



People waiting in line from early morning, amid scorching heat, to purchase essential goods at subsidised prices from a TCB truck. On the occasion of Ramadan, the truck is selling sugar, chickpeas, lentils, oil, and onions. The photo was taken from the Power House corner in Khulna city recently.

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LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BANGLADESH
High Court Division
(Statutory Original Jurisdiction)
Company Matter No. 512 of 2025
S M Amzad Hossain, Shareholder, Managing Director of AL-MUSLIM DESIGN LIMITED having registered office at 1101, D.L.T Road, Malibagh Chowdhury Para, Dhaka-1219. ----- Petitioner.
-VERSUS-
The Registrar of Joint Stock Companies and Firms, T.C.B Bhaban, 1, Kawran Bazar, Dhaka and another. ----- Respondents.
Notice is hereby given to all concerned that an application under section 12 read with section 13 of the Companies Act, 1994 for addition a new sub clause of the object clause of AL-MUSLIM DESIGN LIMITED in the High Court Division of Supreme Court of Bangladesh by the petitioner. The Hon'ble Company bench comprising with lordship Mr. Justice Ahmed Sohel has admitted the said application on 24.03.2025. Any person interested in the said application may appear before the Hon'ble Court either by himself or through his agent or Advocate. A copy of the application may be obtained from the undersigned on payment of charges.
Mr. Mohammad Shamsuzzaman
Advocate, Supreme Court of Bangladesh
Room No. 5009 (Annex),
Supreme Court Bar Association Bhaban, Dhaka-1000.
Mobile No. 01735312046

STATUTORY NOTICE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BANGLADESH, HIGH COURT DIVISION
(STATUTORY ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)
COMPANY MATTER NO. 521 OF 2025
IN THE MATTER OF:
An application under Section 81(2) read with section 85(3) and 396 of the Companies Act, 1994.
-AND-
IN THE MATTER OF:
M/S. SIG Combibloc Limited -----Petitioner
-VERSUS-
SIG Combibloc Bangladesh Limited and another -----Respondents.
Notice is hereby given to all concerned that the petitioner above named has filed and moved an application under section 81(2) read with sections 85(3) and 396 of the Companies Act, 1994 for condonation of delay in holding the 6th Annual General Meeting of SIG Combibloc Bangladesh Limited before the Hon'ble High Court Division of the Supreme Court of Bangladesh. Upon preliminary hearing, his Lordship, Mr. Justice Ahmed Sohel by an order dated 19.03.2025 was pleased to admit the said application.
Any person or persons having interest in the said application may appear either personally or through duly authorized Advocate on the date so fixed.
Copy of the said application may be obtained from the office of the undersigned on payment of the required costs.
Anam Hossain
Barrister-at-law
Advocate, Supreme Court of Bangladesh
House No.18/A (Ground Floor), Road No. 44, Gulshan 2, Dhaka 1212.

Syndicate extorts

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Fare hikes are primarily attributed to inflation, extortion, employee Eid bonuses, and owners' profit motives.
Besides, the absence of passenger representatives in monitoring teams has made oversight ineffective.
Jatri Kalyan Samity also presented figures for how much would be extorted from passengers using each mode of transportation, with long distance buses and minibuses taking Tk 90 crore extra from 30 lakh passengers and city buses taking Tk 12 crore from 40 lakh trips.
The Samity emphasised that the fare hikes are

exacerbating the cost of living, encouraging corruption, and increasing road accidents.
To curb these issues, it urged authorities to introduce digital fare collection, ban cash transactions, use CCTV for fare monitoring, and improve transport governance.
Present at the press conference were newly elected Chairman Mohammad Zakaria, former election commission secretary Syed Ahmad, former Dhaka Transport Coordination Authority executive director Mahmudul Hasan Russell, and Mohammad Alauddin Masud.

Prime suspect

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Law enforcers initially suspected the murder was linked to conflicts involving criminal networks.
According to Rab, Sayed and another individual named Mehedi had been extorting money in the Gulshan and Badda areas for several years. After the fall of the Awami League

government on August 5 last year, Mehedi fled but continued collecting extortion money through Sayed.
However, Sumon later began extorting money in the same area on behalf of another group, known as the Robin group, leading to a conflict between the two factions.

Rab said Sayed planned Sumon's murder on Mehedi's orders. He, along with Belal and four to five other members of their group, began monitoring Sumon daily.

On the evening of March 20, Sayed and others met at his house, armed themselves, and went to Gulshan in search of Sumon.

Around 9:00pm, they spotted Sumon sitting in front of Police Plaza and shot him. When Sumon attempted to flee, he was shot multiple times before the attackers escaped.

A case was filed with Gulshan Police Station against unidentified individuals following the incident.

Will try

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government, she said. "There are conventional challenges that every government encounters. A process has now begun to build consensus on various reforms, and this must be carried forward through proper procedures with collective efforts."
"Another key task is to ensure credible elections and meet public expectations," she added.

Asked about the possibility of achieving political consensus, the adviser said, "Our expectation is that we will rise above personal and party interests for the sake of national interest."

"However, different people perceive issues differently, and we need to bridge these differences. It will take time and must go through a process," he added.

She expressed hope that experienced political leaders would prioritise national interests.

Pay our due wages, bonuses

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was organised by the Ganatantrik Adhikar Committee, which urged the interim government to ensure payment of all outstanding wages and bonuses to workers across the country.
Speaking at the rally, Prof Anu Muhammad said when the government says unpaid wages are the responsibility of the factory owners and not the government, it is an act of extreme negligence.
"We have heard such statements during past fascist regimes. If a company fails to pay its workers, the government must hold it accountable," he said.
"Yet, instead of taking action against the owners, the industrial police attacked workers and student leaders yesterday (Tuesday). For this, the

government should be held accountable," he added.
Researcher Maha Mirza said, "Workers have gone unpaid for three months while factory owners continue to deceive them. When they protest, police attack them. Under the Awami League government, workers faced repression, and the situation remains unchanged. Instead of being sympathetic, we are becoming even more inhumane." She demanded that all pending wages and allowances be cleared before Eid.
Raju Ahmed, general secretary of the Garments-Textile Sramik Federation, said, "We had to protest for our wages even under Awami League's rule. If we still have to fight for our rightful dues, then what has changed?"

Workers said factory owners had repeatedly assured them of payment but failed to deliver, leaving them in financial distress ahead of Eid.
They demanded wages for January and February, food allowances, Eid bonuses, and the current month's salary. Protesters vowed to continue until their dues were settled.
Barrister Jyotirmoy Barua also spoke at the rally.
Since March 23, workers from several garment factories, including TNZ Apparels Limited and Apparels Plus Eco Limited, have been staging sit-ins in front of the Shrom Bhaban.
On Monday afternoon, at least five police personnel and several workers were injured as protesters marched towards the Secretariat.

1 killed, 6 hurt

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North District BNP President Golam Akbar Khandaker was appointed convener, while Nurul Amin, also known as Kala Amin, was named member secretary. However, another faction led by Nurul Amin, also known as Chairman Amin, opposed the decision and began demonstrations.
According to locals, tensions had been simmering since Monday night, with multiple incidents of chase-and-counter-chase between rival groups.
Mirsarai Upazila Nirbahi Officer (UNO) Mahfuza Jerin said, "Intelligence reports indicated a possible clash ahead of the March 26 programme, prompting the imposition of Section 144."

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Ministry of Expatriates' Welfare & Overseas Employment
Wage Earners' Welfare Board (WEWB)
Promoting Diaspora Investment and Optimal Usage of Remittance Project
Probashi Kallyan Bhaban
Eskaton Garden, Ramna, Dhaka-1000
www.wewb.gov.bd

Request for Expressions of Interest (REOI) for Consulting Firms

Memo No. 49.04.0000.004.18.063.24-01 Date: 27th March 2025

Assignment Title: Request for Expression of Interest (REOI) for Promoting Diaspora Investment and Optimal Usage of Remittance Project (1st Revision) under Package No. SD3.

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh has received grants from International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) towards the cost of foreign training (exposure visit) and intends to apply part of the proceeds to cover eligible payments under the contract for the provision for promoting Diaspora investment and optimal usage of remittance project.

A foreign training (exposure visit) firm will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in PPA-2006 and PPR-2008. Relevant information and the short listing criteria are:

1. Ministry	:	Ministry of Expatriates' Welfare & Overseas Employment
2. Agency	:	Wage Earners' Welfare Board (WEWB)
3. EOI No. & date	:	49.04.0000.004.18.063.24-01, Date: 27th March 2025
4. Head of procuring entity	:	Director General, Wage Earners' Welfare Board (WEWB)
5. Procurement method	:	Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) following PPA-2006 and PPR-2008
6. Budget & source of fund	:	Grants (IFAD)
7. Development partner	:	International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)
8. Project name	:	Promoting Diaspora Investment and Optimal Usage of Remittance Project
9. Project code	:	223043600
10. EOI submission	:	EOIs, in 2 (two) sets- one original and one copy. Must be submitted in sealed covered envelope at the office of Promoting Diaspora Investment and Optimal Usage of Remittance Project (1st Revision), Probashi Kallyan Bhaban, Eskaton Garden, Dhaka-1000. The intending firms must submit a soft copy of EOI in editable mode in pen drive or CD.
11. Closing date & time	:	Date: 09.04.2025 Time: 12.00pm
12. EOI opening date, time and place	:	Date: 09.04.2025 Time: 12.30pm Place: PD, POUR, WEWB
14. Brief description of services	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Consulting Firm will organize and Implement a foreign training (exposure visit) in Philippines for 20 participants persons for 7 days; Arrange Expert-led discussion session by eminent Experts/University Teachers and Senior Government Officials on the topics; Arrange Visit to relevant Government Offices and sharing experience and open discussion; Arrange Field Visit to relevant project sites; Other relevant visits to the places of educational and cultural interest in the Philippines. The firm will identify and select suitable organizations, Universities, and Government bodies and sites for this purpose.
15. Qualification & experiences	:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Legally established professional consulting firms or entity with minimum 8 years of working experiences in organizing overseas training/exposure visit/workshop management activities under different Ministries/Division/ Autonomous bodies Must submit valid and up-to date Trade License, Incorporation Certificate, if applicable, TIN, VAT Certificates; Evidence of successfully completing overseas training/exposure visit/workshop management activities under different Ministries of value at least BDT 1.5 Crore in a single contract within the last 5 (Five) years; The firm must demonstrate its management capacity and submit documents describing similar assignments, experience, availability of appropriate professional staff and experience among the staffs and resources to carry out the assignment; Firm should demonstrate its logistical capability - well-equipped office space at Dhaka with necessary facilities such as office space, logistics, vehicles etc; Submit last 3 (Three) year's financial audit report showing annual turnover, and submit a certificate from scheduled bank concerning working capital/liquid assets/credit facilities of minimum BDT 2 Crore; Submit ISO 9001-2015 certification; Must submit completion certificates of the services completed within the last 5 years with details of issuing authorities; Consultants may associate with other or firms to enhance their qualifications, but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. It is preferable to limit the maximum number of joint venture partners in 02 (two) including the Lead partner. Each partner of the Joint Venture, Consortium or Association shall be jointly and severally liable for all liabilities and ethical or legal obligations under the contract, if selected. Each partner of the JV has to be reasonably qualified to take over the responsibilities and role of any of the partners that may fail to perform or withdraws. The procuring entity will separately evaluate the partner; EOI must be specific to the above requirements, be signed by authorized signatory and have page numbers and Table of Contents. The REOI and detailed Terms of Reference (ToR) for the assignment are available in the websites: www.wewb.gov.bd
16. Designation of official inviting REOI	:	Project Director Joint Secretary and Director (Finance & Welfare), "Promoting Diaspora Investment and Optimal Usage of Remittance Project", Wage Earners' Welfare Board (WEWB)
17. Address of official inviting EOI	:	Probashi Kallyan Bhaban, Eskaton Garden, Ramna, Dhaka-1000 Phone (Office): +8802 48313437, Email: d.fw@wewb.gov.bd

The procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject any or all EOIS.

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Request for Proposal (RFP) issued by UNICEF Bangladesh

RFP No. LRPS-2025-9196489: Long Term Agreement (LTA) to provide 'Accommodation, Meetings and Conference Venue services'.

UNICEF Bangladesh is inviting interested service providers with a proven track record and professional credibility of providing the above-required services under LTA.

- Download the electronic copy of Bid documents from UNGM <https://www.ungm.org/Public/Notice/262653>

- Alternatively, vendors may request the bid documents via email at 'supplybangladesh@unicef.org' by **23 February 2025**.

Deadline for submission of the proposal: **Time 11 am (BST: GMT +6) Tuesday, 29 April 2025**

Please note UNICEF does not charge any fee at any stage of the solicitation process.

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IFIC Bank PLC

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INVITATION OF TENDER

IFIC Bank PLC is hereby inviting tender for following:
Name of Procuring Entity: IFIC Bank PLC
Invitation For: Rate Fixation & Procurement of MICR Security Stationery (Cheque) for IFIC Bank PLC with validity up to 30.06.2027
Product or Item Name:
1. SB Cheque Books (20 leaves)
2. CD Cheque Books (20 leaves) (Aamar Account)
3. CD Cheque Books (50 leaves) (Aamar Account)
4. CD-Cheque Books (50 leaves)
5. CD-Cheque Books (100 leaves)
Invitation Ref. No.: IFIC/HO/S&ED/LOG/STA/2025/01
Procurement Method: Open Tendering Method (OTM)
Details of Tender Schedule:
Date of Invitation & Publication: 27.03.25
Last Selling Date: 10.04.25
Pre-Tender Meeting (If any): 09.04.25 (Optional)
Submission Date and Time: 20.04.25 before 1.00 PM
Opening Date and Time: 20.04.25 after 3.00 PM
Name & Address for Tender Document:
Tenderer shall submit a request to get Tender Document in official letter head and collect the Tender Document from Level-01, IFIC Tower, 61, Purana Paltan, Dhaka.
Eligibility of Tenderer:
1. Minimum 05 (five) years continuous experience in the similar line of business.
2. Tenderer must have the legal capacity to enter the contract under the applicable law of Bangladesh.
3. Tenderer shall not be barred as per law of the land that may be subject to legal proceedings of any kind.
Price of Tender Document: BDT 5,000.00 (Five Thousand Taka) only (Non-Refundable) to be made in the form of payment order of any scheduled Bank favoring IFIC Bank PLC.
Contact Detail of For tender related queries, please contact-
Official Inviting Tender Name: Mr. Md. Nayeem, Email: md.nayeem@ificbankbd.com, Phone: 01864-804229
IFIC Bank PLC reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever at any stage of the procurement process.

The Head of Service & Estate Division
IFIC Bank PLC

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