

Edn complex for handicapped children

A national complex for special education is being established in Dhaka to provide special education to virtually hearing impaired and mentally retarded handicapped children upto primary level, reports BSS.

This was disclosed by the State Minister for Social Welfare and Women's Affairs Tariqul Islam at a discussion meeting with British specialist for hearing-impaired children David Harrison at Bangladesh Secretariat Saturday.

The State Minister said the complex would also provide a Teachers Training College for the

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teachers of special education and training courses for adult handicapped.

Mr. Harrison has shown keen interest in caring of the hearing impaired children in Bangladesh.

He will make recommendations for future British assistance to the NGOs in this field.

Additional Secretary in-Charge of Social Welfare Ministry Mohammad Faizullah was present in the meeting.