Man sues son, daughter-in-law over abuse

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, *Ctg*

A 70-year-old man sued his son and his daughter-in-law for abusing him physically in Chattogram yesterday.

He also sought treatment costs from them, according to the case documents.

Md Abdul Aziz of Rangunia's Betagi union lodged the case with the court of 5th Judicial Magistrate Court of Chattogram accusing his son Abul Salek, 35, and daughter-in-law Yasmin Akhter Shikha, 25.

Magistrate Fardin Mustakim Tahsin took the case into cognisance. He has also summoned the two, said the complainant's lawyer Swarup Kanti Nath.

"Salek and his wife used to abuse his father both verbally and physically. Aziz is ill and needs medication on a regular basis," he said.

However, Salek and his wife did not provide him with treatment, said the lawyer.

"Earlier, an arbitration was held locally but the son refused to pay his father's medication and treatment costs," he added.

Finding no other option, Aziz filed the case, said Swarup.

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Kakrail returns to its old self as the 48-hour blockade ended yesterday morning. PHOTO: PRABIR DAS

No bridge even 9 months after deadline

OUR CORRESPONDENT, *Patuakhali*

To smooth the commute between Patuakhali's Galachipa and Dasmina upazilas, the LGED department initiated the construction of a bridge over the Sutabaria river.

It was scheduled to be completed by February 6 this year.

However, only half of the works are complete so far, compelling locals, especially school-going children, to cross the waterbody on small dinghies, risking their lives.

According to LGED sources, the construction of this 426-metre bridge was undertaken under a Tk 50.90 crore project in August 2020.

The tender for this construction was allotted jointly to Nabarun Traders Ltd and Abul Kalam Azad Traders.

"We are unable to carry goods to and from the district town and Dasmina due to the delayed construction works," said Abul Kalam, a grocer of Alipura Bazar.

Monir Mridha, a resident of the village, and other locals echoed him.

Proprietor Abul Kalam Azad of the construction firm with the same name said, "The construction was delayed due to a shortage of manpower, and the pandemic further added to the delays. We have applied for an extension and hope to finish work by June 2024."

Engineer Maqbul Hossain of LGED in Dasmina said, "About 60 percent of the work is complete. However, the project could not be completed within the stipulated time due to various reasons. We have received an appeal for extension, and hopefully, the bridge will be ready for use by mid-2024."

SAVING BAKKHALI RIVER

Bela serves legal notice on 15 govt entities

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Bangladesh Environment Lawyers Association yesterday sent legal notice to 15 government bodies, including the National River Conservation Commission and Cox's Bazar municipality, urging them to remove illegal structures from Bakkhali river and its foreshore.

Bela also urged the institutions to preserve the mangrove forest beside the river and punish the encroachers.

Advocate S Hasanul Banna of Bela served the notice, following a report published on November 9 in this newspaper titled "Bakkhali River in Cox's Bazar: Grabbers back in business".

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Secretaries of the land, environment, forests and climate, water resources, fisheries, local government department, and local government and rural development ministries were among those named in the list.

Besides, NRCC Chairman, director general of the environment department, Chattogram division commissioner's office, DG of the water development board, deputy commissioner of Cox's Bazar, UNO Cox's Bazar, environment officials of Cox's Bazar, municupality mayor of Cox's Bazar and others were also served with the notice.

They are asked to inform Bela by November 16 about their steps in these regards or face charges of contempt of court.

Dewan Fazilatunnesa no more

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Dewan Fazilatunnesa, mother of executive director of Ain o Salish Kendra Faruq Faisel, passed away in her residence in Dhaka's Dhanmondi yesterday.

She was 84, says a press release.

ASK expressed deep shock and sorrow at her death and conveyed deep sympathy to the bereaved family members, the release added.

We'll hold dialogue

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there is a good suggestion from other countries, we take it seriously if we think it is good for us," Momen said.

Citing the example of amending the Digital Security Act, he said some foreign countries spoke about its applications, and the government then amended certain provisions of the act.

"We are pragmatic. If the suggestions are better, we will value them."

However, not all are possible. For example, some suggested that the RMG workers' wage be fixed at Tk 25,000. That's not possible because it lacks feasibility," the minister added.

EC to invite

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African Electoral Alliance, have so far expressed their desire to monitor the polls.

The Commonwealth's pre-election assessment mission will meet the chief election commissioner on November 19.

According to an EC official, the Commonwealth will decide on sending a full observer mission only after the findings of the team.

The EU exploratory mission visited Bangladesh from July 6-22 while the US joint mission of the International Republican Institute and the National Democratic Institute visited Bangladesh from October 8-11.

Based on the report of the exploratory mission, the EU decided not to send a full observer mission. The EU later said they would send a four-member observer team to monitor the polls.

A US pre-election mission has visited Bangladesh but is yet to declare whether they will send a full mission or not.

During the last election, 38 observers came to Bangladesh on EC's invitation.

It, however, has made five recommendations as a roadmap for progress toward credible, inclusive, participatory, and nonviolent elections.

PHARMA AIDS LIMITED
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PRICE SENSITIVE INFORMATION

This is for information of all concerned that the Board of Directors of the Company in its Board Meeting held today, 14th November, 2023, at 3:00 P.M., has approved the 1st Quarter Financial Statements (Un-audited) ended on 30th September, 2023, and taken following decisions:

	September, 2023	September, 2022
1. Net Profit After Tax (NPAT) (Taka in lac)	: Tk.114.78	Tk. 62.18
2. NAV per Share	: Tk.94.95	Tk.91.28 (June, 2023)
3. Earning per Share (EPS)	: Tk.3.68	Tk. 1.99
4. Net Operating Cash Flow per Share (NOCFPS)	: Tk.3.29	Tk. 0.13

The reasons for significant deviation in EPS and NOCFPS are given in the details of the 1st Quarter (Q1) Un-Audited Financial Statements for the period ended on 30th September, 2023, available in the website of the Company at www.pharmaaids.com

By order of the Board
Sd/-
Md Humayun Kabir
Company Secretary

Date: November 14, 2023

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Price Sensitive Information

This is for kind information of all concerned that the Board of Directors of Shasha Denims Limited in its Board Meeting held on November 14, 2023 at 4.00 p.m.at its head office has considered the First Quarter Financial Statements (Q1) for the period ended on 30 September, 2023. The **highlights of consolidated financial position of the company for the first quarter (Q1)** ended on 30 September, 2023 is as follows:

Particulars	July-Sept, 2023	July-Sept, 2022
Net Assets Value Per share	40.85 (30 Sep. 23)	40.57 (30 June, 23)
Basic Earnings Per Share	0.27	0.56
Net Operating Cash Flow per share	0.56	0.44

The detail of the published first quarter financial statements is also available in our website address: **www.shashadenims.com**

By order of the Board
Sd/-
Company Secretary

Date: November 14, 2022

Good Neighbors Bangladesh **Invitation for Tenders** Open Tendering Method

Good Neighbors Bangladesh is looking for reliable and relevant tenderer of **PHC Pile Works & Civil, Electrical, Plumbing and Fire Protection Works** for Model and Cattle Shelter Construction under **'GN Japan MOFA DRR project Kalapara,'** Alipur, Mohipur, Kalapara upazila under Patuakhali district. Please visit our website for tender related information http://gnbangla.org/tender_eoi/ you must submit your tender copy following our format according to the Tender Notice **Article 2: Tender Enlist Application.**

Last date for submission tender of PHE Pile Works: 21 November 2023 before 5:00
&
Civil, Electrical, Plumbing and Fire Protection Works: 27 November 2023 before 5.00 pm by Email: - procurement@gnbangla.org
For more information about the construction work please contact:
Cell – 01755-605974

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VANGUARD AML BD FINANCE MUTUAL FUND ONE
Trustee: Bangladesh General Insurance Company Limited | **Asset Manager: Vanguard Asset Management Limited**
ABRIDGED AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, 30 SEPTEMBER 2023
VANGUARD ASSET MANAGEMENT LIMITED — Asset Manager
Bangladesh finance — Sponsor

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2023

	30 Sep 2023 Taka	30 Sep 2022 Taka
Assets		
Non-Current Asset:		
Investments in securities at market price	986,481,289	1,004,255,766
Issue and formation expenses	7,868,188	11,404,996
	994,349,477	**1,015,660,762**
Current Asset:		
Other receivables	2,680,713	8,463,795
Deposit and prepayments	2,507,442	2,514,227
Cash and cash equivalents	160,544,349	191,628,969
	165,732,504	**202,606,991**
Total Assets	**1,160,081,981**	**1,218,267,753**
Equity & Liabilities		
Equity:		
Capital fund	1,043,200,000	1,043,200,000
Unrealized Gain	-	25,150,368
Retained earnings	112,166,893	143,505,576
	1,155,366,893	**1,211,855,944**
Liabilities:		
Accounts payables	4,360,142	6,099,648
Unclaimed dividend account	354,946	312,161
	4,715,088	**6,411,809**
Total Equity & Liabilities	**1,160,081,981**	**1,218,267,753**
Net Asset Value (NAV) Per Unit:		
At Cost	**10.94**	**11.38**
At Market Price	**11.08**	**11.62**

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2023

	30 Sep 2023 Taka	30 Sep 2022 Taka
A. Cash Flows from Operating Activities		
Interest income realized in cash	7,742,947	13,130,220
Profit Income from Sukuk-received in cash	2,156,500	-
Dividend Income-received in cash	30,340,466	26,790,194
Deposits and prepayments	(2,324,885)	(2,342,032)
Payment made for expenses	(18,965,560)	(20,726,670)
Net cash flows from operating activities	**18,949,468**	**16,851,712**
B. Cash flows from Investing activities		
Acquisition of shares from secondary market	(74,757,493)	(139,184,235)
Investment in IPO	(15,141,090)	(53,395,340)
Investment in IPO refund	12,218,180	46,566,840
Proceeds from sale of shares in secondary market	79,763,530	207,022,103
Net cash used in investing activities	**2,083,127**	**61,009,368**
C. Cash flows from financial activities		
Dividend Paid	(52,117,215)	(156,281,212)
Net cash used in/flows from financing activities	**(52,117,215)**	**(156,281,212)**
Net Cash Flows (A+B+C)	**(31,084,620)**	**(78,420,132)**
Cash and cash equivalent at the beginning of the year	191,628,969	270,049,101
Cash and cash equivalent at the end of the year	**160,544,349**	**191,628,969**
Net operating cash flow per unit	**0.18**	**0.16**

STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2023

	30 Sep 2023 Taka	30 Sep 2022 Taka
Income		
Interest income	8,062,901	10,302,050
Profit Income from Listed Bond	2,156,500	1,160,000
Net gain on sale of marketable securities	(4,928,855)	36,356,722
Dividend income	26,050,716	33,043,481
	31,341,262	**80,862,253**
Expenditure		
Management fee	16,019,524	16,520,630
Amortization of issue and formation expenses	3,536,808	3,536,808
Brokerage fee	-	643,181
Trustee fee	1,201,941	1,252,063
BSEC annual fee	1,210,272	1,523,355
Custodian fee	521,485	498,811
CDBL - annual, transactional & line charges	163,570	184,921
DSE annual fee	508,640	508,640
CSE annual fee	508,640	508,640
DSE - book building and IPO application fee	14,000	34,000
Provision for doubtful income	-	23,693
Publication & DSE Market data subscription fee	529,650	667,850
Audit fee	40,000	40,000
Capital Gain tax	348,800	-
Bank charges & excise duty	304,488	173,366
	24,907,818	**26,115,957**
Net Income before Tax	**6,433,444**	**54,746,296**
Less: Income Tax Expenses on Dividend Income	-	1,813,286
Net profit before right back/(charge) of unrealized loss	**6,433,444**	**52,933,010**
Add: Write back/(charge) of unrealized loss	-	-
Net profit before unrealized gain	**6,433,444**	**52,933,010**
Unrealized gain	14,387,873	-
Net profit during the year	**20,821,317**	**52,933,010**
Other comprehensive income		
Unrealized gain	-	(210,861,238)
Total comprehensive income	**20,821,317**	**(157,928,228)**
Earning per unit during the year	**0.20**	**0.51**

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2023

Particulars	Capital Fund	Unrealized Gain/(Loss)	Retained Earnings	Total Equity
Balance as at 01 October 2021	**1,043,200,000**	**236,011,606**	**247,052,566**	**1,526,264,172**
Dividend declared	-	-	(156,480,000)	(156,480,000)
Unrealized Gain	-	(210,861,238)	-	(210,861,238)
Net profit for the year	-	-	52,933,010	52,933,010
Balance at 30 September 2022	**1,043,200,000**	**25,150,368**	**143,505,576**	**1,211,855,944**
Balance as at 01 October 2022	**1,043,200,000**	**25,150,368**	**143,505,576**	**1,211,855,944**
Dividend declared	-	-	(52,160,000)	(52,160,000)
Unrealized Gain/(Loss)	-	(25,150,368)	14,387,873	(10,762,495)
Net profit for the year	-	-	6,433,444	6,433,444
Balance as at 30 September 2023	**1,043,200,000**	**-**	**112,166,893**	**1,155,366,893**

-SD, Trustee
Bangladesh General Insurance Co. Ltd.

-SD, Auditor
Zoha Zaman K. R. & Co.

-SD, Asset Manager
Vanguard Asset Mgt. Ltd.

Notes: 1. The Trustee Committee has been declared Cash Dividend 2% (i.e. Tk. 0.20 per unit) considering the Net Income and Retained Earnings as on 30 September 2023, meeting held on 14 Nov. 2023 and decided the Record Date December 05, 2023.
2. Earning per unit for both the years have been calculated based on the number of outstanding Units for the year ended 30 September 2023.
3. The full version of the Financial Statements are also available in the website of the Asset Manager -www.vanguardaml.com

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Vanguard AML BD Finance Mutual Fund One
Asset Manager: Vanguard Asset Management Limited
PRICE SENSITIVE INFORMATION
VANGUARD ASSET MANAGEMENT LIMITED — Asset Manager
Bangladesh finance — Sponsor

This is for information of all concerned that the Trustee Commitee of **'Vanguard AML BD Finance Mutual Fund One' (Trading Code: VAMLBDMF1)** has approved the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September, 2023, and took the following decisions:

i. Fund Size : Tk. 104,32,00,000.00
ii. Proposed Dividend : 2% Cash Dividend (i.e. Tk. 0.20 per unit)
iii. Record Date : 05 December 2023
iv. Date and Time of Trustee Meeting : 14th November 2023 at 3:20 PM.
v. Financial Information:
- **Net Profit for the year : Tk. 2,08,21,317.00**
- **Earnings Per Unit during the year : Tk. 0.20 Per Unit**
- **Net Asset Value Per Unit @ Cost : Tk. 10.94 Per Unit**
- **Net Asset Value Per Unit @ Market : Tk. 11.08 Per Unit**
- **Net Operating Cash Flow Per Unit : Tk. 0.18 Per Unit**

By order of the Trustee Committee
Trustee of **'Vanguard AML BD Finance Mutual Fund One'**
Bangladesh General Insurance Company Ltd. (BGIC)

Note:
1. Dividend has been declared by Trustee Committee Considering the net profit and Retained Earnings as on 30 September, 2023.
2. The Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September, 2023 are available on the website of 'Vanguard Asset Management Ltd.' (www.vanguardaml.com)
3. Abridged audited Financial Statement has been published in 'The Daily Star' and 'Sharebiz' on 15 November, 2023.
4. Unit holders bearing BO ID are required to update their respective BO Accounts with 12 digit e-TIN number through Depository Participants (broker house) before 05 December 2023 (Record Date). Failure to provide e-TIN number to Depository Participants will be subject to TDS from Cash Dividend @ 15% instead of 10% (individual) as per Income Tax Act 2023 under section 117.

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