

**'It's baseless, confusing'
TIB on Quader's statement**

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Transparency International Bangladesh (TIB) yesterday expressed grave concern regarding Road Transport and Bridges Minister Obaidul Quader's involvement in UN peacekeeping missions.

In a statement yesterday, TIB termed the comments "baseless and confusing", and said it allegedly implicated Transparency International (TI) in undermining Bangladesh's involvement in UN peacekeeping missions. Such remarks from a politician holding a significant ministerial position not only showcase desperation but also demonstrate a lack of responsibility, the statement reads.

In reference to a recorded statement by the minister, in which he mentioned TI, Iftekharuzzaman, executive director of TIB, expressed his disappointment and said the confusion was caused by state-run BSS and some other news outlets, as they incorrectly, whether intentionally or not, implied TIB instead of TI.

Iftekharuzzaman said such instances of mix-ups have happened in the past too, which is unexpected, he added in the statement. Mentionable Quader, Awami League general secretary, on Monday made the remarks while talking about Bangladesh's peacekeeping mission.

**CU journo beaten
by BCL men**

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A group of Chhatra League men attacked the Chattogram University correspondent of a Bangla daily on the campus Monday night.

Dost Mohammad, CU correspondent of Bangla daily Amader Notun Somoy, was admitted to Chattogram Medical College Hospital. He is a fourth-year student of CU's communication and journalism department.

A group of BCL men, led by CU BCL Law Secretary Khaled Masud and Deputy Office Secretary Arafat Hossen, carried out the attack, said witnesses and campus sources.

The BCL men attacked the victim over a trivial matter around 9:00am. They beat him again knowing that the victim was a journalist.

Meanwhile, CU Journalists' Association formed a human chain in front of CU Administration Building protesting the attack.

Later, CU Vice-Chancellor Prof Shireen Akhter assured CUJA members that the administration will take necessary actions. BCL leader Khaled Masud claimed that he had a scuffle with the journalist over sitting on a bench. It's a scuffle nothing else.

However, CU BCL President Rezaul Haque Rubel said he will inform the matter to the central BCL committee to take necessary actions.

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Brac's "Ultra-Poor Graduation Programme" is making a positive impact on poor families in Cox's Bazar and Ukhiya, said speakers at a discussion in Cox's Bazar yesterday.

The event was organised by Brac, Brac Institute of Governance and Development, and the UNHCR. The UPG programme focuses on helping individuals living below the poverty line by understanding their vulnerabilities, risks, and needs. Brac recently implemented a pilot project as part of this initiative to establish stronger connections between the ultra-poor and the local market, enabling them to effectively sell their products.

Palash K Das, director of the UPG programme at Brac, said, "A total of 2,000 members from ultra-poor families participated in the one-year pilot project, jointly implemented by Brac and UNHCR."

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Vehicular movement on the road was halted during that time. However, only school and college vehicles were allowed to go through. According to the protesting students, they appeared for exams several months ago but the results have not been published yet.

Shagor Newaz, a third-year student of Bangla department at Government Bangla College, said, "If any trouble comes, we go to the Dhaka University authority, but they ask us to talk to our college authority. And when we go to our college authority, they tell us to talk to DU authority again. Where should we go, then?"

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The danger level by 10 centimetres, leading to concerns about potential flooding in the region. In light of the waterlogged roads and difficulties faced by people in commuting, candidates have begun renting rickshaws to provide transportation for voters if the weather worsens.

Manik Miah, a rickshaw-puller from Temukhi area, said, "Many roads in the villages are waterlogged, and it is hard for people to commute. Me and nine others have already been rented by a councillor candidate to carry voters to the polling station."

Also, the AL election management committee has distributed umbrellas among party activists. The AL mayoral candidate Anwaruzzaman Chowdhury expressed his hope for favourable weather on polling day. Contacted, Faysal Kadir, the returning officer of the polls, said, "Necessary steps will be taken depending on the situation."

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BNP Media Cell arranged the programme, marking the first anniversary of its formation. Fakhru said the political parties that believe in democratic politics, and independence of the country and that want to make Bangladesh a truly democratic state have launched a simultaneous movement to restore democracy. "We want to bring back democracy and establish people's rights in the country to materialise the dreams of independence. It's not our prime goal to take the BNP to power," he observed. The BNP leader said lack of democracy is the main crisis now in Bangladesh

Rain dampens polls

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Meanwhile, a group of locals, in support of councillor candidates, have been paving bricks and filling sand on the ground leading to the polling centres, in an effort to provide a stable pathway for voters to navigate through the potential waterlogging caused by the rainfall.

Additionally, the group is setting up a cover in one corner of the centre to provide shelter for voters in the event of rain.

Borhan Uddin, a member of this group, said, "We are trying our best to make the centre accessible."

Shah Md Shajib, assistant meteorologist of Sylhet Met office, said, "It rained 43 millimetres from 6:00am to 3:00pm yesterday, and there is a forecast of heavy rainfall today."

Meanwhile, the Surma river is flowing 44 centimetres below the danger level at the Sylhet city point. However, upstream at Kanaighat upazila in the district, the river has surpassed

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environment for the smooth exercise of voting rights." Keeping the weather conditions in mind, the EC's team will be active to ensure that there are no technical issues centring the Electronic Voting Machines.

He informed that EC has not faced much trouble in holding the previous city polls in Gazipur, Khulna and Barisal and he hopes that they will also not face trouble in Rajshahi and Sylhet city polls.

"We will also monitor the election directly from Dhaka through CCTV cameras," he added.

Election not on advice

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with India whether there will be any talk about Bangladesh there," he added.

Quader said the US visa policy is going to be implemented to make elections free and fair in Bangladesh and whether the Indian premier has anything to do, as a democratic country, is up to him from his point of view.

After the discussion, a colorful procession was brought out on the occasion. Indian High Commissioner in Dhaka Pranay Kumar Verma inaugurated the Rath Yatra.

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EVM remains

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to voters in the queues, teaching them how to use the EVM effectively.

Over 1,730 voting machines will be used in the elections, he added. Meanwhile, the EC has completed all the preparation for the city polls. They have distributed election equipment and sent those to the polling centres with police escorts.

Also, security has been beefed up at the city centering the election. Over 3,500 policemen, 1,935 Ansar members and 250 Rab personnel were deployed in the city to monitor security during the polls.

Besides, 10 platoons of BGB members have been seen patrolling the city

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A sign of neglect

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Foundation, established for the development and welfare of the Muslim community, runs on annual budget allocations, the Hindu, Buddhist, and Christian religious welfare trusts operate solely on interests earned from deposits.

He said, "Bangladesh Sanskrit and Pali Education Board is the only recognised institution for institutional religious education for the Hindu and Buddhist communities. However, the institutions under this board are rapidly dwindling, resulting in continued deprivation of religious education for the Hindu and Buddhist communities."

"As a consequence, the second largest religious minority in the country, the Hindu community, is becoming almost completely devoid of religious consciousness and moral education."

The parishad also placed six demands at the event. They are: allocation of annual funding from the

national budget for the development and welfare of religious minority communities; enactment of a minority protection law for the preservation and development of the interests of religious and ethnic minority communities with the establishment of a minority ministry and a national minority commission; ensuring an accurate representation of religious and ethnic minority communities in the census; establishment of model temples, pagodas, churches, and cultural centers at every district and upazila level; allocation of Tk 5,000 crore for the development and welfare of minorities as compensation for the religious discrimination in the budget over the last five decades; and national pay-scale inclusion for teachers and employees working under the Bangladesh Sanskrit and Pali Education Board.

The press conference was chaired by Nim Chandra Bhowmik, one of the chairmen of the organisation.

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High price irks buyers

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said Akkas Bepari, who brings bulls from Rajshahi and Kushtia. However, Shafiqul Islam Saju, a goat trader who brought nine goats to the Gabtali cattle market, said the price of goats did not increase like cow and buffalo.

"We are demanding Tk 16,000 for a goat which is 16kg... the price is quite reasonable," he said. AUTHORITIES TAKE

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SM Rezaul Karim on June 14 said the number of sacrificial animals this year is around 1.25 crore, which is 4.1 lakh more than last year. Among the animals, 8.95 lakh are in Dhaka division, 20.53 lakh in Chattogram, 45.11 lakh in Rajshahi, 15.11 lakh in Khulna, 4.93 lakh in Barisal, 4.10 lakh in Sylhet, 19.62 lakh in Rangpur and 6.98 lakh in Mymensingh.

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the sacrificial animals this year is around 1.03 crore, meaning 21.41 lakh cattle will remain as surplus, he said. Two city corporations of Dhaka this year are going to set up 19 cattle markets including a permanent one at Gabtali.

The operation of the cattle markets will start three days before Eid, though cattle will start to arrive before the scheduled time.

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e-Tender Notice 02/2022-2023

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

Sl. No.	Tender ID No.	Name of works	Last Date and Time of Tender Security Submission	Tender Closing Date & Time
1.	847404	Supply and Installation of Campus Network for Gurudayal Government College, Kishoreganj	5/7/2023, 1.00 pm	5/7/2023, 2.00 pm

This is an online tender, where only e-Tender will be accepted in the National e-GP Portal and no offline/hard copy will be accepted. To submit e-Tender, registration in the National e-GP 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 Banks' Branches up to 4 July 2023, 4.00 pm. Further information and guidelines are available in the National e-GP System Portal and from e-GP Help Desk (helpdesk@eprocure.gov.bd).

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LEGAL NOTICE
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BANGLADESH
HIGH COURT DIVISION
STATUARY ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)
COMPANY MATTER NO. 195 OF 2023
Md. Jakir Hossain SarkarPetitioner
-VERSUS-
National Tea Company Limited and othersRespondents

Notice is hereby given to all concerned that an application under section 85(3) of the Companies Act, 1994 has been filed before the Hon'ble High Court Division of Supreme Court of Bangladesh for passing an order setting aside the resolutions passed in the 655th Board Meeting of the company dated 16.04.2023 and the special resolution passed in the Extra Ordinary General Meeting dated 20.10.2022 so far as it relates to the agenda No. 2 namely "কোম্পানির পরিশোধিত মূলধন বৃদ্ধির অনুমোদন" and to call, hold and conduct an Extra Ordinary General meeting of the company with the agenda namely "কোম্পানির পরিশোধিত মূলধন বৃদ্ধির অনুমোদন" whilst ensuring proportionate issuance of shares among its shareholders in accordance with the Section 155 of the Companies Act, 1994 under the Chairmanship of an independent chairman appointed by the Hon'ble Court within a time period set by the Hon'ble Court. Upon preliminary hearing, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Khizir Ahmed Choudhury vide an order dated 29.05.2023 was pleased to admit the said application. Any person interested to the application, may appear before the Court wither in person or through an Advocate and Contest the matter.

Any person or persons having interest in the said application may appear either personally or through duly authorized Advocate on or before the date fixed for hearing.

Copy of the said application may be obtained from the office of the undersigned on payment of required costs.

Yours faithfully
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Memo No. 38.01.4400.000.99.010.2022-331 Dated: 20.06.2023

Invitation for e-Tender Notice No. 03/2023
Open Tendering Method (OTM)

1	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Primary and Mass Education.
2	Implementing agency	District Primary Education Office, Jhenaidah.
3	Project/program name	Need Based Infrastructure Development of Govt. Primary Schools Project (1st Phase)
4	Package No.	01) NBIDGSPS-1/G1.0275 02) NBIDGSPS-1/G1.0276 03) NBIDGSPS-1/G1.0277
5	e-Tender IDs	834478, 834480, 834483
6	Description of works	Supply of different types of Furniture for different Govt. Primary School of Kalligonj, Kolchandpur, Jhenaidah Sadar, Moleshpur, Shaikupa & Harinakundu Upazilla under Jhenaidah district.
7	Tender publication date and time: 21-06-2023, 10.00	Tender closing date and time: 06-07-2023, 14.00

This is online tender, where only e-Tenders will be accepted in the National e-GP Portal and no offline/hard copies will be accepted. Interested person/firms can see details in the website: www.eprocure.gov.bd

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