

Shykh Seraj, four others sued in fraud, extortion case

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Shykh Seraj, chief news editor of Channel i, and four others were sued yesterday on charges of fraud and demanding Tk 50 crore as extortion.

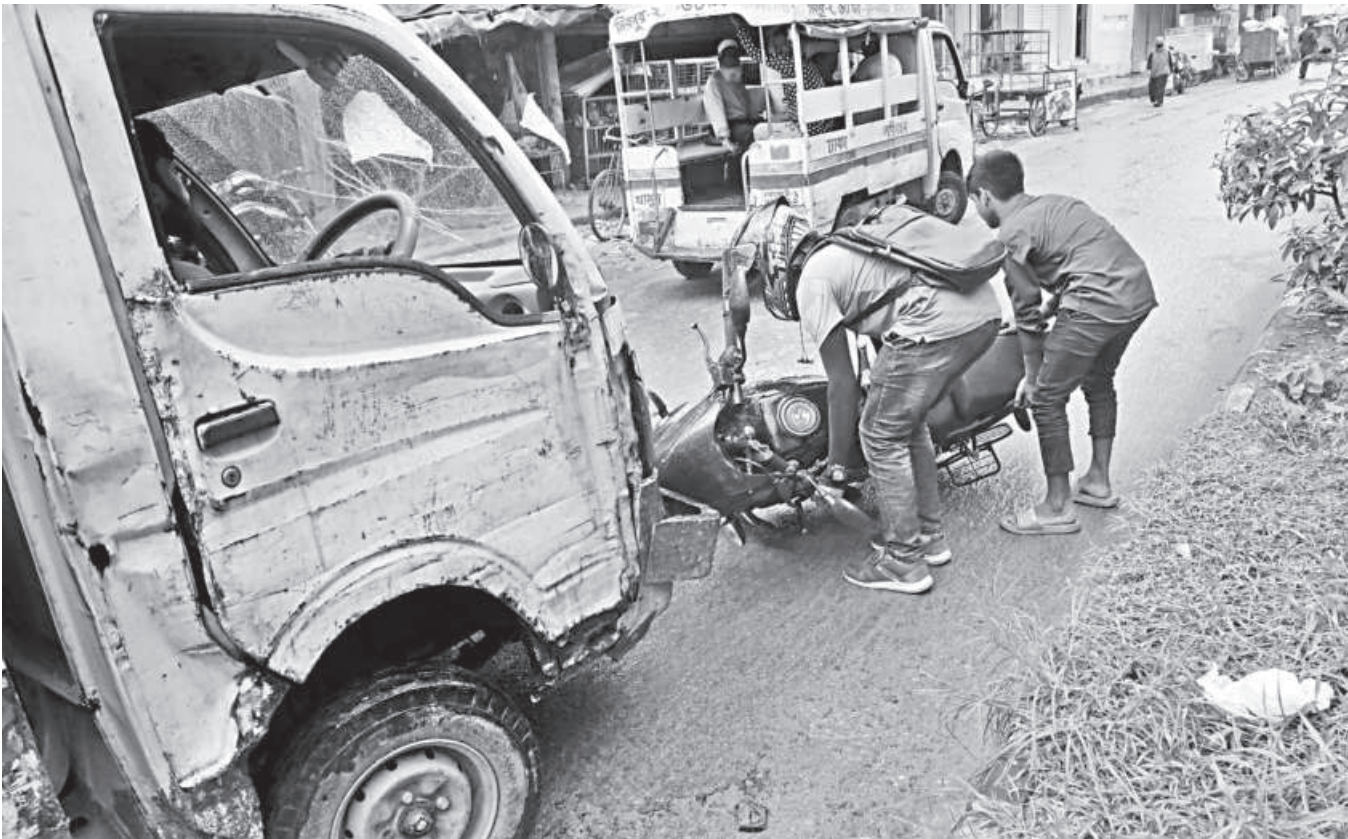
Farzana Rashid Brownia, a presenter of Channel i and also a chairman of Swarna Kishori, filed the case with the court of Dhaka Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Md Hasibul Haque.

The four other accused are Zahir Uddin Mahmud Mamun, Mukit Majumder Babu, Abdur Rashid Majumder Parvez and Riaz Ahmed Khan.

The magistrate asked the Criminal Investigation Department to submit a report after an investigation into the matter.

In her complaint, Brownia said she was appointed to the post of marketing manager (event) in Channel i at a salary of Tk 1 lakh in October 2014. In the same year, she started hosting a programme titled Swarna Kishori. But the authorities

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This motorcycle was traveling on the wrong side of the road, which eventually led to a collision with the human haulier. Disregarding basic traffic rules like this is often a major cause of such accidents. The photo was taken near Shat Feet Mor in Dhaka's Mirpur area yesterday.

PHOTO: PRABIR DAS

Ctg sees surge in dengue cases, deaths

STAFF CORRESPONDENT, Ctg

The number of dengue cases and deaths surged in Chattogram this month, said sources at Chattogram Civil Surgeon's office.

Till yesterday, a total 1,268 dengue patients were hospitalised in Chattogram this year, including 670 in September alone, the sources said.

Also, a total 13 patients so far died with dengue this year. Of them, eight died this month alone, they added.

Earlier, Dr Abdur Rob, associate professor of medicine at Chattogram Medical College Hospital, said like the previous year, most dengue patients this year were likely infected with Dengue 2 serotype, which is more dangerous than other three serotypes.



At least two dengue patients died in the last 24 hours till 8:00am yesterday, while 854 new patients were hospitalised.

Meanwhile, the civil surgeon's office has initiated a survey to identify the hot spots of aedes mosquitoes in Chattogram since last Saturday.

The team, led by Chattogram district entomologist Entajer Ferdous, has already visited different areas including Bayezid Bostami, Bahaddarhat, Bakalia, Chawkbazar, Sher Shah, Pahartali, Firingibazar and Kotwali areas.

"Usually the Directorate General of Health Services conducts the survey. Since there was no survey done by DGHS before and during monsoon this year, we are conducting it locally post-monsoon," Entajer said.

"The areas under all wards of Chattogram City Corporation will be surveyed this month

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HAKALUKI UNDER THREAT
Gill nets wreak havoc in haor

MINTU DESHWARA, Moulvibazar

Illegal fishing practices in Hakaluki Haor, a major wetland located between Moulvibazar and Sylhet districts, have been causing an alarming decline to the aquatic resources of this freshwater ecosystem.

Of the 110 indigenous fish species once found in the haor, only 50 are currently thriving.

"Many local fishermen are engaged in illegal practices including use of banned gill nets (locally called current nets), which is wreaking havoc on the fish populations," said Saddam Hosain, a farmer in Gourisankar area of Hakaluki Haor.



PHOTO: STAR

Many local fishermen are engaged in illegal practices including use of banned gill nets (locally called current nets), which is threatening Hakaluki Haor's ecosystem. This photo of fishers using such nets to catch fish was taken at a beel recently.

Gill nets have very narrow mesh sizes, thereby catching both juvenile and matured fish, including spawning ones, decimating fish populations.

Thousands of seasonal fishermen catch fish using gill nets in the haor areas during the four-five months on monsoon, said Sajedul Haque, a resident of Palermura area.

Environmentalists expressed grave concern regarding the loss to the freshwater ecosystem's biodiversity due to the illegal fishing practices as well as pollution.

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Three kidnapped tourists rescued

STAR REPORT

Three tourists were kidnapped when they were returning from Sajek to Khagrachhari on their private vehicle on Tuesday afternoon.

Some Bangalee miscreants intercepted their vehicle, held them hostage, and demanded Tk 50 lakh as ransom, the victims said.

However, shortly after the abduction, the kidnappers released them when they sensed law enforcement were coming to the rescue.

The incident took place near Boalkhali fish market area of Dighinala in Khagrachhari around 12:30pm on Tuesday.

Arefin Jewel, superintendent of police (SP) of Khagrachhari, confirmed the incident.

The victims were identified as SM Nahiduzzaman, 38, Mamun Fakir, 38, and Zobair Alam 28, all hailing from Nagorkanda upazila of Faridpur district.

While talking to the journalists at the Khagrachhari Police Station on Tuesday afternoon, the rescued tourists said as they reached the baily bridge near Boalkhali fish market area in Dighinala upazila of Khagrachhari, a group of unidentified miscreants intercepted their vehicle.

They forced them to get out of their car, accusing them of reckless driving, and took them all to a nearby saw mill.

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GRAFT ALLEGATIONS
ACC to probe against former BFIU chief, CU VC

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The Anti-Corruption Commission has decided to initiate separate investigations into Masud Biswas, former head of the Bangladesh Financial Intelligence Unit of Bangladesh Bank, and Prof Shireen Akhter, former vice-chancellor of Chittagong University, on charges of corruption.

Allegations against Masud are amassing vast wealth through abuse of power and corruption, alongside receiving unethical

benefits from various business organisations, including S Alam and Thermax Group.

The decision for an open investigation was taken yesterday by the ACC, based on preliminary intelligence findings, according to Akhtarul Islam, deputy director of ACC.

Meanwhile, ACC has found initial evidence suggesting that Prof Shireen Akhter abused her power, engaged in bribery, and carried out various irregularities, including illegal recruitment practices, to accumulate vast amounts of wealth.

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