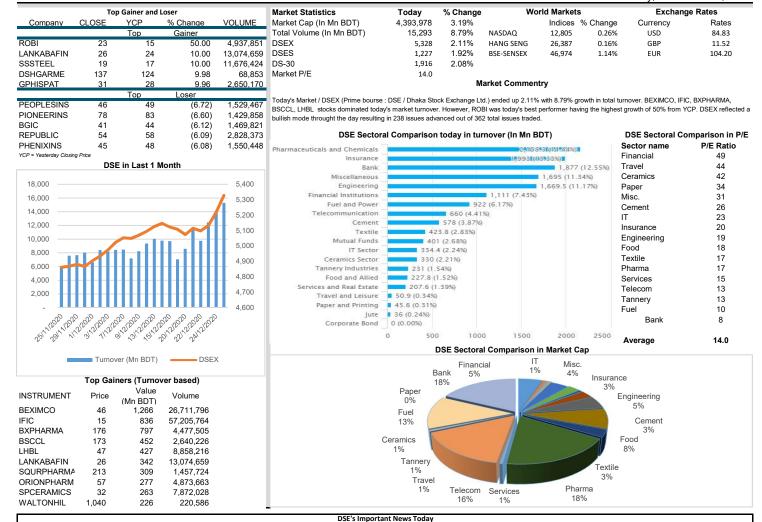


Sunday, December 27, 2020



MPETROLEUM

Dividend Declaration

The Board of Directors has recommended 150% cash dividend for the year ended on June 30, 2020. Date of AGM: 06.03.2021, Time: 11:00 AM, Venue: Digital Platform. Record date: 21.01.2021. The Company has also reported EPS of Tk. 28.45, NAV per share of Tk. 148.21 and NOCFPS of Tk. (27.78) for the year ended on June 30, 2020 as against Tk. 35.11, Tk. 134.30 and Tk. (77.03) respectively for the same period of the previous year.

PADMAOIL

Dividend Declaration

The Board of Directors has recommended 125% cash dividend for the year ended on June 30, 2020. Date of AGM: 27.02.2021, Time: 11:00 AM, Venue: Digital Platform. Record date: 18.01.2021. The Company has also reported EPS of Tk. 27.79, NAV per share of Tk. 157.64 and NOCFPS of Tk. 80.91 for the year ended on June 30, 2020 as against Tk. 29.07, Tk. 142.85 and Tk. (52.29) respectively for the same period of the previous year.

IFADAUTOS

Decision to Land Purchase

The Company has informed that the Board of Directors of the Company has decided to purchase measuring area 1 Bigha (33 decimal) of the plot no. 316/A, B (northeast location) situated at Tejgaon Industrial Area, Dhaka-1208, for total consideration of Tk. 19,84,00,000.00 (nineteen crore eighty four lakh) only (including all registration cost). This land will be used for the future expansion of the business of the company. Furthermore, this investment will be carried out of company's own fund.

Other News Today

DSEX exceeds 5,300-mark after 18 months - Source: The Financial Express

The core index of the Dhaka Stock Exchange (DSE) crossed the 5,300-mark on Sunday after 18 months as investors continued to put fresh stakes on large-cap stocks amid high hopes. DSEX, the prime index of the DSE, soared 109.90 points or 2.10 per cent to settle at 5,328. It has been the highest since July 7, 2019. The DSEX also saw the biggest single-day rise in five months on Sunday since August 9, this year when DSEX jumped 180 points or 4.13 per cent. Turnover, a crucial indicator of the market, crossed Tk 15 billion-mark after six months since June 28 this year and amounted to Tk 15.29 billion, climbing further by 8.82 per cent over the previous day. Shares of Robi Axiata surged further 50 per cent, the highest allowable limit, to close at Tk 22.50 on Sunday, the second session after debut. A total number of 6,984 trades were executed in the second trading day with a trading volume of 4.93 million of Robi shares worth value of Tk 111.10 million, according to DSE statistics. Total market-cap of DSE surged Tk 137 billion to Tk 4,394 billion, hitting an all-time high on Sunday, riding on the biggest-ever issue Robi. Market operators said spontaneous participation backed by high expectations lured the investors to put fresh stakes on the large-cap stocks as investors put a fresh bet on the market amid enthusiasm over Robi's debut trading. The investors' enthusiasm sustained, as the institutional investors, including global fund managers, were putting fresh stakes on large-cap stocks amid high expectations, said a merchant banker. He noted that factors like lower returns on the money market amid liquidity glut, hope for Covid-19 vaccine and strong regulatory actions against wrongdoers prompted sideline investors to put fresh funds on stocks. Two other indices also ended higher. The DS30 index, comprising blue chips, soared 38.94 points to finish at 1,915 and the DSE Shariah Index rose 23.10 points to close at 1,226. Gainers took a strong lead over the losers, as out of 362 issues traded, 238 advanced, 65 declined