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Public School

Sir,

We are glad to learn that the National Bank Ltd. has taken a decision to start a public school to impart better education as well as to help solve the education problem prevailing in the country. The step taken, if not on any profit motive, is really praiseworthy. The nationalised commercial banks, apart from their own professional roles have got a social commitment to the country. The NCB's no doubt play a vital role in the economic field of the country and serving society.

Unfortunately the interest shown in respect of social uplift falls far short of expectation. The nationalised commercial banks can for example establish schools/ colleges/technical schools of their own and can impart better education. It is not possible on the part of the govt. alone to take the responsibility of spreading better education spending crores of taka. The establishment of educational institutions by the NCB will not only reduce that pressure on the govt. but will also help solve the admission problem of the country.

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