

## Admission To MBBS Course

Sir, — We fully endorse the views expressed by M/s. Md. Harunur Rashid and Abdur Rahman published in these columns on 24th instant under the caption "Admission To MBBS Course."

It is a known fact that the percentage of the successful candidates in the H.S.C. Examination of 1976 and 1977 in most of the boards were 27% and 44% respectively. The batches of 1976 and 1977 have been merged into one for admission into the different courses of higher educational institute to the greater disadvantages of the batch of 1976. In view of the lower percentage of the successful candidates in the H.S.C. (Science) Examination of 1976 the admission for the ensuing MBBS course should be opened to candidates who have passed both the S. S. C. and H. S. C. (Science) Examinations in the first division or second division obtaining at least 50% marks in aggregate (combinedly or jointly) as notified by the authority of the Dacca Dental College.

Dates for holding admission tests in different Medical Colleges may also kindly be deferred by 10-12 days for convenience of participants.

We would therefore, request the concerned authority to kindly consider the matter sympathetically for greater benefit of the participants of the admission test—Yours etc, MD. MIZANUR RAHMAN And AN. ISUR RAHMAN 24, Arambagh, Dacca-2.

## Superior Service Candidates.

Sir,—My attention has been drawn to the contents of a letter published in your daily under the above caption on October 19. The demand of the Superior Service candidates of 1973 (Non Freedom Fighters) for appointing them in gazetted posts deserves reconsideration. The sufferers hardly find any justification for placing them in the Nationalised Banks without giving them the gazetted status whereas hundreds of posts mostly cadre services are still lying vacant. It is really heartening to know that those cadre posts are being filled up by persons from different organisations.

We, therefore request the authority concerned to consider the problem of the Superior Service Candidates who have been placed in different Nationalised Banks and take necessary steps to appoint them in different Govt. gazetted posts and thereby doing justice to their legitimate demand.—Yours etc., MOINUDDIN AHMED Alimpara Chandour, Comilla.