

Siddiqur Rahman passes away

CITY DESK

Lt Col Siddiqur Rahman, RAOWA member no-0306 BA-100047 and ex-AMC, passed away at Combined Military Hospital in Dhaka on February 6, said a press release.

He was 87 years old. Siddiqur Rahman left behind his wife, a son and daughter to mourn his death.

His namaz-e-janaza was held on Saturday after the Zohr prayers at Mohakhali DOHS Central Mosque. He was buried at Banani Military Graveyard the same day.

Members, officers and employees of RAOWA expressed deep shock at his demise.

Nurul Alam no more

CITY DESK

Nurul Alam Chowdhury, former DMD of Mercantile Bank Limited, passed away early yesterday at a hospital in Dhaka. He was 74.

The Board of Directors, all executives, officers and employees of Mercantile Bank Limited expressed deep shock at the death, said a press release.

He left behind his wife, sons, daughters and a host of relatives and well-wishers. His first namaz-e-janaza took place in capital's Gulshan Central Mosque after Asr prayers yesterday.

After the second janaza, he will be buried in his family graveyard in Sitakundu today.

Take action against those behind razing Molangi hillock: HC

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The High Court yesterday directed the government to take appropriate legal action against the people responsible for cutting Molangi hillock in Moulavibazar's Kulaura area to construct a road.

The authorities concerned of the government have been asked to take the action after conducting an inquiry in seven days and to submit a report to the HC after complying with the directive in four weeks.

The HC also issued a rule asking the authorities to explain in four weeks why they should not be directed to take necessary steps to protect and preserve the hillocks across the country and to restore the original shape of Molangi hillock in Kulaura.

The bench of Justice Farah Mahbub and Justice SM Maniruzzaman came up with the order and rule following a writ petition filed by Human Rights and Peace for Bangladesh.

Writ petitioner's counsel Manzill Murshid told the HC that some influential people including a local representative have constructed a road after razing Molangi hillock.

Lawyer Amatul Karim Swapna appeared for the Department of Environment during the hearing.

Foreign minister of Maldives arrives today

DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT

Maldives Foreign Minister Abdulla Shahid is coming on a three-day visit to Dhaka today as the two countries are working to strengthen bilateral relations.

During the visit, Abdullah Shahid will hold a bilateral meeting with his Bangladesh counterpart AK Abdul Momen on February 9, says a statement of the foreign ministry.

Momen and Shahid will also witness the signing of an MoU on cooperation between the Bangladesh Foreign Service Academy and the Foreign Service Institute of Maldives.

Bangladesh and the Maldives share excellent bilateral relation which has been strengthened over the years. Around 80,000 Bangladeshi expatriate workers are currently working in that country.

The Department of Environment yesterday fined four brick kilns Tk 22 lakh in Savar for running their businesses without clearance certificates and permission.

DoE Executive Magistrate Tamzid Ahmed conducted the eviction drive at 11am near Amin Bazar area, Mossabber Hossen Mohammed Rajib, assistant director (Dhaka district) of DoE, told The Daily Star.

He said ABS Bricks and BCM Bricks were fined Tk 6 lakh each as both were

Four brick kilns fined Tk 22 lakh in Savar



An illegal brick kiln being demolished in Savar as part of the Department of Environment's daylong drive yesterday.

PHOTO: STAR

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Savar

running their businesses without clearance certificate while Fahad Bricks and DBS Bricks were fined Tk 5 lakh each for using topsoil.

Authorities of ABS Bricks and BCM Bricks were asked to shut down their kilns while BCM Bricks was partially demolished, said the assistant director.

Fire service, police and Rab officials were also present during the daylong drive.

The same mobile court also demolished an illegal auto-rickshaw battery recharge centre.

Corruption on the rise

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Jatiya party secretary general Ziauddin Ahmed Bablu, former secretary general and opposition chief whip Moshirur Rahman Ranga and additional secretaries general were present at the meeting.

“Our party is moving forward with its own politics. Jatiya Party will never bow down to fear or greed,” GM Quader said.

Man gets life term

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with Hazaribagh Police Station against the accused on May 3 that year.

Police arrested Akter in connection with the case, and he confessed his involvement in the crime.

On December 11 that year, police submitted the charge sheet to the court against Akter and the court framed charges on April 3, 2019.

Nine prosecution witnesses gave their depositions to the court in the case.

Repatriation

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A webinar, aiming to boost investment, was held on January 21 last between Bangladesh's BIDA and Turkey's BEIK with Turkey businesspeople participating in it.

The Turkey envoy expressed his gratitude for naming an important avenue of Bangladesh after the former Turkish President Mustafa Kemal Atatürk.

The prime minister expressed her

satisfaction knowing the eagerness of Turkish investors to invest in Bangladesh and thanked the Turkish government for repairing the naval ship of Bangladesh, which was badly damaged at Beirut blast in Lebanon.

She assured the Turkish envoy of extending all-out support during his stay in Bangladesh. The PM greeted the Turkish president.

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Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
College Education Development Project (CEDP)
Sherpur Govt. Mohila College, Sherpur
New Market, Sherpur Town, Sherpur
Invitation for Tenders

1	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Education.
2	Agency	University Grants Commission/National University.
3	Procuring entity name	Professor Afia Ferdous, Principal, Sherpur Govt. Mohila College, Sherpur.
4	Procuring entity code	N/A.
5	Procuring entity district	Sherpur.
6	Invitation for	Goods.
7	Invitation Ref No.	SGMC/CEDP/063//2021.
8	Date	08/02/2021.

KEY INFORMATION

9	Supplying method	Open Tendering Method (National).
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FUNDING INFORMATION

10	Budget and source of funds	Development Budget (Government & IDA Credit).
11	Development partners	International Development Association (IDA), World Bank.

PARTICULAR INFORMATION

12	Project code	224017200.
13	Project name	College Education Development Project (CEDP).
14	Tender package No.	G-5.
15	Tender package name	Supplying of Air Conditioner & Smart TV for Classroom.
16	Tender publication date	08/02/2021.
17	Tender last selling date	23-02-2021.
18	Tender closing date and time	24-02-2021, 1.00pm.
19	Tender opening date and time	24-02-2021, 4.00pm.
20	Name & address of the office	(1) Office of the Principal, Sherpur Govt. Mohila College, Sherpur. (2) Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Sherpur. (3) Office of the Superintendent of Police, Sherpur.
	Selling tender document	Office of the Principal, Sherpur Govt. Mohila College, Sherpur.
	Receiving tender document	
	Opening tender document	
21	Pre-tender meeting	Will not be held.

INFORMATION FOR TENDERER

22	Eligibility of tenderer	(1) The tenderer shall have a minimum number 03 years general experience in supplying goods and related services as supplier. (2) The tenderer shall have satisfactory completion of supplying specific goods of minimum BDT 15 lac only under minimum 01 contract in the last 05 years. (3) The minimum amount of liquid assets i.e. working capital or credit line(s) of the tenderers shall be Tk 15 lac.			
23	Brief description of goods	Supplying & Installation of Air Conditioner & Smart TV for Classroom.			
24	Brief description of related services	Related service shall be in accordance with Section 4: Particular Conditions of Contract, Section 6: Schedule of Requirements and Section 7: Technical Specification of the tender document.			
25	Tender document price	BDT 1,000.00 (one thousand Tk only).			
26	Lot No.	Identification of lot	Location	Tender security amount (Tk)	Completion time in months
	N/A	N/A	Sherpur Govt. Mohila College, Sherpur	40,000/- (forty thousand)	01 month
27	Name of official inviting tender	Professor Afia Ferdous.			
28	Designation of official inviting tender	Principal.			
29	Address of official inviting tender	Sherpur Govt. Mohila College, Sherpur.			
30	Contact details of official inviting tender	Tel: 0931-61460 Email: shergmc@gmail.com			
31	The procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject all tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever.				

Professor Afia Ferdous
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The inaugural ceremony of Automatic AI based Diabetic Retinopathy Mobile Lab was held at National Museum in Dhaka on February 6. Prof AK Azad Khan, president of Diabetic Association of Bangladesh, was present as chief guest while Md Sayef Uddin, its secretary general, as special guest with AKM Shohel Rana, managing director of iHealthscreen Bangladesh Ltd, in the chair.

Re-evaluation of 40th BCS

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The protesters gave a 24-hour ultimatum to the authorities concerned to respond to them and threatened to go for a hunger strike.

On January 27, PSC published the long-awaited result where a total of 10,964 candidates managed to obtain pass marks. A total of 20,277 examinees passed the preliminary tests who sat for the exam held on May 3 in 2019.

The viva voce will begin on February 17.

Vaccination begins

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Deputy Commissioner (DC) SM Ferdaus, Superintendent of Police Rifat Rahman Shamim and Civil Surgeon Dr Anwarul Amin Akhanda took the vaccine together in the district hospital.

In Cumilla, vaccination began with warm response from people. Top government and military officials received vaccines on the first day. The district's Deputy Commissioner Abul Fazal Mir received the first dose of vaccine at Cumilla Medical College Hospital around 10am.

In Chapainawabganj, DC Monjurul Hafiz inaugurated the vaccination program by receiving the first dose at 10am in Sadar Hospital.

Later, Civil Surgeon Dr Zahid Nazrul Chowdhury and staff of health department received their vaccine shots. People of the district will be given the vaccine at 20 centres.

In Tangail, a total of 976 people were vaccinated on the first day. A total of 42 vaccination booths have been set up in the district. The district's DC Dr Ataul Goni took the first vaccine.

Our correspondents from Gazipur, Pabna, Munshiganj, Rangamati, Jamalpur, Nilphamari, Munshiganj, Noakhali, Rangpur and Dinajpur also reported that vaccination programme has begun in the districts amid warm response and festivities in the localities.

VACCINE FOR SOME, PHOTO-OP FOR OTHERS

Meanwhile, a Brahmanbaria lawmaker under women's reserved seat, Umme Fatema Nazma Begum, yesterday faced criticism from locals after she posed for a photo as a vaccine receiver, but did not actually take the vaccine.

The incident happened at Sarail upazila health complex yesterday noon where the lawmaker inaugurated the vaccination programme.

The photo, which was uploaded by one of her staff members in social media, was later removed in the face of heavy criticism from locals.

Contacted, the lawmaker admitted it and said she did it to gain public trust so that mass people become encouraged to take the vaccine.

Similar incident happened at Kumarkhali upazila health complex of Kushtia where the upazila parishad chairman Abdul Mannan Khan posed as a vaccine-receiver but did not take the shot.

Contacted, the chairman admitted it, but did not offer an explanation.

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Memo No. 38/mkc/2020 Date: 08/02/2021

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Sl. No.	Tender ID No.	Name of works	Last date and time of tender security submission	Tender closing date & time
1.	544820	Procurement of AC, Power Generator and Electrical Substation of Mohammadpur Kendriya College, Dhaka	23-Feb-2021 13.00	23-Feb-2021 14.00

This is an online tender, where only e-Tender will be accepted in the National e-GP Portal and no offline/hard copy will be accepted.

To submit e-Tender, registration in the National e-GP 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 **[22 Feb-2021 16.00]**.

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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৩।	আবেদনের সাথে সদ্য তোলা ২ কপি পাসপোর্ট সাইজের সত্যায়িত রঙ্গিন ছবি দিতে হবে।
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৫।	বাংলাদেশ বার কাউন্সিল এর সদস্য/পেশাগত সনদ এবং অভিজ্ঞতার সনদপত্রের সত্যায়িত কপি দিতে হবে।
৬।	বাংলাদেশ সুপ্রিম কোর্ট এর আইনজীবী হিসেবে ৭ (সাত) বৎসর, তন্মধ্যে বাংলাদেশ সুপ্রীম কোর্টের হাইকোর্ট বিভাগে ৫ (পাঁচ) এবং আপীল বিভাগে ২ (দুই) বৎসরের অভিজ্ঞতা থাকতে হবে। একইসাথে এককভাবে/যৌথভাবে ৫০ (পঞ্চাশ)টি মামলা পরিচালনা ও নিষ্পত্তির অভিজ্ঞতা থাকতে হবে।
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৮।	অন্য কোন প্রতিষ্ঠানে প্যানেল আইনজীবী হিসেবে নিয়োজিত থাকলে তা উল্লেখ করতে হবে।
৯।	৩১-০১-২০২১ তারিখে আবেদনকারীর বয়স ৫০ (পঞ্চাশ) বৎসরের অধিক হতে পারবে না।
১০।	আইনজীবী নিয়োগ ২ (দুই) বৎসরের জন্য হবে।
১১।	কোন আইনজীবী অব্যাহতি নিতে চাইলে সে ক্ষেত্রে ৬০ (ষাট) দিন পূর্বে নোটিশ প্রদান করতে হবে।
১২।	বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রকাশের ১৫ (পনের) কার্যদিবসের মধ্যে অতিঃ সচিব (আইন ও প্রতিষ্ঠান), পল্লী উন্নয়ন ও সমবায় বিভাগ, ভবন নম্বর-৭, কক্ষ নম্বর-২০৫, বাংলাদেশ সচিবালয়, ঢাকা বরাবর আবেদনপত্র পৌছাতে হবে।
১৩।	কোন কারণ দর্শানো ব্যতিরেকে কর্তৃপক্ষ যে কোন আবেদন গ্রহণ বা বাতিল করার অধিকার সংরক্ষণ করে। প্যানেল আইনজীবী নিয়োগের বিষয়ে কর্তৃপক্ষের সিদ্ধান্তই চূড়ান্ত বলে গণ্য হবে।

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