

Good Morning



Mercantile Bank sponsor to gift 1.95cr shares worth Tk13.65cr to three children

Nasiruddin Choudhury, a sponsor of Mercantile Bank PLC, has announced plans to gift 1.95 crore shares worth about Tk13.65 crore to his son and two daughters.

<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/stocks/mercantile-bank-sponsor-gift-195cr-shares-worth-tk1365cr-three-children-1529796>

Govt seeking strategic partner in Muslim countries for Sammilito Islami Bank

The government is approaching Muslim-majority countries and Islamic institutions to find a strategic partner for Sammilito Islami Bank, formed by merging five troubled private banks plagued by irregularities and corruption during the Awami League government.

<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/banking/govt-seeking-strategic-partner-muslim-countries-sammilito-islami-bank-1529871>

Depositors of Sammilito Islamic Bank to get refunds from 7 September

Sammilito Islami Bank will begin returning the principal deposits of individual account holders from 7 September. Initially, customers will be allowed to withdraw or encash their full deposited principal amount in a single transaction. In this case, they will not receive any profit on the amount.

<https://en.prothomalo.com/business/local/s8k67vcjb>

Default borrowers with over Tk1,000cr loans to get 15-year rescheduling facility

Defaulting borrowers with loans exceeding Tk1,000 crore will be eligible for loan rescheduling for up to 15 years, including a two-year grace period, under an extended policy support scheme introduced by the Bangladesh Bank.

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<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/banking/default-borrowers-over-tk1000cr-loans-get-15-year-rescheduling-facility-1529676>

Forward-booking importers get over a Tk1 edge per dollar as rate jumps

Importers that booked dollars forward over the past two weeks are gaining as much as Tk1 per dollar after the exchange rate rebounded to Tk123.50 from Tk122 within days.

<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/banking/forward-booking-importers-get-over-tk1-edge-dollar-rate-jumps-1529046>

Bangladesh to get slight tariff edge over China, Vietnam in US

Bangladesh will get a small benefit in garment exports to the US as its effective final tariff rate is slightly lower than those faced by China and Vietnam, two major competitors in the global apparel supply chain.

<https://www.thedailystar.net/business/economy/news/bangladesh-get-slight-tariff-edge-over-china-vietnam-us-4261556>