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37 77,227 examinees to appear in HSC exam from Jessore Board

From Our Correspondent

JESSORE, July 29: Seventy seven thousand, two hundred and twenty seven candidates will appear in the ensuing Higher Secondary Certificate examinations (HSC) 1994 from Jessore Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education commencing from Aug 1.

According to the Controller of Examinations, Jessore BISE, it is gathered that these examinees includes 58,400 candidates in Humanities group, 9578 candidates in Science group, 9209 candidates in Commerce group, 30 candidates in Agriculture group and 10 in Home Economics group.

Examinations will be held in 158 centres in 16 districts of Khulna and Barisal divisions. These centres are Jessore-17, Jhenidah-9, Magura-7, Narail-5, Khulna-23, Bagerhat-11, Satkhira-10, Kushtia-9, Chuadanga-4, Meherpur-3, Barisal-22, Perojpur-10, Jhalakati-5, Bhola-7, Patuakhali-9 and Barguna-6. These centres have been selected. Out of 210 affiliated and 8 proposed colleges under the jurisdiction of Jessore Education Board.

Meanwhile all preparations have been completed to hold the examinations peacefully and uninterrupted.

LAND DEV TAX

A record Land Development Tax has been collected from 8 thanas of Jessore district during 1993-94 financial year. The

total demand was Tk. 1,31,74,325/- and the collection achieved was Tk. 1,23,08,911/- The collection percentage was 93.45 percent.

These revenue was collected at Jessore Sadar-Tk. 24,86,473/- Monirampur thana-Tk. 17,14,998/- Sarsa thana-Tk. 15,44,622/- Bargarpura thana-Tk. 14,31,784/- Jhikargacha thana-Tk. 13,72,172/- Chougacha thana Tk. 13,26,774/- Keshabpur thana-Tk. 10,84,023/- and Abhaynagar thana-Tk. 10,45,378/-.

According to official sources, it was learnt that the collection of Land Development tax from the government and semi-government organisations are extremely poor and hopeless. Against the total demand to these organisations during the financial year totalling Tk. 5,92,35,244/- an amount Tk. 53,08,334/- was realised. The collection percentage was below 1 percent.

These organisations are Youth and Sports, Fisheries and Livestock, Jute Ministry, Agriculture Ministry, Post and Telecommunication, Electric Supply, Communication, Industries Ministry, Relief and Rehabilitation, Food Department, Defence Ministry, Local Govt., Finance Ministry, Law, Public Works, Information, Home Ministry, Health Ministry and Education Ministry.