

Road crashes claim 469 lives in Oct

Says Jatri Kalyan Samity report

UNB, Dhaka

A total of 528 people were killed and 1,310 injured in 532 accidents on roads, railways, and waterways across the country in October, according to a report by Jatri Kalyan Samity.

The organisation compiled the report based on news published in national and local dailies, alongside online news portals, said a press release issued yesterday.

Among them, 469 people died and 1,280 were injured in 469 road accidents between October 1 and 30.

Besides, 47 people were killed and 30 others injured in 52 railway accidents, while 12 people died and one went missing in 11 waterway accidents during the same period, said the report.

The report also noted that motorbike accidents accounted for a significant share, claiming 176 lives and injuring 137 others across the country last month — representing 36.24 percent of total accidents and 37.52 percent of total fatalities.

Dhaka division recorded the highest number of road accidents with 126 incidents, resulting in 130 deaths and 343 injuries.



RANGSA RIVER IN TARAKANDA

Bamboo bridge still the only option for locals

OUR CORRESPONDENT, Mymensingh

Hundreds of locals are suffering daily as they continue to rely on a bamboo bridge to cross the Rangsa river in Mymensingh's Tarakanda upazila, with their long-standing demand for a permanent concrete bridge remaining unmet.

On several occasions, locals have held rallies and formed human chains demanding the construction of a concrete bridge over the river, but to no avail, they said.

Md Yasin Ali, panel chairman of Galagoan Union Parishad, said, "Despite reiterating our demand for a permanent concrete bridge over the river, authorities have yet to take any steps. We have no alternative but to use the bamboo bridge for commuting. This has been the case for many years."

Officials of the Local Government and

Engineering Department surveyed the area on different occasions, but nothing further has been done, he added.

Badsha Miah, 55, a member of the union parishad, said some 500 students from 10 educational institutions on both sides of the river have to cross the bridge daily, often at risk, especially during the monsoon. Sharaf Uddin Ahmed, assistant teacher at Gaborgati Govt Primary School, echoed him.

Local resident Abul Khayer said while the upazila headquarters is only around five kilometres away, which should take no more than 20 minutes to travel, locals need over an hour to cross the river using the bamboo bridge.

Contacted, Aysha Akhter, upazila engineer of LGED in Tarakanda, said they have sent proposals for constructing a bridge under a project, but no approval has been obtained yet.

Children

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Implemented in partnership with the EU and the government, the initiative has delivered measurable social and economic benefits, said Flowers. Unicef began in 2021 with 350 community hubs across 42 districts, now reaching 64, she said.

"These hubs unite social workers, police, and the judiciary to protect vulnerable adolescents. So far, 12,000 girls have been protected from child marriage, birth registration has risen sharply, and violence has declined," she added.

"Child marriage strips girls of education and dignity and hinders national growth. We need a united national voice to change mindsets and enforce laws effectively."

EU Ambassador Michael Miller said the EU expects forthcoming legislative reforms to align with International Labour Organization standards and the National Action Plan on Child Labour.

Mumtaz Ahmed, Senior Secretary of the Ministry of Women and Children Affairs, said under the government's Domestic Violence and Homicide Prevention project, 22 new hubs are being set up to support street and neurodiverse children.

Probe into graft allegations

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The allegations against the two surfaced in April. Following this, the ACC launched an inquiry.

On April 21, the Ministry of Public Administration relieved Moazzem Hossain of his duties. Similarly, Tuhin Farabi was also removed from his post due to corruption allegations.

The ACC later sought a travel ban on Moazzem and requested the suspension of his national ID use.

To push for faster action, Jubo Adhikar Parishad organised a "March to ACC" and submitted a memorandum in May, while two High Court lawyers filed separate complaints.

During preliminary investigation, the ACC's intelligence wing reportedly found suspicious financial transactions and irregularities in the officials' assets.

Two inquiry teams were formed on May 4, and both officials were summoned later that month.

Although they initially skipped the summons, they later presented their statements in person at the ACC's headquarters in the capital.

An official involved in the probe said Moazzem is accused of accepting money for transfers and promotions, manipulating tenders, and collecting commissions from contractors.

He allegedly used his influence in local government, public works and water resources ministries, alongside the Roads and Highways, to facilitate multi-crore transactions.

Tuhin is accused of collecting money through the transfer of doctors, civil surgeons, directors, and nurses. There are also allegations of financial dealings related to inclusion in Hajj teams.

An official said the ACC banned them from travelling abroad through the court and received information

about their bank accounts through BFIU.

In October, a progress report was submitted to the commission, but there has been no update since, added the official.

When asked about the slow progress of the investigation, ACC Deputy Director Akhtarul Islam said, "The investigation into the APS and PO of two advisers is ongoing. If evidence of corruption is found, legal action will be taken."

"We are not under any pressure. Upon receiving corruption complaints, we take action as per legal procedures," he added.

PRAYER TIMING

NOVEMBER 13

Fazr	Zohr	Asr	Maghrib	Esha
AZAN 5-00	12-45	3-45	5-22	7-00
JAMAAT 5-35	1-15	4-00	5-25	7-30

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Local Government Engineering Department

Office of the Upazila Engineer

Sadar, Laxmipur

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e-Tender Notice (NOTM) No. 02/2025-2026

e-Tender is invited in the National e-GP Portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) for the procurement of works as stated as below:

SL No.	Name of Work & Package No.	Tender ID No.	Tender submission date & time	Tender opening date & time
01	Construction of Head Teacher's room with attached toilet of Poschim Char Romonimohon Primary School under PEDP4. e-Tender/PEDP4/LKS/SAD/2025-26/W15A.03022	1175177	27/11/2025 11:00	27/11/2025 12:00

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e-Tender Notice: 01/2025-2026

e-Tender is invited in the National e-GP System Portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) for

SI No.	Package No.	Name of Scheme	e-TID No.
1.	e-Tender/PEDP4/JSR/BAG/2025-26/W15B.02114	Construction of Head Teacher's room with attached toilet of Narikelbaria GPS under PEDP4, Upazila: Bagherpara, Dist: Jashore.	1155473

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The fees for downloading the e-Tender documents from the National e-GP System Portal have to be deposited online through any registered Banks branches up to: **24 November 2025, Time: 12:30pm.**

Further information and guidelines are available in the National e-GP System Portal and also from E-mail: ue.bagherpara@lged.gov.bd or Call to 02477771941. For any queries interested tenderers are requested to communicate with the undersigned during office hours.

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To be Replaced same memo and date

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Memo No. 35.01.1000.405.16.100.25-2314

Date: 10/11/2025

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Tender ID & Package No.	Package description	Publishing date, closing date
Tender ID No: 1172239, e-GP-08/EE/BRD/OTM/2025-2026	Supplying of Asphalt Materials for repairing of potholes, edge breaking, depression, undulation etc. at (1). ch 17th(p) Km of Sultanogj (Lichutola)-Madla-Bagbari (Kodomtoli)-Gabsoli (Panchmile) (Z-5040). (2) Mokamtola-Sonotola-Horikhali-Hatsherpur-Sariakandi(Z-5035) at Ch:32nd(p),33rd(p),34th(p) &35th(P) Km & Baiguni-Durgahana-Poradoho (Z-5051) Road at Ch:7th(p),9th (P), 10th(p),11th(p), of Sherpur Road Sub-Division, under Road Division Bogura during the year 2025-2026.	09-Nov-2025 18:45:00 24-Nov-2025 13:10:00
Tender ID No: 1172240, e-GP-09/EE/BRD/OTM/2025-2026	Supply of asphalt materials for repair of potholes, broken edge, depression, undulation etc. at 4th(P) to 9th Km of R-545, at 2nd(P), 8th(P), 10th(P) & 11th(P) Km of R-551, at 47th(P), 48th(P), 51st(P) & 52nd(P) Km of Z-5072, at 2nd(P), 3rd(P), 4th(P) & 5th(P) Km of Z-5202 and at 1st(P), 2nd(P), 3rd(P), 5th, 8th & 9th(P) Km of Z-5505 Road of Bogura Road Sub-Division, under Road Division Bogura during the year 2025-2026	09-Nov-2025 18:50:0024-Nov-2025 13:10:00

e-Tender details can be downloaded are from as stated above on e-GP System Portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) for pursue.

e-Tenders will be accepted only up to as above date and time. Accepted tender will be opened online immediately after as stated above date and time.


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Prescription for power

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A DAB joint secretary general, however, said the number would be 12.

Of them, BNP Standing Committee member Prof AZM Zahid Hossain, also a former secretary general of DAB, will contest from Dinajpur-6.

ASM Rafiqul Islam Bachchu will run from Gazipur-3, Anwarul Haque from Netrakona-2, Prof Syed Mainul Hasan Sadik from Gaibandha-3, Mahbubur Rahman Litan from Mymensingh-7, KM Babar Ali from Gopalganj-2, Dewan Mohammad Salaududdin from Dhaka-19, Sakhawat Hossain Jiban from Habiganj-2, Khandoker Ziaul Islam from Gaibandha-1, Sunila Jabrin Priyanka from Sherpur-1, Ekramul Bari Tipu from Naogaon-4, and MA Muhit from Sirajganj-6.

Prof Abul Kenan, senior vice-president of DAB, said while their members had contested in previous elections, the number is higher this year. "The party [BNP] has nominated them in recognition of their contributions and their services in their respective communities."

Although Jamaat has not formally announced its list of candidates, the party has selected nominees for almost all constituencies. An NDF official said 17 doctors would run with Jamaat tickets and most of them are affiliated with NDF.

Shafiqur Rahman will contest from Dhaka-15, while Taher from Cumilla 11.

NDF general secretary Mahmud Hossain will contest from Shariatpur-2, Prof Col (retd) Zehad Khan from Kishoreganj-3, SM Khaliduzzaman from Dhaka-17, ATM Rezaul Karim from Chattogram-7, Muhammad Abu Naser from Chattogram-8, AKM Fazlul Haque from Chattogram-9, Faridul Alam from Chattogram-12, Shahdat Hossain from Chattogram-14, Prof Mohammad Jahangir from Rajshahi-2, Abdul Bari from Rajshahi-4, Sultan Ahmed from Barguna-2, Abu Bakar Siddique from Manikganj-2, Mosleh Uddin Farid from Jashore-2, AKM Abdul Hamid from Tangail-8, and Abdur Rahman Sarkar from Gaibandha-5.

NDF office secretary AKM Ziaul Haque said, "We think the number of doctors contesting the next election on Jamaat ticket is highest compared to previous polls."