

Justice Amirul Islam no more

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Justice Syed Amirul Islam, a former judge of the High Court Division of the Supreme Court, passed away yesterday. He was 86.

He breathed his last while receiving treatment at a hospital in Dhaka at 11:45am.

Justice Amirul Islam left behind his son and a host of admirers to mourn his death, Supreme Court Spokesman Md Saifur Rahman told The Daily Star.

Chief Justice Hasan Foez Siddique expressed deep shock at the death, prayed for the salvation of the departed soul and conveyed sympathy to the bereaved family.

His namaz-e-janaza will be held at the inner garden of the Supreme Court after the Zohr prayers today.



ANOTHER DAY, ANOTHER GRIDLOCK... On workdays, this is a common scene on Dhaka roads, where numerous vehicles are stuck in traffic for prolonged periods, causing suffering to hundreds and thousands of commuters. The photo was taken yesterday on Mirpur Road in Shyamoli.

PHOTO: PALASH KHAN

Cop caught on camera

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He then claimed to have caught Khalil with yaba pills and arrested him in a narcotics case.

The reporter of the TV channel, who recorded the incident on camera, was told by Khalil that he was being framed.

After the arrest, Mahbubul assaulted Khalil and forced him into an auto-rickshaw to take him to the police station.

Khalil also mentioned that Mahbubul framed him earlier as well.

Sub-inspector Niten Rawanak Biswas, general recording officer of a Dhaka court, said Khalil was produced before the court in a case for possessing 100 yaba pills.

During the arrest, ASI Mahbubul claimed that he seized 135 yaba pills from Khalil.

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Naoki also said the Japanese development corporation in Bangladesh hit a new record of mega infrastructure projects, including the metro rail project in Dhaka, the Dhaka airport project, the development of Matarbari deep sea port and the Bangabandhu railway bridge project.

Tomoko Uchiyama, country director of Shapla Neer, gave the welcome speech, while senior advisor of the NGO Prof Ohashi Masaaki made a

video presentation. Shapla Neer was established on September 1, 1972, by a group of young Japanese volunteers, who visited Bangladesh immediately after the country's independence to rehabilitate the underprivileged people of the country.

In September 2022, Shapla Neer reached the 50-year mark of its journey in Bangladesh. The NGO is currently working in Bangladesh, Nepal and Japan to advocate for human rights.

Tk 3 per km

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— metro rail — is completely “unfair, unexpected and unacceptable”.

This will only lead to an increase in people's travel expenses, they said.

The cost of transportation has increased tremendously due to the rise in fuel prices. Along with that, with the unbridled hike in prices of essential goods, including medicines, people's living cost has increased by more than 40 percent.

The statement said low and fixed-income people, especially those who

are living in Dhaka, are struggling to support their families.

The organisation demanded that the minimum fare of this state-run transport should be reduced by 50 percent to Tk 10 and the fare per km should be reduced from Tk 5 to Tk 3.

The much-awaited metro rail is going to be launched in December this year partially.

In the first phase, metro will run from Uttara to Agargaon. The fare of this route would be Tk 60 per person.

It was a murder in cold blood

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In their attempt to kill Shimu, Nobel told Farhad to grab his wife so that they could kill her.

As per Nobel's direction, Farhad attempted to capture Shimu. But she pushed him, after which he fell to the floor.

Nobel tried to catch her by the throat in his attempt to kill her but failed.

At that point, both of them made a move to attack her. After some resistance from Shimu, Farhad caught her by her hands, while Nobel strangled her with his feet.

Shimu and Nobel's 15-year-old daughter and

seven-year-old son were sleeping in the next room during the murder.

On the morning of January 16, Nobel and Farhad sewed two sacks after putting Shimu's body in them. They then drove around Mirpur, Rupnagar and Ashulia areas with the sack in the trunk of Nobel's car, looking for a place to dump the body.

They returned home with the body in the evening and dumped it in a bush near Alipur Bridge in Keraniganj around midnight.

Nobel then went to Kalabagan Police Station to report that his wife had

been missing.

Shimu's body was recovered from a sack found in a roadside bush near Hazratpur Bridge on January 17.

Following the recovery, Shimu's brother Harun-or-Rashid filed a case with Keraniganj Model Police Station against Nobel, Farhad and several unknown persons.

Police then arrested Nobel and Farhad from their residences on January 18.

Shimu made a debut on the silver screen in 1998 with “Bartaman” and starred in 20 films throughout her career.

Ethnic minorities to get jobs

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condition.

Mokima also said after the end of the job contract, Bangladeshi workers will have to return home. However, they will also be prioritised if South Korea needs such workers in future.

The Boesl circular requires the workers' age

to be between 30-45 years. They are also required to have two years of experience in agriculture and fish farming.

Selected workers will have to bear their own airfare while they will have to pay Tk 29,890 as various other costs, including Tk 15,000 as Boesl's service charge.

Besides, the workers will have to deposit Tk 50,000 each as refundable collateral.

If a worker does not return after the job contract, the collateral money will be confiscated. Moreover, action will be taken against the worker as per the rules, as mentioned in the circular.

Red zones off-limits

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into the matter to make this move a success. Otherwise, no management will work.

Joint Secretary of Bangladesh Poriobesh Andolon Iqbal Habib blamed the lack of combined planning for the messy situation.

He said occupied

footpaths are a major reason behind traffic congestion as pedestrians are often forced to use main roads to avoid crowded walkways.

He also mentioned that more than 40 percent of trips in Dhaka cover a distance of around 1.5 kilometres. So, if the

footpaths can be kept free, people would prefer to walk this distance instead of commuting by road.

There are over five lakh hawkers in the country, and each pays Tk 200 to 250 daily to “linemen”, who serve as private agents of extortionists, said a hawker leader in Dhaka.

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Cricketer

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husband did not provide her maintenance including educational expenses of their two children for the last two years.

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and some people who have been expelled from the party are trying to misguide Raushan Ershad.”

The JP chief said as the party's chief patron, Raushan can advise the party. But the JP chairman decides whether to implement suggestions.

Asked about JP's decision to remove Raushan from the post of leader of opposition, Quader said the decision was taken due to her ill health.

Bike ban

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ongoing visit to India has been successful.

“Yes, there has not been any deal on Teesta, but we have got Kushiara's water. We are not returning empty-handed,” he said, adding that Dhaka and New Delhi signed seven memorandums of understanding during the visit. Quader also expressed his hope that the Teesta water-sharing issue will be resolved soon.

The issue, he said, has been pending due to some reservations of the chief minister of West Bengal, he observed.

Meanwhile, Quader brushed aside the allegation that the cabinet is weak. “Some members of the cabinet have come from the grassroots. They may have some personal weakness, but in general, the cabinet is not weak,” the minister said.

Bilkis Banu

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secondary only because of Maa [Bilkis]. I want to get into a public university and make her proud.”

Bilkis' husband Rabiul Islam, a retired professor, said his wife loves to spend most of her time with the children at Shishu Sadan.

“It's upsetting for us to not be able to provide proper care to the children due to financial crisis. Sometimes, we get GR (general relief) rice from the district administration, which is not sufficient. We need more support from the government,” he said.

Contacted, Nageshwari UNO Farjana Jahan said she would soon visit the orphanage and take necessary steps to extend more cooperation from the local administration.

Five to die

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mother filed a case with Khalishpur Police Station.

Sub-inspector Kazi Rezaul Karim, investigation officer of the case, filed a charge sheet accusing five people on June 20 that year.

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ADDENDUM NOTICE

Date: September 08, 2022

Tender Name: ITB for Supply of Reagents & Lab Supplies under Fixed Rate Contract
Invitation Ref. No. & Date: icddr/b/SCM/OTM/2022/12 Dated: 19-08-22
Published in: The Daily “Prothom Alo” & “Daily Star” on August 19, 2022

Description	Previous Date	New Date
Last date for Tender Submission	September 11, 2022	September 22, 2022

All other informations, Terms & Conditions in the said tender notice and tender document will remain unchanged. Please visit Minutes of Pre-bid Meeting through <https://www.icddr.org/work-with-us/tender-notices>



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Invitation for Tender (Goods)

e-Tender Notice Number-01/2022-23

Memo No. 46.03.4700.028.07.001.19-576

Date: 07/09/2022
e-Tender is invited in the National e-GP System Portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) by Office of the Executive Engineer, Store Division, Khulna.

Tender ID No.	Package No.	Description of goods	Last selling date & time	Closing date & time	Opening date & time
731804	KS-ROV001	Supply of 20 Nos. Tyre (size 7-50R-16) in Khulna Store (FY: 2022-2023)	22-September-2022 Time: 12:30	25-September-2022 Time: 12:00	25-September-2022 Time: 12:00

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.

Md. Khairul Hasan
Executive Engineer
DPHE, Store Division, Khulna

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Memo No. 46.02.1807.000.14.000.22-871 Date: 06/09/2022

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