

Fastest trial in dist

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The court handed death sentence to suspended police officials Pradeep Kumar Das and Liaqat Ali for the murder of Sinha at an APBn checkpoint in Teknaf on July 31, 2020. Cox's Bazar District and Sessions Judge Mohammed

Ismail also sentenced six others to life in the murder case. The law enforcers claimed that they tried to search the vehicle of Sinha, but the former army official aimed his pistol at them and prompting them to shoot in self defence.

Independents grab

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Most of the independents are disgruntled Awami League men, said party insiders.

So far, 369 chairmen have been elected uncontested because they were the only ones running for the posts.

No need

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The NeoCov virus still does not possess the capability of infecting human beings.

Structurally, it is a hybrid of MERS CoV and SARS CoV2 viruses, which only can infect bats, not humans, he added. The Chinese researchers, however, claimed that a minor change in the spike protein of NeoCov will enable it to infect humans. "Only such mutation can initiate another epidemic. But prior knowledge of NeoCov will be helpful to contain the virus unlike Covid-19," said Mehedi.

Still stuck

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again via the PHQ on August 28, through the public security division.

In the next five months, the letter managed to reach the SSD. However, it's still waiting for approval. In the letter, a copy of which was obtained by this newspaper, CTTC said it is possible to bring back those who were misled by militant outfits into mainstream society, after changing their mentality through proper explanation of religious ideas. For the rehab, psychologists are required as they can analyse the threat posed by the extremist individuals. Talking to The Daily Star yesterday, Md Asaduzzaman, chief of CTTC unit, said, "We are still waiting for the ministry's response."

Prof Abdullah made emeritus professor

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Prof ABM Abdullah has been named emeritus professor of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujib Medical University (BSMMU).



The decision was taken unanimously at a syndicate meeting of the university, making him the first individual to receive such title in BSMMU history.

This title is conferred on those who have achieved outstanding international professional status and have made significant academic contributions to the institute.

Abdullah received Ekushya Padak in 2016 and UGC award in 2013. He was a professor of the dept of internal medicine and dean of faculty of medicine at BSMMU.

"We need softer approaches along with the hard approach to prevent extremism," he said. "For this, deradicalisation needs to start from jail, and this initiative needs to start immediately," he added.

Contacted, security expert Maj Gen (ret) Abdur Rashid said the use of psychologists could be useful not only for deradicalisation but also for analysing crime.

"We have seen such practice in other countries. If we can introduce this, it can only be a positive move," he added.

Meanwhile, Sayed Belal Hossain, additional secretary (jail wing) of home ministry, said they will look into application, mentioning that the process might be delayed because of an official's illness.

"We have no update as the concerned desk officer is sick," he said.

A CTTC official involved with the project said the project has a four-year duration, of which three have elapsed just for sending and re-sending files.

"We fear that the project tenure may end by the time the approval arrives."

Sources said a number of militancy supporters who were jailed became more radicalised after they came out on bail.

Take the case of Ariful Karim Chowdhury alias Adnan.

He was first arrested by police in 2015 over his involvement with Harkatul-Jihad.

A year later, he came out on bail and got involved with Ansarullah Bangla Team.

He went on to become ABT's chief for a part of Dhaka and in charge of fund collection, said Rab officials following his second arrest from Mirpur on December 19, 2019.

In another case, one Abdulla Al Noman also turned into a key militant leader inside prison.

He was arrested first in 2018 as a supporter of "Neo JMB".

By the time he came out of jail after 15 months, he had become a top member of its military wing, CTTC unit said following his second arrest on July 24, 2020.

Officials said a number of people arrested for their links to radical websites or for sharing radical thoughts on social media became full-fledged members of militant outfits in prison.

Md Mahfuzul Islam, deputy commissioner of CTTC unit, said it is not possible to win the fight against extremism by policing alone, and such initiatives as those proposed under the project must be undertaken.

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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Palli Karma-Sahayak Foundation (PKSF), an apex development organization, was established by the Government of Bangladesh (GoB) in May 1990 for sustainable poverty reduction through employment generation. Since its inception, PKSF has been implementing various poverty alleviation and employment generation interventions through its Partner Organizations (POs) all over the country.

PKSF is going to implement a 5-year project titled 'Recovery and Advancement of Informal Sector Employment (RAISE)' jointly financed by the World Bank & PKSF. The objective of the project is to provide services that can enhance earning opportunities for low-income urban youth and urban youth impacted by COVID-19. PKSF hereby invites applications from the suitable candidates for the following positions:

| S.N | Name of the Posts with Number | Consolidated Monthly Salary |
|-----|---|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Deputy Project Coordinator (Training & Skills Development)-01 | BDT 2,20,000/- |
| 2 | Financial Management Specialist-01 | BDT 2,00,000/- |
| 3 | Social Development Specialist-01 | BDT 1,60,000/- |
| 4 | Environmental Specialist-01 | BDT 1,60,000/- |
| 5 | IT & Database Management Specialist-01 | BDT 1,60,000/- |
| 6 | Procurement Specialist-01 | BDT 1,60,000/- |
| 7 | Program Officer (Case Management)-01 | BDT 1,20,000/- |
| 8 | Program Officer (Database & MIS)-01 | BDT 1,20,000/- |
| 9 | Program Officer (Communication & Knowledge Management)-01 | BDT 1,20,000/- |
| 10 | Accounts Officer-01 | BDT 90,000/- |
| 11 | Assistant Accounts Officer-03 | BDT 70,000/- |
| 12 | Assistant Officer (Admin & Logistics)-01 | BDT 70,000/- |

The employees will be recruited initially for one year with an opportunity for performance-based annual renewal during the project period. Interested candidates who fulfill the requirements should apply online by **20 February 2022**. For detailed Terms of References (ToRs) and instructions to apply, please visit PKSF website: www.pksf-bd.org.

Only short-listed candidates will be contacted. PKSF is an equal opportunity employer. Any kind of persuasion will be treated as disqualification of the candidate. PKSF reserves the right to cancel this recruitment process without assigning any reason whatsoever. **Women are highly encouraged to apply.**

Md. Hasan Khaled
Senior General Manager (HR)

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Invitation for Tender

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| SL No. | Name of the Items | Schedule Price (Non-refundable) |
|--------|---|---------------------------------|
| 1 | Disaster Recovery (2nd re-tender) - 01 Lot. | Tk.5000 |
| 2 | Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP) | Tk.3000 |
| 3 | Hot Water Tank Temperature Controller Valve (3rd re-tender) - 02 Nos. | Tk.1000 |
| 4 | Well Pump Motor (4th re-tender) - 01 No. | Tk.1000 |
| 5 | Heavy Curtains for Lobby & Ballroom Foyer - 02 Lot. | Tk.1000 |

Interested bidders may obtain Tender Schedule from the Purchasing Department on submission of a letter on their respective letterhead up to **February 22, 2022** during office hours. Tender will be received up to **02:30pm on February 23, 2022** and will be opened on the same day at **03:00pm** in presence of the bidders, if any.

Tender must be supported by an Earnest Money amount in Tk.500,000 (five lac only) for SL No 01, Tk.400,000 (four lac only) for SL No 02 and 5% of the quoted price for SL. No. 03 to 05 in the form of Bank Draft or Pay Order from any Scheduled Bank of Bangladesh in favor of SONARGAON HOTEL.

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Purchase Manager, Tel (880) 2 9128008, Ext: 4164

CMSF
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Request for Proposal (RFP)

CMSF is inviting Quotations/Proposals from prospective suppliers/authorized representatives such as partners, resellers, distributors for providing laptops, desktop computers, scanner, photo copier machine, B/W laser printer, color laser printer, heavy duty color laser printer, tab and other accessories.

All interested suppliers/authorized representatives such as partners, resellers, distributors are requested to visit either Dhaka Stock Exchange (DSE) website: <https://www.dsebd.org/RFP.php> or Central Depository Bangladesh Limited (CDBL) website: <https://www.cdbl.com.bd/article.php?pr=302> as well as Chittagong Stock Exchange (CSE) website: https://www.cse.com.bd/upload_notice/Proposal-for-equipment-and-Hardware-Infrastructure.pdf for details and submit the proposal within 13th February 2022.

NORTH SOUTH UNIVERSITY
Center of Excellence in Higher Education

RE-TENDER NOTICE FOR HIRING MICRO BUSES

Tender No. NSU/ 21-22-10

North South University is inviting sealed offers from bonafide vehicle rental service providers to hire 20 (Twenty) nos micro buses. The micro buses must be minimum: 11 seats and 2000 cc (approximately) with 2016 registration Toyota HIACE or equivalent is preferable; for providing transport services to the Faculty Members and Officials of North South University (NSU) as per the terms and conditions stipulated in the tender schedule.

Interested bidders may collect a schedule of tender from the Southeast Bank Ltd. Bashundhara Branch, Dhaka from 10:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. on all working days till February 27, 2022, by paying a non-refundable amount of Taka 1,000.00 (one thousand) in cash for each schedule.

The bidders must submit **earnest money @ 2.5%** of the total monthly quoted price for rental service in the form of a Pay Order issued from any scheduled bank drawn in favour of North South University along with their offer. The sealed offer must be submitted on **February 28, 2022**, by 2.00 P.M. at the office of the undersigned. The offers will be opened at 2:15 P.M on the same day. Representatives of the participating bidders may remain present at the time of opening the bids. NSU authority reserves all the right to accept or reject any or all the tenders without showing any reason.

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Girl's family

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religion," she said. The student said the information that she married a Hindu man was absolutely not true.

Kulaura UNO ATM Farhad Chowdhury said they tried to contact the president and the secretary of the mosque committee several times, but in vain. Both sides have been called for a meeting on February 12.

"The matter will be settled after hearing the statements of both sides. I have also directed the OC and the union parishad chairman to ensure the security of Nurunnahar's family," he added.

Contacted, Shamsul Islam and Amin Mia denied the allegation of ostracising the family.

Shamsul Islam said the mosque committee members kept putting pressure on them about the movement of the girl.

"We wanted to know about the matter from her father a month ago, but he didn't contact us," he said.

On January 26, the committee met at the mosque and discussed the matter.

Amin Mia said, "We did not ostracise Abdul Hai's family. He did not attach importance to the management committee and that's why he will go on his own path and we will go on ours."

Chittagong Medical University
Faujdarhat, Chattogram

Invitation for Tender

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| 01 | Ministry/Division | Ministry of Education. |
| 02 | Agency | Chittagong Medical University. |
| 03 | Procuring entity name | Dr. Bidduth Barua; Deputy Director (Planning & Development); Chittagong Medical University. |
| 04 | Procuring entity code | N/A. |
| 05 | Procuring entity district | Chattogram. |
| 06 | Invitation for | Works. |
| 07 | Invitation Ref No. | CMU/Reno/WR-02/OTM/2022/01 |
| 08 | Date | 02/02/2022 |
| KEY INFORMATION | | |
| 09 | Procurement method | Open Tendering Method (OTM). |
| FUNDING INFORMATION | | |
| 10 | Budget and source of fund | Revenue Budget (GOB). |
| PARTICULAR INFORMATION | | |
| 11 | Project code | N/A. |
| 12 | Project name | Renovation works at Administration Building of Chittagong Medical University. |
| 13 | Tender Package No. | CMU-WR-02 |
| 14 | Tender package name | Renovation works of VC's Office, Deans Office, Deputy Director (College Inspection) Office and others. |
| 15 | Tender publication date | 02/02/2022. |
| 16 | Tender last selling date | 16/02/2022 at 3:30pm. |
| 17 | Last date & time of submission of tender | 17/02/2022 at 2.00pm. |
| 18 | Tender opening date & time | 17/02/2022 at 2:30pm. |
| 19 | Name and address of the office selling and receiving tender document | Office of Deputy Director (Planning & Development), Level-02 and Procurement Officers Room, Level-03, BITID Building Salimpur, Faujdarhat, Chattogram. |
| 20 | Place of tender opening | Office of Deputy Director (Planning & Development), Chittagong Medical University. |
| 21 | Brief description of works | Renovation works of VC's Office, Deans Office, Deputy Director (College Inspection) Office and others. |
| INFORMATION OF TENDERER | | |
| 22 | Eligibility of tenderer | 1. The tenderer shall have a minimum number 03 years general experience in refurbishment activities (construction/renovation/interior/repair/extension) and physical services. 2. The tenderer shall have satisfactory completion of refurbishment activities (construction/renovation/interior/repair/extension) of minimum BDT 1300,000 (thirteen lac) only under minimum 01 contract in the last 05 years. 3. The required average annual construction turnover shall be greater than BDT 15,00,000 (fifteen lac) over the last 03 years. 4. The minimum amount of liquid asset i.e. working capital or credit line(s) of the tenderers shall be Taka 15,00,000 (fifteen lac). 5. Others criteria mentioned in the tender document. |
| 23 | Tender document price | BDT 1500/- (one thousand five hundred) only in cash (non-refundable). |
| 24 | Tender name | Location Tender security amount (Tk) Completion time in months |
| | Renovation and interior decoration works of VC's Office, Deans Office, Deputy Director (College Inspection) Office and others. | Chittagong Medical University, Faujdarhat, Chattogram BDT 35,000 (thirty-five thousand) (refundable) 2.0 months |
| 25 | Name of official inviting tender | Engr. Farhad Rashid. |
| 26 | Designation of official inviting tender | Executive Engineer. |
| 27 | Address of official inviting tender | Level: 03 Room 460, Chittagong Medical University, Faujdarhat, Chattogram. |
| 28 | Contact details of official inviting tender | Mobile: 01815-924581, Email: frashid943@gmail.com |
| 29 | Tender security is to be submitted in the form of Pay Order of any scheduled bank in favor of Chittagong Medical University, Faujdarhat, Chattogram. | |
| 30 | The procuring entity reserves the right to accept to reject all tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever. | |

Engr. Farhad Rashid
Executive Engineer

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World Health Organization
Bangladesh

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)

The World Health Organization in Bangladesh invites proposals/bids from the interested Companies in Bangladesh for the following service:

1. **RFP/BAN/2022/003:** Provision of Cleaning and Janitorial Services for WHO Bangladesh under Long Term Agreement.

Deadline for the submission of RFP: **14:00 hrs, 15 February 2022**

Interested Companies can view and download the relevant RFP documents from: <https://www.who.int/bangladesh/about-us/procurement-notice>.

Interested bidders are requested to submit their financial and technical proposals in two separate sealed envelopes as per the instructions provided in the RFP documents at the Reception of WHO Country Office for Bangladesh, House 1/A, Road-8, Gulshan-1, Dhaka.