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A man in a blue shirt and a young boy in a white uniform are looking at a large, colorful display of balloons and toys on a bicycle. The display is filled with various items, including balloons, small toys, and packaged goods. The boy is pointing at one of the items. The background shows a park-like setting with trees and a building.

Billal, the sole bread earner of his family of six, used to work as a temporary worker at Khalishpur Jute Mill. Since the mill's closure, he has been selling children's toys to support himself and his family. He makes Tk 400-500 each day. The photo was taken yesterday from Khulna city's Khalishpur Prabhati School field.

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Consumers Association of Bangladesh Vice President SM Nazer Hossain said due to this, traders are getting opportunities to make extra profit. The government has withdrawn VAT on edible oil, but it should look into whether consumers are getting the benefit, he added.

“The huge gap between production

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“ This is the first dedicated road safety project in South Asia supported by the World Bank. ”

MERCY TEMBON
WB country director for Bangladesh, Bhutan

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	Fazr	Zohr	Asr	Maghrib	Esha
Azan	4-45	12-45	4-45	6-20	7-45
Jamaat	5-20	1-15	5-00	6-25	8-15

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Cargo ships from Dhaka take popular snacks like chips to districts like Khulna, Faridpur and Kushtia, for their fans are scattered all across the country. Once the ships reach their destination, workers carry the goods to trucks for distribution. They earn Tk 10,000 to Tk 12,000 per month for the work. This photo was taken in Barishal's Chandmari Kheyaghat area yesterday.

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Supply of fuel remains suspended in 15 districts as tank-lorry workers enforced an indefinite strike in Khulna division from yesterday morning.

The strike came demanding arrest of those who attacked one of their leaders.

The lifting and transportation of fuel from the state-run Padma, Meghna and Jamuna oil depots at Khalishpur in Khulna city has been halted, said Khulna Divisional Tank Lorry Workers Union Mir Moksed Ali. As a result, oil is not being transported to 15 districts including five under Barishal division, he added.

As about 450 oil tankers remain away from the roads, this will make it difficult for farmers to irrigate their paddy fields during the boro season.

The workers said Al-Amin, the line secretary of the union, was attacked by some unknown attackers on Nayabati Road in Khalishpur at 12:30pm on March 21.

He was later admitted to Khulna Medical College Hospital.

On Monday, workers blocked the Natun Rasta Mor on Khulna-Jashore highway from 1:30pm to 4:00pm. During the

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Traction (Including Overhead Catenary, Sub-Station)
In Between Narayanganj-Dhaka-Chattogram Section
of Bangladesh Railway" Project, Bangladesh Railway
CRB, Chattogram

1	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Railways.
2	Agency	Bangladesh Railway.
3	Procuring entity name	Project Director, Feasibility Study and Detailed Design for Introduction of Electric Traction (Including Overhead Catenary, Sub-Station) in between Narayangaj-Dhaka-Chattogram Section of Bangladesh Railway Project.
4	Invitation for the work	
	Package No.	Name of the works
	WD/1	WD-1 Rental of Vehicles for Project Management Unit.
5	Invitation for Tender No.	54.01.1500.115.07.102.22
6	Invitation Reference No. & date	54.01.1500.115.07.102.22, Date: 29.02.2022

KEY INFORMATION

7	Procurement method	Open Tendering Method (OTM).
8	Tender publication date	30.03.2022
9	Budget and source of fund	GOB Revenue.
10	Period and last date for selling of tender document	On all office days within working hour from 9:00 hrs. to 17:00 hrs. from the date of advertisement of the tender notice up to 10.04.2022.
11	Time for submission of tender	Up to 12:00 hrs. of 11.04.2022.
12	Time for opening of tender	At 12:30 hrs. on 11.04.2022.

13	Name and address of the selling tender documents (principal)	i) Office of the Project Director, "Feasibility Study and Detailed Design for Introduction of Electric Traction (Including Overhead Catenary, Sub-Station) in between Narayanganj-Dhaka-Chattogram Section of Bangladesh Railway" Project. Room No. 418, CRB, Chattogram. ii) Office of the Divisional Electrical Engineer, Bangladesh Railway, Kamalapur, Dhaka.
	(b) Name & address of the receiving tender document	Office of the Project Director, "Feasibility Study and Detailed Design for Introduction of Electric Traction (Including Overhead Catenary, Sub-Station) in between Narayanganj-Dhaka-Chattogram Section of Bangladesh Railway" Project.
	(c) Name & address of the opening tender document	As above.

INFORMATION FOR TENDERER

14	Eligibility of tenderer			Tenderer eligible to provided service according to PPA/2006 & PPR/2008 and other relevant laws of Bangladesh.	
15	Brief description of the works			WD-1: Rental of Vehicles for Project Management Unit.	
16	Price of tender documents (Taka)			Tk 1000/- (Taka one thousand) only for each package tender document (non-refundable).	
17	Package No.	Identification of Package.	Location	Tender security amount (Taka)	
	WD/1	WD/1	Project Director Office, CRB, Chattogram	Tk 50,000/- only, (In the form of Pay Order/Bank Draft with MICR shall be submitted in favour of FA & CAO (Project), Bangladesh Railway, Kamalapur, Dhaka).	
				Completion time in weeks/months	
				16 (sixteen) months	

PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS

18	Name of official inviting tender	Md. Habibur Rahman.
19	Designation of official invitation tender	Project Director.
20	Address of official inviting tender	Office of the Feasibility Study and Detailed Design for Introduction of Electric Traction (Including Overhead Catenary, Sub-Station) in between Narayanganj-Dhaka-Chattogram Section of Bangladesh Railway Project. Room No. 418, CRB, Chattogram.
21	Contact details of official inviting tender	Mobile: 01711-506127 E-mail: pdetnc@railway.gov.bd
22	The procuring entity reserve the right to accept or reject all tender or part thereof.	
23	Special instruction (A) If the office remains close on the last date of selling of the tender documents, date of dropping and opening of the tender, the next following working day shall be deemed as the last date of selling of the tender documents, date of dropping & opening of the tender respectively. (B) Bank guarantee is not acceptable as tender security.	

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