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 respondents to the rule, writ petitioner's lawyer Barrister Jyotirmoy Barua told The Daily Star.
 The HC bench of Justice Syed Refaat Ahmed and Justice Md Iqbal Kabir Lytton came up with the rule after hearing a writ petition filed by Lira Barua's father Devabrata Barua, challenging the legality of Dhaka CMM's order.
 Barrister Jyotirmoy Barua said the CMM of Dhaka on November 5 last year illegally sent Lira, who went out of her house in Chattogram on October 20 last year, to the custody of Bangladesh Mahila Parishad.
 The lawyer refused to give details on issues relating to Lira Barua for ethical reasons.



Prof Nick Klomp and Prof Md Abu Saleh sign an MoU on May 3 for PhD programme in Australia. AFM Sarwar Kamal was also present.
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CITY DESK
 Bangladesh University of Business and Technology (BUBT) and Central Queensland University (CQU), Australia signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) at Rockhampton in Australia on May 3, says a press release.
 The signatories were Prof Nick Klomp, vice chancellor of CQU; and Prof Md Abu Saleh, VC of BUBT. AFM Sarwar Kamal, convener, International Academic Relations Advisory Committee of BUBT, was present on the occasion.
 Prof Santi Narayan Ghosh, research director and head of IQAC; Prof Syed Masud Husain, dean of business and social sciences; and Prof Mohammad

Ameer Ali, head of computer science and engineering at BUBT; Prof Helen Huntly, provost, Tertiary Education Division; Prof Lee Di Lilia, dean, School of Business and Law; Prof Susan Kinner, dean of Graduate Studies, Research Division; and Prof Quamrul Alam of International Business and Strategy, School of Business and Law from CQU, were also present.
 The MoU aims to facilitate academic and research collaborations between the two universities.
 Initially, five faculty members of BUBT will start their PhD programme with CQU from July. Subsequent programmes to follow are joint research projects, conferences, seminars and workshops as well as faculty and student exchange programmes.

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 protests for safer roads.
 Nazrul Islam said the government will undertake specific projects to provide training to driver.
 He read out a letter sent to him by a class 10 student from Faridpur, going over reasons behind accidents and recommendations to prevent accidents.
 "We all want safe roads. The issue has also affected this student... such letters make us emotional and push us to be more responsible," he said.
 Lauding the 111-point recommendations prepared by a committee led by former shipping minister Shajahan Khan, he said collective effort is needed to implement the suggestions.
 Road safety campaigner Ilias Kanchan urged all to play an active role in raising awareness on safe roads.
 Noted columnist Syed Abul Maksud said each accident happen for a specific reason, so drivers should not be blamed for all accidents; although reckless driving is a reason.
 He urged the media to play a more responsible role in this regard.
 Transport leaders Osman Ali, Rustam Ali, Mahbubur Rahman and Brac's Road Safety Programme Head Kamran ul Baset also spoke at the event. Mahbub-E-Rabbani, director (road safety) of BRTA, moderated the programme while BRTA Chairman Moshir Rahman presided over it.

HC summons Patuakhali civil surgeon
Seeks explanation for 'confusing' postmortem report
STAFF CORRESPONDENT
 The High Court yesterday summoned the civil surgeon of Patuakhali to appear before it on May 22 for giving an explanation of a postmortem report made in connection with a rape and murder case.
 Civil Surgeon Shah Mojahedul Islam has been asked to appear before the HC to explain the postmortem report's opinion which termed the incident of rape and murder of seventh grader Seema "Anti Mortem and Accidental", Assistant Attorney General Md Yousuf Mahmud Morshed told The Daily Star.
 He said in medical terms "Anti Mortem and Accidental" mean "death and accident" which is confusing as rape and murder cannot be an accident.
 Md Rezaul Rahman, a medical officer of a Patuakhali hospital, gave the opinion in the postmortem report over the rape and murder of Seema of Rangabali upazila and the civil surgeon agreed with it, AAG Morshed said.
 Yesterday, the HC bench of Justice M Enayetur Rahim and Justice Md Mostafizur Rahman issued the summon order while hearing a petition filed by Danesh Choukidar, an accused of the case, seeking bail.
 While dealing with the bail petition, the HC judges found the postmortem report confusing, AAG Morshed said, adding that the HC bench fixed May 22 for further hearing on the bail petition.
 He said Seema was raped and killed on January 21 last year. Later, her mother Taslima Begum filed the case with Nari o Shishu Nirjatan Doman Tribunal of Patuakhali against eight persons including Danesh Choukidar.
 Danesh, who is now in jail, recently submitted the petition to the HC, seeking bail in the case, AAG Morshed added.

A different
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 "Every Saturday, we hold seminar on heart disease, on Sunday meditation programme and on Monday class on cooking without oil," said Raihan.
 Yesterday's launching ceremony was inaugurated by former Vice Chancellor of Dhaka University AAMS Arefin Siddique.

Students go on rampage
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 was killed, when a pickup van ran him over on the Dhaka-Aricha highway in Golora area of Saturia upazila early yesterday morning.
 The deceased was identified as Sohul Hossain, 16, son of Amez Uddin from Jagir Meghshimul area in Sadar upazila.
 Golora Highway Police Station Officer-in-Charge (OC) Lutfar Rahman told The Daily Star that the construction worker died on the spot in the accident, that took place around 8am.
 He was standing in front of Akij Tobacco factory gate to board a bus to go to his workplace.
 Police seized the vehicle but its driver managed to flee, he said.
 The body of the deceased was sent to Manikganj District Hospital morgue for autopsy, the OC added.
 Meanwhile in Rajbari, a middle-aged man was killed after a bus hit a bicycle he was riding on in Goalanda Bazar area of Dhaka-Khulna highway on Monday evening.
 The deceased was identified as Sanjoy Kumar Roy, 42, son of Rajat Chandra Roy from Goalanda upazila.
 The accident took place around 7:45pm, when the bus hit the bicycle from behind while Sanjoy was going to his house from a nearby bazar, said Md Mizanur Rahman, Alhadipur Highway Police Station sub-inspector, quoting locals.
 Sanjoy was rushed to Goalanda Upazila Health Complex by locals, where doctors declared him dead.
 [Our correspondents from Cox's Bazar, Manikganj and Faridpur contributed to the report]

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Senior Vice President

Repair vulnerable
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 classmates of Chhotobaghi PK Government Primary School in Taltali upazila in Borguna were injured as chunks of plaster from the ceiling fell on them.
 Following the incident, another HC bench on April 7 issued a rule asking the authorities concerned to explain why they should not be directed to pay compensation to the victims' families and why their failure to ensure safety and security should not be declared illegal.
 Deputy Attorney General Motaher Hossain Sazu represented the state.

Fani damaged crops
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 Madaripur, Gopalganj, Barishal, Barguna, Bhola, Patuakhali, Jhalakathi and Pirojpur.
 The minister assured that his ministry would provide seeds, fertilizer and money to farmers under a rehabilitation programme, to be implemented during the 2019-2020 period after making a list of the cyclone-affected people.
 Dr Razzaque said the ministry has directed local administrations to drain out water from croplands and vegetable fields as a post-cyclone short-term step, and help farmers harvest boro paddy.
 Terming the government an agriculture-friendly one, the minister said Department of Agricultural Extension (DAE) and agriculture ministry are standing beside farmers and working jointly in this regard.

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 are afraid to open our mouths about harassment. We have to be aware of this and we have to encourage women to come forward."
 Kamrun Nahar, general secretary of Garment Workers Federation, attributed the lack of reports of sexual harassment to the workload, saying women workers often do not have the time to even dwell on an incident. "The harassment will continue until the inhuman workload is reduced."
 Referring to a study, Ylva Sahlstrand, second secretary of SIDA, said, "This is a global problem. We are facing the same problem in Sweden. Some 80 percent women (in Sweden) said they face sexual harassment at workplace."
 In parallel to legal framework, she also stressed to creating a sense of "valuing one another" and teaching children about sexual harassment.
 In her introductory speech, MJF Executive Director Shaheen Anam said, "Things have changed [positively] over the years due to gender policy and activities of different NGOs. But due to the lack of monitoring, it is not being effective [at the desired level]."
 Presided over by Karmojibi Nari President Pratima Paul Majumder, other speakers at the programme included Khondaker Golam Moazzem, research director of Center for Policy Dialogue; and Nazneen Ahmed, senior research fellow of Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies.

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Date: May 8, 2019
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Package No.	Name of IFT/RFP	Reference No.	Pre-Tender Meeting schedule	Last date of Tender Submission
1	Laptop, Desktop & Monitor	RFP/SCI/BDCO/FY-19/ (Manual)/007	May 13, 2019 at 11:00am	May 28, 2019 on or before 2:00pm
2	Food Kit	RFP/SCI/BDCO/FY-19/ (Manual)/08	May 13, 2019 at 2:00pm	May 28, 2019 on or before 2:00pm
3	Shelter Kit	RFP/SCI/BDCO/FY-19/ (Manual)/09		
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 Senior Manager, Procurement & Supply Chain

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The duration of the service contract till 31 May 2020.

For details of the Job Description and instructions to apply, please visit our website: <http://www.bd.undp.org/content/bangladesh/en/home/operations/jobs.html>. Applications should be received no later than **21 May 2019.**

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 Corrigendum 01 for e-Tender Notice No. 09/2018-19

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:

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The changing of tender mentioned in details above TID No. 308747 and the other details will remain unchanged.

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