

Education officer arrested while taking bribe

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The Anti-Corruption Commission (ACC) yesterday caught the Lohagara upazila education officer red-handed while he was taking a Tk 20,000 bribe.

Acting on a tip-off, a team of the anti-graft watchdog arrested Miraj Uddin when he was taking the money from one Md Jahed, who was appointed as a peon at Putubhila Primary School, at his office around noon, said Abdul Aziz Bhuiyan, ACC director, Chittagong division.

The education officer had threatened Jahed that he would not be considered for the post if he did not pay the amount, said Bhuiyan.