

Mass literacy campaign making steady progress

In response to the call of President Ziaur Rahman for making the second phase of peaceful revolution a success, comprehensive programmes of mass literacy campaign chalked out in different sub-divisions of the country are making steady progress, reports BSS.

Twenty-five thousand seven hundred forty four teachers have

been trained to educate 17,90,161 illiterate persons in 12,135 education centres of six sub-divisions of Chandpur, Meherpur, Shariatpur, Madaripur, Gaibandha and Jhenidah. In Gaibandha sub-division 7,500 teachers have been trained to impart literacy to 15,09,000 persons in 3,978 education centres.

Literacy is being imparted to 44,204 students by 9,034

in 4,183 centres of Chandpur sub-division 57,028 students by 1,268 teachers in 474 centres of Meherpur sub-division 46,500 students by 4,454 teachers in 744 centres of Shariatpur sub-division 77,902 students by 2,431 teachers in 1,002 centres of Madaripur sub-division and 49,000 students by 4,900 teachers in 1,002 centres of Jhenidah.