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Newsbrief

Prime Minister Tarique Rahman said, his government has already started implementing the promises his party BNP made to the people before the national election in a gradual manner. The Prime Minister made the remarks while addressing the inaugural ceremony of the monthly honorariums scheme for imams, muazzins and khadems of mosques and heads and assistant heads of other religious institutions across the country, at a function at the Osmani Memorial Auditorium in the capital yesterday. The Prime Minister announced that the 'Farmer Card' or 'Krishok Card' programme will be launched from April 14, the first day of the Bengali New Year. Highlighting Bangladesh's long-standing tradition of communal harmony, the Prime Minister stressed on collective efforts to build a safe and peaceful country for all.

Newly appointed Administrators of five city corporations paid a courtesy call on Prime Minister Tarique Rahman at his office at the Jatiya Sangsad Bhaban in Dhaka yesterday. The Administrators are: Advocate Bilkis Akhtar Jahan Shirin of Barishal City Corporation, Mahfuzur Rahman Riton of Rajshahi City Corporation, Md. Rukonuzzaman Rokon of Mymensingh City Corporation, Mahfuz Un Nabi Chowdhury of Rangpur City Corporation and Md. Yusuf Molla of Cumilla City Corporation. State Minister for LGRD and Cooperatives Mir Shahe Alam was also present at the meeting.

First session of the 13th Jatiya Sangsad will continue till April 30, 2026 while every day session will begin at 3:00 pm, except on government holidays. The decision was taken at the first meeting of the Business Advisory Committee of the 13th Jatiya Sangsad held at the Cabinet Room of the Jatiya Sangsad Bhaban yesterday. Speaker Hafiz Uddin Ahmad, Bir Bikram, who is also the Chairman of the committee, presided over the meeting. Leader of the House and Prime Minister Tarique Rahman attended the meeting. Other Members attended the meeting included Leader of the Opposition Md. Shafiqur Rahman.

LGRD and Cooperatives Minister and BNP Secretary General Mirza Fakhru Islam Alamgir has visited Prime Minister's Political Adviser and BNP Standing Committee Member Mirza Abbas Uddin Ahmed at Evercare Hospital on Friday. During the visit, the Minister sought prayers from the people of the country for the speedy recovery of Mirza Abbas, Minister's Assistant Private Secretary Md. Younus Ali told reporters yesterday.

Home Minister and BNP Standing Committee Member Salahuddin Ahmed said, the ordinances promulgated by the interim government will be referred to a Special Parliamentary Committee for review. The committee will scrutinize the ordinances and submit reports to the Parliament for consideration. The Minister told journalists after the first meeting of the Parliamentary Business Advisory Committee at the Jatiya Sangsad Bhaban yesterday.

Dhaka and Ankara reiterated their commitment to deepening the strategic partnership between Turkiye and Bangladesh, as the Foreign Ministers of the two countries held bilateral talks covering the entire spectrum of cooperation. The meeting took place at the office of Turkiye's Foreign Minister Hakan Fidan in Ankara yesterday with Foreign Minister Dr. Khalilur Rahman. Prime Minister's Foreign Affairs Adviser Humaiun Kabir was also present at the meeting.

Land Minister Mizanur Rahman Minu urged everyone to remain vigilant and take preventive measures to protect themselves from dengue and chikungunya. The Minister made the remarks while inaugurating a cleanliness campaign at Gangpara Canal of Paba upazila in Rajshahi yesterday.

Commerce, Industries, Textiles and Jute Minister Khandaker Abdul Muktadir said that the recent increase in global fuel prices due to the war situation in the Middle East will not affect the upcoming Eid travel in the country. The Minister made the remarks while responding to questions from journalists at an iftar and Eid gift distribution programme for working-class families of Ward No. 19 at the Raynagar Daftoripara Mosque ground in Sylhet yesterday.

Information and Broadcasting Minister Zahir Uddin Swapan laid emphasis on keeping religious values beyond the interference of 'religion traders' to safeguard the national integrity. The Minister told a discussion to mark 47th death anniversary of distinguished politician Mashur Rahman Jadu Mia at the Zahur Hossain Auditorium of Jatiya Press Club in Dhaka yesterday. The Minister said, three healthy elements currently prevailed in Bangladesh's politics being spearheaded by Prime Minister Tarique Rahman which he identified as – Bangladeshi nationalism, multiparty democracy and religious values. The Minister also said, the government under Premier was determined to preserve these three elements.

Water Resources Minister Shahiduddin Chowdhury Anee assured that the river embankment work will be carried out with full transparency and without any corruption. The Minister made these remarks after inspecting the riverbank protection embankment project in the Matabbarhat area of Kamalnagar upazila in Lakshmipur yesterday.

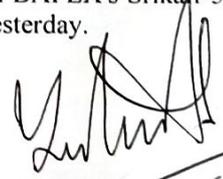
Disaster Management and Relief Minister Asadul Habib Dulu said that after the fall of a 17-year fascist government, the people brought the BNP to power through a free, fair and credible election. The Minister made these remarks while inaugurating a newly constructed academic building of Khodabagh Ekramia Fazil Madrasa at Borobari union under Sadar Upazil in Lalmonirhat yesterday.

Education Minister Dr. ANM Ehsanul Hoque Milon said, the government has taken a zero-tolerance policy to prevent question paper leaks and adoption of unfair means in the upcoming Secondary School Certificate and equivalent examinations. The Minister made the remarks at a post-iftar views-exchange meeting with members of the Education Reporters Association of Bangladesh at his official residence on Minto Road in the capital yesterday.

Posts, Telecommunications and Information Technology Minister Faqir Mahbub Anam said, earning public trust remains the foremost goal of the postal service stressing that improving service quality will strengthen people's confidence in the institution. The Minister made the remarks while exchanging views with officials after visiting the Dhaka General Post Office in the capital yesterday.

Road Transport and Bridges Minister Shaikh Rabiul Alam has announced that all fuel pumps on highways will remain open 24 hours a day for seven days before Eid and five days after Eid to ensure uninterrupted travel for people's during the Eid holidays. The Minister made the announcement while speaking to reporters at the BRTC bus counter in Gulistan yesterday, after inspecting traffic conditions on the capital's roads. State Minister of Road Transport and Bridges Habibur Rashid was also present that time.

State Minister for Power, Energy and Mineral Resources Aninda Islam Amit said, Srikail-5 well in Cumilla will be able to supply an average of around 8 million cubic feet of gas per day to the national grid. The State Minister made the remarks while addressing the inauguration ceremony for supplying gas discovered from BAPEX's Srikail-5 appraisal and development well to the national grid at Srikail in Muradnagar upazila of Cumilla yesterday.



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