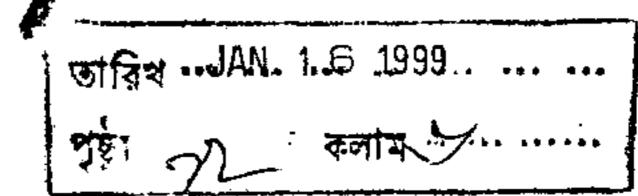
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## Internet by BITB

To provide public Internet Access Facility Bangladesh Telegraph and Telephone Board has established a network at Moghbazar, Dhaka. The Internet Access of this network is being provided through Intelsat and it is directly connected to Canada. Using this network subscribers will be able to enjoy the following facilities:

◆ Backbone link speed of 128 Kbps which will be upgraded to a higher speed with the increase of number of subscribers.

◆ Supports World Wide Web, Electronic Mail, File Transfer Protocol and Telnet Services.

◆ Also supports user end services like Internet Relay Chat, Gopher Archie and others.

◆ Forty telephone access with hunting facilities. Accessibility will be increased on demand.

◆ Higher access speed due to higher "Bandwith-Subscriber Ratio."

◆ As most of the Web sides are in United States and other nearby countries subscribers will enjoy higher speed in browsing those web pages using our network.

The charges for using the Internet Services are given below:

Subscriber Type	Installation Charge	<del>-</del>	Operating Charge
Dial-Up	2000/- (One Time)	Time 06.00-22.00	Usage Rate Per Minute 1.00
		22.00-06.00	,0.50

Subscribers will have to arrange the user and equipment such as: Computer and Modem at their own cost. The Internet connection may be provided with subscriber's existing BTTB telephone connection.

Moreover, BTTB is soon going to extend Internet Access facility to Chittagong, Khulna, Bogra & Sylhet.

Subscribers, interested to enjoy Internet Services, are requested to apply in prescribed form to be collected from the office of the General Manager, Overseas Telecom Region, Korail, Banani, Dhaka. Tel: 9871196.

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We are at your service

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