

Five killed in road crashes

STAR REPORT

At least five people were killed in road accidents in three districts during the last two days, according to our correspondents.

In Gopalganj, three people, including two students, were killed after their motorbike collided with a covered van at Sikir Bazar in Kotalipara upazila around 9:30am yesterday morning.

The deceased are Rudra Mahamud (20), Murad Gazi (22) and Nayem Sheikh (21). Rudra and Murad were students of Sheikh Lutfur Rahman Degree College, said police.

Quoting locals, Md Jilur Rahman, OC of Kotalipara police station, said, "Rudra and Murad died on the spot, and critically injured Nayem.

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Worker dies in gas explosion

OUR CORRESPONDENT,

Narayanganj

A worker died and another was injured in an explosion caused by accumulated gas at an aluminium factory in Narayanganj yesterday.

The deceased is Mokhles Uddin (35) and the injured Ripon Fakir (25).

Fatullah Model Police Station OC Rakibuzzaman said the explosion happened at Arafat Metal factory in Nandalpur area around 8:00am.

Mokhles died on the spot while Ripon was sent to National Institute of Burn and Plastic Surgery.

The OC said the explosion was caused by accumulated gas inside the furnace. Legal action will be taken following an investigation.

Contacted, Jalal Uddin, factory manager, said there was no gas on Sunday. The supply started yesterday morning and accumulated in the furnace which caused the explosion.



Protesting an alleged attack on one of their leaders, tank lorry workers blockaded Khulna-Jashore highway for two hours from 2:00pm yesterday. This created heavy traffic congestion on both sides of the road. The photo was taken from Khulna city's Khalishpur area.

PHOTO: HABIBUR RAHMAN

Don't click that link!

MFS, credit card hacking syndicate busted

MOHAMMAD JAMIL KHAN

Using the "add money" option of mobile financial services (MFS), several syndicates are looting money by hacking into users' online bank accounts and credit cards.

Since February, the cyber-crime division of Counter Terrorism and Transnational Crime (CTTC) unit has received complaints from users of at least five different banks, according to officials.

Within eight to 10 minutes of hacking the accounts, the hackers manage to transfer the money to their own MFS accounts, the officials said.

To accomplish this, the syndicate use "phishing links", which are attractive links and messages to social media users. Once clicked, a victim's personal and account details fall right into the hackers' hands.

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For these, the hackers are using special apps like the "Dictionary Attack App".

CTTC's cybercrime division has disclosed the findings after arresting three hackers in two separate drives, on charge of

hacking an online bank account and credit cards of two more banks.

Based on information, CTTC arrested Omar Faruk (33) and Md Bachchu (27) from Chattogram and Rabby Islam (21) from Natore, Chatak Chakma, assistant commissioner of cybercrime division, told The Daily Star yesterday.

On February 18, Faruk gave confessional statement in court in a case filed with Pallabi Police Station on February 2. He said he was an expatriate who came back home last year.

During interrogation, Faruk and

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Request for Expression of Interest (EOI)

1. Ministry/Division/Institution	Janata Bank Limited
2. Procuring Entity	Information & Communications Technology Department-System
3. Procuring Entity District	Dhaka
4. EOI for Selection of	Consulting Firm (National)
5. EOI Ref No.	JBL/ICTDS/Proc-239/PCIDSS/QCBS/2022
6. Date	28-03-2022

Key Information

7. Procurement Sub-Method	Quality & Cost Based Selection (QCBS) Method
8. Budget and Source of Fund	Bank Own Fund

Particular Information

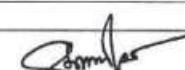
9. Project Name	Selection of consulting firm for PCI DSS Consultation, Compliance and PCI DSS Certification for Janata Bank Limited.
10. Place of EOI Submission	Information & Communications Technology Department-System, Janata Bank Limited, Head Office (20 th Floor), 110 Motijheel C/A, Dhaka-1000.
11. Brief Description of the Assignment	Interested firm may view the notice at the website of the Bank. (Website: www.jb.com.bd)
12. EOI Closing Date & Time	20-04-2022 at 12:30 PM

Information for Applicant

13. Eligibility of Consultancy Firm [Related documentary evidence should be submitted]	<p>1. Brochures/Company Profile submitted by the Applicants summarizing their facilities and areas of expertise;</p> <p>2. Descriptions of at least 02 (Two) similar assignments conducted in local banks/ Financial Institutions within last 05 (Five) years (Completion certificate should be submitted);</p> <p>3. At least 05 (Five) years of overall Experience in similar operating environment and conditions. In case of participating as Joint Venture, each member of Joint Venture should have minimum five (05) years overall business experience and all legal notarized documents related to Joint Venture should be submitted according to Rule-54 of Public Procurement Rule-2008.</p> <p>4. The Company (Qualified Security Assessor) must qualified by the PCI Security Standards Council (In case of Joint Venture, all the Companies must qualified by the PCI Security Standards Council).</p> <p>5. The Project Manager should be PCI QSA/CISCP/CISM/CISA certified professional with minimum five (5) years of experience.</p> <p>6. Detail Organizational Structure.</p> <p>7. Average Annual Turn Over of the firm(s) during the last five (05) years should be mentioned (Summary sheet of Turnover statement and year wise Audited financial reports of the firm(s) should be enclosed).</p> <p>8. Must have minimum 10 (ten) employee which at least 02 (Two) PCI QSA should be in the organization as a regular employee. Having more PCI QSA will be preferred.</p> <p>9. Must have own/partner registered office in Bangladesh.</p> <p>10. Registration of firm(s) including following legal documents</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. VAT registration certificate. ii. Up to date Trade License. iii. Certificate of Incorporation (if any). iv. Latest Income Tax clearance certificate.
If the applicant fails to submit any of the above (Serial 13.1-13.10) required documentary evidences, their tender/application/proposal would be treated as Non-Responsive.	

Procuring Entity Details

14. Name of Official Inviting EOI	Md. Abdul Alim Khan
15. Designation of Official Inviting EOI	Deputy General Manager
16. Address of Official Inviting EOI	Information & Communications Technology Department-System, Janata Bank Limited, Head Office (20 th Floor), 110 Motijheel C/A, Dhaka-1000.
17. Contract details of Official Inviting EOI	Phone: +88-02-223356514, e-mail: dgmtsystem@janatabank-bd.com
18. The Procuring Entity reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the EOI's.	


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'The killing was planned'

Say family, friends of dentist Bulbul, demand proper probe

STAR REPORT

Police are yet to arrest or interrogate any accused for the murder of dentist Ahmed Mahi Bulbul in the capital's Shewrapara area on Sunday morning.

When police are still treating the case as a mugging incident, his family, batchmates and friends said the killing was planned, as the dentist, also a construction contractor, recently got hold of a project in Noakhali worth Tk 18 crore.

On Sunday, Bulbul (40) was heading for Noakhali for his contracting work and was killed after leaving the house, when unidentified criminals stabbed his thigh. They snatched a smartphone from him.

However, police said the victim's family is yet to inform them about any suspicion.

At a press conference in Rangpur yesterday, his family, batchmates and friends protested the killing and demanded justice.

Dr Mostafa Alam, a batchmate of Bulbul, said the victim was a friend of the society's poor. As a doctor, he had no enmity with others. But as he owned a construction company, there might have been a dispute.

They urged the government to arrest the killers and demanded compensation for the family, as Bulbul was the breadwinner.

Replies to a journalist's question, Dr Mostafa said M/s Bulbul and Brothers, the deceased's company, got construction work in Noakhali worth Tk 18 crore.

They urged police to take the issue into consideration during the investigation.

The victim's mother Bulbul Begum was also present at the conference.

BULBUL LAID TO REST

Bulbul, son of a freedom fighter, was buried

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Request for Expression of Interest for Selection of a firm for i) Feasibility Study of the Father of the nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Salt Research Institute & Salt Museum ii) Drawing, Design and cost estimation of Father of the nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Salt Research Institute & Salt Museum

1. Ministry/Division	Ministry of Industries
2. Agency	Bangladesh Small and Cottage Industries Corporation (BSCIC)
3. Procuring Entity Name	Napal Chandra Karmaker, Director (Planning & Research), BSCIC,
4. Procuring Entity Code	None
5. Procuring Entity District	Dhaka
6. Expressions of Interest for Selection of firm	i) Feasibility Study of the Father of the nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Salt Research Institute & Salt Museum ii) Drawing, Design and cost estimation of Father of the nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Salt Research Institute & Salt Museum
7. EoI Ref No	36.02.0000.034.99.016.22
8. Date	29-03-2022

KEY INFORMATION

9. Procurement Sub Method	Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS)
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FUNDING INFORMATION

10. Budget and Source of Funds	GOB
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11. Development Partners

12. Project / Programme Code	N