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Newsbrief

President Mohammad Shahabuddin called upon members of the Law Reporters Forum (LRF) to uphold the highest standards of professionalism, ethics, integrity and responsibility in journalism. The President told the LRF leaders as its 12-member delegation led by its President Hasan Zaved and General Secretary Moniruzzaman Mission paid a courtesy call on him at Bangabhaban yesterday. The Head of the State said law reporters play a vital role in disseminating objective, accurate and responsible reports on court proceedings and significant verdicts.

The National Implementation Committee for Administrative Reorganization (NICA) has approved the creation of three new upazilas and one new thana. The three new upazilas are Fatikchhari North in Chattogram, Bangra in Cumilla, and South Gafargaon in Mymensingh. The new thana is Halda in Chattogram. The approvals were given at the 121st meeting of NICAR at the Cabinet Division in the Secretariat, with Prime Minister Tarique Rahman in the chair, said PM's Deputy Press Secretary Hasan Shiplu yesterday.

Prime Minister Tarique Rahman reviewed the progress of key infrastructure projects designed to ease traffic congestion in the capital. The projects include development of a circular road network and effective use of surrounding waterways. The review was held at the Cabinet Division conference room in the Secretariat yesterday. PM's Deputy Press Secretary Hasan Shiplu said the meeting focused on how the proposed infrastructure projects would improve traffic flow and reduce congestion across the capital.

Japan responded positively to a request of Bangladesh to increase energy-sector assistance from \$312 million to \$500 million. Japan's Parliamentary Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs Shimada Tomaki said this in a meeting with Prime Minister Tarique Rahman at his office in the capital's Tejgaon, said PM's deputy press secretary Jahidul Islam Rony yesterday.

Social Welfare and Women and Children Affairs Minister Professor Dr A Z M Zahid Hossain said the government is working to establish good governance and a discrimination-free society, drawing inspiration from the sacrifices of the July martyrs. The Minister said while addressing the closing ceremony of a week-long basic skills development training programme under the Livelihood Improvement Programme for Marginalised Communities at the Dinajpur District Social Services Complex yesterday.

Information and Broadcasting Minister Zahir Uddin Swapan said cybersecurity is more important than a 'Sindhuk', a traditional Bengali strongbox. The Information Minister made the remarks while speaking as the chief guest at the inauguration ceremony of Bangladesh Ansar and VDP's media cell 'Prantik Konthoshor' at its headquarters in the city's Khilgaon area yesterday.

Education and Primary and Mass Education Minister Dr A N M Ehsanul Hoque Milon said major changes have been introduced by amending the Public Examinations Act, 1980 to ensure transparency and accuracy in the 2026 Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC) and equivalent examinations. The Minister disclosed this at a press conference held at the conference room of the Ministry of Education at the Secretariat yesterday.

Land Minister Mizanur Rahman Minu, MP, said a safer and more liveable Rajshahi Metropolitan City would be built in the coming days. The Minister made the remarks as the chief guest at the inaugural ceremony held at the RMP headquarters this morning, marking the 34th founding anniversary of the RMP yesterday.


A three-month nationwide freelancing training programme has been inaugurated with the aim of equipping educated unemployed youth with marketable digital skills and expanding employment opportunities in the country's growing digital economy. State Minister for Youth and Sports Aminul Haque opened the course at a ceremony held at the Ministry of Youth and Sports conference room simultaneously across all 64 districts, said a ministry press release yesterday.

State Minister for Foreign Affairs Shama Obaed Islam said the government is continuing efforts to extradite former prime minister Sheikh Hasina to Bangladesh, saying the people want her returned to face trial. The State Minister told reporters when replying a query at the foreign ministry yesterday.

Morocco proposed establishing joint ventures with Bangladesh in the textile, pharmaceutical and maritime sectors as both countries pledged to deepen bilateral cooperation through expanded trade, investment and high-level engagements. Moroccan Ambassador to Bangladesh Lalla Bouthaina El Kerdoudi El Koulali made the proposal when she paid a courtesy call on State Minister for Foreign Affairs Shama Obaed Islam at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, according to a foreign ministry press release yesterday.

Electricity generation from waste at the Aminbazar landfill in Baliarpur, Savar, is expected to begin in November 2028, said State Minister for Local Government, Rural Development & Cooperatives Mir Shahe Alam. The State Minister made the announcement while speaking to journalists after inspecting the Aminbazar landfill operations yesterday.

Prime Minister's Education Adviser Dr Mahdi Amin said the government is working to transform the country's overall education system into a '360-degree holistic approach' by integrating culture, sports and co-curricular activities into mainstream education alongside academic learning. The Adviser made the remarks at a press conference held at the conference room of the Ministry of Education at the Secretariat yesterday.


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