

SSC question leak

8 more BG Press employees held

Police on Thursday arrested eight more employees of the BG Press in connection with the question paper leakage of the ongoing SSC examination, unveiling the mystery behind the scandal, reports UNB.

The arrested are Tofazzal Hossain Pandit, Amzad Hossain, Yusuf Ali, Ishaq Ali, Kawseruddin, Shamsul Alam Bakul, Addul Khaleq Mia and Shafiqul Islam. They were the employees of the secret branch of the Press.

Police also raided their houses in the city for further information relating to the scandal. "We have gathered important information and some names of the people involved in the chain," said a police official.

Police produced the arrested before the country, seeking permission
to take them on remand.

Based merely on a letter which was found at the house of Kamaluddin arrested on April 22, police conducted the raid and uneviled the mystery.

According to sources, the leaked questions had been to some people, including Qayum master and Babul in Mirsarai thana of Chittagong, by some BG press employees just before the beginning of the SSC examination on April 16.

Kamaluddin, a binder of G press, was arrested along with Abdul Hashem, another employee of the

press. Later, police released Hashem as he was not found involved in the scandal. Kamal, also hailing from Mirsarai, was brought on police remand today.

The letter, which was written by Kamal himself to Abdul Qayum, Headmaster of Chinki Astana Primary School of Mirasarai, was not mailed ultimately.

In the letter, Kamaluddin wrote to Qayum Master. "I will see you soon with those two things which I had showed you before April 16. You have given me Tk. 2,000 and reach

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Kamal confessed to the police that he received a total of Tk. 40,000 for leaking out the question papers.

Police said the accused leaked out the question papers from the BG Press either supplying hand written copies or the original ones.

"It's alarming that how one can leak out question papers from this tightly secured place," surprised said a police official.

Earlier, a 5-member joint enquiry committee of CID and SB, headed by SSP of SB Golam Kibria, was beformed to probe the question paper leakage.

Other committee members are: ASPs Khalilur Rahman and Asgar Ali Khan of SB and ASPs Khalequzzaman (City Zone) and Abdul Quader Khan of CID (Chittagong Zone).

The police is also expected to submit a report on irregularities at the BG press after investigation into the SSC question paper leakage.