

UP member sued for raping woman at gunpoint

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Benapole

A Union Parishad member has been sued on the charge of raping a woman at gunpoint in Jashore.

The accused – Kayem Hossain Dipu, 32, member of Churamonkati Union Parishad – is on the run, said Abdur Razzak, officer-in-charge of Kotwali Police Station.

“Following a complaint filed with a Jashore court on January 16, police recorded the case last night [Saturday] as per the court directives,” the OC said.

On January 13, around 12:30am, Dipu entered the woman's house armed, while 4-5 accomplices stood guard outside. At that time, her husband was abroad, according to the case statement.

He raped her at gunpoint and recorded the violence on his mobile phone. He also threatened her not to report the incident.

Upon the man's return from abroad on January 15, the couple decided to pursue legal action, said police.



Recently terminated sanitation workers, who worked on a daily wage basis under the sanitation department of Barishal City Corporation, form a human chain in front the Nagar Bhaban yesterday, demanding their reinstatement and adequate compensation.

PHOTO: TITU DAS

Two women found dead in Patuakhali

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Patuakhali

Police yesterday recovered the bodies of two women in Patuakhali.

The deceased are: Trishna Biswas, 22, a female constable from Madaripur, and Ria Moni Akter alias Mila, a second-year student of Patuakhali Government Women's College.

Trishna's body was found hanging in the female barracks of Patuakhali Police Lines. On information, police recovered the body around 8:30am.

Ahmad Mainul Hasan, additional superintendent of police in Patuakhali, said her body has been handed over to family after autopsy at Patuakhali Medical College Hospital morgue.

In a separate incident, Ria Moni's hanging body was recovered from her room in the college's hostel around 10:00am.

Her body was later handed over to family after autopsy at the morgue, police said.

Separate cases over unnatural death were filed with Patuakhali Police Station in this connection, said Imtiaz Mahmud, officer-in-charge of the police station.

A bridge that leads to nowhere

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Lalmonirhat

Even though the construction of a bridge over Mora Teesta Canal in Balatari village under Kurigram's Rajarhat upazila was completed in September 2022, locals are yet to reap its benefit.

The bridge's approach roads are yet to be constructed, leaving it standing over the canal for more than two years without any use.

According to sources at the Project Implementation Office in the upazila, the 30-metre bridge was constructed at a cost of Tk 78 lakh.

The work order was awarded to Shital Construction in Kurigram, and construction began in 2019-20 fiscal year. The contractor, however, had appointed Rakibuzzaman Rakib, a local Chhatra League leader, as sub-contractor for the work.

The project's deadline was extended

twice till September 2024. However, no step was made regarding construction of the approach roads.

As a result, several thousand residents of eight villages in Chakirpashar and Nazimkhan unions are unable to use

the bridge to cross the canal. They are compelled to travel three kilometres more using an alternative route, said locals.

The locals also alleged that the sub-contractor had used substandard materials for the construction work.



ACC to send graft info on Putul to foreign ministry

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The Anti-Corruption Commission will send graft information about Saima Wazed Putul, daughter of ousted prime minister Sheikh Hasina, to the foreign ministry today.

According to sources at the ACC, the graft watchdog is mulling to send the information to the World Health Organization through the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Putul serves as the regional director of the WHO. Based on the information sent by the ACC regarding the corruption case, the ministry might write to the WHO to take action against her, said sources.

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Teen injured by stray bullet in Dinajpur

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Dinajpur

A 15-year-old girl was injured by a stray bullet in Dinajpur Sadar upazila on Saturday morning.

The bullet was fired from a Bangladesh Ansar and Village Defense Party (VDP) training centre. Following the accident, officials shut down operations at the centre.

Shahnaz Parvin, an SSC examinee and student at Dinajpur Technical School and College, is the daughter of rice mill worker Jalal Uddin. She lives with her family in Shibbrampur village.

According to her parents, Shahnaz was sitting outside the house with her younger sister when she felt a sharp pain in her right knee.

Shahnaz's mother, Sabekun Nahar, said the bullet came from the Ansar-VDP training centre, located about 1.5 kilometres away in Uttar Gosaipur village.

Her parents first took her to the training ground and then to Dinajpur 250-Bed General Hospital for treatment.

Medical Officer Dr Rakibul Islam confirmed a one-centimetre wound consistent with a bullet injury but noted no bullet remained lodged in the wound.

Shahnaz is now recuperating at home, though still in severe pain.

Residents of the area voiced frustration, recalling a similar incident in 1989 when a stray

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e-Tender Notice No. 06/2024-25

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Sl No	Name of Goods	Tender ID	Package No	Tender/Proposal Publication Date & Time	Tender/Proposal Closing Date & Time
1.	Filter for Vehicle (Oil Filter, Fuel Filter & Air Filter)	1065896	G-02/2024-2025/ FILTER/EME	20 January 2024 1000	04 February 2024 1130

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Invitation for Tender (Open Tendering Method)

1	Procuring entity name	Rupali Bank PLC.	
2	Tender Ref No. & Date	প্রকা/আইসিসিসি/২০২৫/১৯, তারিখ: ১৯-০১-২০২৫	
3	Tender Invitation No.	01/2025	
KEY INFORMATION			
4	Procurement method	Open Tendering Method (OTM)	
FUNDING INFORMATION			
5	Budget and source of funds	Rupali Bank's own fund	
PARTICULAR INFORMATION			
6	Tender name	Supply of Lot-1: ATM plastic card (magnetic stripe) and Lot-2: Pin Mailer for Rupali Bank PLC.	
7	Tender issue date	19/01/2025	
8	Tender last selling date	03/02/2025	Time: 12:00pm
9	Tender closing date and time	03/02/2025	Time: 03:00pm
10	Tender opening date and time	03/02/2025	Time: 03:30pm
11	Name & addresses of the offices	Selling Tender Document: Rupali Bank PLC., ICT Systems Division, Head Office (9th Floor), 34, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka-1000. Interested Tenderers may view the Tender Notice at the website of the Bank (Website: www.rupalibank.com.bd). Receiving Tender Document: Rupali Bank PLC., ICT Systems Division, Head Office (9th Floor), 34, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka-1000. Opening Tender Document: Rupali Bank PLC., ICT Systems Division, Head Office (9th Floor), 34, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka-1000.	
INVITATION FOR TENDERER			
12	Eligibility of tenderer	1. The Tenderer should be legal entities and registered national organization/government organization/Public sector unit/ limited Company that have not been prohibited by Bangladeshi or International court(s) to enter into contracts. In case of a government organization, it must have permission for participating in the bidding process from the competent authority. All relevant documents have to be submitted. 2. Any Tenderer must not participate in more than one bid. 3. The maximum 02 (Two) number of arbitrations against the Tenderer/Bidder over a period of last 03 (three) years. 4. Tenderers are being invited for 02 (Two) lots. Bidder can participate in one lot or both lot separately. 5. The Tenderer should have overall previous business experience of at least 05 (Five) years (Years counting backward from the date of publication of tender notice). 6. The minimum specific experience as Supplier in supply of similar Goods of at least 1 (One) contract(s) successfully completed within the last 03 (Three) years, each with a value of at least Tk. 35,00,000/- (thirty-five lac) for Lot-1 and Tk. 7,50,000/- (seven lac fifty thousand) for Lot-02; years counting backward from the date of publication of tender notice. 7. The tenderer must submit work completion certificate as a proof of their experience issued from the due authority.	
13	Price of tender documents	Tk. 2,000/- (two thousand only) non-refundable and to be furnished through PO/DD favoring "Rupali Bank PLC." from any schedule bank of Bangladesh.	
14	Amount of tender security	Lot-01: Tender security of BDT 1,00,000 Tk (one lac) only is to be furnished through PO/DD or irrevocable unconditional Bank Guarantee (Form PG3-7) favoring "Rupali Bank PLC." from any schedule bank of Bangladesh. The tender security, if provided in the form of Bank Guarantee must have validity till 04-05-2025. Lot-02: Tender security of BDT 30,000 (thirty thousand) only is to be furnished through PO/DD or irrevocable unconditional Bank Guarantee (Form PG3-7) favoring "Rupali Bank PLC." from any schedule bank of Bangladesh. The tender security, if provided in the form of Bank Guarantee must have validity till 04-05-2025.	
PROCURING ENTITY DETAILS			
15	Name of official inviting tender	Mohammed Kawsar Mustafiz	
16	Designation of official inviting tender	Deputy General Manager	
17	Address of official inviting tender	Rupali Bank PLC., ICT Systems Division, Head Office (9th Floor), 34 Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka-1000	
18	Contact details of official inviting tender	Tel: +88-02-9514940	
19		<ul style="list-style-type: none">The procuring entity reserves the right to accept any tender or cancel the tender process or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever.The bank shall not be under any obligation to accept the lowest tender.In case of any unavoidable circumstances, if the tender can't be open on the fixed date and time the tender will be opened on the following working day at the same place & time.	

Mohammed Kawsar Mustafiz
Deputy General Manager

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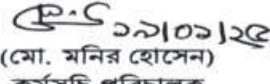
বিষয়: অদম্য নারী পুরস্কার ২০২৫ এর মনোনয়ন সংক্রান্ত বিজ্ঞপ্তি।

উপর্যুক্ত বিষয়ে জানানো যাচ্ছে যে, মহিলা ও শিশু বিষয়ক মন্ত্রণালয়ধীন মহিলা বিষয়ক অধিদপ্তর কর্তৃক পরিচালিত “অদম্য নারী পুরস্কার” কর্মসূচির আওতায় জীবনযুদ্ধে সংগ্রামী, প্রতিভাবান ও সফল নারী যারা ইতোমধ্যে সকল প্রকার প্রতিবন্ধকতাকে উপেক্ষা করে অতিষ্ঠ লক্ষ্যে পৌঁছে গেছেন সে সকল অদম্য নারীকে পুরস্কৃত করা হয়। ২০২৪-২০২৫ অর্থ বছরে এই কর্মসূচির মাধ্যমে ০১. অর্থনৈতিকভাবে সাফল্য অর্জনকারী নারী; ০২. শিক্ষা ও চাকুরীর ক্ষেত্রে সাফল্য অর্জনকারী নারী; ০৩. সফল জননী নারী; ০৪. নির্যাতিনের বিজীষিকা মুখে ফেলে নতুন উদ্যমে জীবন শুরু করেছেন যে নারী এবং ০৫. সমাজ উন্নয়নে অসামান্য অবদান রেখেছেন যে নারী এই ৫টি ক্যাটাগরিতে ৮ মার্চ আন্তর্জাতিক নারী দিবসে “অদম্য নারী পুরস্কার” ২০২৫ প্রদান করা হবে। উল্লিখিত যে কোনো ক্ষেত্রে অবদান রেখেছেন এমন বাংলাদেশী নারীদের নিকট থেকে দরখাস্ত আহবান করা যাচ্ছে।

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