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Newsbrief

The Executive Committee of the National Economic Council (ECNEC) approved 12 development projects involving an overall expenditure of Taka 7,150.21 crore. The entire amount will be financed from the government's own resources. The approval came at the 5th ECNEC meeting of the current fiscal year (FY26) held at the NEC Conference Room on the Planning Commission premises with Chief Adviser and ECNEC Chairperson Professor Muhammad Yunus in the chair. Among the approved projects, eight are new projects, two are revised ones, while two projects received time extensions without cost escalation, said a Planning Ministry press release yesterday.

Land Adviser Ali Imam Majumder said upazila land office is one of the main centers of citizen services but it faces many challenges to ensure hassle-free services. The activities of land administration are mainly conducted at the upazila level through the upazila land office, he added. Almost all land-related services to the common people are provided through this office. The Advisor said these while addressing a workshop titled 'Upazila Land Office Services: Challenges of Good Governance and Ways to Overcome' at the auditorium of Transparency International Bangladesh (TIB) in the capital yesterday.

Shipping Adviser Brigadier General (Retd) Dr. M Sakhawat Hossain has stressed the necessity of engaging foreign management to bring Chattogram Port up to international standards. The Adviser also noted many developed countries have privatized their port operations, suggesting that Bangladesh should consider similar measures to strengthen its position in the global maritime industry. The Shipping Adviser made these remarks while speaking to journalists during the inauguration of the Laldia Char Container Yard in the Patenga area of Chattogram yesterday.

Denmark has announced support worth 25 million Danish Krone (DKK) for a consortium of Danish organisations- DIGNITY, International Media Support (IMS) and the Danish Institute for Human Rights to promote human rights, trauma-informed mental health and media freedom in Bangladesh. Over the next three years, the consortium will work with Bangladeshi partners to strengthen civil society, improve access to rehabilitation for survivors of torture and violence and foster an environment of free and independent media, said a press release issued by the Danish embassy yesterday.

The Saudi Arabian government will not allow Hajj pilgrims suffering from chronic diseases and serious health issues to perform the ritual asking countries concerned to check health history of every intending pilgrim, a Bangladeshi official statement said yesterday. According to the statement the Saudi Hajj and Umrah ministry sent a letter pointing out that if main organs of someone are not functioning, he or she will not be allowed to perform Hajj.

Bangladesh and the Maldives have expressed confidence that continued collaboration will further strengthen bilateral relations and yield meaningful benefits for both the nations, reflecting the long-standing friendship and mutual respect that define their partnership. The reaffirmation came when Bangladesh High Commissioner to the Maldives Dr. Md. Nazmul Islam paid a courtesy call on Dr. Mohamed Waheed Hassan, the fifth President of the Republic of Maldives and Special Envoy of the Maldivian President Dr. Mohamed Muizzu yesterday in Male, according to a message received. During the discussion, the two dignitaries exchanged views on a wide range of issues of mutual interest, including education, culture, and people-to-people connectivity.

Nazmul Islam

Italian Ambassador to Bangladesh Antonio Alessandro said that Italy attaches high importance to its relations with Bangladesh, particularly in migration, investment, and cooperation. The ambassador also called for stronger institutional reforms and lawful migration to deepen bilateral ties. Bangladesh and Italy remain “important partners” in migration and development, Alessandro told a seminar titled “Strengthening Ties: The Future Vision of Bangladesh–Italy Relations” at the Bangladesh Institute of International and Strategic Studies (BISS) yesterday.

Health officials said they recorded 1,179 fresh cases of dengue onslaughts, killing at least two persons in the past 24 hours. According to the DGHS statistics, two died in areas with purview of Dhaka South City Corporation (DSCC) yesterday.



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