

# A life dedicated to affordable healthcare

Speakers on Dr Zafrullah Chowdhury



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Dr Zafrullah Chowdhury was a humanitarian who dedicated his life to serving the ordinary people, said speakers at an event yesterday.

They urged the government to rename Chattogram Medical University after his name.

"Bir Muktiyoddha Dr Zafrullah Chowdhury Nagorik Smaronsava Ayojan Committee" organised the meeting at Chattogram Press Club.

People in Bangladesh can buy medicine at a cheaper rate thanks to the drug policy formulated by Zafrullah, said Dr Mahfuzur Rahman, convener of Public Health Rights Protection Committee, Chattogram.

Hasan Maruf Rumi, coordinator of Gano Sanghati Andolan in Chattogram, said the political landscape of the country has lost a

guardian after Zafrullah's passing.

Dr Imran Bin Yunus, former professor of the Nephrology Department at Chittagong Medical College, said although Zafrullah's drug policy provided relief to patients by controlling prices during the reign of Ershad, the system of price control has been relaxed under subsequent democratic governments.

Zafrullah's wife and founding member of Naripokkho, Shirin Haque, recounted an incident during Zafrullah's dialysis at the Gonoshasthaya Dialysis Centre, where a woman named Hasina Begum, the sister of a rickshaw-puller, was receiving treatment beside him.

"When Zafrullah inquired about her next dialysis session, Hasina replied that she did not know when her brother would

manage to gather enough money for her treatment," Shirin said.

"I witnessed Zafrullah crying after his dialysis that day. Why did I fight in the Liberation War if poor people like Hasina cannot avail dialysis facilities," Shirin cited Zafrullah as saying.

Freedom Fighter Faruk-e-Azam Bir Pratik said Zafrullah faced various forms of harassment from the rulers, including being entangled in 33 defamation cases.

"Even a case of fish theft was also filed against him," he said.

Hayat Hossain, a former professor of Chittagong University, said Dr Zafrullah was the pioneer of women empowerment in this country.

Prof Dr Robiul Hossain, managing trustee of Chattogram Eye Infirmary and Training Complex, presided over the meeting.

# Don't persecute civilians

Human Rights Forum urge govt on drives against KNF

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Civilians should not be persecuted while conducting operations against Kuki-Chin National Front, said Human Rights Forum Bangladesh in a statement yesterday.

The forum of 20 human rights organisation, led by human rights experts Dr Hameeda Hossain, advocate Sultana Kamal and Raja Devasish Roy, has expressed concern over the allegations of harassment of regular citizens in the Chattogram Hill Tracts, where the security forces are conducting operations against the separatist group.

The forum decried the activities of KNF, terming their operations criminal activities.

Earlier this month, KNF conducted a series of attacks on banks and abducted a bank manager, leading to the operations against the group.

"In addition to members of KNF, allegations have risen that the security forces are harassing, detaining, and arbitrarily arresting civilians belonging to the

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# Investment needed to ensure nutritional security: speakers

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Although there is food security in the country, there is a need for nutritional security, and investment is necessary to ensure it, speakers told a seminar yesterday.

The government is encouraging such investment in various projects including agricultural research. The "Amar Angina-Amar Krishi" is one such project that aims for empowering and providing nutrition to women engaged in agriculture, they informed.

The Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, in collaboration with the Department of Agricultural Extensions, organised the seminar on nutrition sector financing at a hotel in Barishal city.

Dr Jiaoqun Shi, FAO representative in Bangladesh, was present as the chief guest of the event, also participated by officials of different departments of the Ministry of Agriculture, representatives of different banks, farmers' associations, Bangladesh Agricultural Research Institute, and DAE.

They said adequate nutrition is not ensured in the rural, low-income families.

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Ref. No. ICMH/Admin/2023-24/re-tender/1552 Date: 29/04/2024

### Re-Tender Notice

This is an online Tender, where only re-tenders will be accepted in e-GP Portal and no offline/ Hard copies will be accepted. To submit re-tender, please register on e-GP system portal (<https://www.eprocure.gov.bd>). For more details, please contact support desk contact numbers.

Re-Tender are invited in e-GP system portal ([www.eprocure.gov.bd](http://www.eprocure.gov.bd)) by Hasrat Jahan, Joint Director, Institute of Child & Mother Health, Matuail, Dhaka-1362 for the Procurement of;

Tender Id	Name of Goods	Tender/Proposal Publication Date & Time	Tender/Proposal Last Selling Date & Time	Tender/Proposal Closing/Opening Date & Time
976745	Procurement of Medical Equipments for the F.Y 2023-2024.	30-Apr-2024 23:00	12-May-2024 10:00	12-May-2024 12:00
976746	Procurement of Office Equipments for the F.Y 2023-2024.	30-Apr-2024 23:00	12-May-2024 10:00	12-May-2024 12:00

Re-Tender details can be downloaded on e-GP system portal (<https://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) for pursuer.

Re-Tender will be accepted only as stated in above list; accepted tenders will be opened online immediate as stated in above list.

(Professor Dr. M A Mannan)  
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## Bangladesh Shishu Hospital and Institute

Sher-e-Bangla Nagar  
Dhaka-1207


Tender No. BSHI/OTM:2024/G 03 Date: 30/04/2024

### Invitation for Re-Tender (OTM)

01	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.
02	Agency	Bangladesh Shishu Hospital and Institute.
03	Procuring entity name	Director, Bangladesh Shishu Hospital and Institute
04	Procuring entity district	Dhaka
05	Tender Name	LOT: 01 Supply of Chemical & Reagent Items, LOT: 02 Supply of Cardiac Surgery & Others Department (CMS Items)
06	Invitation Ref No.	BSHI/OTM:2024/G 03
07	Date	30/04/2024
08	Procurement method	OTM (NCT)
09	Budget and source of fund	Own
10	Development partner	None
11	Tender publication date	30/04/2024
12	Pre-tender meeting	05/05/2024 at 11:00am at Board Room
13	Tender last selling date and time	20/05/2024, During the office hour within 02.00pm
14	Tender closing date and time	21/05/2024, 12.00pm
15	Tender opening date and time	21/05/2024, 01.00pm
16	Name and address of the office(s)	Office of the Director, Bangladesh Shishu Hospital and Institute, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207
17	Name and address of the office(s) Selling tender document	Office of the Director, Bangladesh Shishu Hospital and Institute, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207
18	Name and address of the office(s) Receiving tender document	(1) Primary Place: Office of the Director, Bangladesh Shishu Hospital and Institute, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka (2) Secondary Place: Sher-e-Bangla Nagar Thana, Agargaon Dhaka.
19	Name and address of the office(s) Opening tender document	Office of the Director, Bangladesh Shishu Hospital and Institute (Board Room), Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207
20	Brief eligibility and qualification of tenderer	This Invitation for Tender is open to all eligible Tenderers as mentioned below. a) The minimum years of General Experience of the Tenderer as supplier shall be 03 (Three) years. N.B. Years counting backward from the date of publication of IFT in the newspaper. b) The minimum experience as Supplier in the LOT: 01 Supply of Chemical & Reagent Items & LOT 02 Supply of Cardiac Surgery & Others Department (CMS Items) 1(one) or 2 (two) contract(s) successfully completed within the last 3(Three) years with a total value of 80% of quoted amount. N.B. Years counting backward from the date of publication of IFT in the newspaper. c) The minimum amount of liquid assets i.e. working capital or credit line (Unconditional) of the Tenderer shall be minimum of 90% of the quoted amount. N.B. 1. The required reports on the financial standing, such as profit and loss statements and audited balance sheet shall be the past 3 (Three) years, or 2. Credit line should be submitted as per prescribed format of CPTU without any alteration from any Scheduled Bank d) The Tenderer shall submit with its Tender the following additional documents: See the tender data sheet (ITT2.1(i))
21	Brief description of goods	LOT: 01 Supply of Chemical & Reagent Items, LOT: 02 Supply of Cardiac Surgery & Others Department (CMS Items)
22	Tender security amount in Taka	2.5% of the quoted amount, Tender Security, through the Pay Order/ DD in favor of "Director, Bangladesh Shishu Hospital and Institute"
23	Price of tender documents	Tk 3000.00 (three thousand only)
24	Package No.	Lot/Item
25	Name of official inviting tender	Prof. (Dr.) Md. Jahangir Alam
26	Designation of official inviting tender	Director, Bangladesh Shishu Hospital and Institute
27	Address of official inviting tender	Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka-1207
28	Contact number of official inviting tender	+880255059051-80
29	The procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject the tender proceedings.	

(Prof. (Dr.) Md Jahangir Alam)  
Director  
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## Dhaka Bus Rapid Transit Company Limited

Road Transport and Highways Division  
House No-04, Road No-21, Sector-04  
Uttara, Dhaka-1230  
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### Invitation for Tenders

1	Ministry/Division	Road Transport and Highways Division
2	Agency	Dhaka Bus Rapid Transit Company Limited (DBRTCL)
3	Procuring Entity Name	Dhaka Bus Rapid Transit Company Limited (DBRTCL) represented by General Manager
4	Procuring Entity Code	
5	Procuring Entity District	Dhaka
6	Invitation for	Supply & Installation of Fire System at BRT Bus Depot in Gazipur
7	Invitation Ref No	35.06.0000.011.07.01.24-328
8	Date	29 April 2024
9	Procurement Method	Open Tendering Method (NCT)
10	Budget and Source of Funds	GoB
PARTICULAR INFORMATION		
11	Tender Package No.	GD9
12	Tender Package Name	Supply & Installation of Fire System at BRT Bus Depot in Gazipur
13	Tender Publication Date	30 April 2024
14	Tender Last Selling Date	26 May 2024 (4.00 PM)
15	Tender Closing Date and Time	27 May 2024 12:00 PM
16	Tender Opening Date and Time	27 May 2024 12:30 PM
17	Name & Address of the office(s)	Depot Section, 3rd Floor, Dhaka Bus Rapid Transit Company Ltd. House:04, Road:21, Sector:04, Uttara, Dhaka-1230
	- Selling Tender Document	
	- Receiving Tender Document	DGM (Maintenance) 1st Floor, Dhaka Bus Rapid Transit Company Ltd. House:04, Road:21, Sector:04, Uttara, Dhaka-1230
	- Opening Tender Document	Conference Room, 1st Floor, Dhaka Bus Rapid Transit Company Limited, House:04, Road:21, Sector:04, Uttara, Dhaka-1230
INFORMATION FOR TENDERER		
18	Brief Eligibility and Qualification of Tenderer	The Tenderer shall submit with its Tender the following additional documents: 1. The minimum of years of general experience of the Tenderer in the supply of Goods and related services as Supplier shall be 03 (Three) years; years counting backward from the date of publication of IFT in the newspaper. 2. The minimum specific experience as a Supplier for supplying at least 500 GPM capacity (UL Listed & FM approved) pumps of at least 02 (Two) contract(s) (Successfully Completed) within the last 03 (Three) years in any Govt., Semi-Govt. or Autonomous organization each with a value of at least Tk. 2,50,00,000.00 (Two Crore and Fifty Lacs). 3. A Manufacturer's Authorisation Letter is required for the following items: a. Engine Driven Fire Pump split case (1000 GPM, 9 BAR) b. Electric Fire Pump split case (1000 GPM, 9 BAR) c. Jockey pump (40 GPM, 9 BAR) 4. The minimum amount of liquid assets i.e. working capital or credit line(s) of the Tenderer shall be Tk. 2,50,00,000.00 (Two Crore and Fifty Lacs). 5. a) Up-to-date valid ABC Category Electrical Contractor and Electrical Supervisory License from Electrical Licensing Board, b) Up-to-date Import Registration Certificate (IRC) 6. All other required qualifications, special terms & conditions of the tender are shown in the Tender Data Sheet (ITT 2.1 (I), 24.6, 28.1 (e), 28.1 (f), 28.1 (h), 29.1, 36.1) and Particular Condition of Contract (GCC 8.1, 21.1) of the Tender Documents.
21	Brief Description of Goods & Related Services	1000 GPM (UL Listed & FM approved) Fire Pumps and Necessary items (FACP 151 to 200 devices) for the Fire System stated in Section-6: Schedule of Requirements in the Tender Document
22	Price of Tender Document (Tk.)	3,000.00
23	Lot Identification of Lot	Location
	1	Supply & Installation of Fire System at BRT Bus Depot in Gazipur
		Dhaka
		Tender Security Amount (Tk.)
		6,50,000.00 (Six Lacs and Fifty Thousand)
		Completion Time in Weeks / Months
		8 Months
24	Name of Official Inviting Tender	Md. Mohiuddin
25	Designation of Official Inviting Tender	General Manager
26	Address of Official Inviting Tender	Dhaka Bus Rapid Transit Company Limited
27	Contact details of Official Inviting Tender	02-48957784 <Fax No.> mohiuddin.dbrt@gmail.com
28	The Procuring Entity reserves the right to	reject all Tenders or annul the Tender proceedings

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General Manager  
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