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Newsbrief

Some news outlets and some people are deliberately spreading lies and misinformation on the number of policemen killed during the July-August student-led uprising, the Chief Adviser's Press Wing said in a statement yesterday. The Police Headquarters published a list of police officials killed during the uprising. This list showed that 44 police personnel were killed during the student-led movement.

Energy Adviser Muhammad Fouzul Kabir Khan visited the burn unit of DMCH to see the two electrical workers of DPDC who were injured on duty Monday. The Adviser asked hospital authority to ensure better treatment of the injured persons and gave them assurance of bearing all medical expenses by the government. Earlier, the energy adviser visited the spot at Maniknagar and directed to find out the cause of the incident.

Fisheries and Livestock Adviser Farida Akhter called for increasing buffalo production in the country to meet the demand of protein through its meat and milk. The Adviser said this while addressing the opening ceremony of the 11th Asian Buffalo Congress-2024 at BCDM in Savar yesterday as the chief guest. The Adviser said, the Ministry of Fisheries and Livestock will take various steps for increasing the production of buffalo in coming days.

The government reconstituted the Public Administration Reform Commission with inclusion of three new members, raising the total number of commission members to 11. The Cabinet Division issued a gazette notification to this end on Thursday.

Foreign Secretary Md. Jashim Uddin held a bilateral meeting with Russian Deputy Foreign Minister Sergey A Ryabkov, on the sidelines of the 16th BRICS Summit in Kazan, Russia. cooperation, with a focus on further strengthening the relations between two countries, said a Foreign Ministry's press release yesterday. The discussions also featured holding the next Foreign Office Consultations (FOC) in Moscow, Russia.

Bangladesh Army Chief General Waker-Uz-Zaman was elected unopposed President of Bangladesh Olympic Association (BOA), according to a BOA press release yesterday.

Director General-level border talks between Bangladesh and India, initially set for next month in New Delhi, have been postponed. BGB Deputy Director General (Media) Colonel Mohammad Shariful Islam informed to reporters yesterday.

At least one patient died of dengue in the last 24 hours while 477 were hospitalized till Friday morning, according to the Directorate General of Health Services yesterday.

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