

Enforced Disappearances in 2012

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1	Al Mokaddas	4th year student of LL.B department and activist of Shibir	Nabinagar, Savar, Dhaka	2			2	Al Mokaddas and Waliullah were allegedly picked up by RAB and DB Police. Their whereabouts are still remain unknown.								4.2.12		https://odhikar.org/wp-content/uploads/2012/08/Dhaka-Fact-Finding-Report-2012.pdf	I Amar Desh 8.2.12 ; Uncle of Al Mokaddas-- Abdul Hye 01962512832
2	Mohammad Waliullah	Master's student of Islamic Studies department and activist of Shibir																	
3	Shah Alif Prince (24)	An executive of mobile operator Airtel	Shahi Mosque at Shyamoli, Dhaka			1	1	Alif was picked up allegedly by RAB-2 in plainclothes on 25.2.12. After 46 days, on 10th April, 2012, the members of RAB-5 of Railway Colony Camp of Rajshahi handed over Alif to the police of Boyaliya Model Police Station. On 16th April, 2012 Alif was released on bail.	1							25.2.12	10.04.2012	Information gathered by HRDs, 10.3.12 and 16.4.12	
4	Mahfuzur Rahman (30)	-	Gaibandha			1	1	Mahfuzur's family claimed that Dhaka DB Police arrested him from their house of Shampur village, Sadar upazila, Gaibandha on 18 February 2012. After 97 days of confinement DB Police sent Mahfuzur Rahman to the Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Dhaka on 26.5.12 on a theft case.				1				18.2.12	26.05.2012	Information gathered by HRDs and Nayadiganto 24.4.12 Followup: Information taken from Mahfuzur's mother Motiful Begum, 28.5.12	
5	Khokon	-	Badda, Dhaka			1	1	Khokon's wife Shinur claimed that DB Police arrested her husband on 20 February 2012 from his house. After 95 days of enforced disappearance DB Police sent Khokon to the Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Dhaka on 26.5.12 on a thief case.				1				20.2.12	26.05.2012	Nayadiganto 24.4.13 Followup: Information taken from Khokon's wife Shahinur Begum, 28.5.12	
6	Mohammad Imam Hassan alias Badal (24)	He was working in a shutter and grille making factory in Dhaka	not mentioned	1			1	Ruhul Amin, father of Mohammad Imam Hassan alleged that his son had been detained illegally by RAB-2. On March 5, 2012 he was abducted from Anwara Park at Farmgate by one Zahid. Ruhul Amin gave the name of the kidnappers and their cell phone number to RAB-2, over telephone from Panchagarh. Members of RAB-2 carried out an operation and rescued his son the next day at 10.30 pm and also arrested two abductors, Zahid and Babul. Later, one of the kidnappers informed him over a cell phone that his son was taken by RAB. When Ruhul Amin made a phone call to RAB-2 and wanted to know about his son, RAB confirmed the rescue and told him to come to Dhaka if he wanted his son back. On March 13, 2012, Ruhul Amin went to RAB-2 office in Dhaka with his wife, however his son is still disappeared. On 2021 Ruhul Amin died.	1							06.03.2012		https://odhikar.org/bangladesh-we-want-our-disappeared-son-back/	

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7	Mohammad Hasanul Islam Hasan (37), Mohammad Bozrul Prodhan (44) and Mohammad Mintu Prodhan (29)	-	Amlichukai Adorsho village, Gabtali upazila, Bogra	3			3	Hasanul's wife Rokeya Begum said on 12.3.12 night plainclothes RAB picked up them from Amlichukai Adorsho village, Gabtali upazila, Bogra. Still their whereabouts are unknown.	3								12.3.12		Information gathered by HRDs, 27.3.12 and Daily Star 18.3.12	
8	Ifterkhar Ahmed Dinar	Assistant General Secretary of student wing of BNP, Sylhet	Uttara, Dhaka	1			1	It is alleged that plainclothed members of law enforcement agencies picked up Dinar and Jonaed from Uttara, Dhaka. Still their whereabouts are unknown.							2		3.4.12		Samakal 7.4.12 and Information gathered by HRDs, 23.4.12	
9	Jonaed Ahmed	Leader of student wing of BNP		1			1													
10	Md. Aminul Islam (41)	Organiser of Bangladesh Centre for Workers Solidarity and leader of Bangladesh Garments and Industrial Workers Federation	Ashulia, Dhaka		1		1	Aminul's wife Hosne Ara Begum claimed that Industrial Police picked up him on 4 April 2012 from Asulia, Dhaka and killed after torture. Aminul's body found in 5 April 2012 in the Ghatail upazila, Tangail. She also said that Shreepur Police arrested Aminul on 12 March 2012 and tortured him.									4.4.12		https://odhikar.org/wp-content/uploads/2012/04/fact-finding-Disappearance-Aminul-Islam-Savar-2012-eng.pdf Information gathered by HRDs and Prothom Alo 9.4.12	
11	M Elias Ali	BNP leader	South Point School, Banani-2 no. road, Dhaka	2			2	It is alleged that members of law enforcement agencies picked up them. Still their whereabouts are unknown.									17.4.12		Prothom Alo and Samakal 19.4.12	
12	Md. Ansar	Car driver of Elias Ali																		
13	Ashadul Haque(24)	Driver of sand carrier	Workshop of Khairul at Barkhada Trimohini of Sadar upazila, Kushtia			1	1	Rezaul Karim, father of Ashadul Haque alleged that his son was picked up by Sub-Inspector Tofajjel of DB police with three other members near the workshop of Khairul at Barkhada Trimohini of Sadar upazila, Kushtia on May 22, 2012. Ashadul went there to repair his sand carrier. One month later, his father found his whereabouts when he was sent to Jail through Court. He was disappeared for one month.								Rezaul Karim, father of Ashadul Haque filed a GD at the Kushtia Model Police Station on May 26, 2012. The case is numbered 1184.	22.5.12	23.05.12	Information gathered by HRDs of Kushtia and daily Andoloner Bazar, Dainik Kushtia, Bangladesh Barta 23.05.2012	

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14	Nazrul Islam (38)	Farmer	Jhauil Rail Crossing, Jhauil village, Kamarkhand Upazila, Sirajganj.	1			1	Nazrul Islam was picked up by some persons from Jhauil village near Jhauil Rail crossing on June 13, 2012. Those persons showed identity card of RAB while the villagers restrained them to take Nazrul Islam. Now, the family of Nazrul Islam did not know his whereabouts.	1									13.06.2012		https://odhikar.org/wp-content/uploads/2012/12/fact-finding-disappearances-Nazrul-Islam-2012-eng.pdf	Kaler Kantho 17.06.2012 and Information gathered by HRDs of Sirajganj.	
15	Mohammad Yunus	Khotib of Shikdarpara Jame Mosque, Gorjonia union, Ramu upazila, Bandarban	High School para of Kachchopia union, Nikhongchhori, Bandarban			1	1	Seven to eight plaincloth policemen of Detective Branch took Mohammad Yunus from his village home at High School para of Kachchopia union of Nikhongchhori on August 3, 2012. His family alleged that, there was no case filed against him neither in Police Station nor in Court. Later, on August 16, 2012 he was shown arrested under section 54 of Code of Criminal Procedure.				1						03.08.2012	16.08.2012		Amar Desh 07.08.2012 and Information gathered by local HRDs, 29.09.2012	
16	Md.Tara Mia	Former Joint General Secretary of student wing of BNP of Pallabi Thana unit	Pallabi, Dhaka	1			1	On August 13, 2012 Tariqul Islam Tara was allegedly picked up by some men identified them as the members of law enforcing agency from Pallabi at Dhaka. Saiful, friend of Tara informed that some unknown people were roaming around the area on August 13 in the afternoon. He believed that they were watching Tara which came to sight of local inhabitants. Understanding this situation, they went to his another friend Zamir's resident at night to sleep. At around 2.30 am some unknown people were knocking at the door and tried to enter at home forcibly. During this time, his friend's wife asked their identity, they told her that they came from Pallabi Police Station. Later five men entered directly to their bed room showing guns. The men asked their names. After knowing Tara's identity they took away in microbus at gun point. Baby Akhter, wife of Tariqul Islam Tara filed a General Diary with Pallabi Police Station in this regard.								1			13.08.2012			Manabzamin 15.08.2012 ; Baby Akter wife of Tara Mia 01989402138
17	Firoz Khan (25)	Joint Convenor of student wing of BNP of Barisal and also working as Fish Trader	In front of Monsurabad Wapda Colony Mosque of Halishohor Police Station, Chittagong	1			1	On August 24, 2012 at around 7.00 pm five to six plainclothes men identified themselves as DB police picked up Firoz Khan in front of Monsurabad Wapda Colony Mosque of Halishohor Police Station, Chittagong in a black microbus with a sticker of CID. The number of microbus is Chotto-Metro Cha-15-9906. His wife alleged that, he was disappeared for the involvement in politics.				1						24.08.2012			Information gathered by HRDs of Chittagong 27.08.2012. Jugantor, Prothom Alo, Daily Star, Nayadiganta 26.08.2012.; Wife of Firoz Khan 01793721081	
18	Mithu alias Prasanta (22)	Youth	Savar, Dhaka				4	The families of the four youths alleged that they were disappeared by law enforcers from a tea stall at Sughonda, Savar on August 13, 2012. The father of an arrestee even filed a case with Savar police in this regard on August 17. He mentioned that his son Tawfiqul Islam Tushar along with three of his friends was disappeared. RAB on September 3 held a press briefing at its headquarters accusing them on charges of plotting to kill three doctors. The RAB handed them over to Mirpur Police and filed an arms case. The court granted three days remand for Mithu and Joynal, while other were sent to jail.	4										13.08.2012			Daily Star 05.09.2012
19	Towfiqul Islam Tushar (23)	A manager of Satata Enterprise in Savar																				
20	Md. Mostafa (26)	Youth																				
21	Mohorom Ali (35)	A driver and owner of a mini-bus of Village Line Paribahan																				

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22	Dr. Syed Golam Maula	Professor of Management studies of University of Dhaka	In front of Jail gate of Kashimpur Central Jail, Gazipur			1	1	On September 19, 2012 Maula's custodian Latif Ahmed submitted required documents of the Professor's bail release. However, the jailer, instead of handing him over to the custodians, gave his custody to a group of people identifying themselves as members of the Police's Detective Branch. Golam Maula's wife Shahida Ahmed claimed that the DB Police on September 20, 2012 admitted before the vice-chancellor Professor A A M S Arefin Siddique that they had detained the DU teacher. They told vice-chancellor that they will show Dr. Syed arrested in a new case. However, he has not been shown arrested in any case for the last four days. Later on September 25 at around 4pm his wife came to know Maula's whereabouts from the journalists. On September 26, she went to the Chief Metropolitan Court, Dhaka and met with her husband. He was then sent to Kashimpur High Security Central Jail.				1							19.09.2012	26.9.2012	Statement of Mrs. Shahida Ahmed at a Press Conference in Supreme Court Bar Association Building 24.09.2012 and New Age 25.09.2012
23	Mithu alias Prasanta (22)	Suspected of Sagor-Runi journalist murder case	Dhaka			1	1	On October 1, 2012 Tanvir was started from his house towards his working place Scholastica. Then he disappeared. In this incident the family filed a GD at Uttara Police Station. Later on October 9, 2012 he was shown arrested in the Sagor-Runi murder case.		1								01.10.2012	01.09.2012	Prothom Alo, 11.12.2014 http://www.prothom-alo.com/bangladesh/article/394585/	
24	Sukhranjan Bali	a Hindu man	outside the tribunal gates			1	1	Sukhranjan Bali, a Hindu man from the southern district of Pirojpur, has confirmed that on the morning of November 5, 2012 he was taken from outside the tribunal gates by Bangladeshi law enforcement officials as he was on his way hoping to give deposition on behalf of Jamaat-e-Islami's nayeb-e-amir Delwar Hossain Sayedee. Sukhranjan Bali, the defence witness abducted by law enforcement agencies in November, found in Calcutta Domdom prison.										05.11.2012		http://bangladeshwarcrimes.blogspot.com/2012/11/abduction-of-defense-witness-outside.html and http://ireport.cnn.com/docs/DOC-972839	
25	Miraz Khan	Younger brother of Firoz Khan (25), a Joint Convenor of student wing of BNP of Barisal	In front of a restaurant, Mirpur, Dhaka	1			1	Firoza Begum, mother of Miraz Khan informed that Miraz Khan was picked up by some men claiming to be from administration five months before Firoz Khan was disappeared. She added that both of her sons Firoz and Miraz were disappeared. On April 3, 2012 at around 10:00pm, Miraz with his two friends have had dinner at a restaurant in Mirpur, Dhaka. As soon as they finished dinner and stepped outside of the restaurant, a microbus filled with a group of men picked Miraz and two of his friends after identifying themselves from administration. They freed two of Miraz's friends but took Miraz. After receiving this news, the family went to Dhaka and visited offices of different law enforcement agencies but failed to get information about his whereabouts. She also went to the restaurant where Miraz had have dinner with his friends and talked to restaurant employees. One of the employee of the restaurant confirmed that a group of men came in a microbus and picked three youths from the porch of the restaurant. A traffic police who was on duty that day also said that day also said the same thing. The family filed a GD with Mirpur Police Station.									1		3.4.2012		Information gathered by HRDs, Mother of Miraz Khan 01768171709
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