

Ensure quality of development work

Says public works and housing minister

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Public Works and Housing Minister SM Rezaul Karim urged Chittagong Development Authority (CDA) to ensure the quality of development work for the citizens' benefit.

The minister made the call at CDA auditorium yesterday in his first views-exchange meeting since assuming office.

"Chattogram has experienced huge development thanks to the skilled leadership of Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina. Expedite the development work with sincerity, and ensure quality so that people can reap the best benefits of the work," he said.

He also warned the officials, saying no pretext will be accepted when it comes to the question of development.

"Make sure that all development work is people-friendly. We want to take amenities enjoyed by city dwellers to marginalised communities of the country, as promised before the election," urged the minister.

Karim visited development sites of some of the projects taken up by CDA, including Chattogram outer ring road.

Abdus Salam, CDA chairman, said there should be coordination among government organisations in order to evade overlaps.

Shahid Ullah Khandaker, secretary of the ministry, was present among others in the meeting.



A man tries to maneuver his rickshaw-van, with rods sticking out, through a narrow opening between the dividers on busy Dhaka-Chattogram highway. Any speeding vehicle may hit him or the sharp objects he is carrying may hit other vehicles. Such three-wheeler, which is not allowed on highway, obstruct the free-flow of traffic. The photo was taken from the capital's Kodomtoli area recently.

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Punish

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"Everyone has the right to practise religion freely. Why then is the Ahmadiyya community facing repeated attacks?" asked Shahriar Kabir, president of Ektattor Ghatok Dalal Nirmul Committee. "Such incidents tarnish image of the government."

Former Supreme Court justice AHM Shamsuddin Choudhury Manik termed the attack a violation of constitutional rights.

Security expert Maj Gen (ret'd) Abdur Rashid said, "We earlier saw attempts to normalise killings of free thinkers in name of religion. Now effort is on to stir up religious sentiments by identifying Ahmadiyyas as non-Muslims."

Mobasherur Rahman, national ameer of the community, said a vested quarter is instigating people against Ahmadiyyas through spreading false information.

An ever-looming danger

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Conservation Rules 1997, no industry can operate in and around a residential area using hazardous chemicals or goods.

Director of Operations and Maintenance of Fire Service and Civil Defence Maj AKM Shakil Newaz said generating awareness among people is very important so that they do not allow any chemical store or warehouse in their area.

Local councillors also can play an important role in this regard, he said. "It is very difficult to locate this kind of warehouses as they do this business secretly," he said.

Chief Inspector of Department of Explosives Shamsul Alam said they have not given any permission to set up any store or chemical storehouse in old town for the last seven to eight years.

Councillor of ward-35 of DSCC Md Abu Sayeed said in his knowledge there is no illegal chemical warehouse. If there are any, they must be operating secretly, he said. "We will again take action if we find such kind of warehouses."

Arif Hossain, general secretary of Bangladesh Chemical and Perfumery Association, said they will relocate their warehouses and showrooms after allotment of places from the government.

"Without rehabilitation, any move against it will harm the industry as well as a huge number of people, who are involved directly or indirectly with the business," he said.

RELOCATION IN LIMBO

In April 2011, the government decided to shift all chemical warehouses from residential areas to industrial zones in Keraniganj or Kamrangir Char. But the process is still on paper, as a Tk 201.81 crore project named "Chemical Shilpa Nagar" which was approved last year by the Executive Committee of the National Economic Council is yet to begin work.

Saiful Alam, director of the project, said land acquisition work for the three-year project is yet to start.

The project, to be implemented on 50-acre land, is scheduled to be completed in June 2021.

An agreement between government and three organisations -- Bangladesh Chemical and Perfumery Merchants' Association; Bangladesh Paints, Dyes and Chemical Merchants' Association and Bangladesh Acid Merchants' Association -- was signed in this regard, said another ministry of industries official.

Bring planners

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forming the Gono Adalat and its success could not have been possible without him. Historian Syed Anwar Hossain, cultural personality Ramendu Majumdar and ex-lawmaker Nazmul Haque Prodhan also spoke.

Three convicted killers of Aref were executed on January 8, 2016 at Jashore (then Jessore) Central Jail.

Kazi Aref, a Liberation War organiser, along with four Kushtia JSD unit men was killed after a rally at Kalidaspur, under Daulatpur upazila of Kushtia, on February 16, 1999.

The Gono Adalat, a symbolic court to try Ghulam Azam, was formed under leadership of Jahanara Imam in 1992.

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Building

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She published a research book, "Garó Jatir Bebohrito Bonojo Ousodhi" (herbal medicines used by Garo people), also from Thakbirim.

Some indigenous publishers have set up stalls at the book fair to promote their heritage as well.

Sadhan Maibam is one such publisher. His "Teuri" publication brought out 35 new releases this year. Of them, more than 10 books are written by indigenous writers.

"Monipuri Lokokahini" (Monipuri folklore) translated by L Birmangal Singha and "Prantik Somajer Kotha: Garo o Hajong Janasamaj" by James Jornesh Chiran are some of the books generating much interest.

"I try my best to publish books by indigenous writers. They all have unique stories to tell and are contributing to the country's rich literary culture," said Sadhan.

Mithun Raksam, publisher of Thakbirim, said, "Readers should be more enthusiastic about expanding their horizon and read indigenous books... then again, publishers have some responsibilities too. They need to promote the works of indigenous writers."

A total of 206 books hit the fair yesterday.

49 aspirants

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Bangladesh during the Liberation War and one of the four national leaders Syed Nazrul Islam, was elected MP from the constituency for the fifth consecutive term in the December 30 polls.

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NEWSINbrief

ULAB hosts financial inclusion summit in Dhaka

CITY DESK

University of Liberal Arts Bangladesh (ULAB) hosted a daylong "2019 Financial Inclusion Summit" at a Dhaka hotel yesterday, says a press release.

The ULAB Center for Enterprise and Society was the primary organiser of the event while bKash was the primary sponsor.

UN Capital Development Fund, the Digital Frontier Institute and Innovision Consulting Private Limited, and the Financial Express were the other partners of this event.

Planning Minister MA Mannan was the chief guest. ULAB trustee board special adviser Prof Imran Rahman and Vice Chancellor Dr HM Jahirul Haque, among others, spoke.

Workshop on fire safety in buildings begins at Buet

CITY DESK

A two-week-long workshop on "Fire Safety in Buildings" for the teachers of Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (Buet) began on the campus on Friday.

Organised by the Department of Architecture, the event is being coordinated by Prof Farida Nilufar, dean of the Faculty of Architecture and Planning, says a press release.

Department head Prof Nasreen Hossain inaugurated the workshop. Prof Nizamuddin Ahmed is the principal instructor, Prof Ashikur Rahman Joarder instructor and Tareq Haider and Brishty Majumdar are facilitators.

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