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Newsbrief

Chief Adviser Professor Muhammad Yunus said, the 'Joint Declaration' signed on the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases (NCDs) will be a new milestone for health protection as it will help achieve the health-related Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The Chief Adviser said this while speaking at the joint declaration signing ceremony at his office in Dhaka area yesterday. The Chief Adviser also said, he believes that through its implementation, public health protection programmes in Bangladesh will be more dynamic and this will be a new milestone of progress.

The committee formed to review applications of deprived retired government officials submitted its 2nd report to Chief Adviser Professor Muhammad Yunus. Convener of the committee and former Finance Secretary Zakir Ahmed Khan handed over the report to the Chief Adviser at his office in the capital yesterday.

Expatriates' Welfare and Overseas Employment Adviser Professor Asif Nazrul said, the government has been relentlessly working to find new labor markets out of Middle East countries. The Chief Adviser said this while talking about the progress of the Ministry in the past one year at his Ministry yesterday. The Chief Adviser also said, arrangements have been made to protect the interests of the expatriate workers. Law farms have been set up in several countries, including the United Arab Emirates to help them, the Adviser added.

A meeting was held yesterday in the conference room of the Ministry of Civil Aviation and Tourism regarding the appointment of Exclusive General Sales Agent for foreign operators providing commercial air transport services in Bangladesh. Adviser of the Ministries of Civil Aviation and Tourism Sk Bashir Uddin presided over the meeting. At the outset, the Adviser reaffirmed that the government is committed to protecting the national interest and ensuring justice and fairness in the aviation sector.

Pakistan's Federal Minister for Commerce Jam Kamal Khan arrived in Bangladesh yesterday to begin a four-day official visit scheduled from 21-24 August 2025. Upon his arrival in Dhaka, he was received by Sk. Bashir Uddin, Adviser for Commerce of Bangladesh and Imran Haider, High Commissioner of Pakistan to Bangladesh. The visit is aimed at strengthening bilateral trade ties and enhancing economic cooperation between Pakistan and Bangladesh.

Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives Adviser Asif Mahmud Sajeeb Bhuiyan said that the government is already making all kinds of preparations for holding the Jatiya Sangsad election in February next. The Adviser made the observation while talking to journalists after paying tribute to martyr Abu Sayeed by placing a wreath at the 'Shaheed Abu Sayeed Memorial' in Begum Rokeya University yesterday. Later, the Adviser participated in the prize distribution ceremony of the final game of the 'July 36 Football Tournament' held at the Rangpur District Stadium.

The 1,490-meter-long 'Mawlana Bhashani Bridge', constructed over the Teesta River in Sundarganj upazila of Gaibandha district, has opened to traffic with a hope of unlocking new doors for regional connectivity and development. Local Government, Rural Development and Cooperatives Adviser Asif Mahmud Shojib Bhuyain inaugurated the bridge constructed over the Teesta River on the Panchpir Bazar-Chilmari Upazila Sadar road, according to a press release yesterday.

Environment, Forest and Climate Change Adviser Syeda Rizwana Hasan said, the conservation of elephants requires the protection of their natural habitats. Speaking as the chief guest at a discussion organized on the occasion of World Elephant Day 2025 at the Forest Department headquarters yesterday, the Adviser further said controlling captive elephants, raising awareness among rural communities and ensuring sustainable habitats for elephants are essential too.

Information and Broadcasting Adviser Md. Mahfuj Alam said, the Ministry will provide all-out support to improve the quality of films produced with government grants. The Adviser said this while handing over the first installment of grants to the producers of full-length and short films nominated for government funding at the Ministry's meeting room in the secretariat yesterday. The Adviser expressed hope that the workshop would play an effective role in improving the standard of films. Regarding the production of films on the July Uprising, the Adviser also said the films should be made with sensitivity in light of the actual events of the July Uprising.

The government has taken an initiative to construct or relocate over 500 new community clinics in an effort to bring healthcare services to the doorstep of the rural population. Community Clinic Health Support Trust Managing Director Md. Akhtaruzzaman revealed it at a seminar titled 'The Role of Media in Ensuring Primary Healthcare for Marginalized Communities through Community Clinics' held at the BMRC conference room in the capital's Mohakhali area yesterday.

Bangladesh has urged India to take immediate steps to shut down political offices of the banned Bangladesh Awami League reportedly established in New Delhi and Kolkata. The Foreign Ministry said this in a statement yesterday.

The Election Commission (EC) will publish the draft list of polling centres for upcoming Jatiya Sangsad elections on September 10. Ahead of the 13th National Election, a letter regarding the issue, signed by Deputy Secretary Md. Mahbub Alam Shah, was sent to district election officers yesterday.



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