

## Won't let their

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financial assistance to the family members of some leaders and activists of the party and its associated bodies who were subjected to murder, enforced disappearance, extrajudicial killing and repression.

Fakhrul said no democracy-loving people have now security in Bangladesh.

"The children, wives, mothers, brothers and sisters of Noor-e-Alam and Abdur Rahim are sitting

over there. We won't let their tears go in vain. We must turn Bangladesh into a welfare state for people by removing this regime," he said.

Meanwhile, BNP planned a two-day programme, including rally and discussion, to celebrate its 44th founding anniversary on September 1.

BNP Senior Joint Secretary General Ruhul Kabir Rizvi announced the programmes at a press briefing at the party's Nayapatan central office.



Students of Dhaka Women Polytechnic Institute staged a rally in Sher-e-Bangla Nagar area yesterday, protesting the education minister's comments on turning diploma engineering courses into a three-year programme instead of four. Students said it would "degrade the quality of education". They demonstrated in front of the Bangladesh Technical Education Board and later returned to their campus in Agargaon.

PHOTO: PALASH KHAN

## PhD Degree Achieved



Mr. Shahazada Basunia, has been awarded with the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) from the Department of English at Islamic University, Kushtia, Bangladesh in the 255<sup>th</sup> syndicate meeting of the university on August 9, 2022. His dissertation title was "Viscount John Morley: A Critical Appraisal of His Studies in Literature". The chairman of the examination committee was Prof. Dr. M. Moniruzzaman, the Department of English at Jahangirnagar University, Savar, Dhaka. Prof. Dr. M. Shahinour Rahman, the Department of English at Islamic University supervised the dissertation and Prof. Samina Khan, the Department of English at Aligarh Muslim University in India reviewed the dissertation.

## 2-day weekly

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minister added.

Earlier, she paid homage to Bangabandhu on behalf of National University.

Deputy Minister of Education Mahibul Hasan Chowdhury Naufel, National University Vice-Chancellor Prof Mohammad Moshirur Rahman, and Gopalganj District Administrator Shahida Sultana, among others, were present.

## People suffer

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Mofazzal Hossain, a Chattogram-bound bus passenger, said, "I had to walk a kilometre because of huge gridlocks. I will have to walk more to find other buses."

Contacted, Sitakunda UNO Shahadat Hossain told this correspondent, "We tried evacuating the demonstrators out of the highway by reassuring them. However, they did not listen."

This correspondent talked to the demonstrators as well, who described their sufferings.

"Our sufferings are unparalleled. The connection

has been off for 10 days. Our children are suffering as well," said Latifa Akhtar, a Salimpur resident.

Meanwhile, a clash broke out between two groups during the blockade on the highway around 5:00pm.

A group of locals, equipped with sticks and iron rods, were reported to be chasing the demonstrators. Later, both the groups hurled bricks at each other.

Police later cleared the highway of the two groups, following which, the agitators backed out to Fojdarhat-Baizid Link Road area, resuming the traffic.

## Global community

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to be found through political discussion and diplomatic initiative."

Shaheen Anam, executive director of Manusher Jonno Foundation, stressed on a more proactive role from the international community. "The friction between Rohingyas and locals is on the rise. [But], repatriation discussions have been halted after the military coup in Myanmar."

"There has been little progress in ensuring justice for Rohingyas except some major decisions by ICJ and ICC [International Criminal Court] over the last couple

of years," said Manzoor Hasan, chairperson of ActionAid Bangladesh.

Farah Kabir, country director of ActionAid Bangladesh, said, "We have not seen any active and sustainable plan from the national and global leadership for peaceful repatriation. Therefore, reintegration in Myanmar remains a far cry."

A publication titled "Rohingyas in Myanmar and Bangladesh" — authored by Dr Imtiaz Ahmed, professor of international relations and director of Centre for Genocide Studies — was unveiled at the end of the event.

## Posters at only

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Many residents are, however, skeptical.

"In the late 1990s, ABM Mohiuddin Chowdhury, then mayor, took such initiative... It worked for several months and then stopped," said Masud Parvez, a schoolteacher.

CCC Mayor Rezaul Karim Chowdhury said, "We are going to designate spots for using posters and would impose fine against those who violate the instruction."

Asked about success of the initiative, the mayor said awareness is key in this regard.

## Man, son among

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The accident occurred around 7:00am when the truck driver lost his control of the overloaded vehicle.

In Dinajpur, a policeman was killed after a stone-laden truck ran him over in Ghoraghat upazila, reports our local correspondent.

Omar Faruk (43), a constable and driver of

Ghoraghat Police Station, was discharging his duty with the nighttime patrol team on Dinajpur-Gobindaganj road, said OC Abu Hasan Kabir.

Meanwhile, two people were killed in a head-on collision between a bus and a truck in Phulbari upazila. The deceased are bus driver Abdul Hamid (32) and Ashik Ali (23).

## Complete existing

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another 10-storey building from scratch, with a budget of Tk 138 crore.

"If there is any need for an administrative building, complete the existing one. This will save around a hundred crore," said Raihan Rayne, convener of "Jahangirnagar Against Corruption".

"We can't allow such wastage of money on unnecessary constructions. We want a permanent ban on this," said Anu Mohammad, former professor of economics at

JU. Project Director of JU Development Project Nasir Uddin said, "We are currently awaiting an investigation into the matter."

"The authorities never sought our suggestions before planning the new building's construction," said Prof Dil Afroza Begum, acting in-charge of University Grants Commission (UGC).

This correspondent could not contact JU VC Prof Nurul Alam despite repeated attempts.

**Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh**  
District Primary Education Office  
Faridpur  
Web: [dpe.faridpur.gov.bd](http://dpe.faridpur.gov.bd)  
Memo No. DPEO/Faridpur/e-GP/NNGPS/1009 Date: 16 August 2022

**Invitation for Tender (OTM)**  
e-Tenders are invited in the National e-GP System Portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) for the procurement of furniture as stated below.

Tender ID & method	Description of procurement	Tender last selling date & time	Tender closing/opening date & time
683980 OTM	Supply of Furniture under NBIDNNGPSP1 at 19 Nos. Newly Nationalized Govt. Primary Schools in Alifadanga, Boalmari, Charbhadrasan and Faridpur Sadar Upazillas of Faridpur District for 65 Nos. Class Rooms and 6 Nos. Teachers' Rooms.	14 Sept. 2022 16:00pm	15 Sept. 2022 12:30pm
683981 OTM	Supply of Furniture under NBIDNNGPSP1 at 22 Nos. Newly Nationalized Govt. Primary Schools in Madhukhali and Sadarpur Upazillas of Faridpur District for 83 Nos. Class Rooms and 17 Nos. Teachers' Rooms	14 Sept. 2022 16:00pm	15 Sept. 2022 12:30pm
683982 OTM	Supply of Furniture under NBIDNNGPSP1 at 20 Nos. Newly Nationalized Govt. Primary Schools in Boalmari, Faridpur Sadar, Madhukhali, Sadarpur, Alifadanga and Bhangra Upazillas of Faridpur District for 75 Nos. Class Rooms and 13 Nos. Teacher's Rooms.	14 Sept. 2022 16:00pm	15 Sept. 2022 12:30pm
683943 OTM	Supply of Furniture under NBIDNNGPSP1 at 19 Nos. Newly Nationalized Govt. Primary Schools in Boalmari, Charbhadrasan, Nagarkanda and Sadarpur Upazillas of Faridpur District for 73 Nos. Class Rooms and 16 Nos. Teacher's Rooms.	14 Sept. 2022 16:00pm	15 Sept. 2022 12:30pm

These are online tenders where only e-Tender shall be accepted in the National e-GP System Portal. No offline or hard copies shall be accepted. To submit e-Tender, registration in the National e-GP System Portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) is required. Further information and guidelines are available in the portal. The Procurement Entity (PE) reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason.

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**গণপ্রজাতন্ত্রী বাংলাদেশ সরকার**  
খাদ্য মন্ত্রণালয়  
সেবা শাখা  
বাংলাদেশ সচিবালয়, ঢাকা  
নম্বর-১৩.০০.০০০০.০১৫.০৭.০০১.২২.৭৯৭ তারিখ: ২২ আগস্ট ২০২২

**দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি**

খাদ্য মন্ত্রণালয়ের দায়িত্বের কাজে ব্যবহারের প্রয়োজনে চলতি ২০২২-২০২৩ অর্থ বছরের জন্য ফ্রেমওয়ার্ক চুক্তির আওতায় কম্পিউটার এক্সেসরিজ ক্রয়ের নিমিত্ত প্রকল্পকারী/সরবরাহকারী প্রতিষ্ঠান নিয়োগের জন্য সীলমোহরকৃত খামে দরপত্র আহবান করা যাচ্ছে। দরপত্র দাখিলের সময় দরপত্রের সাথে চলতি সনের বৈধ ট্রেড লাইসেন্স, ভ্যাট সনদপত্র এবং টিআইএন এর সত্যায়িত অনুলিপি এবং ব্যাংক স্বাক্ষরতার সনদপত্র এবং টেন্ডার সিডিউলে বর্ণিত শর্তাবলী ও চাহিদার আলোকে প্রয়োজনীয় কাগজপত্র দাখিল করতে হবে।

ক্রম নং	দরপত্রের নাম	বিস্তারিত বিবরণ
১	খাদ্য মন্ত্রণালয়	খাদ্য মন্ত্রণালয়
২	এজেন্সী	-এই-
৩	প্রকিউরিং এনটিটি নাম	-এই-
৪	প্রকিউরিং এনটিটি কোড	১৪৮০১০১ -১৪১১-৪১১২২০২- কম্পিউটার ও অনুষঙ্গিক, ১৪৮০১০১ -৩২৫৫ -৩২৫৫১০১ "কম্পিউটার সামগ্রী এবং ১৪৮০১০১ -১৪১১-৪১১২২০১ তথ্য যোগাযোগ প্রযুক্তি সরঞ্জামাদি
৫	দরপত্র নং	১৩.০০.০০০০.০১৫.৯৯.০০৫.২১.৭৮৫
৬	তারিখ	১৭/০৮/২০২২খ্রিঃ.
৭	সংগ্রহ পদ্ধতি	উন্মুক্ত দরপত্র পদ্ধতি (ফ্রেমওয়ার্ক)
৮	বাজেট ও অর্থের উৎস	রাজস্ব খাত
৯	দরপত্রের সিডিউল বিক্রয়ের শেষ তারিখ	০৮/০৯/২০২২খ্রিঃ
১০	দরপত্র দাখিলের তারিখ ও সময়	১১/০৯/২০২২ তারিখ দুপুর ২.০০টা পর্যন্ত
১১	দরপত্র খোলার তারিখ ও সময়	তারিখঃ ১১/০৯/২০২২ দুপুর ২.৩০ ঘটিকায়
১২	দরপত্র বিক্রয়কারী অফিসের নাম ও ঠিকানা	খাদ্য মন্ত্রণালয়, কক্ষ নং-১২১, বাংলাদেশ সচিবালয়, ঢাকা
১৩	দরপত্র গ্রহণকারী অফিসের নাম ও ঠিকানা	খাদ্য মন্ত্রণালয়, কক্ষ নং-১২১, বাংলাদেশ সচিবালয়, ঢাকা
১৪	দরপত্র খোলার দপ্তর	উপসচিব (সেবা) এর দপ্তর, কক্ষ নং-১১৬, ভবন নং-৪, বাংলাদেশ সচিবালয়, ঢাকা।
১৫	দরপত্রদাতাদের যোগ্যতা	PPR-২০০৮ অনুযায়ী এবং সংশ্লিষ্ট কাজের জন্য প্রণীত দরপত্রে বর্ণিত শর্তানুযায়ী।
১৬	দরপত্রে বর্ণিত মাল্যমানের সর্বনিম্ন বর্ণনা	কম্পিউটার এক্সেসরিজ
১৭	দরপত্র সিডিউলের মূল্য	৫০০/- (পাঁচশত) টাকা অক্ষরভাষায়।
১৮	লট নং-১	মন্ত্রণালয়ের দায়িত্বের কাজে ব্যবহারের জন্য কম্পিউটার এক্সেসরিজ
১৯	টেন্ডার সিডিউরিটি	১০,০০০/- (দশ হাজার) টাকা মাত্র।
২০	দরপত্র আহবানকারী কর্মকর্তার নাম, পদবী, ঠিকানা ও টেলিফোন নম্বর	মোঃ কামরুজ্জামান, উপসচিব (সেবা), ভবন নং-৪, কক্ষ নং-১১৬, খাদ্য মন্ত্রণালয়, বাংলাদেশ সচিবালয়, ঢাকা। ফোন নং-০২-৫৫১০০২২১ (অফিস)
২১	১। অন্যান্য শর্তাদি সিডিউলে বর্ণিত রয়েছে; ২। সকল দরপত্র বাতিল/গ্রহণ ক্ষমতা সংগ্রাহক সত্তা কর্তৃক সংরক্ষিত।	

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## MUNIA'S DEATH

### PBI takes 17th date to submit probe

COURT CORRESPONDENT

A Dhaka court yesterday again asked PBI to submit — by September 11 — the probe report in a case filed against Bashundhara Group Managing Director Sayem Sobhan Anvir and seven others over the rape and murder of a college student in Gulshan.

Dhaka Metropolitan Magistrate Begum Yasmin Ara passed the order after IO Md Alauddin, also an inspector of PBI, failed to submit the report yesterday.

With the latest one, PBI took 17 dates to submit the report. Police recovered the body of the 21-year-old college student in a Gulshan flat on April 26 last year. Her elder sister on September 6 filed a case with Women and Children Repression Prevention Tribunal-8 of Dhaka.

## Tracker for trawlers

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from the coastline, Kamrul said.

It will keep the relevant authorities in loop with the position of fishing trawlers on Bangladesh territory.

This means every time a fishing vessel gets stranded in the middle of the sea during stormy weather, the coastguards can easily locate the trawlers with the available information.

When asked, he clarified that the boats won't help out fishers by providing cautionary weather signals, or informing them of stormy weather beforehand.

Anisur Rahman Talukder, deputy director of Barisal Divisional Fisheries Office, said if this device is installed, it will be easy to find the missing boats during storms.

FISHERS CONFUSED  
It seems the fishers were not trained properly on the use of tracking devices, as most of them are apparently confused.

Fisher Md Babul said, "We have heard that if there is a cautionary signal at sea,

it will be known through this device, and it will also be possible to converse with the authorities through it while at sea."

President of Barisal Small Fishermen's Association Md Israel Pandit echoed the same.

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## Have to fight

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administration remains inactive."

"The government failed to fulfil the promises it made to us in its election manifesto. We demanded an independent land commission and ministry to protect the indigenous peoples of the country."

The indigenous students also expressed solidarity with the ongoing tea workers' protest. Chhatra Union expressed their solidarity with the cause.

**Request for Expressions of Interest (Firm)**  
**International Convention Centre, Dhaka, Bangladesh**  
Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Ministry/Division : Local Government Division.  
Agency : Dhaka South City Corporation (DSCC).  
Procuring entity name : Project Director, International Convention Centre.  
Procuring entity code : Not applicable.  
Procuring entity district : Dhaka.  
Expression of Interest for : Consulting Firm.  
Selection of EOI Ref. No. : 46.207.000.12.05.182.2022-01  
Date : 23 August, 2022

**KEY INFORMATION**  
Procurement method : QCBS, ICB.  
**FUNDING INFORMATION**  
Budget and source of funds : Own fund of DSCC.  
**PARTICULAR INFORMATION**  
Project name : Design of International Convention Centre (Fifty (50)-Storeyed Skyscraper) at Kamrangirchar, Dhaka, Bangladesh.  
EOI closing date and time : 31 October, 2022 BST 12:00pm.  
**INFORMATION FOR APPLICANT**  
Brief description of assignment : Planning, Design of Fifty (5)-Storeyed Tower having International Convention Centre (Convention Centre with capacity of 5000 Persons, 3000 Persons and 1000 persons, Seminar Rooms, Multipurpose Hall), Exhibition Halls, 5 Star Hotel, Office Space, Commercial space, Shopping Mall, Condominium, Eateries space (Restaurants, Café & Food Courts), Cineplex, Amphitheater, Banquette hall, Observation Deck, Parking facilities at Kamrangirchar to create a state-of-the-art and World Class skyscraper in Dhaka, Bangladesh.  
The facilities will be designed with sustainable approaches in planning and design, energy conservation, water resource management, solid waste management, efficient land use, eco-friendly building design to create cost-effective and measurable savings for the project. So that the construction will be in accordance with international best practices.  
Experience, resources and delivery capacity required : Proven experience of satisfactory completion of Project similar to the proposed service in at least 1 (one) number.  
Association with local firms is : Encouraged as joint venture or sub-consultancy or include in their payroll.

Ref	Phasing	Location	Indicative start date	Indicative completion date
S1	Feasibility Study	Dhaka	15 Feb 2023	15 Mar 2023
S2	Preliminary Plan, Design etc.	Dhaka	16 Mar 2023	15 Apr 2023
S3	Details design, specification, Cost Estimate	Dhaka	16 Apr 2023	15 June 2023
S4	Project Proposal	Dhaka	15 May 2023	30 Jun 2023
S5	Tender Documents	Dhaka	01 Jun 2023	30 June 2023

**PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS**  
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**Md. Ashiqur Rahman**  
Project Director

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