

Education for all children aim of Govt policy: Saifur

MOULVIBAZAR, Aug 4 : Finance Minister M. Saifur Rahman yesterday said that the government policies were aimed at providing basic education to all the eligible children of the country, reports BSS.

He was inaugurating the newly-constructed Binulachar High School at Raznagar thana under Moulvibazar district.

The Finance Minister said the present government had introduced the epoch-making policy of Food for Education Programme to encourage rural children to undertake basic and primary education. He said the present government had undertaken the massive girl students' stipend programme to expand education for them in the country. This year alone, the Finance Minister said, Taka 200 crore and Taka 300 crore would be spent for these two programmes respectively.

The whole country would be brought under these two programme in two phases.

The Finance Minister said if reelected the present government would continue with these two education expansion-cum-poverty alleviation programmes in future.

He urged the people to cast the vote in favour of BNP candidates in the next general elections for continuation of the development and welfare-oriented programme for people.

Later, the Finance Minister also inaugurated Haldikul Primary School Building under Rajnagar thana yesterday. He also addressed a big public rally at Gargaon under the thana.

Mr Sharfuddin Khasru, MP and district BNP president Advocate Abdul Khaleque also spoke on the occasion.