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7th February, 2023

Honorable member

BGMEA

Subject: Invitation to Participate and Cooperate in the Establishment of the Inauguration of BGMEA Library at the Head Office of BGMEA, Uttara.

Dear colleague,

Assalamu Alaikum.

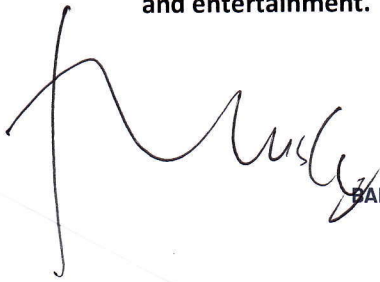
The immortal month of mourning and glory, "omor ekushe" has begun. I am writing to extend my good wishes and condolences on this month of mourning. It is a time to reflect upon the lives of those who have passed and to pay tribute to their memories.

With deep respect to the memory of martyrs of our language, "আমার ভাইয়ের রক্তে রাঙানো, একুশে ফেব্রুয়ারী, আমি কি ভুলিতে পারি।।" I offer my utmost admiration and reverence to the unparalleled Bengali, Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman, fondly known as the Father of the Nation, who tirelessly led the effort to uphold the dignity of the Bengali language and all who fought for linguistic freedom.

We are unique in the world for having made sacrifices for the preservation of our language. Our independence was realized in 1971, thanks to the unwavering leadership of the Father of the Nation, Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman, who first rallied for our cause in 1952. The observance of International Mother Language Day on February 21st highlights the global recognition and appreciation for the sacrifices made by Bangladesh and its language. "omor ekushe" symbolizes our democratic values, Bengali nationalism, liberation war spirit, and secularism.

I am delighted to inform you that the current Board of BGMEA intends to open the BGMEA Library at the BGMEA Complex, driven by the essence of Ekushe. This initiative is aimed at fostering a culture of respect for our language and others, and most notably, to commemorate our beloved Language Month this February.

As you may remember, in a letter dated 3rd January 2023, I informed you that BGMEA had taken a unique initiative of establishing a library at its office. The library will house printed materials, manuscripts, documents, and information related to the apparel industry and contemporary issues. It will also feature a collection of paintings, audio-visual works, and literary pieces from both within the country and abroad. The aim of the library is to meet the needs of information, research, education, and entertainment.



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Dear colleagues, I humbly request your kind assistance in the establishment of our library. Your support would greatly contribute to our goal and could take the form of the following:

1. Donations of printed materials, such as books, documents, manuscripts, and paintings related to the garment industry.
2. Contributions of books, publications, and periodicals on contemporary and relevant topics.
3. Historical newspapers of significance.
4. Microfilm and audio-visual materials.
5. Media reports about pioneers in the garment industry.
6. Artistic and literary works from both within the country and abroad.

I am confident that with your continued cooperation and support, we will successfully achieve our goals at BGMEA. As a token of appreciation, the names and details of all contributors and participants will be prominently acknowledged in this initiative.

Our goal is to officially launch the BGMEA library in the latter half of February 2023. To that end, we kindly request that if you have any of the aforementioned books or publications in your possession, you please kindly consider donating them to the BGMEA office in Uttara by February 15th, 2023.

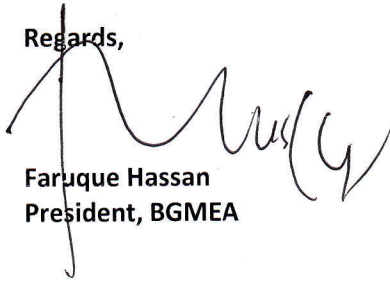
With your support, we aim to establish this library and connect it to the National Public Library for the benefit of all.

For any information in this regard, please contact the following officer of BGMEA.

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Thank you very much for your cordial support in all the initiatives of BGMEA.

Regards,



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President, BGMEA

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