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SAARC Council of Ministers meet in Dhaka Dec 4

The thirteenth session of the two-day SAARC Council of Ministers will begin in Dhaka on December 4, according to an official source in Dhaka on Thursday, reports BSS.

Foreign Ministers of the SAARC countries, who make up the council, are expected to participate in the meeting. Foreign Minister of Bangladesh Mr. A S M Mostafizur Rahman is the current Chairman of the SAARC council of Ministers.

The meeting of the council will be preceded by the eighteenth session of the SAARC Standing Committee from December 1-3. The Standing Committee is decomposed of foreign Secretaries of the SAARC member countries. The SAARC programming committee consisting of senior officials will hold a one-day session on November 30.

The meetings will review progress in the implementation

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of SAARC decisions taken at the seventh SAARC summit held in April this year in Dhaka, and provide guidance for the future activities of the association till the convening of the eighth summit sometime in 1994.