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Newsbrief

Bhutanese Prime Minister Tshering Tobgay left Dhaka today for Thimphu after concluding his two-day state visit to Bangladesh. Foreign Adviser M. Touhid Hossain saw him off at Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport, said Chief Adviser's Press Wing. Commerce Adviser Sheikh Bashir Uddin was also present at the airport on the occasion.

The visit of Bhutanese Prime Minister Dasho Tshering Tobgay to Bangladesh has reaffirmed the deep-rooted friendship and goodwill that have long shaped bilateral relations, according to a joint statement issued during his ongoing three-day state visit in Dhaka yesterday. Prime Minister Tobgay is visiting Bangladesh from 22 to 24 November at the invitation of Chief Adviser Professor Muhammad Yunus.

Bangladesh has sent another official letter to India requesting the repatriation of deposed Sheikh Hasina, who has been sentenced to death for crimes against humanity committed during the July Mass Uprising. Foreign Adviser Md. Touhid told reporters yesterday briefly when asked whether the Foreign Ministry had sent any communication to India.

Home Adviser Lieutenant General (Retd) Md. Jahangir Alam Chowdhury said, the law and order situation across the country has improved over the past one and a half years and there is no scope for it to deteriorate ahead of the next general election. The Adviser made the remarks while responding to journalists after attending the regular Core Committee meeting on law and order at the Home Ministry in Bangladesh Secretariat yesterday. The Adviser also said, election rallies and processions will increase as the polls draw nearer.

Food Adviser Ali Imam Majumdar said, the officers and the employees of the food department are facing challenges every day to ensure food security of the people. The Adviser said this while speaking at a function in Dhaka on the occasion of giving reception to the officials and employees of the department for their contribution to achieve Aman and Boro procurement in the year 2024-2025.

Forest and Climate Change and Water Resources Adviser Syeda Rizwana Hasan yesterday called for a fundamental shift in the development approach of Dhaka to make the capital more livable. The Adviser made the remarks while addressing the 4th seminar of the 'Project for Development of Policy and Guidelines for Transit-Oriented Development along Mass Transit Corridors,' organized by Rajdhani Unnayan Kartripakkha with technical assistance from the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), at the Bangladesh-China Friendship Conference Centre.

French Ambassador in Dhaka Jean-Marc Séré-Charlet expressed keen interest in strengthening cooperation with Bangladesh to support the country's energy transition and develop an integrated multimodal transport system as he called on Energy and Road Transport Adviser Muhammad Fouzul Kabir Khan. French Embassy said this in a statement yesterday. It said, the Envoy also discussed with the Adviser about the ongoing bilateral projects in the power and transportation sectors implemented by the French Development Agency.

Primary and Mass Education Adviser Professor Dr Bidhan Ranjan Roy Poddar said, nearly 32,000 headmaster posts are vacant in primary schools in the country, which is creating a major obstacle in school management. The Adviser told reporters after inaugurating the newly constructed playground of Bagbari Choubari Government Primary School in Katuli Union of Tangail Sadar Upazila yesterday. The Adviser also said that a large-scale teacher recruitment notice has already been published to address the teacher crisis.

Commonwealth Secretary General Shirley Botchwey yesterday met Chief Election Commissioner AMM Nasir Uddin to discuss preparations for the forthcoming 13th National Parliament elections and the referendum. The meeting was held at the Election Commission headquarters in Agargaon of Dhaka, where the Secretary General led a six-member delegation.

An institutionalised G2G framework has been proposed for recruiting Bangladeshi doctors, nurses, caregivers, technicians and allied staff to Saudi Arabia. The proposal was discussed during a recent meeting between Dr Neyamat Ullah Bhuiyan, Senior Secretary of Ministry of Expatriates Welfare and Overseas Employment, and Dr Mohammed Bin Hassan Al-Dughaiter, Director General of General Administration for Contracting and Foreign Offices Affairs, Ministry of Health of Saudi Arabia. The meeting was held during the recent official visit of Neyamat Ullah Bhuiyan to Riyadh.

Eight more deaths were reported from dengue and 787 more patients were hospitalized in the past 24 hours till Sunday morning, according to the Directorate General of Health Services said yesterday.



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