



Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Ministry of Information and Broadcasting
Press Information Department.
Dhaka.



Most Urgent
For: Bangladdoot, All Missions
MSG: 117/2024-25
Date: Monday, 28.10.2024

From: PIO, PID, Dhaka
Fax: 55100553/55100026
E-mail: piddhaka@gmail.com
Web: www.pressinform.gov.bd

Newsbrief

Chief Adviser Professor Muhammad Yunus inaugurated the 'Navy and Air Force Selection Board-2024' at the Air Force Headquarters in the capital yesterday. In this Promotion Board, eligible officers of the rank of Captain, Commander and Lieutenant Commander of Bangladesh Navy and Group Captain, Wing Commander and Squadron Leader of the Bangladesh Air Force will be considered for further promotion, an ISPR press release said.

Posts, Telecommunications and Information Technology Adviser Md. Nahid Islam said, the interim government is trying to create a suitable environment to attract foreign companies to invest in Bangladesh with the aim of generating more job opportunities. The Adviser made the remark while South Korean Ambassador Park Young-Sik called on him at his office in Posts and Telecommunications Division, said a press release yesterday. The Adviser also said that reform programmes of the state are going on, where economic reform would also be included.

Posts, Telecommunications and Information Technology Adviser Md. Nahid Islam sought cooperation of the European Commission (EU) to stop spreading misinformation on the student-people uprising and complete the trial of mass murderers. The Adviser sought this support as an EU delegation, led by Ambassador Michael Miller, called on him at the Posts and Telecommunications Division in Dhaka yesterday. Besides, the Adviser also urged the EU to extend support for providing treatment and rehabilitation to the people who received injuries during the uprising.

Environment, Forest and Climate Change Adviser Syeda Rizwana Hasan the government will begin strict monitoring against the use of polythene shopping bags from November 1 next. The Environment Adviser came with the warning at a meeting held at the Ministry of Textiles and Jute in Bangladesh Secretariat yesterday. The meeting discussed the implementation of the 2010 Mandatory Jute Packaging Act and encouraged the public to use jute bags as an alternative to plastic bags.

Fisheries and Livestock Adviser Farida Akhter called for increasing the production of buffalo as it can play an important role in the rural economy. The Adviser made this comment while addressing the closing session of three-day 11th Asian Buffalo Congress-2024 at BCDM in Savar yesterday.

European Ambassador to Bangladesh Michael Miller paid a courtesy call on Labour and Employment as well as Youth and Sports Adviser Asif Mahmud Shojib Bhuyain at the latter's office in Dhaka yesterday. During the meeting, they discussed various aspects, including child labour, labour laws, creation of worker-friendly environment in the garment sector, ensuring workers' safety, GSP and GSP+ benefits, and economic as well as political relations between the European Union and Bangladesh, said a press release.

Bangladesh unequivocally condemned the recent Israeli military strikes on Iran, viewing these actions as a severe violation of Iran's sovereignty and a breach of the United Nations Charter and international law, said a statement issued by the Foreign Ministry in Dhaka yesterday. It also said, such provocations threaten to destabilize an already fragile region, with far-reaching consequences for regional and global peace and security. The Foreign Ministry said that Bangladesh urged the international community to act collectively in support of a stable Middle East, underscoring that diplomacy and mutual respect remain the only viable path to lasting peace.

Saudi Ambassador to Bangladesh, Essa Youssef Essa Al Duhailan expressed the Kingdom's interest in recruiting a larger number of skilled and trained Bangladeshi workers to support its ambitious Vision 2030 projects, including the "Green Saudi Initiative". The Envoy said this when he met with Foreign Secretary Md Jashim Uddin at the Foreign Ministry in Dhaka yesterday.

The Judiciary Reforms Commission will take opinions from more stakeholders before formulating policies regarding the appointment of judges to the Supreme Court, said Chief of Judiciary Reform Commission Retired Justice Shah Abu Naeem Mominur Rahman. The Commission's Chief said this while briefing journalists after holding a meeting of the commission at the Judicial Administration Training Institute in Dhaka yesterday.

Describing election as the only solution to all problems, BNP Secretary General Mirza Fakhrul Islam Alamgir called upon the interim government to hold a neutral election after completing the required reforms quickly. The BNP Secretary General said this after paying rich tributes to founder of BNP Shaheed President Ziaur Rahman at his grave in the capital yesterday marking the 46th founding anniversary of Jatitabadi Jubo Dal.

At least six patient died of dengue in the last 24 hours while 1248 were hospitalized till Sunday morning, according to the Directorate General of Health Services yesterday.

The benchmark index DSEX settled 149.20 points down at 4,965.39 points yesterday.

(N)



Md. Nizamul Kabir
Principal Information Officer
Phone- 55100811