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HSC examinees at a city examination centre on Saturday.

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HSC exams begin: 406 expelled

By A Staff Reporter

The first day of Higher Secondary Certificate Examination (HSC) 1987, under the four education boards passed peacefully excepting for one incident of bomb explosions at a centre at Jessore town on Saturday.

A total of two lakh 42 thousand and 899 examinees are appearing at the HSC examination under the Boards of Dhaka, Rajshahi, Jessore and Comilla this year.

A total of 406 examinees were expelled from different examination centres on the first day for adopting unfair means. A teacher of Muksudpur College in Gopalganj district under

Dhaka Board was also expelled for helping an examinee in copying in the examination hall, a Dhaka Board source said. The highest number of 246 candidates were expelled from Rajshahi Board on the day.

Twenty thousand candidates are appearing at the examination at 24 centres in Dhaka city. No untoward incident occurred at any city centre on the day. The Minister for Education Mr. Mahbubur Rahman visited Lalmatia Women's College centre at about 11 a.m. He was accompanied by the Chairman and the Controller of Dhaka Board.

A total of 61 candidates including one in the city were expelled from different examination centres under Dhaka Board.

Our Rajshahi correspondent reports: HSC examination in 142 centres of Rajshahi Board was held peacefully on the first day.

Nineteen candidates at five centres in Natore district were expelled from examination halls for adopting unfair means. The number of expelled examinees in the eight centres of Rajshahi district including four in the city was 152.

Our Pabna correspondent reports: A total of 57 candidates were expelled on charge of adoption of unfair means at different centres.

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ferent centres in Pabna district. Our Gaibandha correspondent adds: A total of 18 examinees were expelled from different centres in the district.

Our Jessore correspondent adds: Some outsiders exploded seven hand bombs at the Jessore Government M.M. College centre before the commencement of the examination. Police, however, on duty chased them away. No untoward incident occurred at any other centre. A total 60 students were expelled from eight centres under the board.

Our Comilla correspondent says: A total of 39 candidates were expelled from different examination centres under the board for adopting unfair means.