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From: Amitav Porag Talukder
Deputy Secretary

To: Chief Accounts and Finance Officer
Ministry of Cultural Affairs
Hisab Bhaban, Segunbagicha, Dhaka.

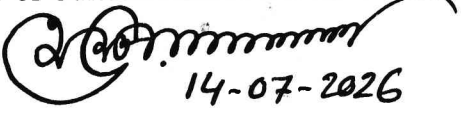
Subject: Approval for Participation in the 48th Session of the World Heritage Committee, to be held from 19-29 July, 2026 in Busan, Republic of Korea.

The undersigned is directed to convey Government's approval to the following delegation for participation in the 48th Session of the World Heritage Committee from 19-29 July, 2026 in Busan, Republic of Korea.

Sl.	Name, Designation and Address	Position	Passport Number
1	Dr. Haseeb Muhammad Irfanullah Independent Consultant, Environment, Climate Change & Research System (Expert on Natural Heritage)	Member	A09132112
2	Mr. A K M Syfur Rahman Regional Director Department of Archaeology, Dhaka. (Expert on Cultural Heritage)	Member	E00124903

02. The Terms and Conditions:

- UNESCO will bear all expenses of the delegation (round trip air fare, local hospitality including accommodation, local transportation, food expenses, transit allowances, terminal charges) related to this conference as per existing rules;
- The period to be spent for this visit including transit will be treated as on duty for the delegation;
- The delegates will draw their pay and allowances (where applicable) for the time stipulated in local currency and no part thereof shall be drawn in foreign currency;
- The delegates will stay in Busan, Republic of Korea from 19-29 July, 2026 (excluding travel time). The delegates will depart from Dhaka on 18 July, 2026 or nearest convenient time and will leave Busan, Republic of Korea for Dhaka on 30 July, 2026 or the nearest convenient time;
- The delegates will submit a report on this tour to the Ministry of Cultural Affairs within 10 (ten) days of their return from the conference.


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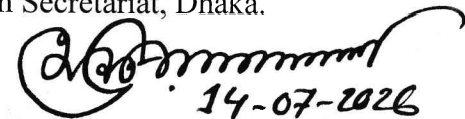
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2. Secretary, Ministry of Cultural Affairs, Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka.
3. H. E. Ambassador and Permanent Delegate of Bangladesh to UNESCO, Embassy of the People's Republic of Bangladesh, Paris, France, 109, Avenue Henri Martin, 75016.
4. H.E. Ambassador, Address: Embassy of the People's Republic of Bangladesh 17, Jangmun-ro 6-gil, Yongsan-gu, Seoul-04393, Republic of Korea.
5. H.E. Ambassador, Embassy of the Republic of Korea, 4 Madani Avenue Baridhara, Dhaka-1212 Bangladesh.
6. Mr. Lazare Eloundou Assomo Secretary, World Heritage Convention, United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, 7, Place de Fontenoy 75352 Paris 07 SP France.
7. Additional Secretary (Administration)/(Cultural Heritage), Ministry of Cultural Affairs, Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka.
8. Director General, Consular and Welfare Wing, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Dhaka (**with a request to issue Note Verbale in favour of the delegation**).
9. Director General, Department of Archaeology, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka.
10. Director General, Department of Immigration and Passport, Dhaka.
11. Joint Secretary (Budget), Ministry of Cultural Affairs, Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka.
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