

## ACC sues ex-chief whip Noor-e-Alam and wife

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The Anti-Corruption Commission (ACC) has filed two separate cases against former chief whip of the Jatiya Sangsad Noor-e-Alam Chowdhury Liton and his wife Jinnat Parveen Chowdhury for illegally acquiring assets worth Tk 71.30 crore.

ACC Director General Akhtar Hossain confirmed the information at the commission's headquarters in Segunbagicha, Dhaka yesterday.

Noor-e-Alam was accused of acquiring illegal wealth worth Tk 57.49 crore.

Additionally, he allegedly conducted suspicious transactions worth Tk 232.11 crore in eight bank accounts under his name.

Jinnat was accused of acquiring wealth worth Tk 13.81 crore illegally.

## Teen detained over rape

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh

Police yesterday detained a teenager for allegedly raping an eight-year-old girl in Mymensingh's Nandail upazila.

The girl's mother alleged that her daughter was raped by a neighbour on Friday night. As the girl fell sick, she was admitted to a hospital on Sunday.

Quoting doctors, Md Anwar Hossain, officer-in-charge of Nandail Police Station, said the girl was sexually assaulted. "Her condition is improving," the OC said.

Police were interrogating the accused at the police station. No case was filed till yesterday evening.



**Sheikh Motaleb sells a variety of local and foreign perfumes and attar at Chawk Bazar in Barishal city. With Eid approaching, demand is high, enabling the 77-year-old to sell products worth Tk 2,500-3,000 daily, earning a profit of around Tk 700. The photo was taken yesterday.**

PHOTO: TITU DAS

## BARISHAL UNIVERSITY

## Teacher shortage disrupts academic activities

SUSHANTA GHOSH, Barishal

An acute shortage of teachers has left Barishal University struggling to conduct academic activities smoothly, exacerbating students' woes with prolonged session jams.

Since its inception in 2011 with 480 students across six departments, the university has expanded to 25 departments under six faculties, with student enrolment now exceeding 10,000. However, the number of teachers has not increased proportionally, creating a vacuum that continues to disrupt academic activities.

According to university sources, session jams ranging from six to 18 months persist across various departments. As per international

standards, there should be one teacher for every 20 students, but BU currently has a teacher-student ratio of 1:64. Some departments have been forced to curtail syllabi



by half in an attempt to mitigate session jams, raising concerns about the quality of education.

At present, the university employs 210 teachers, of whom 54 are on study leave, leaving just 156 actively

teaching. While the approved faculty strength stands at 266, the university's organogram suggests that the actual requirement is 493. Despite recruitment announcements in March and June 2024, administrative delays have stalled the process.

"Teachers are struggling with excessive workloads, often taking five to eight classes daily alongside administrative duties," said Associate Professor Sanjay Kumar Sarker of the Bangla Department.

Professor ATM Rafiqul Islam of the Botany Department said the crisis is compromising the quality of education.

Students expressed frustration, stating that the shortage of teachers

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## SC gets two new judges

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

Two High Court judges were elevated to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court yesterday.

With their appointments, the number of judges at the Appellate Division now stands at seven.

The judges are Justice AKM Asaduzzaman and Justice Farah Mahbub.

President Mohammad Shahabuddin appointed the judges under article 95(f) of the Constitution, according to a gazette notification by the law ministry.

Chief Justice Syed Refaat Ahmed will administer the oath of office to them at the Supreme Court Judges' Lounge around 10:30am today.

The two judges were appointed as judges of the High Court Division of the Supreme Court during the tenure of the BNP-led four-party alliance government.

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Robbery on moving bus in Savar  
Driver, helper, conductor taken into custody

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Savar

A robbery took place on a moving passenger bus on the Dhaka-Aricha highway in Savar last night.

The alleged robbers, armed with locally made weapons, took passengers hostage and looted valuables, including cash and mobile phones.

Following the incident, the bus driver, helper, and conductor were taken into police custody for questioning.

The robbery occurred on a Manikganj-bound Suvojatra Paribahan bus while it was travelling from Savar's Radio Colony area to the C&B area around 8:00pm.

According to passengers, four to five robbers disguised as passengers boarded the bus at Radio Colony. They then held the passengers at knifepoint, looted their belongings, and escaped from the moving bus near the C&B stand.

When the bus reached the main gate of Jahangirnagar University, passengers forced it to stop and detained the driver, helper, and conductor, suspecting their involvement.

Later with the help of JU students, they were handed over to Ashulia police. Passengers claimed that the bus staffers were involved in the robbery.

JU Proctor Prof AKM Rashidul Alam said robberies have been occurring from time to time in the Jahangirnagar, C&B, and Radio Colony areas on the Dhaka-Aricha highway.

Saugatul Alam, officer-in-charge of Savar Highway Police Station, said three people have been taken into custody for questioning.

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## e-Tender Amendment/Corrigendum Notice -01(One)/2024-2025

Due to avoid unusual circumstances Corrigendum 1 given. Corrigendum-1 given for Tender Notice, TDS and PCC. For more details please visit on e-GP system portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>).

S.L.No	Package No.	Tender ID
1.	e-GP/BRD/ADP/ BABNSR and SNL/ WP-01/2024-2025	1075805
2.	e-GP/BRD/ADP/ BABNSR and SNL/ WP-02/2024-2025	1076512
3.	e-GP/BRD/ADP/ BABNSR and SNL/ WP-03/2024-2025	1076513
4.	e-GP/BRD/ADP/ BABNSR and SNL/ WP-04/2024-2025	1076514
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Dated : 25 March 2025

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Tender ref.: EDCL (Dhaka)/PUR/PT/2025/112

Date: 24/03/2025

## Re-Press Tender Notice

Tender ref.: EDCL (Dhaka)/PUR/PT/2025/112

Sealed tenders are hereby invited from the reputed construction firms having experience for successful completion of similar works in any single work worth of Govt./Semi Govt./Autonomous bodies/Private Organization during the last 5(five) years.

Name of the Items	Earnest Money	Cost of Tender Schedule	Last date of Closing & opening
Construction of 4-Storied Air Compressor Room & Connection with Engineering Building at EDCL, Dhaka Plant.	Tk.5% of quoted amount	Tk. 1550.00/set Non-refundable	Closing: 30/04/2025 At 12:00 PM Opening: 30/04/2025 at 12.30 PM

Tender schedule will be sold from the Accounts Department of Essential Drugs Company Limited, Dhaka on payment as stated above during office hours on all working days (except Friday, Saturday and Govt. Holidays). No tender schedule will be sold on the opening date of the tender. The tender will be accompanied by an amount of Earnest Money as mentioned above in the form of Bank Draft/Pay Order/Bank Guarantee from any Schedule Bank of Bangladesh in favour of "Essential Drugs Co. Ltd." without which the tender will be considered as non-responsive. EDCL authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever.

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