

Rezai Karim's death anniv

STAR REPORT

The seventh death anniversary of Language Movement activist Kazi Rezai Karim will be observed today.

On the occasion, his family will hold special prayers and distribute food to the destitute at Kanchpur in Sonargaon, Narayanganj, said a press release yesterday.

Rezai Karim was arrested in Narayanganj in February 1952 for his activism. He was a student of class X at that time.

He was the youngest son of Yasin Kazi Sahityaratna, a senior member of the erstwhile Kolkata Bangiya Muslim Parishad.



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SEPTEMBER 10

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| AZAN 4:35 | 12:45 | 4:30 | 6:14 | 7:45 |
| JAMAAT 5:10 | 1:15 | 4:45 | 6:17 | 8:15 |

SOURCE: ISLAMIC FOUNDATION

DU teachers propose Sign UN treaty

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series of assessments. They will deliver a teaching demonstration in front of the department's faculty, students, and a recruitment committee, with evaluations made by the audience.

This will be followed by a dialogue and Q&A session with masters' students to further assess the candidate. The final step involves a viva board conducted by the selection committee.

The new procedure will apply from the initial recruitment for non-permanent lecturer posts. According to the proposal, lecturers will start as non-permanent and can

become permanent and eligible for promotion to assistant professor upon earning a PhD and publishing a paper in a top journal of their discipline.

The current system recruits candidates based on a viva board and academic performance, but the new proposal emphasises skills, experience, and achievements in addition to qualifications.

Vice Chancellor Prof Niaz Ahmed Khan, Treasurer Prof Jahangir Alam Chowdhury, Coordinator of the Anti-Discrimination Movement Abdul Quader, and Umama Fatema spoke at the meeting.

Vatican envoy meets

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The Vatican envoy said they had proposed an interfaith dialogue between Islamic scholars in Bangladesh and a delegation from the Holy See's Dicastery.

He emphasised the need to increase humanitarian assistance for the over one million Rohingya refugees currently residing in camps in southeastern Bangladesh.

The chief adviser

highlighted the interim government's focus on improving law and order, noting significant progress in the country's security situation.

He also said several key reforms have been implemented during his first month as chief adviser.

Yunus sought the Vatican's support for these reforms and for continued efforts to aid the Rohingya population.

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He demanded eviction of Madhumati Model Town, established at the source of the Buriganga River near the Dhaleshwari River.

Another demand was the restoration of the waterway from Rampura Bridge to the Sluicagate on the Narai River, including key areas such as Gulshan, Hatirjheel, Panthapath, Dhanmondi Lake, and Pikhana, and the removal of low-lying bridges over 47 lost canals in the capital.

Drawing on examples from Europe, Sumon said countries with shared borders have ensured fair water distribution for their transboundary rivers, either independently or with assistance from the UN's Europe-based agency UNECE.

"We can follow the same approach to ensure a fair share of water from the Ganges-Brahmaputra-Meghna rivers for everyone," he said.

Bangladesh Poribesh Andolon member Halim Dad Khan echoed the demand for the government to sign the UN convention and address inequalities in river management.

River researcher Airin Sultana said both Bangladesh and India suffer from poor water

management and the engineering of dams, barrages, and embankments must be re-evaluated.

She also called for the government to create a comprehensive list of the country's dams, assess their conditions, and evaluate their engineering integrity.

Sheikh Rokon, secretary general of Riverine People, highlighted the need for unified agreements for all shared rivers.

"While it is often said that we have 54 transboundary rivers, the actual number is 123. Not all of these are covered in agreements. Therefore, we need agreements for all our rivers," he said.

Mihir Biswas, joint general secretary of the Bangladesh Environment Movement, stressed the importance of ensuring river navigability while avoiding environmental damage. He also called for better disaster preparedness related to the rivers.

Abu Sayeed Khan, advisory editor of Samakal, who attended the seminar as the chief guest, concluded by emphasising the need to preserve the country's river-based civilisation.

"Just as we have established maritime boundaries, we must do the same for our rivers," he said.

People suffer

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Frustrated after being stuck for hours, some drivers and motorcyclists were seen protesting in front of Dhaka Polytechnic Institute due to the traffic chaos caused by the blockade.

The sufferings intensified in the afternoon as office workers attempted to return home. With few alternatives, many were forced to walk.

Rafiqul Amin, an employee of a private organisation in Moghbazar, said he left his office at 3:30pm on his motorcycle, heading to his home in Uttara.

"I got stuck in a huge traffic jam. My bike has been trapped for the last 45 minutes, and no vehicles are moving," he said.

Abir Hasan, a private firm employee, left his home in Banasree at 12:30pm for Farmgate.

"The commute usually takes 45 minutes, but today

(Monday) it took me more than two hours."

Many other people who left home after 12:00pm reported similar experiences.

Mohsenul Haque, another private employee, said it took him almost two hours to reach Farmgate from Gendaria on his motorcycle, a journey that usually takes 20-25 minutes.

"Vehicles were stuck at almost all intersections, with no sign of movement. I was mostly trapped at Doyaganj, Kakrail, and Officers' Club. Even the flyovers were gridlocked," he added.

Traffic gradually returned to normal after 6:00pm, when the protesting students cleared the road following government assurances that their demands would be met, said Gazi Shammur Rahman, officer-in-charge of Tejgaon Industrial Area Police Station.

Rohingyas

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to manage the influx. Adnan Chowdhury, upazila nirbahi officer of Teknaf, said the Rohingyas are entering under the cover of darkness, with many taking refuge in relatives' homes or renting houses in Ukhiya and Teknaf. He said a list of the newly arrived individuals is being compiled.

He also reported a shortage of manpower for border patrols by the Border Guard Bangladesh and Coast Guard. He requested for additional forces.

Meanwhile, Lt Col Mohiuddin Ahmed of BGB Battalion 2 in Teknaf claimed Rohingyas are not crossing the Naf River, but are using alternative entry points. The BGB is employing modern technology to detect and repel illegal crossings, he added.

Committee

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He made the remark while speaking as the chief guest at a views exchange meeting with prison officials at the Directorate of Prisons in Dhaka's Bakshibazar.

Calling for the transformation of jails into correctional centres, Jahangir said, "The quality of food for prison guards and prisoners should be improved. They need to improve their skills through training."

Biman sues six

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launched an internal investigation, which led to the identification of six traffic helpers stationed at Dhaka airport.

According to Bushra Islam, general manager of Public Relations at Biman, the suspects confessed to their involvement in the theft. Five of them were handed over to police, while one is on the run. A case was filed in connection with the incident.

NHRC takes steps

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The sale of a child to cover medical costs is a matter of grave concern, and it underscores the failure to ensure adequate healthcare for citizens, a fundamental responsibility of the state, the statement read.

NHRC is particularly concerned as the couple had to resort to such extreme measures despite the availability of free surgeries at government hospitals.

The commission questions why such high costs were incurred

at Dinajpur Medical College Hospital and will investigate this further.

According to the report, a newborn girl was sold for Tk 37,000 by her parents, day labourer Abdur Rashid and Rokeya of Katapara village in Dinajpur Sadar Upazila.

The couple made this decision to cover Rashid's hospital bills after he was shot during a clash between protesters, Awami League activists, and police during anti-discrimination student movement on August 4.

Four die in pickup

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The driver of the pickup fled the scene immediately after the crash, he said.

Tanvir Islam Anik, duty doctor of Fakirhat Upazila Health Complex, confirmed that three victims were declared dead on arrival at the hospital.

The two injured were later transferred to Khulna Medical College Hospital, where one of them succumbed to injuries.

The bodies of the deceased are currently at the police station, the SI said.

Meanwhile, 17 people, including five children, were injured in a road crash at Nabinagor Technical area on Dhaka-Sherpur road in Sherpur Sadar upazila yesterday.

The accident occurred when two microbuses collided head on around 5:30am, said Mohammad Jahangir Alam, officer-in-charge of Sherpur Sadar Police Station, quoting locals.

Locals rushed to the spot and took the injured to Sherpur General Hospital. From there, 13 critically injured were referred to Mymensingh Medical College Hospital, said the OC.

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e-Tender Notice No. eed/ee/bog/2024-2025/6821-11 lots+6821 TMED-1 lot /05 Date: 09.09.2024

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| 2 | Agency | Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation |
| 3 | Purchaser name | Eastern Refinery Limited |
| 4 | Purchaser district | Chattogram |
| 5 | Invitation for | Goods |
| 6 | | a) ERL/PUR/IT-83/2024 b) ERL/PUR/IT-84/2024 c) ERL/PUR/IT-85/2024 d) ERL/PUR/IT-86/2024 e) ERL/PUR/IT-87/2024 |
| 7 | Date | 05 September, 2024 |
| KEY INFORMATION | | |
| 8 | Procurement method | International Open Tendering Method |
| FUNDING INFORMATION | | |
| 9 | Budget and source of funds | Eastern Refinery Limited (Own Fund) |
| PARTICULAR INFORMATION | | |
| 10 | Tender document last selling date | (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) 16 October 2024, 16:00 Hrs |
| 11 | Tender closing date and time | (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) 17 October 2024, 11:15 Hrs |
| 12 | Tender opening date and time | (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) 17 October 2024, 11:30 Hrs |
| 13 | Offer validity | 120 days (from the date of tender opening) |
| NAME & ADDRESS OF THE OFFICE(S) | | |
| 14 | Tender document selling address | i) Accounts Department, Eastern Refinery Limited, North Patenga, Chattogram-4204, Bangladesh. Phone: 88-0233301261-7 ii) ERL Liaison Office, YMCA Bhaban, 2nd Floor, 1/1, Pioneer Road, Kakrail, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh. Phone: 880-2-8391990, 8391991 |
| 15 | Tender receiving address | Purchase Department, Eastern Refinery Limited, North Patenga, Chattogram-4204, Bangladesh. |
| 16 | Tender opening address | Purchase Department, Eastern Refinery Limited, North Patenga, Chattogram-4204, Bangladesh. |
| INFORMATION FOR TENDERER | | |
| 17 | Eligibility of tenderer | As per Tender Data Sheet |
| 18 | Brief description of goods | |
| | Name | Price of tender document (non-refundable) Tender security Shipment validity |
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| 19 | Name of official inviting tender | Md. Zahed Jamal |
| 20 | Designation of official inviting tender | Manager (Foreign Purchase) |
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| 22 | Contact details of official inviting tender | Telephone: 880-233301261-7, Ext. 380, Mobile: 01321149067, Fax: 880-233301269 Email: managerfp@erl.com.bd , officerfp@erl.com.bd , md-office@erl.com.bd , Website: www.erl.gov.bd |
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