

IUB accords reception to Professor Saleemul Huq

CITY DESK

Independent University, Bangladesh (IUB) accorded a reception to Prof Saleemul Huq on its Bashundhara campus yesterday for his recognition as an Officer of the Order of the British Empire (OBE).

Prof Huq, who teaches Environmental Science and Management and is founder-director of the International Centre for Climate Change and Development at IUB, was named in the British government's New Year's Honours List earlier this year for the OBE honour.

State Minister for Planning Shamsul Alam attended the event as chief guest and British High Commissioner Robert Chatterton Dickson as special guest. Lawmaker Saber Hossain Chowdhury and Abul Kalam Azad, former principal secretary to the prime minister were also present.

No decision yet

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metro station went viral on social media yesterday. Several individuals contacted this newspaper to know whether the chart is authentic or not.

Mass Rapid Transit Line-6, also known as MRT-6, the country's first metro rail line, is being implemented to build the 20.10km elevated metro rail from Uttara to Motijheel in the third phase at the cost of Tk 21,985 crore.

The authorities are working to expand the line to Kamalapur.

The project's cost is likely to increase as well.

MAN Siddique, managing director of Dhaka Mass Transit Company Ltd (DMTCL), yesterday visited Uttara North Station to see the mockup of different signs, signals, and information to be displayed there.

A mock fare chart was also tagged there, which later went viral on social media.

The managing director yesterday reiterated that the commercial operation of the Uttara-Agargaon section will be launched on

December 16.

The project witnessed overall progress of 77.82 percent, while the first phase saw 91.41 percent progress till March.

Once completed, the metro rail will be able to carry 60,000 people an hour, bringing down the commute time between Uttara and Motijheel to around 40 minutes from two hours.

PROPOSALS ON METRO RAIL FARE

On September 9, 2020, the Road Transport and Highway Division, following the Metro Rail Act-2015, formed a seven-member committee led by the executive director of Dhaka Transport Coordination Authority (DTCA) to fix the metro rail fare.

During its first meeting on January 10, 2021, the committee asked Dhaka Mass Transit Company Ltd to submit a proposal for fares.

DMTCL took around a year and submitted a proposal to the committee in December last year, according to documents.

DMTCL and the

committee maintained top secrecy about the proposal.

Even the documents shared with committee members on its second meeting on February 16 this year, were taken back from them after the meeting.

However, according to sources, the proposal forwarded by DMTCL is not concrete.

They proposed Tk 100 as the fare for Uttara to Motijheel and Tk 20 as the minimum fare.

Neelima Akhter, executive director of Dhaka Transport Coordination Authority, said they have asked DMTCL to submit a concrete proposal regarding the fare.

Meanwhile, the authorities on March 16 brought reform to the committee by changing several of its members.

Contacted, AKM Hafizur Rahman, member secretary of the committee, told this correspondent that Dhaka Mass Transit Company Ltd has recently sent a fresh proposal to the committee.

The Dhaka Mass Transit Company Ltd managing director, however, asked this correspondent to talk to the committee chief over the issue through a text sent over the phone.

17 displaced families get new houses

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Ctg

Humayun Ahmed lost his home in an erosion in 2002 and took refuge in a slum near Chattogram's Banshkhalipapazila.

After living under a thatched roof with his wife and children for almost two decades, Humayun moved into his new home recently. "I have dreamed of a piece of land and a house in my country....," said an elated Humayun.

Seventeen families including Humayun affected by climate change have received new houses built with funding from a non-profit, social development organisation Young Power in Social Action (YPSA).

During a recent visit to Khankanabad area, this correspondent found that each house has utility services like water and electricity supply as well as a solar panel on its roof.

"We have spent Tk 6 lakh to build each house. We gave them sewing machines and goats to make a living," said Prabal Barua, programme manager of YPSA.



### বাংলাদেশ মুক্তিযোদ্ধা কল্যাণ ট্রাস্ট

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বাংলাদেশ মুক্তিযোদ্ধা কল্যাণ ট্রাস্ট প্রধান কার্যালয়, ঢাকায় ১৫০০ পিসি ক্ষমতাসম্পন্ন ০২টি টয়োটা এলিও-এক্স (Toyota axio-X) ২০১৭ সর্ববরাহের জন্য অগ্রহীণি অফিস আমদানিকারক/সর্ববরাহকারীর নিকট হতে দরপত্র আহ্বান করা যাচ্ছে। প্রতিষ্ঠানের নিজস্ব প্যাডে দর ও বিস্তারিত তথ্য উল্লেখস্বপূর্বক আগামী ২৫/০৪/২০২২ তারিখ বেলা ১.৩০ ঘটিকার মধ্যে শিল্প ও বাণিজ্য বিভাগ, বাংলাদেশ মুক্তিযোদ্ধা কল্যাণ ট্রাস্ট, ৩য় তলায় রাখিত টেন্ডার বাজেট দরপত্র আহ্বান দাখিল করতে হবে। দরপত্রের সঙ্গে উদ্ধৃত দরের ২% হারে বাংলাদেশ মুক্তিযোদ্ধা কল্যাণ ট্রাস্ট এর অনুকূলে যে কোন তফসীল ব্যাংক হতে পে-অর্ডার/ডিডি এবং হালনাগাদ ট্রেড লাইসেন্স, ভ্যাট, আয়কর, ব্যাংক সলভ্যান্সি সনদ ও আনবার্ষিক অন্যান্য কাগজপত্রাদি জমা দিতে হবে। একইদিন বেলা ২.০০ ঘটিকার উপস্থিত দরদাতাদের সম্মুখে (যদি কেহ উপস্থিত থাকেন) টেন্ডার বাজ খোলা হবে। এতদসকলকে বিস্তারিত তথ্য অফিস থেকে জানা যাবে।

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### NORTH SOUTH UNIVERSITY

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#### RE-TENDER NOTICE FOR HIRING AC BUS

Tender No. NSU/21-22-15

North South University is inviting sealed offer from the bona fide vehicle rental service provider to hire 12 nos AC bus. The buses must be minimum 30-36 seat Toyota /Nissan Brand or equivalent is preferable for providing shuttle transport services for North South University (NSU) students as per the terms and conditions stipulated in the tender schedule.

Interested bidders may collect 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 **May 17, 2022** by paying 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 Pay Order issued from any scheduled bank drawn in favor of North South University along with their offer. The sealed offer must be submitted on **May 18, 2022** by 11.00 A.M. at the office of the undersigned. The offers will be opened at 11.30 A.M. on the same day. Representatives of the participating bidders may remain present at the time of opening the bids. NSU authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the tenders without showing any reason.

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Karwan Bazaar commodity market, said, "Our profit margin is low. Big players and wholesalers control the market. We cannot keep the prices low even if we wanted to."

Another trader at the same market, Kawsar Miah, highlights a different picture. "Markets will be controlled soon because the NBR has decided to cut the indirect tax on imports of edible soybean oil from 15 to 5 percent. The retail prices of oil that went to over Tk 800 per five litres earlier in March, came down to Tk 760 in April. We are hopeful that prices will stabilise in the coming

months," he said.

Dr Selim Raihan, professor of economics at Dhaka University and executive director of South Asian Network on Economic Modeling (SANEM), said, "We have all the necessary rules and regulations in place. There are important departments like the Bangladesh Competition Commission, Ministry of Trade and Commerce, Consumer Association of Bangladesh etc. Yet the prices of essential goods are soaring every year."

"It is only with increased efforts from the government that we will be able to minimise inflation."

Withdraw

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for Liberation War affairs and chief guest at the event, said, "The government has taken zero tolerance stance against fundamentalism and communalism. The government will take all necessary steps to ensure justice for Lata Samaddar and Hriday Mondal."

Among others, retired Justice AHM Shamsuddin Chowdhury Manik; Professor Muntassir Mamoon; Shyamoli Nasrin Chowdhury, vice president of Ghatok Dalal Nirmul Committee; advocate Rana Das Gupta, general secretary of Bangladesh Hindu-Buddha-Christian Oikya Parishad; Nasiruddin Yousuff Bachchu, president, Bangladesh Gram Theatre, were present at the webinar.

### ADVERTISEMENT

Under Order 1 Rule 8 (1) Of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908  
To all concerned and same interested Person(s)

### NOTICE

LEARNED COURT OF 1st JOINT DISTRICT JUDGE, DHAKA  
TITLE SUIT NO.180 OF 2022

1) **Designtex Knitwear Limited**, represented by its Managing Director, Beraiderchala, Sreepur, Gazipur, Bangladesh.

2) **Designtex Fashions Limited**, represented by its Managing Director, Zirabo, Savar, Dhaka-1341, Bangladesh.

3) **Knit Bazaar (Pvt.) Limited**, represented by its Managing Director, 40-41, Vadam, Tongi, Gazipur, Bangladesh.

4) **Bottoms Gallery (Pvt.) Limited**, represented by its Managing Director, House No. 89, Road No. 28, Sector No. 07, Uttara Model Town, Uttara, Dhaka-1230 and Bulbul Tower, Dighirchala, Mymensing Road, Gazipur, Bangladesh.

--- **Plaintiffs.**

**Versus**

1) **The Edinburgh Woolen Mill (EWM) Dhaka Liaison Office of Peacocks**, represented by its Country Head, House: 32A, Road: 02, Sector: 03, Uttara, Dhaka-1230, Bangladesh.

2) **The Edinburgh Woolen Mill Group Limited**, represented by its managing director, June Carruthers, The Edinburgh Woollen Mill Limited, Waverley Mills, Langholm, Dumfriesshire, DG13 OEB.

3) **Peacocks Stores Limited**, represented by its Managing Director, Windsor Road, Cardiff, CF24, 5NG, UK.

4) **Anglo Global Property Limited**, 1, Fleet Place, Farringdon, London, United Kingdom, EC4M 7WS.

5) **PurePay Retail Limited**, 1, Fleet Place, Farringdon, London, United Kingdom, EC4M 7WS.

6) **Mr. Philip Day, EWM Waverley Mills**, Langholm, Dumfriesshire Scotland, DG13 OEB.

7) **Mr. Stephen Robert Simpson**, 1, Fleet Place, Farringdon, London, United Kingdom, EC4M 7WS.

8) **Barclays Bank PLC**, represented by its Managing Director, Trade Middle Office, P.O: Box-340, One Snow Hill Queensway, Birmingham B4 6GN, United Kingdom.

9) **Southeast Bank Limited**, represented by its Managing Director, Dhanmondi Branch, 4/1/4, Sobahanbag, Mirpur Road, Dhanmondi, Dhaka, Bangladesh and its Principal Branch, 1, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

10) **National Bank Limited**, represented by its Managing Director, Paragati Sarani Branch, Kuril Badda, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

--- **Defendants.**

11) **Bangladesh Bank**, represented by its Governor, 1, Motijheel Commercial Area, Dhaka.

12) **National Board of Revenue (NBR)**, represented by its Chairman, Rajswa Bhaban, Segunbagicha, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh.

--- **Proforma Defendants.**

It is hereby notified to all same interested and concerned person that, Plaintiffs of the Title Suit No. 180 of 2022 i.e. Plaintiff No. 01 Designtex Knitwear Limited, 02. Designtex Fashions Limited, 03. Knit Bazaar (Pvt) Limited, 04. Bottoms Gallery (Pvt) Limited have filed this representative suit on 14.03.2022. Above mentioned plaintiffs exported RMG goods to UK based Readymade Garments buyer Company defendant no. 2 to 7 (EWM Group, UK) and their Liaison office of Bangladesh defendant no. 1 The Edinburgh Woolen Mill (EWM) Dhaka Liaison Office of Peacocks. Plaintiffs of the said suit could not recover their payment totally valued at BDT 5,97,79,220/- (Five Crore Ninety Seven Lacs Seventy Nine Thousands Two Hundred Twenty taka only) from said defendants due to the fraud perpetrated by them and therefore filed above mentioned representative suit against all the said defendants. Defendants No. 1 to 8 of the said Title Suit No. 180 of 2022 intentionally defrauded and after buying the RMG goods, didn't make the payment of the Plaintiffs no. 1 to 4 and many of other RMG factories using the guise of so-called bankruptcy and now still doing business with other innocent RMG factories without any liability whatsoever subjecting the new factories to looming threat as well. This is unlawful, injurious and threatening to the national interest as well as particularly to Bangladesh RMG Sector. Plaintiffs of the above-mentioned Suit prayed for decree of declaration that for such fraudulent, unlawful and detrimental act against our national interest and particularly against RMG sector of Bangladesh, the defendants No. 1 to 8 are jointly and severally liable for the total outstanding amount owed to the plaintiffs and filed this instant representative suit so other same interest holding victims may join the cause.

After filing above mentioned suit by Plaintiffs on dated 14.04.2022 under Order 1 Rule 8 (1) of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 before the Learned Court of 1st Joint District Judge, Dhaka, admission hearing was conducted and the said Learned Court has admitted this instant suit with permission to proceed as a representative suit and also vide its Order passed on 16.03.2022 passed order to issue public advertisement in the newspaper to notify all same interested and concern person(s) about this instant suit.

It is hereby notified to all same interested and concerned person(s) that, Title Suit No. 180 of 2022 has been filed by plaintiffs of the said suit and if any person(s) have same interest in the subject matter of the said suit, such person(s) may appear before the Learned Court of 1st Joint District Judge, Dhaka within 19.04.2022 by yourself or by your appointed Lawyer to inform the said Learned Court about your same interest in the subject matter of the said suit and apply to be enjoined as co-plaintiff within 19.04.2022.

It is hereby deliver under the seal of Honorable court on dated.....

**Intiaz Moinul Islam (Neelima)**  
**Bar-at-Law, Advocate**  
**Supreme Court of Bangladesh**  
**Mohammad Shah Paran, Advocate**  
**Dhaka Judge Court**

**Sheresta**  
**Court of 1st Joint District Judge, Dhaka**

### Bangladesh Election Commission

Identification System for Enhancing Access to Services (IDEA) Project (2nd Phase)  
Nirbachan Bhaban (Floor-8), Agargaon, Dhaka-1207

#### Invitation for Re-Tenders

GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH

1	Ministry/Division	Bangladesh Election Commission.
2	Agency	Election Commission Secretariat.
3	Procuring entity name	Represented by Project Director, Identification System for Enhancing Access to Services (IDEA) Project (2nd Phase), Bangladesh Election Commission.
4	Procuring entity district	Dhaka.
5	Invitation for	Purchasing of IRIS Scanner& Fingerprint Scanner for Voter Registration.
6	Invitation Ref. No.& date	17.14.0000.240.07.061.2022.718; Dated: 10 April 2022

**KEY INFORMATION**

7	Procurement method	Open Tendering Method (OTM).
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**FUNDING INFORMATION**

8	Budget and source of funds	GoB (Development Budget).
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**PARTICULAR INFORMATION**

9	Project/program code (if applicable)	224331200.	
10	Project name (if applicable)	Identification System for Enhancing Access to Services (IDEA) Project (2nd Phase).	
11	Tender package No.	GD-22 (Lot-1 & Lot-2).	
12	Tender package name	Purchasing of IRIS Scanner & Fingerprint Scanner for Voter Registration.	
	Date	Time	
13	Tender publication date	11 April 2022	
14	Pre-Tender meeting date and time	17 April 2022	11:00am
15	Tender last selling date and time	24 April 2022	01:00pm
16	Tender closing date and time	25 April 2022	01:30pm
17	Tender opening date and time	25 April 2022	02:00pm
18	Name & address of the office(s)	Address	
	Selling tender document (principal)	Identification System for Enhancing Access to Services (IDEA) Project (2nd Phase), Nirbachan Bhaban (Floor-8), Room No. 814, Agargaon, Dhaka-1207.	

No conditions apply for sale, purchase or distribution of tender documents

19	Pre-tender meeting		
20	Receiving tender document	Conference Room No. 721, IDEA Project (2nd Phase), Nirbachan Bhaban (Floor-7), Agargaon, Dhaka-1207.	
21	Opening tender document		

**INFORMATION FOR TENDERER**


22	Eligibility of tenderer	1. Tender shall have the legal capacity to enter into the contract under the applicable law. 2. Tenderers shall be enrolled in the relevant professional or trade organizations registered in Bangladesh. 3. Tenderers shall have to fulfil its obligation/obligations to pay taxes under the provisions of laws and regulations of Bangladesh. 4. Detail information has been provided in the tender document.		
23	Brief description of services	Purchasing Laptop for Voter Registration		
24	Price of tender document (Tk.)	BDT 2500.00 (Two thousand five hundred only) non-refundable.		
25	Package No.	Identification of package	Location	Tender security amount (Tk)
	GD-22 (Lot-1 & Lot-2)	Purchasing of IRIS Scanner & Fingerprint Scanner for Voter Registration	Dhaka	Lot-1 (IRIS Scanner) Tk. 9,00,000/00 (Nine Lac) Lot-2 (Fingerprint Scanner) Tk. 13,50,000.00 (Thirteen lac fifty thousand)

**PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS**

26	Name of official inviting tender	Brigadier General Abul Kashem Md Fazul Kader.		
27	Designation of official inviting tender	Project Director.		
28	Address of official inviting tender	Identification System for Enhancing Access to Services (IDEA) Project (2nd Phase), Nirbachan Bhaban (Floor-8), Agargaon, Dhaka-1207.		
29	Contact details of official inviting tender	Telephone: 00-88-02-55007571; e-mail address: pd.idea2.bd@gmail.com		
30	The procuring entity reserves the right to reject all the tenders or annul the tender proceedings.			


**Abul Kashem Md. Fazul Kader**  
Brigadier General  
Project Director

GD-718



### GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLES'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH

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Memo No: 46.02.5747.000.14.223.20-430

Date: 10.04.2022

**e-Tender Notice No: 05/2021-2022**  
**Open Tendering Method (NOTM)**

e-Tender is invited in the National e-GP System Portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) for the Procurement of:

Sl. No.	Tender ID No.	Name of the Work	Package No.	Publication (Date & Time)	Tender Last Selling (Date & Time)	Tender Closing (Date & Time)
01	675576	Construction of additional class room 2H+2V+1V/F4 at Hogol Baria Purbo Para Primary School Under PEDP4.	e-Tender/PEDP4/MEH/GAN/2021-2022/W1-02328	11.04.2022 15:00	05.05.2022 17:00	08.05.2022 15:00
02	675577	Construction of additional class room 2H+2V+1V/F4 at Tarail Chairman Para Primary School Under PEDP4.	e-Tender/PEDP4/MEH/GAN/2021-2022/W1-02329	11.04.2022 15:00	05.05.2022 17:00	08.05.2022 15:00
03	675578	Construction of additional class room 2H+2V+1V/F4 at Paschim Malshadha Poura Adorsa Primary School Under PEDP4.	e-Tender/PEDP4/MEH/GAN/2021-2022/W1-02330	11.04.2022 15:00	05.05.2022 17:00	08.05.2022 15:00

This is an online Tender. Where only e-Tender will be accepted in the National e-GP Portal and no offline/ hard Copies will be accepted. To Submit e-Tender, Registration in the National e-GP System 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 Bank's Branches. Future information and guidelines are available in the National e-GP System Portal and from e-GP help desk ([helpdesk@eprocure.gov.bd](mailto:helpdesk@eprocure.gov.bd))

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