Md Murtoza Zaman, CEO of Unimart, and Arif Hossain, marketing manager of Transcom Beverages Ltd, exchange documents after signing a deal in Dhaka recently. Transcom Beverages will exclusively provide all kinds of PepsiCo brand's soft drinks and drinking water at Unimart's food court Chef's Table. Malik Talha Ismail Bari, managing director of Unimart, was present.

TRANSCOM BEVERAGES LTD

Japan's Takeda gains US approval for $62b Shire buy

REUTERS, *Tokyo*

Takeda Pharmaceutical Co Ltd on Tuesday said it has received US approval for its $62 billion acquisition of London-listed Shire Plc, taking the Japanese firm one step closer to its goal of becoming a global top 10 drugmaker.

Takeda in a press release said it received unconditional clearance from the United States Federal Trade Commission.

The Tokyo-listed firm is still awaiting approval from regulators in China, the European Union and elsewhere, as well from shareholders of both parties.

Chief Executive Christophe Weber has been working to persuade investors about the deal's cost-saving merits. However, concerns of the financial burden the combined company will carry has weighed heavily on Takeda's stock price.

Takeda shares closed flat on Tuesday ahead of the announcement. The stock is down 16 percent since the firm first said at the end of March it was considering bidding for Shire.

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Quazi Osman Ali, CEO of Social Islami Bank, and Azizunnesa Huq, executive director of Dubai-based Fintech Innovations International DMCC, attend a deal signing ceremony at the former's head office on Monday. The bank will subscribe to Fintech's blockchain powered e-marketplace TradeAssets to directly reach foreign financial institutions.

German investor mood slumps on trade war fears

AFP, *Frankfurt*

Confidence among investors in Germany plunged sharply in July, the ZEW economic institute said Tuesday, reaching its lowest level since August 2012 over signs that a trade war was far from abating.

"Above all, fears of an escalation in the international trade war with the United States" drove the institute's barometer based on a survey of financial players down 8.6 points to reach -24.7, ZEW president Achim Wambach said.

President Donald Trump has hit steel and aluminium imports to the US with tariffs and threatened to do the same to European cars, after the European Union retaliated with border taxes of its own on American goods.

Major German firms have also suffered from the White House's trade war with Beijing, the second front in Trump's battle to slash US deficits, as their cars built in America face new tariffs when entering China.

Investors' views of the current situation in both Germany and the 19-nation eurozone worsened, suggesting recent "good news on industrial production, industrial orders and the labour market are more than cancelled out by the expected negative effects on exports" from the trade war, Wambach said.

Investors surveyed by ZEW also saw a bleaker future outlook for the 19-nation eurozone, with that index falling 6.1 points to reach -18.7.

ZEW polled 201 financial analysts and investors to compile its monthly index.

Frito-Lay unit sales power PepsiCo's profit, revenue beat

REUTERS

PepsiCo Inc reported second-quarter revenue and profit that topped Wall Street estimates as higher sales in its Frito-Lay unit in North America helped offset sluggish demand for beverages.

Pepsi's beverages unit that makes carbonated soft drinks has been struggling to reverse a four-quarter decline in sales as consumer taste shifts to low-calorie and low-sugar alternatives.

Sales in its North America beverage unit fell about 1 percent to $5.19 billion in the quarter, the company said, but narrowly beat market expectations.

To overcome weak soda sales, Pepsi has been focusing on growing its snacks business by experimenting with new flavors, healthier methods of preparation and packaging designs.

These efforts led to a 4.3 percent rise in sales at its Frito-Lay division that makes Cheetos and Doritos tortilla chips.

Net income attributable to the company fell to $1.82 billion, in the second quarter ended June 16, from $2.11 billion, a year ago, mainly due to higher costs for transportation and raw materials.

Excluding one-time items, the company earned $1.61 per share, beating analysts' average estimate of $1.52 per share.

Total revenue rose 2.4 percent to $16.09 billion, edging past analysts' average estimate of $16.04 billion, according to Thomson Reuters.

Shares of the beverage and snack company were marginally up about 1 percent in premarket trading on Tuesday.

The company's shares have declined about 10 percent this year, steeper than bigger rival Coca Cola's 3.2 percent drop.

SoftBank tightens grip on Yahoo Japan via $2b deal with Altaba

REUTERS

SoftBank Group is increasing its stake in Yahoo Japan through a $2 billion, three-way deal with US firm Altaba to deepen ties with the internet heavyweight ahead of an IPO of its telecoms unit.

The transaction, with just $9 million net investment by SoftBank, allows it to boost ownership of Yahoo Japan without pressuring its already strained balance sheet. It also leaves SoftBank's domestic telecoms unit with a 12 percent stake in Yahoo Japan, highlighting for investors the two companies' ties ahead of its planned listing.

In the case of Altaba, formerly called Yahoo Inc which also owns about 15 percent of Chinese e-commerce giant Alibaba Group, the deal helps monetize some of its investment in the joint venture it set up with SoftBank in 1996.

And for Yahoo Japan, the deal could strengthen ties with its biggest shareholder SoftBank and help to assuage concerns of investors who have seen its shares tumble this year. Yahoo Japan's shares ended 11.4 percent higher in Tokyo on Tuesday.

SoftBank announced on Tuesday it will buy 221 billion yen ($2 billion) of Yahoo Japan shares from Altaba. Yahoo Japan will then buy back 220 billion of stock from SoftBank. As a result of the transaction, SoftBank's stake in Yahoo Japan will rise to 48.17 percent from 42.95 percent.

Shell curbs North Sea oil production as strikes bite

AFP, *Oslo*

Oil major Royal Dutch Shell said Tuesday it had suspended production on its North Sea field of Knarr after staff working the Norwegian continental shelf went on strike, adding to supply worries in the world's oil market.

"Knarr's production has been stopped because of the strike," company spokeswoman Kitty Eide told AFP, adding that the field's output is around 23,000 barrels per day.

The shutdown was prompted by around 100 people at Knarr going on strike as part of a wider stoppage by nearly 670 people working on nine platforms or ships in the region.

They are members of the Safe union and striking over wages and pensions.

Employers association Rederiforbundet said that unions had now also issued a strike call to 900 additional staff who could take action at the weekend, potentially affecting another 20 sites.

That strike could have "huge consequences for the reputation, the economy and employment" in the oil sector, warned Jakob Korsgaard, who is negotiating on behalf of bosses.

The Norwegian strikes are adding to supply worries that have pushed the oil price higher in recent weeks.

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Office of the Director
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Memo No. CMCH/Tender/2018-19/MSR & Non-MSR/7055 Date: 10-07-2018

Invitation for Tender

Sealed tenders are hereby invited from experienced importers/contractors/suppliers/ distributors to supply MSR & Non-MSR Goods for CMCH in the fiscal 2018-2019. As per PPA-2006 & PPR-2008 (Including all corrigendum); terms and conditions are as follow(s):

KEY INFORMATION		
1	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.
2	Agency	Chattogram Medical College Hospital, Chattogram.
3	PE name, designation & contact details	Brigadier General Md. Jalal Uddin, Director, Chattogram Medical College Hospital, Telephone: +88-031-630179, Fax No. 88-031-610022, E-mail address: cmch@hospi.dghs.gov.bd
4	Procuring entity code & district	GOB, Chattogram.
5	Invitation for	Procurement of MSR & Non-MSR Goods for Chattogram Medical College Hospital in the fiscal year 2018-19.
6	Tender Ref. No. & date	CMCH/Tender/2018-19/MSR & Non-MSR/7055 Dated: 10-07-2018.
7	Procurement method	Open tender method (National), Item-by-item.
8	Budget and source of funds	GOB in Bangladeshi Taka.
9	Tender publication date	10-07-2018.
10	Tender schedule selling starting date and time	15-07-2018 during office hours.
11	Pre-tender meeting	31-07-2018 at 11:00am.
12	Tender last selling date and time	08-08-2018 during office hours.
13	Tender dropping & closing date and time	Dropping date: 09-08-2018, dropping time: From 09:00am to 12:00 Noon, closing time: 12:01pm.
14	Tender opening date and time	09-08-2018 at 12:30pm.
15	Name and address of the offices	
	(a) Selling tender documents	1 Cashier, Office of the Director, Chattogram Medical College Hospital.
		2 Cashier, Office of the Civil Surgeon, Chattogram District.
	(b) Receiving tender documents	1 Office of the Director, Chattogram Medical College Hospital.
		2 Officer-In-charge, Panchlaish Model Thana, Chattogram Metropolitan Police.
	(c) Tender documents opening place	Office of the Director, Chattogram Medical College Hospital, K.B. Fazlul Kader Road, Chattogram-4203.
INFORMATION FOR TENDERER		
16	Bidders eligibility (Bidders have to submit these certificates/attested photocopy (as applicable), deficiency of any of these documents would be counted as ineligibility of the respective bidder)	All bidders must submit tender through "Tender Booklet" prepared by procuring entity and abide by terms and conditions stated in the "Tender Booklet". The bidder must enclose the following documents with the tender:
		1 The bidder must be a Bangladeshi citizen and must submit attested photocopy of National Identity Card.
		2 02 (two) passport size photo of the bidder/representative.
		3 Electronic TIN (E-TIN) registration certificate.
		4 Valid trade licence of fiscal year 2018-19.
		5 Up-to-date BIN (Business Identification Number) certificate.
		6 Income tax clearance certificate of current fiscal year (2017-18) including last 03 (three) fiscal years (2014-15, 2015-16 & 2016-17).
		7 Bank statement (original computer sheet) from 01-08-2017 to 31-07-2018. Bidder bidding for different groups should attach the original copy of the bank statement with one group and attested photocopy of the same with other groups.
		8 Financial solvency certificate stating amount from any scheduled bank with the bidder holding an account (The statement should be issued after 31-07-2018). Solvency certificate should be based on bank statement attached. Certificate stating "Sound & Solvent" is not acceptable and bidder submitting that type of certificate will be rejected.
		9 Status of the bidder as an importer/contractor/supplier/distributor in firm's letterhead pad.
		10 The bidder should be experienced in supplying MSR Goods worth at least total BDT 50,00,000.00 (fifty lac only) to any tertiary level hospital/specialized government hospital/civil surgeon office/any government hospital within any of the last 03 (three) fiscal years. Experienced certificate and respective work order must be submitted. Bidder of Non-MSR Goods should be experienced in respective field.
17	Description of groups, price of tender document, tender security etc.	

MSR Goods

Sl No.	Group No.	Description of groups	Price of tender document in BDT (in cash, non-refundable)	Tender security in BDT (in the form of Pay Order/Demand Draft)
1	A	Medicine (Including IV Fluid, Dental Utensils)	BDT 2,000.00 (two thousand only) for Group: 1, 3 & 4; BDT 1,500.00 (one thousand five hundred only) for Group: 2, 5 & 6	5,00,000.00 (Taka five lac only)
2	B	Surgical Gauge, Bandage, Cotton etc.		3,00,000.00 (Taka three lac only)
3	C	Chemical, Re-agent etc. (Including X-Ray Film, ECG Paper)		5,00,000.00 (Taka five lac only)
4	D	Surgical Goods		5,00,000.00 (Taka five lac only)
5	E	Furniture		3,00,000.00 (Taka three lac only)
6	F	Linen Goods		3,00,000.00 (Taka three lac only)

Non-MSR Goods

1	A	Dirty Linen Goods Washing (Re-Tender)	BDT 750.00 (seven hundred fifty only)	40,000.00 (forty thousand only)

18	Description of related services	Detailed description in tender booklet.

Note:
(a) Corrigendum if necessary in future will be a part of this notice. The competent authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tender without assigning any reason whatsoever.
(b) If the date of selling, receiving & opening of tender is disturbed under any unavoidable circumstances, the next working day will be applicable for the same respectively.

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Memo No: ZPManik/e-Tender/02/2018/839 Date: 10/07/2018

e-Tender Notice No- 01/2018-2019 (OTM)

e-Tender is invited in the National e-GP System Portal (http://www.eprocure.gov.bd) for the procurement of the following work:

Tender ID	Package No.	Name of scheme	Last date and time for tender security submission	Tender closing date & time
211745	e-GP/ZPM/2018-19/01/OWN/ W-01	Construction of Proposed 04 Storied (06 Storied Foundation) Zila Parishad Residential Building (Staff Quarter) attached LGED Bhaban at Zila Sadar Manikganj.	07/08/2018 12:00 noon	07/08/2018 13:00pm

This is online tender where only e-Tenders will be accepted in the National e-GP Portal and no offline/hard copies will be accepted. To submit e-Tender, registration in the National e-GP System Portal (http://www.eprocure.gov.bd) is required.

The fees for downloading the e-Tender documents from the National e-GP System Portal have to be deposited through online from any registered banks branches up to 16:00pm on 06-08-2018. Further information and guidelines are available in the National e-GP System Portal and from e-GP help desk (helpdesk@eprocure.gov.bd).

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গণপ্রজাতন্ত্রী বাংলাদেশ সরকার

পুলিশ স্টাফ কলেজ বাংলাদেশ

স্মারক নং-পুস্টাক/০১(অংশ-৪)২০১৮/আরএন্ডপি/৩০ তারিখঃ ৯/০৭/২০১৮খ্রিঃ

উন্মুক্ত দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি

২০১৮-২০১৯খ্রিঃ

পুলিশ স্টাফ কলেজ বাংলাদেশ এর গবেষণা কাজ বাস্তবায়নের জন্য প্রকৃত গবেষক/গবেষণা প্রতিষ্ঠানের নিকট থেকে দুই খাম (ক. গবেষণা প্রস্তাবনা খ. আর্থিক পূর্ণাঙ্গ খাত ভিত্তিক বিভাজন) পদ্ধতিতে দরপত্র আহ্বান করা যাচ্ছে।

১.	সংস্থার নাম	ঃ	পুলিশ স্টাফ কলেজ বাংলাদেশ।
২.	দরপত্র সম্পাদনকারী সংস্থা	ঃ	পরিচালক (গবেষণা ও পাবলিকেশন), পুলিশ স্টাফ কলেজ বাংলাদেশ।
৩.	গবেষণার বিষয়	ঃ	1. Capacity Building of Police Staff College Bangladesh: Higher Study as a tool for Professional Enhancement. 2. Police mobility and demand of police transport: A rural and urban comparative study. 3. Socio-economic dimensions of police work in the society: An impact analysis. 4. Factors that Influencing Police Personnel's Behavior in professional work: A study.
৪.	দরপত্র পদ্ধতি	ঃ	উন্মুক্ত দরপত্র পদ্ধতি (OTM)
৫.	দরপত্র বিক্রয়ের শেষ তারিখ ও সময়	ঃ	০৮/০৮/২০১৮খ্রিঃ অফিস চলাকালীন পর্যন্ত।
৬.	দরপত্র গ্রহণের শেষ তারিখ ও সময়	ঃ	০৯/০৮/২০১৮খ্রিঃ দুপুর ১২.০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত।
৭.	দরপত্র খোলার তারিখ ও সময়	ঃ	০৯/০৮/২০১৮খ্রিঃ দুপুর ১২.৩০ ঘটিকা।
৮.	দরপত্র গ্রহণকারীর দপ্তর	ঃ	পরিচালক (আরএন্ডপি), নীচ তলা, কক্ষ নং-১০১, পুলিশ স্টাফ কলেজ।
৯.	দরপত্র প্রাপ্তির স্থান	ঃ	পরিচালক (আরএন্ডপি), নীচ তলা, কক্ষ নং-১০১, পুলিশ স্টাফ কলেজ।
১০.	দরপত্র দাখিলের স্থান	ঃ	পরিচালক (আরএন্ডপি), নীচ তলা, কক্ষ নং-১০১, পুলিশ স্টাফ কলেজ।
১১.	দরপত্র খোলার স্থান	ঃ	পরিচালক (আরএন্ডপি), নীচ তলা, কক্ষ নং-১০১, পুলিশ স্টাফ কলেজ।
১২.	দরদাতার যোগ্যতা	ঃ	অনুরূপ কাজে পূর্ব অভিজ্ঞতা (বিস্তারিত সিডিউলে উল্লেখ আছে)।
১৩.	দরপত্রদাতার যোগ্যতা ও দরপত্রের সাথে যে সকল কাগজপত্র জমা প্রদান করতে হবে	ঃ	অভিজ্ঞতার সনদপত্র, দলের সকল সদস্যদের জীবন বৃত্তান্ত এবং বিজ্ঞাপনে বর্ণিত অনুরূপ কাজ সক্ষমতার সাথে সম্পন্ন করতে পারবেন এই সমর্থনে পূর্ব অভিজ্ঞতার যে কোন পত্র/ডকুমেন্ট।
১৪.	প্রি-টেন্ডার সভা	ঃ	০৭/০৮/২০১৮ তারিখ সকাল ১১:০০ ঘটিকা।
১৫.	সিডিউলের মূল্য (প্রতিটি গবেষণা কাজের জন্য)	ঃ	৫০০/- (পাঁচশত) টাকা মাত্র।
১৬.	দরপত্র জামানত (ফেরতযোগ্য)	ঃ	গবেষক/গবেষণা প্রতিষ্ঠানকে সরকারি আইন ও বিধি মোতাবেক চুক্তিপত্র স্বাক্ষর ও কার্যাদেশ দেওয়ার পর চুক্তিবদ্ধ গবেষককে নির্ধারিত হারে জামানত পে-অর্ডার/ব্যাংক ড্রাফট এর মাধ্যমে দরপত্র জামানত পরিচালক (আরএন্ডপি), পুলিশ স্টাফ কলেজ বাংলাদেশ বরাবরে জমা দিতে হবে।

বিশেষ জ্ঞাতব্যঃ কর্তৃপক্ষ কোনরূপ কারণ দর্শানো ব্যতিরেকে যে কোন দরপত্র গ্রহণ বা বাতিল করার অধিকার সংরক্ষণ করেন।

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মিরপুর-১৪, ঢাকা-১২০৬

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