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Sitakund Girl's High School

Sir,

Sitakund Girls' High School established in 1945 in the headquarters of Sitakund Thana has been playing an important role in the field of female education and culture since the beginning of its establishment. It is a pity that being the only one and most illustrious institution of this Thana, it is deprived of government facilities.

The government of Bangladesh knows that Sitakund is one of the historical places and industrial belts of Bangladesh. No institution of such an important thana can be neglected. It is a matter of regret that there is only one government boys' high school here. Most of the Thanas of less importance have more than two government high schools and colleges each.

In the headquarters of this Thana there are a degree college, an Alia Madrasa; two boys' high schools, a girls' high school, a KG school and a girls' madrasa. Of them, a boys' high school has been nationalised preference to the girls' high school. As a result, only boys get the opportunity for their studies and the girls remain deprived of the facilities which a government school can provide to the students.

We applied many times to the government authority regarding this but we have had no favourable response since.

At present the government of Bangladesh lays emphasis on female education and their progress. In this respect nationalisation of Sitakund Girls' High School should be considered a priority.

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