

Kohinoor Chemical Company organises sales confce

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Kohinoor Chemical Company (Bangladesh) Ltd recently organised the "Annual Sales & Marketing Conference-2023" in Cox's Bazar.

Rezaul Karim, managing director of the company, inaugurated the conference at the Hotel Sea Palace Ltd, said a press release.

The company awarded the top performing employees of the sales and marketing division for the financial year 2022-2023.

The award-winning employees received complimentary gifts from the company. A cultural programme and raffle draw were held after the conference.

MA Khair, director for corporate affairs, and M Ziaul Hafiz, executive vice-president for sales and marketing, along with executives of the sales team from the head office were present.



Rezaul Karim, managing director of Kohinoor Chemical Company (Bangladesh), attends an "Annual Sales & Marketing Conference-2023" at the Hotel Sea Palace in Cox's Bazar recently. PHOTO: KOHINOOR CHEMICAL COMPANY



Hasan Sharif Ahmed, executive vice-president of City Bank, receives an award from Steven Beck, head of trade and supply chain finance of the Asian Development Bank, in the 9th award ceremony of the "Trade and Supply Chain Finance Programme (TSCFP) Awards 2023" in Singapore recently. PHOTO: CITY BANK

City Bank wins **ÅDB** award

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City Bank has been named the "Leading Partner Bank in Bangladesh" in the "Trade and Supply Chain Finance Programme (TSCFP) Awards 2023" organised by the Asian Development Bank (ADB).

The award came in recognition of City Bank being the most active partner bank, measured by the number of trade finance transactions recorded in Bangladesh in collaboration with the ADB in the last fiscal year.

This is the fifth consecutive year that the bank has been honoured with the 'Leading Partner Bank' accolade.

Hasan Sharif Ahmed, executive vicepresident and the head of financial

institutions of City Bank, received the award from Steven Beck, head of trade and supply chain finance of the ADB, in the ninth ADB TSCFP award ceremony in Singapore recently, said a press release.

City Bank has been participating under ADB's TSCFP programme as an issuing bank since 2016.

Under their TSCFP programme, the ADB provides guarantees and trade loans to partner banks supporting international trade.

The TSCFP works with 82 banks in ADB's developing member countries in Asia and the Pacific.

A total of 16 banks in Bangladesh are members of the programme.

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Europe could become energy self-sufficient in \$2tr push: study

REUTERS, Frankfurt

Europe could wean itself off fossil fuels and create a self-sustainable energy sector by spending around 2 trillion euros (\$2.1 trillion) on solar, wind and other regenerative sources by 2040, according to a new study.

The report, led by the Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research, said the continent would require annual investments of 140 billion euros by 2030 and 100 billion a year in the decade thereafter to get there.

While most of the sum would be needed for onshore wind expansion, solar, hydrogen and geothermal resources would be additional pillars of a strategy that would enable Europe's electricity needs to be powered exclusively from renewables by 2030. It would take another decade to convert the entire energy system, including things such as heating currently powered by oil or gas, to renewables, according to the study, which was shared with Reuters.

'These figures are considerable, but it is important to remember that the European countries are estimated to have spent additional 792 billion euros in the last year just on the status quo system to protect consumers from the effects of the energy crisis introduced by the Russian invasion into Ukraine," the study said.

Last month, European lawmakers gave their final approval to legally binding targets to expand renewable energy faster this decade, a central part of Europe's plans to curb climate change and shift away from fossil fuels.

The law raises the EU's renewable energy targets, requiring 42.5 percent of EU energy to be renewable by 2030, replacing a previous 32 percent target.

The scientific study - commissioned by Aquila Capital, one of Europe's largest private renewables investors - echoed industry criticism towards European regulation, asking for faster approval of projects to make sure targets were hit. It said renewable energy supply would need to grow by 20 percent per year to meet expected power demand by 2030.

ULAB, PR assoc hold workshop

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The University of Liberal Arts Bangladesh (ULAB) and the Bangladesh Public Relations Association (BPRA) jointly organised a workshop on "PR in the Digital Era: How PR Professionals Can Transform" at the former's Dhanmondi campus in Dhaka recently.

Prof Jude William Genilo, pro vice-chancellor of ULAB, attended the workshop, where Justin Green, a global PR expert and president and CEO of Global Alliance, presented a keynote, said a press release.

Green emphasised the role of digital platforms in public relations and the prevalent significance and future of PR in various countries worldwide.

Around 80 PR professionals from different organisations attended the event. Among others, Bazlul Haque Rana, president of BPRA, and Md Moniruzzaman Tipu, secretary general, were present.

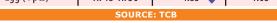


PHOTO: BANGLADESH PUBLIC RELATIONS ASSOCIATION

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	PRICE (0CT 5, 2023)	% CHANGES FROM A MONTH AGO	% CHANGE FROM A YEAR AGO
Fine rice (kg)	Tk 60-Tk 72	0	-5.71 🔶
Coarse rice (kg)	Tk 48-Tk 50	0	-1.01 🔶
Loose flour (kg)	Tk 42-Tk 45	-8.42 🔶	-20.18 🔶
Lentil (kg)	Tk 105-Tk 110	10.26 🕇	4.88 🕇
Soybean (litre)	Tk 155-Tk 160	0	-5.97 🔶
Potato (kg)	Tk 45-Tk 50	9.2 🕇	72.73 🕇
Onion (kg)	Tk 80-Tk 90	0	126.67 🕇
Egg (4 pcs)	Tk 48-Tk 50	-4.85 🕹	1.03 🔶



German exports disappoint again

AFP, Frankfurt

German exports fell more than expected in August, official data showed Thursday, adding to signs that Europe's biggest economy has fallen back into recession.

Exports totalled 127.9 billion euros (\$134.5 billion), a decline of

1.2 percent on the previous month, according to figures from federal statistics agency Destatis.

Analysts surveyed by FactSet had predicted a smaller dip of one percent.

Imports were down 0.4 percent compared with July, totalling 111.4 billion euros.

The country's trade surplus Brzeski.

the difference between exports and imports -- rose slightly to 16.6 billion euros.

"Like the rest of the German countries. economy, exports remain stuck in the twilight zone between the top destination for "made in recession and stagnation," said Germany" goods, dipped by 1.3 ING bank economist Carsten

The August disappointment was led by a 2.6-percent fall in exports to fellow eurozone

Shipments to the United States. percent month-on-month.

Dollar rallies

REUTERS, New York

Surging US real yields are aiding the dollar's rebound, rewarding bullish investors while making bears think twice before betting against the buck.

The real yield on US 10-year Treasuries - which measure how much investors stand to make on US government bonds after inflation is stripped out - hit 2.47 percent on Tuesday, the highest in nearly 15 years, according to data from the US Treasury Department.

That has made betting on the US currency more profitable, since bullish investors can collect yield while sitting on their dollar positions. The dollar is up 7 percent from its 2023 lows against a basket of currencies and stands at a 10-month high.

At the same time, climbing real yields make it more expensive to bet against the dollar. Bearish investors establishing short positions must pay more to borrow the currency.

Dollar positioning in futures markets showed a net long of \$3.07 billion for the week ended September 26, according to data from the Commodity Futures Trading Commission. That was a sharp reversal from a short position of \$21.28 billion earlier this year.

'The dollar isn't just the nicest house in a bad neighborhood right now, it's the only game in town," said Karl Schamotta, chief market strategist at Corpay in Toronto. With real yields pushing higher, "only the bravest of traders are willing to bet against the greenback," he said.

The Federal Reserve's resolve to keep rates higher for longer along with relatively strong US economic growth has helped push nominal yields to their highest level since 2007. That, combined with a deceleration in inflation, has sent real yields soaring.

Their surge has coalesced with other factors to fuel the dollar's rebound. The greenback is up 3 percent against a basket of currencies this year.

Other factors include a resilient economy that has made the US a relatively more attractive investment, with growth steadier than floundering Europe and China.

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2	এজেঙ্গী/সংস্থা	কার অধিদপ্তর, ঢাকা ।			
৩	দরপত্রের নাম	জামালপুর জেলা কারাগারের ০১-০৭-২০২৩খ্রিঃ হতে ৩০-০৬-২০২৪খ্রি পর্যস্ত সময়ের বিভিন্ন প্রকার বিবিধ দ্রব্য সরবরাহের জন্য শুধু কারা ঠিকাদার			
		ার্থর প্রদায়ের বিভিন্ন একার বিবিধ দ্রুব্য) পর্বরাহের জন্য পুরু কারা তিকানা। নিয়োগের ২য় বারের পুনঃ দরপত্র।			
8	দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তির বরাত ও তারিখ	বিভাগীয় সদর দপ্তর, ময়মনসিংহ এর পত্র নং			
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¢	দরপত্র প্যাকেজ নং	Miscellaneous-2023/2			
6	দরপত্রদাতাদের ন্যূনতম যোগ্যতা	দরপত্র সিডিউলে সংযুক্ত PG-2 এর শর্তানুযায়ী।			
9	বাজেট ফান্ড প্রাপ্তির উৎস	জাতীয় রাজস্ব তহবিল।			
b.	দরপত্র আহ্বান	সীমিত দরপত্র (LTM) পদ্ধতি।			
3	দরপত্র দলিল প্রান্তির স্থান	১। জেল সুপারের কার্যালয়, জামালপুর জেলা কারাগার। (২) জেল			
		প্রশাসকের কার্যালয়, জামালপুর (৩) পুলিশ সুপারের কার্যালয়, জামালপুর।			
20	দরপত্র দলিল বিক্রয়ের সর্বশেষ	২২-১০-২০২৩খ্রিঃ বেলা ২:৩০টা পর্যন্ত।			
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22	দরপত্র জমা দেওয়ার স্থান	(১) জেলা প্রশাসকের কার্যালয়, জামালপুর (২) সদর থানা, জামালপুর (৩)			
		প্রধান ফটক, জামালপুর জেলা কারাগার।			
32	দরপত্র খোলার স্থান	জেল সুপারের কার্যালয়, জামালপুর জেলা কারাগার।			
20	দরপত্র দলিলের মূল্য	প্রতিসেট ৫০০/- (পাঁচশত) টাকা মাত্র।			
28	দরপত্র জামানতের পরিমাণ	দরপত্র সিডিউলে উল্লেখিত।			
30	কার্যাদেশের সময়সীমা	০১-০৭-২০২৩খ্রিঃ হতে ৩০-০৬-২০২৪খ্রিঃ।			
26	দরপত্রের সাথে যে সকল কাগজপত্র দাখিল করতে হবে	ক) দরপত্র বায়নার মূলকপি ও ফটোকপি, খ) হালনাগাদ আয়কর সনদের কপি, গ) অনলাইন ভ্যাট নিবন্ধনের (১৩ ডিজিট) কপি, ঘ) হালনাগাদ ট্রেড লাইসেন্স (সরবরাহকারী) এর কপি, ঙ) আর্থিক স্বচ্ছলতা (লিকুইড এ্যাসেট) সনদের কপি ও স্বচ্ছলতার স্বপক্ষে হালনাগাদ ব্যাংক স্টেটমেন্টের কপি/ব্যাংক লেটার অব কমিটমেন্টের কপি, চ) কারা বিভাগে/অন্য কোন সরকারি প্রতিষ্ঠানে ০৩ বছরের মালামাল সরবরাহের অভিজ্ঞতা সনদের কপি, ছ) জাতীয় পরিচয়পত্রের কপি, জ) কারা বিভাগে হালনাগাদ নবায়নকৃত তালিকাভুন্ডি বহির কপি। (সকল ফটোকপি ১ম শ্রেণীর গেজেটেড কর্মকর্তা কর্তৃক নামযুক্ত সীলমোহর ছারা সত্যায়িত)			
29	প্রি-টেন্ডার সভার তারিখ ও সময়	১৯-১০-২০২৩খ্রিঃ সকাল ১১:৩০ ঘটিকা।			
36	দরপত্র দাখিলের সময়	২৩-১০-২০২৩খ্রিঃ সকাল ৯:০০টা হতে দুপুর ১২:০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত।			
52	দরপত্র বাস্ত্র উন্মুক্তকরণের সময়	২৩-১০-২০২৩খ্রিঃ দুপুর ১২:৩০ ঘটিকা।			
20	মূল্যায়ন কমিটির সভা অনুষ্ঠানের সময়	২৬-১০-২০২৩খ্রিঃ সকাল ১১:৩০ ঘটিকা।			
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SL No.	Tender ID	Brief Description of Tender	Publication Date	Last Selling Date & Time	Opening Date
1	864876	Spare Parts for ST I&C Field Instrumentation.	27/09/2023	29/10/2023, 15:45	30/10/2023
2	873842	Spare parts for LV Switchgear and Protection System, Sirajganj 225 MW CCPP (Unit-1), NWPGCL	01/10/2023	22/10/2023, 15:00	23/10/2023
3	879868	Carbon Brush and Brush Holder for STG, Sirajganj 225 MW CCPP (Unit-1), NWPGCL	01/10/2023	22/10/2023, 15:00	23/10/2023
4	880039	Supply of metal plate, angle and others for sand filter repair.	02/10/2023	22/10/2023, 15:50	23/10/2023
5	881934	Supply of Mechanical Valves for Water and Air Pipeline.	05/10/2023	22/10/2023, 15:45	23/10/2023

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