

ROBBERY, GANG RAPE ON BUS Case complainant recounts the night of horror

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Tangail

Hekmat Ali, complainant of the Tangail bus robbery and gang-rape case, narrated his dreadful experience on that night to The Daily Star.

At present, he's still trying to recover from the shock of the incident.

Hekmat (28), a fruit trader from Salimpur village of Daulatpur in Kushtia, was travelling to Dhaka on the Eagle Transport bus with his wife, two children, and mother-in-law. He was heading to Dhaka Medical College Hospital for an ear operation.

His relatives were supposed to receive them at Jatrabari.

"Our journey started at 8:23pm on Tuesday. We sat in the middle seats of the bus. After a half-an-hour break at a restaurant in Sirajganj, the bus staffers let 10 people board the vehicle, who were actually robbers in the guise of passengers, from three places between 11:30pm and 12:00am."

"Around 1:00am on Dhaka-Tangail highway, the robbers removed the driver from his seat after threatening him with sharp weapons, and one of the robbers started driving the bus. They tore off the clothes of passengers in the moving bus and tied our hands and faces with those."

"At one stage, one of the robbers slapped me hard on the ear. They took away Tk 22,000, two mobile phones, and my wife and mother-in-law's jewellery."

"I could hear that they were torturing a woman sitting behind us, but there was nothing I could do about it. I also heard screams of another woman from the front seat, but I couldn't see anything in the dark," he said.

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On the bank of Rupsha, a group of fishers fix their nets before setting off sail to catch hilsa and other small fishes from the river. This photo was taken in Khulna's Batiaghata yesterday.

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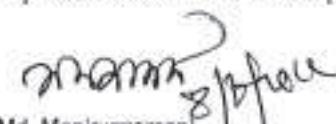


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OSMANI HOSPITAL Strike called off as prime accused held

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Sylhet

Students and intern doctors at Sylhet MAG Osmani Medical College Hospital yesterday suspended their ongoing strike over the attack on fellows and harassment of a female intern doctor.

They postponed their work suspension for seven days after Dibya Sarkar, the prime accused in the attack case, was arrested in the city's Shahporon in the early hours.

Dr Abdul Montakim Chowdhury, president of Intern Doctors' Council, said, "But if police fail to arrest all the accused within one week... we will resume protests."

Following the strike suspension, the intern doctors returned to duty, easing patients' sufferings.

On Sunday, a patient's relative was handed over to police for harassing a female intern doctor. Later, miscreants attacked the medical students on Monday, injuring two of them.



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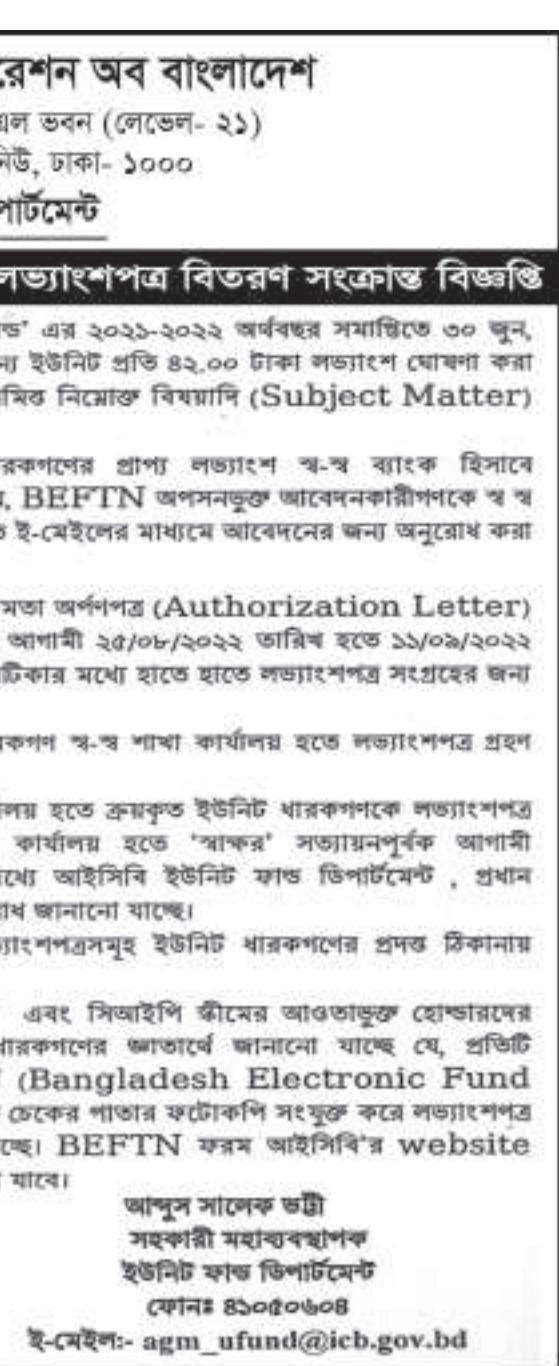
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720941	Construction of 3-storied Building with 3-storied foundation of Hatibandha Upazila Model Mosque in the District of Lalmonirhat under the project of Establishment of 560 Model Mosjid and Islamic cultural centers in zilla and upazila of Bangladesh (Sub-head: Supply & Installation of 150 KVA Electric sub-station, 30 KVA Emergency Generator, Air-cooler, Pump Motor set, Fire Extinguisher, CCTV system, Solar, L.C, PA/Sound System).	17-Aug-2022 17:00	21-Aug-2022 11:00	21 Aug-2022 12:00	375000/-

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