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# Good Morning



## **Salta Capital scam exposes regulators' repeated failures in a decade**

It is the same story, same mechanism; only the faces behind the scam are different and so are the victims. Regulatory action always comes late after investors have already been robbed of their assets and cash. The securities regulator has issued directives to get bank accounts of the board of directors and senior management of Salta Capital frozen in follow-up actions as an inquiry report reconfirms embezzlement of Tk 1 billion by the broker from approximately 14,000 retail investors.

<https://thefinancialexpress.com.bd/stock/bangladesh/salta-capital-scam-exposes-regulators-repeated-failures-in-a-decade>

## **Labour unrest forces Apex Spinning to shut Gazipur factory, leaving 5,000 workers in limbo**

Apex Spinning and Knitting Mills Limited, a 100% export-oriented vertically integrated textile manufacturer, has announced an indefinite temporary layoff at its production facility, leaving nearly 5,000 employees and workers facing uncertainty.

<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/industry/apex-spinning-announces-layoff-5000-workers-amid-labour-unrest-1470841>

## **BB provides Tk75,903cr in emergency liquidity support to troubled banks: Finmin**

The Bangladesh Bank has provided more than Tk75,903 crore in emergency liquidity support to banks facing cash shortages to help ensure depositors can withdraw their funds, Finance Minister Amir Khasru Mahmud Chowdhury told parliament today (24 June).

<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/banking/bb-provides-tk75903cr-emergency-liquidity-support-troubled-banks-finmin-1471671>

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### **Factories lie idle amid gas shortage, yet loan interest payments continue**

There are two factories side by side, one for glass manufacturing and another for rods. The total investment in these two factories amounts to approximately Tk 73. 2 billion Bangladeshi, most of which is sourced from domestic and foreign loans.

<https://en.prothomalo.com/business/local/14kbv7jgyx>

### **National Housing declares 10% cash dividend on stronger earnings**

National Housing Finance PLC has recommended a 10% cash dividend for the year ended 31 December 2025, maintaining the same payout as the previous year despite ongoing challenges in Bangladesh's non-bank financial institution (NBFI) sector.

<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/stocks/national-housing-declares-10-cash-dividend-stronger-earnings-1471636>

### **Beximco Pharma's nine-month profit jumps to Tk704cr**

Beximco Pharmaceuticals, one of the country's leading drug makers, reported a robust net profit of Tk704 crore for the first nine months of fiscal 2025-2026, representing a 34% year-on-year surge driven by robust revenue growth, lower financing costs, and higher interest income.

<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/stocks/beximco-pharmas-nine-month-profit-jumps-tk704cr-1471621>

### **WB approves \$450m to support Bangladesh's banking sector**

The World Bank Board of Executive Directors has approved \$450 million in financing to help Bangladesh strengthen the foundations of a stronger banking sector, a prerequisite for reviving the country's economic growth and job creation.

<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/banking/world-bank-approves-450m-bangladesh-banking-sector-support-1471141>

### **MUFG Bank expresses interest in launching a branch in Bangladesh**

MUFG Bank, a Japan-based financial institution, has expressed interest in establishing a branch in Bangladesh, while also voicing concerns over the country's non-performing loan (NPL) situation.

<https://www.tbsnews.net/bangladesh/mufg-bank-expresses-interest-launching-branch-bangladesh-1471706>

### **Don't discourage customers from buying savings certificates, BB warns banks**

The Bangladesh Bank today (24 June) issued a strict directive to all scheduled commercial banks, warning them to immediately cease discouraging customers from investing in national savings certificates (Sanchayapatra).

<https://www.tbsnews.net/bangladesh/dont-discourage-customers-buying-savings-certificates-bb-warns-banks-1471686>