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"We all recognise the need to fast-track the transition. Standard Chartered's Opportunity 2030 report highlights a staggering \$74 billion in private investment needed in Bangladesh's power sector to ensure affordable and sustainable energy for all," said Naser Ezaz Bijoy, CEO of Standard Chartered Bangladesh.



Additionally, hands-on training was provided on assets, liabilities, and classified loans.

Javed Tariq, principal of the bank's training institute, moderated the event.



Local businessmen, the bank's clients, and other guests, were also present.

Kazi Ahsan Khalil, managing director and CEO of Meghna Bank, poses for group photographs with participants of the corporate banking conference, titled "Driving Excellence - Corporate Banking Performance 2024 and Future Strategies," at the Lakeshore Heights Hotel in Dhaka recently.

PRICES OF KEY ESSENTIALS IN DHAKA CITY			
	PRICE (JAN 29, 2024)	% CHANGES FROM A MONTH AGO	% CHANGE FROM A YEAR AGO
Fine rice (kg)	Tk 70-Tk 85	3.33 ↑	13.14 ↑
Coarse rice (kg)	Tk 54-Tk 56	4.76 ↑	5.77 ↑
Loose flour (kg)	Tk 40-Tk 45	0	-13.27 ↓
Lentil (kg)	Tk 105-Tk 110	0	0
Soybean (litre)	Tk 171-Tk 174	4.86 ↑	7.81 ↑
Potato (kg)	Tk 20-Tk 30	-58.33 ↓	-44.44 ↓
Onion (kg)	Tk 40-Tk 50	-37.93 ↓	-52.63 ↓
Egg (4 pcs)	Tk 44-Tk 48	-3.16 ↓	-1.08 ↓

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INVITATION FOR TENDER – OTM (International Competition)

1	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Science and Technology
2	Agency	Bangladesh Council of Scientific & Industrial Research (BCSIR)
3	Procuring entity name	Bangladesh Council of Scientific & Industrial Research (BCSIR), Dr. Qudrat-I-Khuda Road, Dhanmondi, Dhaka-1205, Bangladesh.
4	Procuring entity district	Dhaka
5	Invitation for	Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Scientific Equipments. [Name of equipments: Item no.(01) Simultaneous TG-DTA-DSC, (02) Simultaneous ICP-OES spectrometer, Item no.(03) FT-IR Spectrometer with ATR Module & Item no. (04) Surface area analyzer/ physical adsorption analyzer (Details will be found in the Tender Document)].
6	Invitation ref. no.	39.02.0000.022.35.323.25
7	Date	29.01.2025

KEY INFORMATION

8	Procuring method	Open Tendering Method (International Competition)
9	Budget and source of fund	GoB

PARTICULAR INFORMATION

10	Tender last selling date	16.03.2025 during office hour
11	Tender closing date & time	17.03.2025 at 1.00 PM.
12	Tender opening date and time	17.03.2025 at 2.00 PM.
13	Name & address of the office(s) selling tender document	Cashier, BCSIR, Secretariat building (3 rd floor), Dr. Qudrat-I-Khuda Road, Dhanmondi, Dhaka-1205.
14	Name & address of the office(s) receiving tender document	Office of the Secretary, Secretariat building (4 th floor) BCSIR, Dr.Qudrat- I-Khuda Road, Dhanmondi, Dhaka-1205.
15	Name & address of the office(s) Opening tender document	Office of the Secretary, Secretariat building (4 th floor) BCSIR, Dr.Qudrat-I-Khuda Road, Dhanmondi, Dhaka-1205.

INFORMATION ON AWARD

16	Ministry/Division	Ministry of Science and Technology.						
17	Eligibility of tenderer	*The Tenderer shall have a minimum of 5 (five) years of overall experience in the supply of goods and related services. *The minimum specific experience as Supplier in supply of similar Goods of at least 2 (two) contract(s) successfully completed within the last 5 (five) years, each with a value of at least BDT 100% (hundred percent) of the total value of the item(s) quoted by the Tenderer. * Details will be found in the Tender Data Sheet (TDS) of the Tender Document.						
18	Brief description of goods	As per attached specification in the tender document.						
19	Brief description of related services							
20	Price of tender document	Tk. 2,000.00 (Two Thousand) (Non –refundable)						
21	Evaluation will be done “Item by Item” basis.							
22	Description of goods	<table><tr><th>Tender security (Tk.)</th><th>Completion time in months/days</th></tr><tr><td>Scientific Equipment (As per attached specification in the tender document)</td><td>The amount of Tender Security shall be 2.5% (Two point five percent) of the total value of the item(s) quoted by the Tenderer in favour of secretary, BCSIR by a tender security.</td></tr><tr><td></td><td>175 (One hundred seventy five) days from the date of contract signing.</td></tr></table>	Tender security (Tk.)	Completion time in months/days	Scientific Equipment (As per attached specification in the tender document)	The amount of Tender Security shall be 2.5% (Two point five percent) of the total value of the item(s) quoted by the Tenderer in favour of secretary, BCSIR by a tender security.		175 (One hundred seventy five) days from the date of contract signing.
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PROCUREMENT ENTITY DETAILS

23	Name of official inviting tender	Mohammad Shohedul Hoque Patwary
24	Designation of Official Inviting Tender	Secretary, BCSIR, Dhaka.
25	Contract details of official inviting Tender	Secretary, Secretariat building (4 th Floor), BCSIR, Dr. Qudrat-I-Khuda Road, Dhanmondi, Dhaka-1205, Tel: 58610717
26	The Procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever.	

(Mohammad Shohedul Hoque Patwary)
Secretary

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