Road crashes

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Despite improvements in road infrastructure, accidents continue to rise due to a lack of strong preventive action, officials said.

During the Eid-ul-Azha holidays alone, seven people lost their lives in road accidents.

Police attributed the majority of crashes to speeding. Drivers, especially of three-wheelers and motorcycles, often race each other, increasing the risk of fatal collisions. Other causes include reckless overtaking, unfit vehicles, driver incompetence, and widespread traffic rule violations.

"Bus and truck drivers often leave their helpers at the steering wheel, which leads to many avoidable accidents," said Delwar Hossain, traffic inspector in Tangail. He emphasised the need for driver training and awareness.

Iqbal Hossain, president of the Tangail District Bus and Minibus Owners Association, echoed the concerns, blaming unskilled drivers, slow-moving vehicles, and careless pedestrians for the alarming situation.

He called for regular licence checks and penalties for unlicensed drivers.

Tangail Superintendent of Police Md Mizanur Rahman said, "Accidents are common on the Dhaka-Tangail-Jamuna Bridge highway due to high traffic volume. Awareness is key to reducing these incidents..."

Duckling

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annually. The facility includes six layer sheds, one growing shed, and one boarding shed.

Md Asaduzzaman, poultry development officer at the farm, said, "Although our annual production target is 50,000 ducklings, we have been producing even more. However, since we receive requests from some large farm owners, we can't always meet every farmer's expectations. Nonetheless, we never send any farmer back empty-handed if we have ducklings or eggs available."

"We have informed higher authorities about the need to expand our sheds and increase the number of layer ducks and drakes," he added.

ICT sends former Rab

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and sent to jail, said ICT prosecutor Gazi Monawar Hossain Tamim.

Earlier, Mahin lodged a complaint with the ICT prosecution accusing several people including Sohail, former director Legal and Media wing of Rab. Before being sent on forced retirement following the changeover on August 5 last year, Sohail was promoted to rear admiral. He also served as the chairman of both the Chattogram Port Authority (CPA) and Payra Port Authority.

The tribunal on April 15 had ordered to produce Sohail before it. Prosecutor Tamim said Sohail is the only accused arrested in the case. Sohail was produced before the tribunal yesterday.

Chief Prosecutor Muhammad Tajul Islam moved the case before the tribunal, while Barrister Jyotirmoy Barua stood for the accused.

Additionally, the tribunal extended till September 15 to submit the investigation reports of two cases filed in connection with the crimes against humanity committed during the July uprising.

Two former additional deputy commissioners Ishtiaq Ahmed and MM Mainul Islam already arrested in the cases were produced before the tribunal.

ICT investigators claimed that during initial interrogation, Ishtiaq confessed to deploying drones to conduct aerial surveillance and capture footage over several key areas during the July uprising. This was reportedly done under direct instructions from the then chief of the CTTC unit.

However, he later deleted the footage following further orders, which, according to the prosecution, constitutes a criminal.

And as per the prosecution, Mainul was directly involved in the firing on protestors in the Mirpur area during the uprising.

Following a prosecution petition yesterday, the tribunal also ordered that former state minister Kamal Ahmed Majumder and Jubo League leader Saddam Hossain Mitul be shown as arrested in a case filed over crimes against humanity committed in Mirpur, Kafrul, and Pallabi areas during the July uprising.

Gulshan house ready for Tarique

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British multinational company as the managing director's residence until it was vacated six months ago. Tarique is expected to move in once he returns from London.

After the assassination of President Ziaur Rahman on May 31, 1981, his wife Khaleda Zia was allotted the Gulshan house. She retained control of the property for years, and after the interim government assumed office, it was officially registered in her name on June 5, when an adviser handed over the documents.

During a visit to the house yesterday, the white duplex was found freshly painted, with a well-decorated exterior. The interior has also been arranged, and iron grilles have been installed on the boundary walls for added security.

The modern residence includes three bedrooms, a spacious drawing and living room, a swimming pool, and two separate entry gates -- all ready for use.

Police officers stationed at the house said no one currently resides there. Their job is to ensure security and prevent unauthorised entries.

BNP leaders also said a new political office is being rented near the BNP chairperson's office in Gulshan, which Tarique is expected to use to coordinate campaign activities ahead of the national election.

Another BNP standing committee member said, "Tarique Rahman is expected to return soon, but the exact date has not been fixed. Once it is, the party will make a public announcement. In the meantime, preparations are underway."

Tarique, 57, has been living in London since 2008. In 2009, he became BNP's senior vice chairman and gradually took on a key leadership role.

In 2018, after his mother, former prime minister Khaleda Zia, was jailed, Tarique was made acting chairman and has since led the party from abroad, virtually attending meetings and rallies.

WHEN WILL TARIQUE RETURN?

Speculation about Tarique's return intensified following his recent meeting with Chief Adviser Prof Muhammad Yunus in London.

Party sources said his return largely depends on the Election Commission providing a clear timeline for the upcoming election.

BNP leaders said the acting chairman is ready to return and take charge of the campaign once the roadmap is declared.

A senior BNP leader said, "We believe the Election Commission will announce the election schedule within July. Tarique Rahman may return any day before August 5, the day of the ousting of the fascist Awami regime."

According to party sources, BNP is planning a big rally on August 5 in front of its central office in Nayapaltan.

"If everything goes as planned, Tarique Rahman will be present at the rally and deliver a speech as the chief guest," the leader said, adding that it would be his first public appearance since his return -- an event the party hopes will energise supporters and send a strong political message.

On June 12, Home Affairs Adviser Lt Gen (retd) Md Jahangir Alam Chowdhury said there is no government bar on Tarique's return.

Tarique was arrested on March 7, 2007, during the 1/11 caretaker government. He was granted bail in September 2008 and left for London on September 11 for medical treatment.

During the Awami League's tenure, he was convicted in absentia in five cases and faced around 100 lawsuits.

Following the fall of the Awami League government on August 5, all charges against him were dropped, and there are currently no pending cases.

UNDP pledges $18.5m to support

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Stefan Liller said, "Shortly after the current EC was formed last year, it reached out to the UN seeking support in preparing for the upcoming election. In response, the UN deployed a 'Needs Assessment Mission' which visited Bangladesh in January this year, held meetings with various stakeholders, and worked to define the scope of technical assistance the UN could provide. These recommendations have been shaped into a project known as 'The BALLOT Project'. The Bangladesh government approved this project and the UN, EC, and the Economic Relations Division are working together on it. Australia is the first country to come forward with a commitment from its government and taxpayers."

Akhtar Ahmed said there are 16 components for the election, and UNDP has been in discussions regarding financing these components. He added, "The project will run until December 31, 2027. Under this project, activities such as capacity building, awareness, training, and institutional framework -- covering a total of 16 components -- will be carried out"

PRAYER TIMING
JUNE 19

	Fazr	Zohr	Asr	Maghrib	Esha
AZAN	4-05	12-45	5-00	6-50	8-15
JAMAAT	4-40	1-15	5-15	6-55	8-45

SOURCE: ISLAMIC FOUNDATION

Barguna slips deeper

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this. A survey last year found Aedes larvae in nearly 50% of water containers in homes."

He said Barguna's unique mix of environmental factors, common rainwater storage practices, and the presence of the virus have made it highly vulnerable.

To investigate further, a six-member team from the Institute of Epidemiology, Disease Control and Research (IEDCR) has arrived in Barguna. They look to determine the dominant dengue serotype, possible genetic mutations in Aedes mosquitoes, and reasons behind the outbreak's scale.

Local health rights activist Hasanur Rahman criticised the authorities' lack of proactive measures. "Several abandoned government properties have become mosquito breeding grounds," he said.

Contacted, Animesh Biswas, additional deputy commissioner and acting administrator of Barguna Municipality, said, "We are spraying insecticides regularly and conducting awareness campaigns across the town."

According to the civil surgeon's office, the town has 41 private clinics. Of them, 14 have not renewed their registration or have had their licenses suspended.

With the outbreak worsening, many patients are turning to these clinics for tests and treatment. Some private facilities even send agents to the government hospital to collect patient samples.

Dr Fattah said, "Many tests are being done outside. We are monitoring to ensure there are no unnecessary tests or fake reports. We recently warned clinic owners not to exploit the situation."

Muhammad Abu Hasan, general secretary of the Barguna chapter of Bangladesh Private Hospital and Diagnostic Owners' Association, said a committee has been formed to inspect clinics daily.

"We also told the civil surgeon that eliminating middlemen from the public hospital would help reduce corruption in private clinics," he added.

CA urges SSF

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sake of ensuring security.

Mentioning that in the past, all flight operations at Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport used to be closed for about one hour for VIP flights, which created many complications, the chief adviser said he lifted this restriction to ease the suffering of the general passengers.

"I think that the SSF will successfully perform all their responsibilities by not being isolated from people, but by interconnecting public relations and security," he said.

"Not only within the country but also during my state visits abroad, the SSF has worked in coordination with various embassies and the protocol and security forces of the concerned countries and made the visits successful," he also said.

In today's world, with the availability of modern technology and information exchange, the type and nature of security threats are changing rapidly, and thus providing 100 percent security is a very challenging issue, he said.

Despite various limitations, the SSF is providing security properly, he said, hoping that the force would regularly review different security threats and take necessary measures to deal with those.

"I also hope that the SSF, as a professional force, will improve day by day with the integration of advanced training, advanced technology and improved morale," Prof Yunus added.

He expressed gratitude to the Bangladesh Army for providing various types of training support to the SSF.

Maj Gen Mahbubus Samad Chowdhury, director of SSF, also addressed the event, among others. Home adviser Lt Gen (retd) Md Jahangir Alam Chowdhury, chiefs of the three services, CA's principal secretary, principal coordinator on SDG affairs, CA's press secretary, inspector general of police and senior government officials were also present.

Three killed

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motorcycle coming from the opposite direction on Thakurgaon-Baliadangi road in Baliadangi upazila, leaving its rider critically injured on Tuesday evening.

He succumbed to his injuries after being taken to Thakurgaon 250-bed General Hospital.

The deceased was identified as Faijul Islam, 35, of Lalapur Dangapara village under the upazila.

Confirming the incident, Sarwar Alam Khan, OC of Thakurgaon Sadar Police Station, said a case has been filed in this connection.

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e-Tender বিজ্ঞপ্তি

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ID	Title of Works
1125008	Supply of 02 Nos. Flexible Oil Storage Bags (Capacity=20,000 Litters each) for GMD, Dhaka-Central, Power Grid.

আগ্রহী ঠিকাদারী প্রতিষ্ঠানকে www.eprocure.gov.bd সাইটের মাধ্যমে দরপত্রে অংশগ্রহণের জন্য অনুরোধ করা যাচ্ছে।

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নির্বাহী প্রকৌশলী, জিএমডি, ঢাকা (সেন্ট্রাল)

Office of The Dhunat Pourashava
District-Bogura.

Memo No:46.00.1030.000.008.00.0441.24.212 Date: 18/06/2025

Re-Invitation of Tender (Goods)
e-Tender Notice No. 04/2024-2025 (OTM)

e-tender is Invited in The National e-GP System Portal (http:/www.eprocure.gov.bd) for 01 (One) Package for the procurement of.

Tender/ Proposal ID	Description	Tender Security	Last Selling Date & Time	Closing Date & Time
1126133	Estimate for Single Street Light (Electric) start from Dhunat Bazar Fall Potty to Dhunat Hospital Morh Under Dhunat Pourashava, Bogura. Ch. 0.00m to 1080.00m	200000/-	07-July-2025; 17:00	08-July-2025; 14:00

All other terms & conditions will remain unchanged further information & guidelines are available in the national e-GP system portal (https://www.eprocure.gov.bd). Interested persons can communicate with the undersigned during office hours.

(Md. Shazedy Haque)
Assistant Engineer (Current Charge)
Dhunat Pourashava, Bogura.

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Office of the Noakhali Pourashava
District: Noakhali.
(Engineering Department)

Memo No. NP.Eng.D./2024-25/5728(100) Dated: 15/06/2025

Invitation for Tender (Goods)
e-GP Tender Notice No- 12/2024-2025 (NOTM)

e-GP Tender is invited in the National e-GP System Portal (http://www.eprocure.gov.bd) for the procurement of the following works:

Contract Package No	Tender/ Proposal ID No.	Name of works	Tender/ Proposal documents last selling date & time	Tender/ Proposal closing & Opening date & time
01	02	03	05	06
LGCRRP/ Noakhali/ 2024-25/W- 11	1125935	Supplying, Installation & Commissioning of IOT Based LED Street light at a) District James Mosque to women's College up to Rail line (1.30km), b) Food Godown to circuit House road to Burlington Mosque (0.600km), C) Panch Rasta to DC office road up to Old Bus Stand with DB office & Hakim quarter link road (1.70km) D) Hospital Road to Jonaki Club road with Flat road Mohammadia Hotel & Flat Road to Town Hall Mor link road (0.900km) & E) Hakim quarter road Thana mor to M A Roshid School Mor (0.45km) under Noakhali Pourashava area.	09/06/2025 at 16:00PM	10/06/2025 at 14:00PM
LGCRRP/ Noakhali/ 2024-25/W- 12	1125936	Supplying, Installation & Commissioning of IOT Based LED Street light at a) Town Hall mor to Girls School mor, (b) Judge Court road to Court Mosque road (Kauwa road) under Noakhali Pourashava area.	09/06/2025 at 16:00PM	10/05/2025 at 13:00PM

1. These are an online tender, where only e-GP Tender will be accepted in the National e-GP Portal and no offline/hard copies will be accepted.
2. To submit e-Tender registration in the National e-GP system portal (http://www.eprocure.gov.bd) is required.
3. The fees for downloading the e-Tender documents from the National e-GP system portal have to be deposited on line through any registered banks branches. Further information and guidelines are available in the National e-GP system portal and from help desk (helpdesk@eprocure.gov.bd).

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GD-1427

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Ref No: পিডি/ডিজিএম/মাল্টিমিডিয়া ও টিভি/৩টিএম/ইএম/০১/২৫ Date: 17/06/2025

Tender Notice (OTM)

০২ (দুই) টি ৮৬" Ultra HD Interactive Multimedia Board ও ০২ (দুই) টি ৩২" LED টিভি ক্রয়, সরবরাহ ও সংস্থাপন এর দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি।

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1	(OTM)/ইএম/ ০১/২৫	1) 86" Interactive Multimedia flat panel Board (Specification: Display Technology: LED, 4K UHD (3840 x 2160): 4K UHD (3840 x 2160), Storage: RAM: 8 GB, ROM:128 GB and Others specification is on Tender Schedule) 2) 32" LED TV (Specification: Screen Type: LED, Resolution: UHD (4K), OS: Google TV, Storage: 16 GB and Others specification is on Tender Schedule)	১৭.০৬.২০২৫	০১.০৭.২০২৫, দুপুর ৪.০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত।	০২.০৭.২০২৫, দুপুর ২.০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত।

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"e-GP (OTM) দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি"

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Tender ID	Name of Work
1126767 (OTM)	Yearly basis Printing, fitting, fixing of different types of Banner, Festoon, Leaflet etc. with frame and other related works for various National occasions at WAPDA Bhaban, BPDB, Motijheel, Dhaka. Tender Ref. No: 27.11.0000.505.15.001.2025-2026.18 Tender Publication Date and Time: 18-Jun-2025, 10:30, Tender Opening Date and Time: 02-July-2025, 13:30

বিদ্যুৎ/জন-১৫১৮ (২)/১৮/০৬/২৫

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নির্বাহী প্রকৌশলী
পূর্ত নির্মাণ বিভাগ-২
বাবিউবো, ঢাকা।

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বনরূপা, রাঙ্গামাটি।

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জব্দকৃত/ঝড়েপড়া/অন্যান্যভাবে আহরিত বনজদ্রব্য Sealed Tender এ বিক্রয়ের দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তি।

এতদ্বারা সর্বসাধারনের অবগতির জন্য জানানো যাচ্ছে যে, অশ্রেণীভুক্ত বনাঞ্চল বনীকরণ বিভাগের নিয়ন্ত্রনাধীন বিভিন্ন রেঞ্জ/স্টেশন/বন কেন্দ্রে জব্দকৃত/ঝড়েপড়া/খাড়া গাছ/অন্যান্য ভাবে আহরিত লট আকারে মজুদ সেগুন ও বিবিধ প্রজাতির বনজদ্রব্য/কাঠসমূহ Sealed Tender এর মাধ্যমে বিক্রয়ের লক্ষ্যে প্রকৃত কাঠ ব্যবসায়ী/সংস্থা/আসবাবপত্র প্রস্তুতকারী প্রতিষ্ঠান/অন্যান্যদের নিকট হতে সীলমোহরযুক্ত খামে দরপত্র আহ্বান করা যাচ্ছে।

দরপত্র দাখিলের তারিখ ও সময়	যে স্থানে দরপত্র গ্রহণ করা হবে	বনজদ্রব্যের মজুদ স্থান/অবস্থান ও তথ্য প্রাপ্তির স্থান
০৮/০৭/২০২৫ খ্রি. তারিখ সকাল ০৯.০০ ঘটিকা হতে দুপুর ০১.০০ ঘটিকা পর্যন্ত।	জেলা প্রশাসকের কার্যালয়, রাঙ্গামাটি পার্বত্য জেলা বন সংরক্ষকের কার্যালয়, রাঙ্গামাটি অঞ্চল, রাঙ্গামাটি এবং বিভাগীয় বন কর্মকর্তার কার্যালয়, অশ্রেণীভুক্ত বনাঞ্চল বনীকরণ বিভাগ, রাঙ্গামাটি।	অশ্রেণীভুক্ত বনাঞ্চল বনীকরণ বিভাগ, রাঙ্গামাটির নিয়ন্ত্রণাধীন রেঞ্জ/বনশুল্ক ও পরীক্ষণ ফাঁড়ি লক্ষীছড়ি বন কেন্দ্র

দরপত্র বিজ্ঞপ্তির শর্তাবলী এবং দরপত্র সম্পর্কীয় যাবতীয় জ্ঞাতব্য বিষয়াবলী অত্র বন বিভাগের আওতাধীন রেঞ্জ কর্মকর্তার কার্যালয়, সদর রেঞ্জ/কুতুকছড়ি রেঞ্জ/থৈ-চাঙমা রেঞ্জ/ক্যাংগালছড়ি রেঞ্জ/মহালছড়ি রেঞ্জ/বীজিতলা রেঞ্জ/খাগড়াছড়ি রেঞ্জ/ভাইবোনছড়া রেঞ্জ/স্টেশন কর্মকতার কার্যালয়, বুড়িঘাট বনশুল্ক ও পরীক্ষণ ফাঁড়ি/ভারপ্রাপ্ত কর্মকর্তার কার্যালয়, লক্ষীছড়ি বন কেন্দ্র, অশ্রেণীভুক্ত বনাঞ্চল বনীকরণ বিভাগ, রাঙ্গামাটি হতে আগামী ০৭/০৭/২০২৫ খ্রি. তারিখ পর্যন্ত অফিস চলাকালীন দেখতে পারা যাবে।

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