

CARRYING FIREARM Man held at Dhaka airport

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Security personnel of Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport yesterday arrested a union parishad chairman during check-in at the domestic terminal, for carrying a pistol with seven rounds of bullets.

Mohammad Masud Chowdhury is chairman of Fulshahara union of Chowgacha upazila in Jashore, said a top official of the airport.

Masud was a passenger of a Jashore-bound Novoair flight yesterday. After primary interrogation, he was handed over to the local police station, for carrying the firearm and ammunition without prior declaration.

On February 24, one Polish Ahmed boarded a Biman flight with a "toy gun" and allegedly attempted to hijack the aircraft. He died during a commando operation after the aircraft landed at Chattogram airport.

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আমার রাজউক কর্তৃক নিউটেন এর মূল কাগজ, যার স্মারক নং-এ-১/পুল/সিভিলিউন (সি) ০-৫ (২০৯, ২১০৫ ও ২১১-২১৮) হািরিয়েছে। যার জিডি নং- ৩১৩/১৯ তাং-০৫-০৩-১৯, জলশান থানা। ডাঃ ইমতিয়াজ হোসেন জৌধুরী ডি-৯৮

TK 29CR EMBEZZLEMENT AT FARMERS BANK ACC challenges CEO's bail

COURT CORRESPONDENT

Anti-Corruption Commission (ACC) yesterday challenged the February 13 order by a metropolitan magistrate that granted bail to former Farmers Bank managing director and CEO, Chowdhury Mustaque Ahmed, in a graft case.

ACC Chairman Iqbal Mahmood filed the petition on Sunday with Senior Special Judge's Court in Dhaka, seeking cancellation of the bail and an order to send him to jail.

Judge KM Emrul Kayesh fixed April 8 for hearing the petition, said ACC Public Prosecutor Mahmud Hossain Jahangir.

On October 28 last year, Deputy Director of ACC Shamsul Alam filed a case with Gulshan Police Station accusing seven persons including Mustaque Ahmed for embezzling Tk 29 crore from the bank.

In December last year, Mustaque surrendered before the High Court and sought bail.

After a hearing, HC granted an eight weeks interim bail and directed him to surrender before a Dhaka court after its expiry.

Subsequently in January this year, ACC challenged the HC order and filed a petition with the Supreme Court.

The apex court set aside the HC

order and directed Mustaque to surrender before a lower court.

Upon his surrender, on February 13, Metropolitan Magistrate Md Masud-Ur Rahman granted bail to Mustaque considering his health condition and social status.

In the appeal, ACC chief Iqbal Mahmood argued that the order by the metropolitan magistrate should be cancelled because the lower court has no jurisdiction to grant bail in this case.

"SC had cancelled his previous interim bail, therefore the order of the metropolitan magistrate should also be cancelled," he argued.

Steps against those airing local ads on foreign channels

Says info minister

BSS, Dhaka

Information Minister Dr Hasan Mahmud yesterday said the government would take necessary steps against those involved in airing local advertisement in foreign TV channels.

"The government has already asked local cable operators to keep Bangladeshi channels first in its serial. Steps would be taken against the persons who are involved in creating advertisement with foreign artists," he told journalists at his secretariat office.

Later, the minister held a meeting with members of Association of Television Channel Owners (ATCO).

Prime Minister's Advisor on Private Industry and Investment Salman F Rahman, Information Secretary Abdul Malek, BTV Director General SM Harun-or Rashid, senior journalist Iqbal Sobhan Chowdhury and Ekattor Television CEO Mowammel Babu, were present at the meeting.

He said mass media is the fourth organ of a state, as it plays a vital role in showcasing the reality of a society. But there are also problems, as some people are airing advertisement on foreign TV channels instead of local ones.

TV channels of the country are being deprived of revenue and consequently falling into financial crisis, he added.

Ruqayyah Hall fiasco

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As we entered the hall union office, we found a door that leads directly into the polling booths. With just one hour to go until the end of voting time, we still had no news on whether we'd be able to cast our votes.

By that time, I had been yelled at by multiple Chhatra League activists for asking too many questions about the ballot papers. We heard nothing from the authorities. Despite trying to wait around "calmly" and cast our votes, it simply wasn't possible.

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Dipankar Mutsuddi dies

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Ctg

Dipankar Mutsuddi, a former flight sergeant of Bangladesh Air Force, passed away in Chattogram yesterday. He was 82.

He left behind his wife, two sons and two daughters, said a press release.

After last rites at Nandankanan Buddhist Temple, his cremation will be held today at Chandgaon Buddhist Crematorium.

Lack of monitoring

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care work creates barriers to women's higher education and employment as they fail to enter the labour force because of the burden.

Once women's unaccounted work is translated into monetary value and integrated into national GDP, it will make society realise the significance of care services and change attitude towards women, said Shaheen Anam, executive director of MJF.

"To advocate for women's empowerment, MJF initiated a programme called 'equality through dignity'. We believe, if women receive respect for their work, they will become more confident... Change in society's perception [of them] will help curb violence against them," she added.

Public investment in infrastructure like clean water, social protection and care services will help women manage time for paid work and encourage redistribution of care work.

By empowering women and bringing about gender equality, the government can reduce violence against women, said Asa Torkelson, representative from the UNFPA.

Planning Minister Abdul Mannan said the government is very sensitive to women's development and is working for change. "Change cannot happen without including women in development and growth," he said.

If the budget is equally and justly distributed, all will be benefitted, especially those who have been deprived for long, the minister added.

পক্ষী কর্ম-সহায়ক ফাউন্ডেশন (পিকেএসএফ)
প্ৰটঃ ই-৪/বি, আগারগাঁও প্রশাসনিক এলাকা, শের-ই-বাংলা নগর, ঢাকা ১২০৭।
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Memo No: 53.23.0000.013.017.19-1375 Date: 11 March, 2019

e-Tender Notice

E-Tender Notice invited in the National e-GP System Portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) for procurement of;

Tender ID No.	Package No.	Description	Publication date & time	Closing-Opening date & time
291730	PKSF/SEP/e-GP/G-02	Procurement of Laptop-Desktop Computer, Tabs & Modems, Printer and Related Accessories	07-03-2019 3:00 PM	28-03-2019 12:00 PM

This is an online Tender, where only e-Tender 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 selling/downloading the e-Tender Documents from the National e-GP system portal have to be deposited online through any registered banks branches.

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BUFT BGMEA University of Fashion & Technology (BUFT)
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Job Opportunity for a Deputy Financial Controller

Following qualifications and experience are required for the advertised position

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- Applicant to deal with University Finance and Accounting matters, Treasury and banking matters, insurance. Internal control on financial matters, external audit and budgetary control.
- Key responsibility shall be, review of monthly financial statement and budget variance analysis. Verification of financial transactions, bank charges and expenses, Bank account and term loan reconciliation, Investment of provident fund surplus balances, dealing with University income tax and deductions of income tax and value added tax at source as per statute and support superiors.
- He/She must be literate in computer with experience in MS word, MS excel, MS power point, experience of working with ERP software like SAP, Tally and must be capable of implementing new software and lead the implementation team.
- Applicant must have 25 years of work experience in large local enterprise or Multinational Company with at least 10 years' experience in senior position.
- Age limit 50 to 55 years.

Excellent remuneration package commensurate with experience will be offered to the deserving candidate together with good career prospects.

Applicant to apply with bio-data, 2 photograph, copies of relevant certificate Addressing **Founder Chairman, Board of Trustees, BGMEA University of Fashion & Technology by 31 March 2019.**

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NORTH-WEST POWER GENERATION COMPANY LIMITED
ISO-9001: 2015, ISO 14001:2015 & ISO 45001:2018 Certified
(An Enterprise of Bangladesh Power Development Board)
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Phone: 9145291-92, 9145427-28, e-mail: info@nwpqcl.gov.bd, web: www.nwpqcl.gov.bd

e-Tender Notice

Invitation Reference No. 04/e-GP/Goods/Proc/NWPQCL/2018-19
e-Tender is invited in the National e-GP System Portal (www.eprocure.gov.bd) for below mentioned procurement:

Brief Description: Procurement of Spare Parts of Hydraulic Power Unit for Controlling Bypass Damper of Sirajganj 225 MW Combined Cycle Power Plant (Unit-1) under North-West Power Generation Company Limited.

Tender No. 294576
Publication Date: 12/03/2019 at 08:00
Closing Date: 31/03/2019 at 17:00

This is an online tender, where only e-Tender 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 (www.eprocure.gov.bd) is required.

The fees for selling/downloading the e-Tender documents from the National e-GP System Portal have to be deposited online through any registered bank's branch up to date & time mentioned in the notice.

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Superintending Engineer (Procurement)
North-West Power Generation Co. Ltd.

Ruling party wants

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actions against these menaces," she said.

Talking about the recently-signed memorandum of understanding with Saudi Arabia over military cooperation, Hasina said members of the Bangladesh Armed Forces will never ever engage in any war joining hands with another country.

Later, the House passed the vote of thanks on the President's speech by voice vote.

HC declares BIWTA

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verdict after hearing the writ petition challenging the legality of the trade union.

Md Mujibor Rahman, general secretary of BIWTA Employees' Union, filed the petition in 2016 saying that the department of labour has illegally given registration to it.

Petitioner's lawyer Advocate Mantu Ghosh told reporters that all activities done by BIWTA Sramik Karmachari Union will be considered illegal following the HC judgement.

Barrister Shafique Ahmed and Barrister Mahbub Shafique appeared for BIWTA Sramik Karmachari Union.

Govt officials forced

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general provident fund and collect money after its maturity.

Teachers of government primary schools have to give bribe to get money from gratuity, reads the report.

It also said that newly-appointed government officers have to pay bribe at accounts offices to get their first salary.

ACC suggested the Office of the Controller General of Accounts to strengthen its monitoring system and IT sector, automate billing service, create websites for each accounts office and increase manpower to prevent corruption.

ACC suggested setting 5-7 working days for the disposal of pension cases,

and introducing electronic fund transfer system for pensioners.

The finance minister told reporters that the government has already expressed its zero tolerance policy against corruption.

He called upon government officers and staff not to get involved in corruption.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Local Government Engineering Department, Office of the Upazila Engineer
Upazila: Kachua, District: Bagerhat, www.lged.gov.bd
Memo No. 46.02.0138.000.07.062.19-247 Date: 10/03/2019

Invitation for Tender (Works)

e-Tender Notice No. 05/2018-2019

e-Tender is invited in the National e-GP System Portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) for the procurement of following works. Details are given below.

Sl. No.	Package No.	Name of work	Tender last selling (date & time)	Tender closing (date & time)	Tender opening (date & time)	Tender ID No.	Procurement method
01	e-Tender/NBIDGSPS/BGT/KAC/2018-19/W1.03826	Construction of Tengrakhal Primary School	16/04/2019 at 17:00	17/04/2019 at 15:00	17/04/2019 at 15:00	290817	OSTETM

This is an online tender where only e-Tender 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 online through any registered banks branches up to 16/04/2019 at 17:00. Further information and guidelines are available in the National e-GP System Portal and e-GP help desk (helpdesk@eprocure.gov.bd).

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Date Extended: Recruitment of MSc. in Applied Epidemiology & Field Epidemiology Training Program, Bangladesh (FETP,B) Advanced (2019-2021)

The Institute of Epidemiology, Disease Control and Research (IEDCR) and the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (US CDC) jointly invite application from the prospective government medical doctors and government veterinarians for the 6th Batch Field Epidemiology Training Program, Bangladesh (FETP,B)-Advanced.

The FETP,B is a 2-year, hands-on, intensive training program in applied epidemiology and public health leadership taught by national and international experts. Since 1980, US CDC has partnered with Ministries of Health to establish 54 Field Epidemiology Training Programs worldwide. These programs have produced more than 3,100 graduates from 72 countries. Many graduates obtain high-level leadership positions within the health system. After successful completion of 2-year course, fellow will be awarded **MSc. in Applied Epidemiology**.

For detailed information on the program, application requirements, participant number, selection process, and application instructions- Please long on to: www.iedcr.gov.bd.

The date is extended from **February 28 to March 21, 2019**. Prospective government applicants should apply through proper channel to the Office of Director, IEDCR, Mohakhali, Dhaka-1212 by **March 21, 2019 (9:00am-5:00pm-office days)**.

Professor Dr Meerjady Sabrina Flora
Director
IEDCR, DGHS,
Mohakhali, Dhaka-1212

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Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Local Government Engineering Department
Office of the Executive Engineer
District: Bhola
www.lged.gov.bd
Memo No. 46.02.09.00.000.14.040.19.646 Date: 10/03/2019

e-Tender Notice No. 40/2018-19

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

Sl No.	Upazila	Package No.	T-ID No.	Name of scheme	Last date of selling	Last date of receiving
BDRIDP						
1.	Sadar	BDRIDP/BHO/SDR/CCA-Rd/28	292482	a. Improvement of Maler Hat Bridge to Rustun Ali Mia Brick Field Road from Ch 00.00-1920m Maler Hat Ghatla Approach ID No. 509185109 b. Improvement of Barishal RHD-Rafique Miar House Road from Ch 00-800m ID 509185118	22-04-2019 till 17:00pm	23-04-2019 till 12:00 Noon
2.	Sadar	BDRIDP/BHO/SDR/CCA-Rd/29	292483	a. Improvement of Gazaria GC Road-Rarir Hat via Justice Farid Ahmed Bari Road from Ch 2700m-3400m ID No. 509185171 b. Improvement of Dania Algi Talukdar Bari Badamtala Nasir Maji Road from Ch 00.00-1375m ID No. 509185037	22-04-2019 till 17:00pm	23-04-2019 till 12:00 Noon
3.	Sadar	BDRIDP/BHO/SDR/CCA-Rd/30	292484	Improvement of Char Ananda Part-3-Swdis School-Alhajj Mofijol Haque Talukdar Bari Road from Ch 00-1100m ID No. 509184085	22-04-2019 till 17:00pm	23-04-2019 till 12:00 Noon
4.	Lalmohan	BDRIDP/BHO/LAL/JUN-Rd(R)/04	292485	a. Maintenance work of Char Betua UPC-Raychand GC Road ID No. 509543001 b. Maintenance work of Lalmohan Chowmohoni Karterhat East Road ID No. 509543002	22-04-2019 till 17:00pm	23-04-2019 till 12:00 Noon
5.	Lalmohan	BDRIDP/BHO/LAL/JUN-Rd(R)/01	292486	a. Improvement of Dowri Bazar Khasherhat GC Road Lalmohan Part Ch 00-700m ID No. 509542005 b. Mongol Sikder GC Bazar-Betua RHD via Lordharding UP Road Lalmohan Part Ch 130650-14365m ID No. 509542009	22-04-2019 till 17:00pm	23-04-2019 till 12:00 Noon
6.	Tazumuddin	BDRIDP/BHO/TAZ/JUN-Rd/03	292487	a. Improvement of Harun Dalal House to Taragazi School Feregikandi Road Ch-00-700m ID-59914026 b. Improvement of South Kayamulla Road Ch-2200-2965 ID-59915008	22-04-2019 till 17:00pm	23-04-2019 till 12:00 Noon
7.	Tazumuddin	BDRIDP/BHO/TAZ/JUN-Rd(R)/01	292488	Improvement of Tazumuddin Hospital RHD-Dowari GC Via Khaserhat GC & Bangla Bazar Road Ch. 5810-7898m 509912003	22-04-2019 till 17:00pm	23-04-2019 till 12:00 Noon

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