as Diwali, at Chatteshwari Kalibari temple in Chittagong city yesterday.



## Doa mahfil for Chullu today

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A doa mahfil for freedom fighter Masud Sadique Chullu will be held after Asr prayers today at Banani Old DOHS Community Centre in the capital.

Masud, a member of the special squad "Crack Platoon" during the Liberation War of 1971, passed away on Monday, October 16, at the age of 72.

He was laid to rest on Wednesday at the city's Banani graveyard.

His family members have requested his relatives, friends and well-wishers to attend the programme and pray for the salvation of the departed soul.

## Obituary

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Tangail

Abdur Razzaque, founder president of the Dhaka University unit of Biplobi Chhatra Moitry, died from a cardiac arrest at his Tangail town residence yesterday. He was 57.

He left behind his wife, two daughters, a son and numerous admirers.

Razzaque was also convener of the district unit of Progotishil Nagorik Jote.

He was buried at his family graveyard at Nallapara village in Delduar upazila.

## Death anniversary

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Today is the 13th death anniversary of Abdul Hamid, former senior assistant secretary of industries ministry.

A milad and doa mahfils will be held at his village after the Juma prayers, says a press release.

His relatives, friends and admirers are requested to pray for the salvation of the departed soul.

# Missing NGO worker found buried

She was killed by borrowers, claim police

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Savar

Police recovered the decomposed body of a female NGO worker buried in Kabirpur area of Ashulia under Savar upazila on Wednesday night, seven days after she had gone missing.

Police claimed she was murdered by her borrowers.

The deceased -- Sabina Akter Urmi, 30, daughter of Abdur Rahman of Raghunathpur village in Gaibandha -- used to work as a field worker of non-government organisation (NGO) Association for Social Advancement (ASA) and live in Kabirpur area with her husband Jahid Hassan.

On Thursday (October 12), Sabina left office to collect payment from borrowers but she did not return to office afterwards, police said.

Finding no trace of her, the ASA authorities filed a general dairy (GD) with Ashulia Police Station that night.

Police then started investigation. By tracking her location from call list on her mobile phone, police found that she was staying at one Moslem Uddin's house at Kabirpur Dewanpara, said Asrafal Alam, sub-inspector of Ashulia Police Station, also the investigation officer.

On Wednesday, police detained Moslem Uddin, 38, and his wife Razia Akter, 35 -- borrowers of ASA -- for interrogation, said Asrafal.

During primary interrogation, the couple admitted that they had killed Sabina and buried the body in the area -- around a kilometre away from the house, claimed the SI.

Later, police exhumed Sabina's

decomposed body from there around 11:00pm, said the SI, adding that the body was sent to Dhaka Medical College morgue for an autopsy.

Moslem and Razia had withdrawn nearly Tk 1 lakh from ASA on condition of repaying the money on weekly basis.

As Sabina went to collect the money on that day, Moslem and his aides had killed her by strangling, said police.

The body was first kept in a plastic container and was later buried in the secluded place, said the police official, quoting Moslem.

They also looted nearly Tk 2 lakh that Sabina collected from other borrowers.

Abdul Awal, officer-in-charge of Ashulia Police Station, said they were trying to arrest the other accused involved in the killing.

## Sweden reiterates support for Rohingyas

DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT

Sweden has reiterated its full support to Bangladesh for the ongoing Rohingya crisis as over half a million forcibly displaced Myanmar nationals took shelter in Bangladesh.

The assurance came from the newly appointed Swedish Ambassador Charlotta Schlyter while she was in a meeting with Foreign Minister AH Mahmood Ali at his office at the Foreign Ministry yesterday.

Referring to the upcoming pledging conference on Rohingya issue in Geneva on October 23, she mentioned that Sweden realises the need for additional humanitarian support for the Rohingyas, said a foreign ministry press release.

Ambassador Schlyter mentioned about admiration of the international community for the "patience and effort of Bangladesh handling the recent influx".

## ONE YEAR OF LIPU'S DEATH

# Family still crying for justice

OUR CORRESPONDENT, RU

No significant progress has been made in one year in the investigation of a case filed for killing Rajshahi University student Motaleb Hossain Lipu, said his family expressing frustration.

Talking to The Daily Star, Lipu's parents said they are still waiting for identification of the killers and their trial.

Meanwhile, around 100 teachers and students of the Department of Mass Communication and Journalism of RU formed a human chain at Lipu Chattar on the campus yesterday, demanding justice in the case.

They demanded proper investigation and immediate trial of the case, marking the first anniversary of the murder.

Pradip Kumar Pandey, chairman of the department, said although the authorities concerned had assured them of proper investigation and trial, they are still waiting for that.

On October 20 last year, Lipu, 22, a student of mass communication and journalism, was found dead in a gutter beside the university's Nawab Abdul Latif Hall where he lived.

The same day, Bashir Mollah, an uncle of Lipu, filed the murder case with Motihar Police Station against unknown people.

Later, police detained Lipu's roommate Monirul Islam, a botany student, and, later showed him arrested in the case after interrogation.

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A girl helps her little sister cross a muddy section of a road in Dargah Gate area of Sylhet city yesterday. A large segment of the road has been dug up by the authorities concerned for improving the drainage system in the area. But while developing the drainage system, they apparently left the dug-up earth on the road. PHOTO: SHEIKH NASIR

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### Prof Abdul Latif passes away

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh

Abdul Latif, a retired professor of physics at Mymensingh Nasirabad College, died from a cardiac arrest at a Dhaka hospital yesterday. He was 75.

Also a senior member of Mymensingh Press Club, Latif left behind his wife, a son and two daughters.

He will be buried at Mymensingh town's Akua Madrasa Quarter graveyard after a namaz-e-janaza on the college campus after Juma prayers today.

The press club expressed deep shock at the death and sympathy to the bereaved family.

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আপনার আয়কর রিটার্ন জমা দিয়েছেন তো?

সম্মানিত করদাতা, দেশের উন্নয়নের জন্য যে রাজস্ব প্রয়োজন তার বড় অংশ আসে আপনার দেয়া আয়কর থেকে। তাই একজন করদাতা হিসেবে আপনি দেশের উন্নয়নের গর্বিত অংশীদার।

আপনি কোন সিটি কর্পোরেশন, পৌরসভা বা ইউনিয়ন পরিষদের ট্রেড লাইসেন্সধারী ব্যবসায়ী অথবা কোন সরকারি, আধা-সরকারি বা স্থানীয় সরকারের কোন টেন্ডারে অংশগ্রহণকারী হলে আপনার মোট আয় যা-ই হোক না কেন আপনাকে এ বছর (২০১৭-২০১৮ কর বছর) আয়কর রিটার্ন দাখিল করতে হবে।

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আপনার জন্য এ বছরের আয়কর রিটার্ন দাখিলের শেষ দিন ৩০ নভেম্বর ২০১৭। বিগত বছরের ধারাবাহিকতায় রিটার্ন দাখিলের সময় আর বাড়বে না।

৩০ নভেম্বরের মধ্যে রিটার্ন দাখিল না করলে জরিমানা ও বিলম্ব সুদ আরোপযোগ্য হবে। এছাড়া, রিটার্ন দাখিলে ব্যর্থ হলে কর আইন ভঙ্গ হবে। এতে এক বছর পর্যন্ত জেল অথবা অর্থদণ্ড অথবা উভয় শাস্তির বিধান রয়েছে।

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