

Why journo Utpal not traced yet

Asks JP MP; demands statement from the home minister

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

It is unbelievable that the law enforcers cannot trace journalist Utpal Das in this day and age of information and communication technology, said Jatiya Party MP Pir Fazlur Rahman in Parliament yesterday.

He also demanded a statement from the home minister in this regard.

"Young journalist Utpal Das has remained traceless for more than a month. We don't think it is believable that our law enforcement agencies can't trace him," said the opposition MP.

Fazlur said some 10 people went missing in the country in the last two months. Of them, one person was found, he added.

The MP said Utpal's father, a retired primary school teacher, filed a general diary (GD) with the law enforcement agencies and frequently visits them to know about his son's whereabouts.

"It is the age of ICT. The journalist was carrying a mobile phone when he went missing. It is possible to trace him out by tracking his phone. If anyone goes missing, it is the state's duty to find him. If the person acted against the law, a law-suit can be filed against him accordingly," he said.

Utpal Das, 27, a senior reporter of news portal purboposhchimbd.news, has been missing since October 10 when he was on his way to office in Motijheel.



Bringing an allegation of nepotism and irregularities in a recent recruitment test for the post of Laskar (class IV employees) at Chittagong port, some people formed a human chain in front of the Bandar Bhaban yesterday. The protesters, mostly local leaders of the ruling party and its student wing, under the banner of "Aamra Chhattagrambasi" (We, the residents of Chittagong), demanded cancellation of the tests. They alleged that applicants from Chittagong faced discrimination as only a handful of them got recruited.

PHOTO: STAR

RECRUITMENT AT PORT

Shajahan again refutes allegation of nepotism

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Shipping Minister Shajahan Khan yesterday refuted allegations of nepotism in recruiting employees for Chittagong port.

In a statement under section 300 of the rules of procedure of parliament, he said there was no irregularity or nepotism in recruiting class-four staff for the port.

The minister came up with the statement a day after two lawmakers on Sunday in parliament expressed strong resentment over the alleged nepotism of Shajahan Khan in recruiting the employees.

Ruling alliance MP Mayeen Uddin Khan Badal and opposition lawmaker Ziauddin Ahmed Bablu separately raised the issue.

They said 93 employees were recruited recently in Chittagong Port. None but only two of them were from Chittagong while the rest from a particular district. It cannot be acceptable, they said. They sought a clarification from the minister.

In his statement, Shajahan Khan said the two MPs' statement was entirely false and confusing.

"Actually 85, not 93 staff, were recruited for the Chittagong Sea Port, and they were recruited in line with the respective service rules," the minister said.

He claimed that 29 out of 85 were recruited from greater Chittagong division, and the rest were from different regions of the country.

The minister demanded that the two MPs withdraw their statement.

On Sunday, while speaking at a programme in Patenga, Shajahan claimed said out of the 85, 28 were from Chittagong, who got recruited directly while 17 others from Chittagong got selected under the "dependent quota". "Only six to seven persons got selected from Madaripur district," he said.

A chilling murder

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"He [Bakar] brought a knife two to three weeks ago and used to intimidate others with it," said another student.

"Our Yeasin huzur [teacher] seized the knife from him and took it to his room [a portion of the hall room separated by a curtain]. Bakar might have stolen the knife and killed Zidan as the teacher was on leave," he added.

Mahmudul Haque, officer-in-charge of Paltan Police Station, said Bakar probably killed the boy as a teacher punished Bakar on Thursday following a complaint by Zidan.

"Police are looking for him," he added.

Visiting the madrasa around 1:00pm yesterday, this correspondent saw Zidan's bed and the mosquito net smeared with blood. Panic spread among students and guardians. Many of the parents visited the madrasa yesterday, and a few took their children home.

The madrasa teachers or officials were not available for comments.

Meanwhile, following an autopsy at Dhaka Medical College, the family of Zidan who lives in Thatari Bazar area received his body.

The boy was youngest among five children of Hafizur Rahman, a chicken trader.

Age limit for govt jobs to stay

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different entry points including international airports, seaports and land ports.

"The quarantine stations were established from July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2017, under the animal disease prevention and control project," he said in reply to a written query from treasury bench member Nizam Uddin Hazari of Feni-2.

The minister said the quarantine stations were set up at Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport, Hazrat Shah Amanat

International Airport, Osmani International Airport, ICD Kamalapur; Sona Masjid, Akhaura, Belonia, Banglabandha, Burimari, Darshana, Bibir Bazar, Bhomra, Hili, Benapole, Tamabil, Jokiganj, Sutarkandi, Kamalapur, Rohonpur, Birol, Teknaf and Bituly land ports; and Chittagong and Mongla Seaports.

Besides, he said, the government procured necessary equipment, furniture and vehicles including pickup trucks and motorcycles for the quarantine stations.

VVIPs, VIPs spent Tk 40cr worth

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petrol or for a CNG-run vehicle, 27 litres of petrol and 270 cubic metres of gas per month from respective ministries, he said.

Besides, privileged full-time officials of various offices, organisations and directorates

would get Tk 25,000 for vehicle repair work.

If an office or organisation cannot provide a vehicle for fulltime use, Tk 50,000 would be allocated upon release order from ministries or department concerned along with recommendation from the office chief, Ashraf said.

Govt to create 10

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Comilla district and establishment of a new police station at Dasar under Kalkini upazila in Madaripur district after further review.

Besides, the Nicar meeting also asked the authorities concerned to restructure the proposal for increasing the area of Mymensingh Pourashava as Mymensingh is going to become a city corporation through being named as a new Division. Ministers and state ministers and secretaries concerned were present at the meeting.

Verdict any day

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have you placed it as an exhibit? On one hand, you are saying the book is not authoritative, but on the other hand you exhibited the book. Why?"

"We submitted the book to show the brutality of the atrocities committed there [Sylhet]," Tapas said.

"No, you are trying to confuse us. We will write about the matter separately [in the judgement]," said Justice Shahinur.

The other prosecutor, Sultan Mahmud Simon, then said although they were not relying on the book, they submitted it as it has clues of the crimes committed there. The tribunal then kept the case waiting for delivering judgement.

Why not declare March 7

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sculpture of Bangabandhu delivering the speech at Suhrawardy Udyan where the historic speech was delivered.

The HC bench of Justice Quazi Reza-ul Hoque and Justice Mohammad Ullah also directed the cabinet secretary to submit a report before the court by December 12 on the steps taken for construction of the statue.

The HC bench came up with the rule and orders after hearing a writ petition filed by SC lawyer Bashir Ahmed seeking necessary order on this issue.

The lawyer filed the petition after Unesco recognised the March 7 speech of Bangabandhu as a world documentary heritage last month.

Director General of Unesco Irina Bokova announced the decision on October 31 at the Unesco Headquarters in Paris.

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গাড়ী বিক্রয়
কোয়া অস্টিমা পার্স রং মডেল ২০১২, রেঞ্জি ২০১২, প্রায় নতুন অবস্থা, ২০০০সিসি, ১৬,০০০ কিমিঃ চালিত। ০১৭২৯২৯২৯৮৯, ০১৭১১৪০৫৬৭, রোড-১১, বাড়ী-৫, ১৩ তম ডালা, ব্লক-জি, বানান।

কালিয়াকৈর চান্দুরা মোড়ে ১২ বিঘা জমি বিক্রয়

সাভার-কালিয়াকৈরের সংযোগস্থল চান্দুরা মোড়ে সীমান্ত সিএনজি ফিলিং স্টেশনের পাশে কালিয়াকৈর-টাঙ্গাইল ৪ লেন মহাসড়ক সংলগ্ন ১২ বিঘা জমি বিক্রি হবে। অগ্রহী ক্রেতাগণ যোগাযোগ করুন।

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মার্কস মেডিকেল কলেজ
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OBITUARY
**Arch Taslimuddin Chowdhury**, M/N-985, an Honourable Member of Cadet College Club Ltd and an Ex-cadet of Faujdarhat Cadet College breathed his last on 15 November 2017 (Inna.....Rajeun). He was 63. He was Chairman, The Purbokone Ltd, Chittagong. He left behind his wife, two sons and one daughter to mourn his death. May his departed soul rest in eternal peace. **AMEEN**.

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