



President Abdul Hamid attends a photo session with ambassadors and high commissioners of Bangladesh working abroad at the concluding session of the three-day Envoys' Conference at Bangabhaban in the capital yesterday. The president during his speech at the programme asked the diplomats to perform their duties with a view to building good relations with all countries and international communities. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs organised the event.

PHOTO: PID

# Work with patriotism

## President asks diplomats

UNB, Dhaka

President Abdul Hamid yesterday asked Bangladeshi diplomats to perform their duties imbued with the Liberation War spirit and patriotism to build good relations with all friendly countries and international communities.

"Give priority to the country's welfare wherever you are... the diplomats will be ideals of the country and its people," he said while speaking at the concluding session of the first-ever Envoys' Conference with the theme "Diplomacy for Peace and People" at Bangabhaban.

Referring to the role of Bangladeshi expatriates in the country's socio-economic advancement, Abdul Hamid urged the diplomats to take special attention to the

expatriates so no one is harassed or deprived of getting their due rights in foreign countries.

He also underscored the need for carrying out more campaign about the history of Bangladesh, rich cultural heritage, language, literature, world's largest sea beach and Sundarbans.

Abdul Hamid thanked the international community, especially the Unesco, for recognising the 7th March Speech of Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman as world's documentary heritage and 21st February as the International Mother Language Day.

Foreign Minister AH Mahmood AL Foreign Secretary M Shahidul Haque and secretaries concerned to the Bangabhaban were, among others, present.

**BANGLADESH SERVICES LIMITED**  
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**Notice for Pre-qualification of Clearing and Forwarding (C&F) Agent**

**Bangladesh Services Limited (BSL)** invites applications from the bonafide and eligible Clearing and Forwarding (C&F) Agents of Bangladesh for prequalification for Clearing of Furniture and Operating supplies and equipment from the ports of entries of Bangladesh and transportation of the same to Bangladesh Services Ltd. 1, Minto Road, Dhaka-1000.

**Notice for Request for Prequalification of Contractor(s)/Firm(s)**

**Bangladesh Services Limited (BSL)** invites applications for prequalification from the bonafide, eligible Civil Engineering firm(s) for implementation of various upcoming civil works of Bangladesh Services Ltd (BSL) and InterContinental Dhaka.

- Terms and conditions for applying for pre-qualification are given in the website of BSL ([www.bsl.gov.bd](http://www.bsl.gov.bd)).
- The application for pre-qualification is to be submitted in sealed envelope to the office of the undersigned at following address on or before **05-12-2017**.
- The envelope containing the application shall indicate the name and address of the Applicant.
- Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all applications without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Secretary  
Bangladesh Services Ltd.

# INVITATION FOR TENDER

Pubali Bank Limited, the largest online commercial Bank in Bangladesh is hereby inviting sealed Tenders from the eligible Tenderers who can participate in the following tender as defined in the tender documents:

- Civil, Electrical and Networking works at present premises of our **Barisal Branch, Barisal**.
- Supply, installation & commissioning of Air Coolers at our (i) **Asadgonj Branch, Chittagong**, (ii) **Mithachara Bazar Branch, Chittagong**, (iii) **B.B. Avenue Corporate Branch, Dhaka**, (iv) **Jogidhar Branch, Moulvibazar**, (v) **Madan Branch, Netrakona** & (vi) **Kashiani Branch, Gopalganj**.

Please visit our website- <http://www.pubalibangla.com/tender.asp> for more details. Interested Parties may purchase Tender document by 07 December, 2017 (before 6.00 P.M.) & to submit in the Tender Box by 10 December, 2017 (before 11.00 A.M.).

Syed Abdul Mazid  
General Manager

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**PUBALI BANK LIMITED**

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**বাংলাদেশ উন্নয়ন গবেষণা প্রতিষ্ঠান**  
**BANGLADESH INSTITUTE OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

No. BIDS/Admn./new microbus/01/2017 Date: 27/11/2017

**উন্মুক্ত দরপত্র আহবান বিজ্ঞপ্তি**

বাংলাদেশ উন্নয়ন গবেষণা প্রতিষ্ঠান (বিআইডিএস) নিম্নবর্ণিত শর্তে প্রতিষ্ঠানের জন্য ১২ সীটের একটি ব্রাভ নিউ মাইক্রোবাস ক্রয়ের নিমিত্তে সংশ্লিষ্ট প্রতিষ্ঠানের নিকট থেকে সীলকৃত দরপত্র আহবান করা হচ্ছে:

১. মন্ত্রণালয়/বিভাগের নাম	পরিকল্পনা মন্ত্রণালয়, পরিকল্পনা বিভাগ।
২. সংস্থার নাম	বাংলাদেশ উন্নয়ন গবেষণা প্রতিষ্ঠান (বিআইডিএস)।
৩. সংগ্রাহক স্বত্বাধিকারী	মহাপরিচালক, বিআইডিএস, ঢাকা।
৪. ক্রয়কারী সংস্থার জেলা	ঢাকা
৫. দরপত্র আহবানের বিষয়	১২ সীটের ব্রাভ নিউ মাইক্রোবাস ক্রয়।
৬. দরপত্র আহবানের সূত্র নম্বর ও তারিখ	BIDS/Admn./new microbus/01/2017 Date: 27/11/2017
৭. সংগ্রহ পদ্ধতি	(OTM) উন্মুক্ত দরপত্র পদ্ধতি।
৮. বাজেট ও অর্থের উৎস	বিআইডিএস-এর বাজেটভুক্ত তহবিল।
৯. দরপত্র দলিল সংগ্রহের সর্বশেষ তারিখ ও সময়	বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রকাশের তারিখ থেকে ১২/১২/২০১৭ তারিখ পর্যন্ত, অফিস চলাকালীন সময়ে।
১০. দরপত্র জমা দেয়ার শেষ তারিখ ও সময়	তারিখ: ১৩/১২/২০১৭, সময়: বেলা ১১:৩০ টা পর্যন্ত।
১১. দরপত্র খোলার তারিখ ও সময়	তারিখ: ১৩/১২/২০১৭, সময়: বেলা ১১:৪৫ টা।
১২. দরপত্র আহবানকারী পদবী ও ঠিকানা	প্রশাসন শাখা, বিআইডিএস, ই-১৭, আগারগাঁও, ঢাকা-১২০৭।
১৩. দরপত্র দলিল খোলার স্থান	সচিব এর দপ্তর বিআইডিএস, ই-১৭, আগারগাঁও, ঢাকা-১২০৭।
১৪. দরদাতাবৃন্দের যোগ্যতা	ক) সরকারি, আধা-সরকারি অথবা স্বায়ত্তশাসিত প্রতিষ্ঠানে গাড়ী সরবরাহের কমপক্ষে ৫ বছরের অভিজ্ঞতা থাকতে হবে। খ) গাড়ী প্রস্তুতকারীকে সে দেশের চেম্বার অব কমার্স দ্বারা প্রত্যায়িত হতে হবে। গ) গাড়ী প্রস্তুতকারী প্রতিষ্ঠান প্রদত্ত এজেন্সি বা ডিস্ট্রিবিউটরশিপ সার্টিফিকেট এর সত্যায়িত কপি জমা প্রদান করতে হবে। এছাড়াও ঘ) হালনাগাদ ট্রেড লাইসেন্স, হালনাগাদ আয়কর পরিশোধ-এর প্রত্যায়নপত্র, ই-টিন সার্টিফিকেট, ব্যাংক সলভেন্সি সার্টিফিকেট সংযুক্ত করতে হবে। ঙ) উপর্যুক্ত সকল ডকুমেন্ট/সনদের ফটোকপি সীলমোহরসহ দরপত্রের সাথে দাখিল করতে হবে।
১৫. সংগ্রহের সংক্ষিপ্ত বর্ণনা	দরপত্র দলিল ও সিডিউল এর সকল শর্তাদি পূরণসহ সীলকৃত দরপত্র জমা দিতে হবে।
১৬. গাড়ীর বিবরণ	সিডিউলে উল্লেখিত বিবরণ অনুযায়ী।
১৭. দরপত্র দলিল ও সিডিউল এর মূল্য	১০০০/- (এক হাজার) টাকা (অফেরৎযোগ্য)।
১৮. দরপত্র জামানত	১,২৫,০০০/- (এক লক্ষ পঁচিশ হাজার) টাকা (ফেরৎযোগ্য)
১৯. পারফরমেন্স সিকিউরিটি বাবদ	সিডিউলে উল্লেখিত হারে ওয়ারেন্ট সময় পর্যন্ত বিআইডিএস এ জমা থাকবে।
২০. দরপত্র আহবানকারীর পদবী ও ঠিকানা	সচিব, বিআইডিএস, ই-১৭ আগারগাঁও, ঢাকা-১২০৭

কর্তৃপক্ষ যে কোন দরপত্র অথবা সকল দরপত্র কোন কারণ দর্শানো ব্যতিরেকে গ্রহণ অথবা বাতিল করার ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষণ করে।

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(মো: মেফতাইর রহমান)  
সচিব (চলতি দায়িত্ব)  
বাংলাদেশ উন্নয়ন গবেষণা প্রতিষ্ঠান

## Challenges aplenty

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She urged cooperation and practical support from all stakeholders to combat human trafficking.

In this year's US TIP report published on June 27, Bangladesh was placed on the tier 2 watch list.

Mostafa Kamal Uddin, secretary of home ministry's public security division; Abu Saleh Sheikh Md Zahirul Haque, secretary of law ministry's law and justice division; Zillar Rahman, secretary of social welfare ministry; and Dr Nomita Halder, secretary in-charge of expatriates' welfare and overseas employment ministry; spoke among others.

United States Agency for International Development (USAID) and Winrock International is organising the two-day conference at the initiative of the home affairs ministry.

## Road safety recommendations

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"None of our recommendations have been fulfilled," said Shyamal Dutta, editor of Bangla daily Bhorer Kagoj, who was a member of the committee.

Talking to The Daily Star over the phone yesterday, he said the report was submitted to road transport and bridges ministry but no initiatives have been taken so far.

"The culture of impunity makes drivers more reckless," he said, adding that the Karwan Bazar intersection is still dangerous for commuters.

The probe report observed that reckless driving and negligence of duties by the police and doctors were responsible for the untimely death of Zaglul Ahmed.

The report said that the driver and helper of the bus forced him to get down at Sonargaon intersection which is not a bus stop. As soon as he put his foot on the road, the driver hit the gear abruptly. He fell and was seriously injured as a result, the report added.

A commemorative meeting will be held on Zaglul Ahmed's third death anniversary at the VIP lounge of Jatiya Press Club today at 3:00pm.

## Ex-Krishi Bank DGM sent

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and two people including a chairman of a sweater factory for their alleged involvement in misappropriating Tk 430 crore.

The other accused are RN Sweaters Chairman Hosne Zaman Chowdhury, her husband and Managing Director of the factory Rashidun Nabi Chowdhury and four former BKB officials -- Shah Sarfuddin Ahmed, Sawar Hossain, Jubayer Manjur, and ABM Ataur Rahman.

According to the case statements, the six accused in collusion with others embezzled the money from the bank's Karwan Bazar branch as loan, violating rules of the bank and the Bangladesh Bank.

Two more cases were also filed against several other bank officials for their alleged involvement in misappropriating a large amount of money from the same bank.

## Anything is possible

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Her proud father, Abdur Rahim, 44, said, "Selina is an ordinary girl from a humble family who has just done an extraordinary thing and we can't be more proud than we are today."

Jusna Begum, Selina's mother, said, "Selina's success and those of others in the school highlight what young people from Newham can achieve if they are determined and ambitious."

Speaking about her inspirations, the impressive young woman, hoping to pursue a career in law, possibly at Oxford, humbly said, "My parents may not be educated, but they have always instilled in me a determination to seize all the opportunities they never had."

"My parents came to Britain because they wanted a better life for their children and I want to make them proud of me. They've always told me it doesn't matter who you are or where you come from, anything is possible if you work hard."

## AL can't be ousted forcibly

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in the last eight years. Dhaka South City Corporation (DSCC) organised the meeting participated by hundreds of activists of Awami League and its front organisations as well as city corporation officials.

Quader also inaugurated the fortnightly door-to-door free primary health care service for the people in DSCC areas. If residents needing assistance call 09611000999, doctors would appear at their doorsteps and provide primary health care services.

DSCC Mayor Sayeed Khokon chaired the meeting.

## Find out facts behind

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to investigate why the intelligence unit of the then BDR failed to detect the impending 2009 mutiny.

Claiming that a deep-rooted conspiracy was on to turn the country into a dysfunctional one, Fakhru stressed the need for probing the matter.

Fakhru also raised a question about the motive saying that the mutiny took place when a new government was formed. "What was its motive? Was it carried out only to push the then government or the country into instability?"

He also criticised the then concerned authorities for not taking an immediate action to deal with the mutiny and said many probe bodies were formed in this connection but no reports have been made public.

"We have a right to know about the matter," Fakhru said.

## Provision of professional services for field data collection under "USAID's Research for Decision Makers (RDM) Activity" project of icddr,b

Tender Ref. icddrb/SCM/OTM/34/2017

Date : Nov 28, 2017

icddr,b with support from USAID is undertaking a five-year implementation research project titled "USAID's Research for Decision Maker's (RDM) Activity" is issuing a **Request for Proposals (RFP)**. The RFP document contains all the necessary information for interested Offerors. With most proficient bidder, icddr,b will sign a Service Agreement for currently established scope.

Interested participants can download the RFP Documents from the below web address : <http://www.icddrb.org/work-with-us/tender-notices>

Pre-Bid meeting will be held on **05th Dec 2017 at icddr,b**. Please see the bid documents for details of location.

Offerors shall submit their offers through hard copy printed documents. Offers must be received no later than **December 19, 2017 COB**. Please note, opening of bids is not considered as a Public Opening.

icddr,b reserves the right to accept or reject all/part proposals without assigning any reason whatsoever. This RFP invitation will also form a part of the contract and will be binding upon the tenderer.



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## ENLISTMENT NOTICE

Ref. No. icddr,b/SCM/OTM/2017/33

Date : November 29, 2017

icddr,b invites applications for Enlistment from the genuine qualified suppliers/manufacturers/ distributors/bidders for the following Groups:

Group	Enlistment Category	Group	Enlistment Category
Group-1	Stationery & Office Supplies	Group-7	Drugs, Chemicals, Hospital Supplies and Laboratory Supplies
Group-2	Computer and IT Accessories		
Group-3	Electrical items, spare parts and maintenance	Group-8	Civil, Plumbing, Sanitary, Carpentry and Electrical Works
Group-4	Building Materials		
Group-5	Offset Printing	Group-9	General Suppliers/Service Providers for regular service-Servicing and Maintenance
Group-6	Office Furniture		

Interested Suppliers/Firms are requested to collect **"Vendor Enlistment Schedule"** and will be available at Cash Counter, Treasury Unit, Finance Department located Level-4 of Main Building, icddr,b from **November 30, 2017 to December 28, 2017 from 10:00 am to 02:30 pm on all working days**.

Interested applicant must pay **Tk. 5,000/ (non-refundable)** in cash for each enlistment schedule. The successful firms are required to submit a further **Performance Security** amounting to **Tk. 20,000.00 (Twenty thousand)** in the form of Pay Order in favor of **icddr,b** from any schedule bank in Bangladesh.

**Deadline and place of submission of enlistment application for Enlistment: 05:00pm on or before December 31, 2017 in the tender box kept in Supply Chain Office, IPH building, Ground Floor, icddr,b, Mohakhali, Dhaka-1212.**

For details, please visit : [www.icddrb.org/work-with-us/tender-notices](http://www.icddrb.org/work-with-us/tender-notices)

**For collecting of Enlistment Schedule, interested applicant must bring photo ID Card or NID/Driving license to enter into icddr,b premises regarding security issue.**

The icddr,b management reserves the right to accept or reject part/whole of any or all the enlistment without assigning any reason whatsoever.



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**বাংলাদেশ এয়ারলাইন্স লিমিটেড**  
**Biman BANGLADESH AIRLINES LTD.**  
H.S. INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, KURMITOLA, DHAKA-1229, BANGLADESH. PHONES: 8901500-19, 8901640-54, www.biman-airlines.com

Ref. No. DACMP/46/2017/4048 Date: 28 November 2017

## Tender Notice

**Biman Bangladesh Airlines Limited**

01.	Tender invitation for	To perform Re-Delivery C-Check Package (Phase 14 Including All Lesser Checks) of Two 777-200 ER Aircraft S2-AHL (MSN 32630) & S2-AHK (MSN 32629).
02.	Procurement method	Open Tendering Method.
03.	Budget and source of fund	Biman Own Fund.

**PARTICULAR INFORMATION**

04.	Tender publication date	29 November 2017						
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21 December 2017	1430 LT.							
05.	Tender closing date and time							
06.	Tender opening date and time							
		Note: In case of opening date is declared as public holiday, Tender opening will take place on the next working day.						
07.	Availability of tender document	Download from Biman website: <a href="http://www.biman-airlines.com">www.biman-airlines.com</a>						
08.	Submission of tender offer at	a) Offer may be sent by Courier to the Office of Director Engineering and Material Management, Biman Engineering Hangar Complex, HSIA, Dhaka-1229, or b) Tender Box will be kept at Gate # 8 (Hangar Gate), Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport, Dhaka, or c) Offer may also be sent through email to <777-200rdc@bdbiman.com>						
09.	Opening tender document at	Conference Room, 2nd Floor, Bangladesh Airlines Training Centre (BATC), HSIA, Dhaka-1229, Bangladesh.						

**INFORMATION FOR TENDERER**

10.	Eligibility of tenderer	Tenderer must have: a) Valid certificate of approval of FAA and/or EASA & approval from Local Regulatory Authority for performing Re-Delivery Checks, C Phase checks or equivalent checks on B777-200ER aircraft installed with PW4090 engines. b) Requisite facilities, necessary equipment, tools and spare parts to perform Check Package on Boeing 777-200ER Aircraft as described in the work package. c) An independent Quality Assurance program that: i) Monitors compliance with applicable airworthiness regulations, requirements and the maintenance procedure manual of the tenderer. ii) Addresses the specific requirements of the operator, as specified in the tender schedule. d) Performed at least 05 (five) Re-Delivery or C Phase checks or equivalent checks on 777-200ER aircraft installed with PW4090 engines during the preceding five (05) years period from July 2012 to June 2017 inclusive. e) Maintenance capability on MATSHUSHITA MAS 2000E IFE System.
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**PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS**

11.	Name of official inviting tender	G.M. Iqbal.
12.	Designation of official inviting tender	Director Engineering and Material Management (Actg.)
13.	Address of official inviting tender	Biman Engineering Hangar Complex, HSIA, Dhaka-1229, Bangladesh.
14.	Contact details of official inviting tender	Phone: +880-2-8901313, Fax: +880-2-8901639 E-mail: <a href="mailto:debiman@bdbiman.com">debiman@bdbiman.com</a>
15.	Biman reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders.	

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