

## 15 meritorious students get motor cycles

President Hussain Muhammad Ershad on Sunday advised the students to fully devote their time and energy to the pursuit of knowledge, so that they can build themselves as worthy citizens for shouldering the future leadership of the country, reports BSS.

The President was distributing Korean made Daelim motor cycles to the first and second position holders in the combined merit list as well as to the girl students securing first and second places among girls in the Secondary School Certificate examinations held under four educational boards this year.

The motor cycles given to eight girl and seven boy students, are part of the two hundred Daelim, motor cycles, presented by the President of Republic of Korea Mr. Chun Doo Hwan to President Ershad during the latter's state visit to that country as a gesture of friendship and goodwill.

President Ershad congratulated the students on their brilliant results at the examinations and wished them all success in their life. He hoped that they would be able to maintain similar feat in their future academic career.

The President told them that his Government is eager to do everything possible for the welfare of the students. He also asked them not to be swayed away by hollow and meaningless politicking, instead they should do their best to rise up to the hopes pinned on them by their parents and the nation.

Turning to the girl students, he said they have a greater role to play in upholding the causes of the women at large, he said if they can build them up properly, they will be able to effectively check oppression on women and contribute to enhance their dignity and honour in the society. Moreover, an educated mother means and educated family, he said adding: "A mother is the best teacher for her children."