

Two killed in road accidents

STAR REPORT

Two persons were killed in separate road accidents in two districts yesterday.

In Chapainawabganj, motorcycle rider Shahadat Hossain, 18, was killed in Kholsi area of Nachole upazila, reports our correspondent.

The accident took place when a Chapainawabganj-bound truck hit the motorcycle around noon, killing Shahadat on the spot, said Abdul Hannan, officer-in-charge (investigation) of Nachole Police Station.

The truck driver and the helper was arrested and the vehicle was seized, the OC added.

In Faridpur, an unidentified woman was killed in a road accident in Madhukhali bazar area on Dhaka-Khulna Highway around 4:30pm, reports our correspondent.

The accident took place when a sand-laden truck ran her over while she was crossing the highway, said Saiful Alam, sub-inspector of Madhukhali Police Station.

She was declared dead at a local hospital, said the SI. Police seized the truck but the driver fled the scene.

3D zebra crossings turn heads in Barishal

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Barishal

From a distance, they look like solid obstacles on the road, but closer inspection reveals them to be mere optical illusions of three-dimensional paintings.

The newly-painted 3D zebra crossings are the latest road safety initiative taken by Barishal City Corporation, the first of its kind in Bangladesh.

BCC Mayor Serniabat Sadiq Abdullah unveiled the work on Friday.

According to BCC sources, initially there will be 3D zebra crossings at five intersections: Zilla School-Barishal Club-Police Line, Kakoli, Bibir Pukur, Jaikhan, and Amtala.

The BCC mayor said, "We are introducing these zebra crossings as a modern solution to ensure road safety and prevent road accidents. These are already being used in some developed countries."

"This is an experimental initiative; if it is successful then we will introduce it on different roads of the city," he added.

Barishal Metropolitan Police's (BMP) Deputy Commissioner of Traffic Khairul Islam said, "These will have better visibility than traditional marking patterns. However, there is still a need for awareness among drivers and pedestrians."

Humayun Kabir, executive



Although painted on a flat surface, this zebra crossing acts as a 3D optical illusion, prompting vehicles to slow down.

PHOTO: TITU DAS

engineer of BCC, said, "BCC is the first to introduce this type of zebra crossing in the country. It costs around Tk 900 per square feet and will remain visible for at least three years."

Sujon Bepari, a microbus driver,

said this zebra crossing is definitely more visible than traditional ones. "We can see the it from far away and control the car's speed."

Truck driver Sayed Hossain echoed this observation, saying this marking helps drivers slow down at

the right time.

Pedestrians who were crossing the road were also seen curiously observing the new style of zebra crossings, and welcomed this initiative, saying it would make the streets safer.

'No training complex on Padma char land'

Shahriar Alam assures on Facebook

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Rajshahi

While locals in Rajshahi passed the seventh day of protest against prison authorities' bid to grab at least 100 acres of char land on the river Padma, the state minister for foreign affairs yesterday assured citizens of a government decision to uphold people's demand.

"No organisation under Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina's government will take any decision that goes against people's demand," M Shahriar Alam wrote in a Facebook post.

"The prisons training academy will be established in Rajshahi, but it will be in a new place," Alam, a lawmaker from Rajshahi-6 (Charghat-Bagha) constituency, wrote. He said he spoke to the secretary of the concerned ministry in this regard.

The Daily Star on May 15 reported that the prison authorities in May last year proposed to the land ministry for acquiring 100 acres of char land for building a complex for training academy.

Learning about the initiative, locals criticised the decision on social media, and a socio-cultural organisation named "Rajshahi-bashi" (citizens of Rajshahi) started demonstrating against the move.

On May 19, they demonstrated in front of Rajshahi Central Jail.

The next day, they submitted a memorandum to the prime minister and made a six-point demand including protecting the areas along the river in the town as heritage sites. Since May 21, locals have been holding rallies at different intersections.

The state minister's social media post came following the movement. He wrote that the people's representatives would play a role in finding out a suitable place for setting up the training academy.

Rajshahi-bashi thanked the state minister through a Facebook post in the afternoon. The organisation hoped that the government will make an official announcement in this regard soon. Talking to The Daily Star, Mahbub Tunku, convener of the group, said they would continue their movement until such announcement is made.

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Law minister off to Vienna

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Law Minister Anisul Huq left for Austrian capital Vienna yesterday, to attend the 10th session on the review chapter of implementation of United Nations Convention Against Corruption (UNCAC).

The three-day conference begins today, law ministry sources said.

The minister will lead the Bangladesh delegation, including senior officials from legislative and

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পাইলস, ফিস্টুলা, কোষ্ঠকাঠিন্য, অ্যাপেন্ডিসাইটিস, পলিপ, কোলোনরুপি, কোলন, রেকটাম ক্যান্সার ও ল্যাপারোস্কপি

পেটের খাদ্যনালী ও মলদ্বারের (Colon, Rectum and Anus) বিভিন্ন সমস্যা যেমন- মলত্যাগের পর রক্ত যাওয়া, মলদ্বারের বিভিন্ন সমস্যা, ফিস্টুলা, এনালফিসার, রক্ত আমাশয় (Ulcerative Colitis), বিনা অপারেশনে পাইলস চিকিৎসা, মলদ্বার না কেটে সর্বাধুনিক ল্যাপো পদ্ধতিতে পাইলস অপারেশন, মলদ্বারে বার বার অপারেশন বার্ষিক হওয়ার কারণ, বাধগ্রস্থ মল ত্যাগের জন্য (Obstructed Defecation) STARR অপারেশন, পেটের ভেতর খাদ্যনালীর ক্যান্সার (Colon Cancer), Colonoscopy, পান্ডুপথ ক্যান্সারে (Rectum Cancer) মলদ্বার না কেটে অত্যাধুনিক ট্যাপিং পদ্ধতিতে পেটে ব্যাপ না লাগিয়ে অপারেশন, শিশুদের পায়খানার সাথে রক্ত যাওয়া ইত্যাদির অত্যাধুনিক ও বিশ্বদেয় চিকিৎসা সম্পর্কে জানতে হলে বইটি পড়ুন।

বইটি লিখেছেন বাংলাদেশ এবং উপমহাদেশের পাইলস/কোলন/রেকটাম সার্জন কলোরেকটাল সার্জারিতে বিশ্বব্যাপী সর্বাধিক সফল অপারেশন সম্পাদনকারী সার্জন।

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Invitation for Bids for Goods (International)

1	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Education, Secondary and Higher Education Division
2	Agency	Directorate of Secondary and Higher Education
3	Procuring Entity Name	Program Director, Secondary Education Sector Investment Program (SESIP)
4	Procuring Entity Code	Not Applicable
5	Procuring Entity District	Dhaka
6	Invitation for	Procurement of Goods
7	Invitation Ref No	DSHE/SESIP/SPSU/1-438/PVIP(GD-50/a)/2019/313
8	Date	23 May 2019
KEY INFORMATION		
9	Procurement Method	OTM/ International Competitive Bidding (ICB)
FUNDING INFORMATION		
10	Budget and Source of Funds	Development, and GOB and Project Aid
11	Development Partners	Asian Development Bank
PARTICULAR INFORMATION		
12	Program Code	5026
13	Program Name	Secondary Education Sector Investment Program (SESIP), Tranche 2
14	Tender Package No.	GD-50a
15	Tender Package Name	Procurement of Equipment for Implementation of Pre-vocational and Vocational Programme (PVIP) for five Trades (ICT, Electrical, Electronics, Mechanics and Welding)
	Date	
16	Tender Publication Date	27/05/2019
17	Tender Last Selling Date	08/07/2019
	Date	Time
18	Tender Submission Date and Time	09/07/2019 14:00 Hours BST
19	Tender Opening Date and Time	09/07/2019 14:30 Hours BST
20	Name & Address of the office(s)	Address
	- Selling Tender Document (Principal)	Office of the Joint Program Director Secondary Education Sector Investment Program (SESIP) Shikkha Bhaban, 2nd Block, 5th Floor, 16 Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh
	Selling Tender Document (Others)	None
NO CONDITIONS APPLY FOR SALE, PURCHASE OR DISTRIBUTION OF TENDER DOCUMENTS		
21	-Receiving Tender Document	Office of the Joint Program Director Secondary Education Sector Investment Program (SESIP) Shikkha Bhaban, 2nd Block, 16 Abdul Gani Road-1000. Floor/Room number: 5th Floor / Room No. 601, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh
	-Opening Tender Document	Shikkha Bhaban, 2nd Block, Floor/Room number: 5th Floor / Room No. 605, 16 Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh
	Place/Date/Time of Pre-Tender Meeting (Optional)	Date Time Place 17/06/2019 11:00 AM Shikkha Bhaban, 2nd Block, Floor/Room number: 5th Floor / Room No. 605, 16 Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh
INFORMATION FOR TENDERER		
22	Brief Eligibility and Qualification of Tenderer	
	Lot 1	• Average annual turnover as the total payments received by the Bidder for contracts completed or under execution over the last three (3) years shall not be less than USD 20.0 million or equivalent amount. • Successful completion as main supplier within the last Five (5) years, of at least one (01) contract valued at USD 7.0 million or equivalent amount with nature, and complexity similar to the scope of supply described in the Tender Document. • Others as mentioned in the Tender Document.

Lot 2	Average annual turnover as the total payments received by the Bidder for contracts completed or under execution over the last three (3) years shall not be less than USD 9.0 million or equivalent amount.				
Lot 3	Average annual turnover as the total payments received by the Bidder for contracts completed or under execution over the last three (3) years shall not be less than USD 5.0 million or equivalent amount.				
Lot 4	Average annual turnover as the total payments received by the Bidder for contracts completed or under execution over the last three (3) years shall not be less than USD 5.0 million or equivalent amount.				
Lot 5	Average annual turnover as the total payments received by the Bidder for contracts completed or under execution over the last three (3) years shall not be less than USD 0.3 million or equivalent amount.				
23	Brief Description of Goods	Procurement of Equipment for Implementation of Pre-vocational and Vocational Programme (PVIP) for five Trades (ICT, Electrical, Electronics, Mechanics and Welding) Lot 1: PVIP Equipment for ICT Lot 2: PVIP Equipment for General Electrical Works Lot 3: PVIP Equipment for General Electronics Lot 4: PVIP Equipment for General Mechanics Lot 5: PVIP Equipment for Welding and Fabrications			
24	Brief Description of Related Services	Transportation of Goods to the Final Destination, Installation and other related services mentioned in the bidding documents.			
25	Price of Tender Document (Tk.)	BDT 4,000 (Taka Four Thousand) or USD 50 (US Dollar Fifty) per lot, non-refundable in the form of Treasury Chalan (Code No. 1-2531-0000-2681) from Bangladesh Bank/Sonali Bank, or Bank draft/Pay order from any Scheduled Bank of Bangladesh in favor of the Program Director, SESIP.			
	Lot No.	Identification of Lot	Location as per List	Tender Security Amount in USD or equivalent amount in any freely convertible currency	Completion Time in Months
26	Lot 1	PVIP Equipment for ICT	395	US Dollar 150,000 or an equivalent amount	4
	Lot 2	PVIP Equipment for General Electrical Works	363	US Dollar 50,000 or an equivalent amount	4
	Lot 3	PVIP Equipment for General Electronics	85	US Dollar 30,000 or an equivalent amount	4
	Lot 4	PVIP Equipment for General Mechanics	62	US Dollar 30,000 or an equivalent amount	4
	Lot 5	PVIP Equipment for Welding and Fabrications	5	US Dollar 2,000 or an equivalent amount	4
OFFICE INFORMATION					
27	Name of Official Inviting Tender	Md. Abu Sayed SK			
28	Designation of Official Inviting Tender	Joint Program Director Secondary Education Sector Investment Program			
29	Address of Official inviting Tender	Shikkha Bhaban, 2nd Block, Floor/Room number: 5th Floor / Room No. 601 16 Abdul Gani Road Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh			
30	Contact details of Official Inviting Tender	Phone: +88-02-9553712	Fax: +88-02-9586585	E-mail: jpd.sesip@gmail.com	
31	The Procuring Entity reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the bids without assigning any reason				

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