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তারিখঃ এপ্রিল ২২, ২০২৫

Mr. ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL

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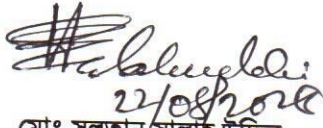
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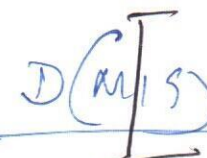
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১. চেয়ারম্যান মহোদয়ের দপ্তর, বিএসইসি।
২. পিও টু সকল কমিশনার, বিএসইসি।
৩. পিও টু নির্বাহী পরিচালক, এনফোর্সমেন্ট, বিএসইসি।
৪. পিও টু নির্বাহী পরিচালক, এমআইএস, বিএসইসি।
৫. পিও টু নির্বাহী পরিচালক, এমআইএডি, বিএসইসি।
৬. পিও টু পরিচালক, এনফোর্সমেন্ট, বিএসইসি।


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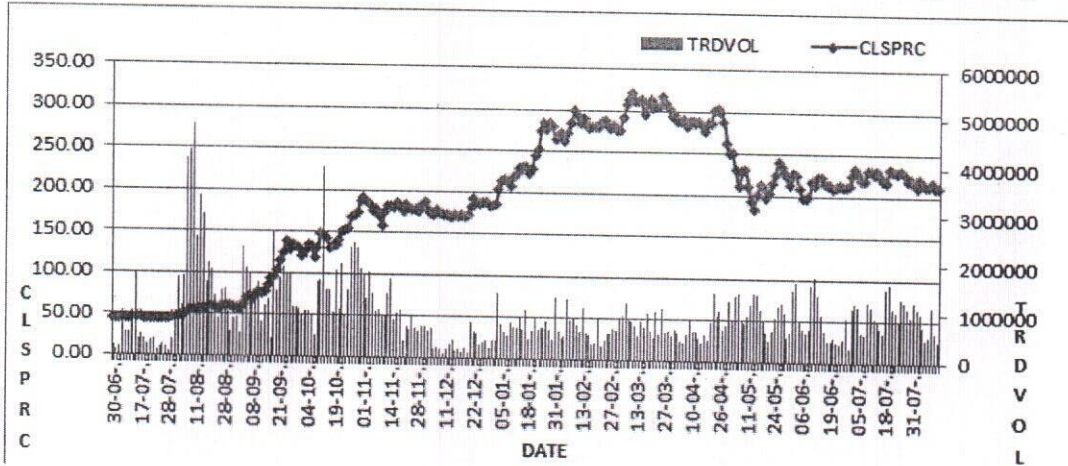
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যেহেতু, Securities and Exchange Ordinance, 1969 এর Section 2 (cc) মোতাবেক কমিশন অর্থ বাংলাদেশ সিকিউরিটিজ অ্যান্ড এক্সচেঞ্জ কমিশন বা বাংলাদেশ সিকিউরিটিজ অ্যান্ড এক্সচেঞ্জ কমিশন আইন, ১৯৯৩-এর অধীনে গঠিত;

যেহেতু, আগস্ট ২৩, ২০২৩ ও আগস্ট ২৪, ২০২৩ তারিখের কমিশনের অনুসন্ধান (Enquiry) আদেশ নং BSEC/IE & ID/Enquiry/2023/08/111 এবং BSEC/IE & ID/Enquiry/2023/08/114 দ্বারা প্রদত্ত ক্ষমতাবলে কমিশন Sea Pearl Beach Resort and Spa Limited (SEAPEARL) এর শেয়ার লেনদেনে সম্ভাব্য মূল্যকাসাজি সম্পর্কে অনুসন্ধান কার্যক্রম পরিচালনা করেছে এবং কমিশনে এ সংক্রান্ত একটি প্রতিবেদন দাখিল করেছে। অনুসন্ধান প্রতিবেদন থেকে অন্যান্যের মধ্যে নিম্নলিখিত বিষয়গুলি উপস্থাপিত হয়:

Description of alleged violation of securities laws:

Whereas, pursuant to Commission's Enquiry Order No. BSEC/IE & ID/Enquiry/2023/08/111 dated August 23, 2023 and Commission's Enquiry Order No. BSEC/IE & ID/Enquiry/2023/08/114 dated August 24, 2023 the Commission formed an enquiry committee to enquire regarding the possible price manipulation activities of the share of Sea Pearl Beach Resort and Spa Limited (SEAPEARL) by the parties including individuals, stock brokers, stock dealer, and institutions; identification of the Insider Trading of the said company and all other relevant issues. The enquiry committee enquired share trading of Sea Pearl Beach Resort and Spa Limited (SEAPEARL) for the period from 01.07.2022 to 10.08.2023 and prepared a report. From the enquiry report it appears, among others, that:



The Yesterday Closing Price (YCP) change in the price of SEAPEARL shares from 01/07/2022 to 10/08/2023 has been substantial. The details are as follows:

- The opening price of SEAPEARL shares on 01/07/2022 was Tk. 43.70.
- The closing price of SEAPEARL shares on 10/08/2023 was Tk. 211.00.

During this period:

- The price of SEAPEARL shares increased by Tk. 167.30.

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➤ This represents an impressive YCP increase of approximately 382.84% compared to the closing price on 30.06.2022.

This significant percentage increase indicates substantial market movement and investor interest in SEAPEARL shares during the specified period.

Observation:

Details of the individual trade pattern and the effects of "SEAPEARL" at DSE by ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL are as follows:

a) Individual Trade Pattern of ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL: (As per DSE Data)

Date	Code # 9995				Total					
	BO ID # 1205590073492622									
	ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL									
	UCB Stock Brokerage Limited									
	Buy Qty	Rate (W.Avg.)	Sale Qty.	Rate (W.Avg.)	Buy Qty	Buy Rate (W.Avg.)	Total	Sale Qty.	Sale Rate (W.Avg.)	Total
04-07-2022	69196	44.15	0	0.00	69196	44.15	3055181.40	0	0.00	0.00
05-07-2022	100000	45.44	135654	44.94	100000	45.44	4543801.20	135654	44.94	6095874.00
06-07-2022	108514	45.55	65037	45.49	108514	45.55	4943196.60	65037	45.49	2958843.60
07-07-2022	88910	45.53	95000	45.19	88910	45.53	4048356.60	95000	45.19	4292953.40
12-07-2022	204612	45.91	151416	46.08	204612	45.91	9392938.80	151416	46.08	6977743.70
13-07-2022	0	0.00	240242	47.12	0	0.00	0.00	240242	47.12	11320704.30
14-07-2022	52347	47.15	11300	46.90	52347	47.15	2467952.40	11300	46.90	529970.00
17-07-2022	111470	46.15	0	0.00	111470	46.15	5144265.00	0	0.00	0.00
18-07-2022	44744	45.18	0	0.00	44744	45.18	2021726.40	0	0.00	0.00
19-07-2022	0	0.00	18000	44.20	0	0.00	0.00	18000	44.20	795600.00
25-07-2022	2873	44.89	0	0.00	2873	44.89	128967.70	0	0.00	0.00
27-07-2022	19175	44.67	0	0.00	19175	44.67	856504.30	0	0.00	0.00
28-07-2022	20995	44.14	0	0.00	20995	44.14	926798.80	0	0.00	0.00
31-07-2022	40220	45.80	33025	45.90	40220	45.80	1841879.70	33025	45.90	1515847.50
01-08-2022	158643	46.87	0	0.00	158643	46.87	7436151.10	0	0.00	0.00
02-08-2022	570991	48.07	49850	47.22	570991	48.07	27448817.70	49850	47.22	2354139.00
03-08-2022	167129	48.05	25000	48.00	167129	48.05	8029762.00	25000	48.00	1200000.00
04-08-2022	156496	48.29	175595	48.17	156496	48.29	7556943.20	175595	48.17	8458284.00
07-08-2022	478967	52.17	106500	50.40	478967	52.17	24985905.80	106500	50.40	5367649.40
08-08-2022	278661	55.93	117615	56.41	278661	55.93	15585046.70	117615	56.41	6634572.50
10-08-2022	187646	56.64	130030	55.85	187646	56.64	10628601.90	130030	55.85	7262433.00
11-08-2022	182869	54.25	120000	54.19	182869	54.25	9920337.10	120000	54.19	6502705.20
14-08-2022	195313	56.92	23011	57.21	195313	56.92	11116365.00	23011	57.21	1316427.00
16-08-2022	235231	57.42	132972	56.90	235231	57.42	13506031.60	132972	56.90	7566352.00
17-08-2022	40700	56.99	0	0.00	40700	56.99	2319602.60	0	0.00	0.00
21-08-2022	151362	58.42	77049	58.92	151362	58.42	8843063.50	77049	58.92	4539560.30
22-08-2022	147390	59.91	30000	60.12	147390	59.91	8830798.20	30000	60.12	1803465.80
23-08-2022	15809	58.54	0	0.00	15809	58.54	925380.70	0	0.00	0.00
24-08-2022	54842	58.26	0	0.00	54842	58.26	3194908.00	0	0.00	0.00
25-08-2022	15083	59.49	0	0.00	15083	59.49	897212.60	0	0.00	0.00
28-08-2022	10288	62.57	0	0.00	10288	62.57	643756.10	0	0.00	0.00
29-08-2022	4984	59.19	0	0.00	4984	59.19	295002.80	0	0.00	0.00
30-08-2022	7774	60.70	0	0.00	7774	60.70	471858.80	0	0.00	0.00
31-08-2022	3599	59.00	26050	57.80	3599	59.00	212336.10	26050	57.80	1505690.00
01-09-2022	11994	59.32	0	0.00	11994	59.32	711447.40	0	0.00	0.00
05-09-2022	184495	60.92	20500	62.80	184495	60.92	11239227.70	20500	62.80	1287400.00
06-09-2022	20000	68.40	0	0.00	20000	68.40	1368000.00	0	0.00	0.00

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08-09-2022	21813	67.92	0	0.00	21813	67.92	1481638.80	0	0.00	0.00
11-09-2022	0	0.00	10000	73.70	0	0.00	0.00	10000	73.70	737000.00
12-09-2022	23493	77.74	0	0.00	23493	77.74	1826371.60	0	0.00	0.00
13-09-2022	0	0.00	38000	75.92	0	0.00	0.00	38000	75.92	2885000.00
14-09-2022	20948	77.48	0	0.00	20948	77.48	1623017.10	0	0.00	0.00
15-09-2022	10678	79.67	0	0.00	10678	79.67	850677.40	0	0.00	0.00
19-09-2022	30973	98.01	0	0.00	30973	98.01	3035511.10	0	0.00	0.00
20-09-2022	38618	103.73	0	0.00	38618	103.73	4005970.20	0	0.00	0.00
21-09-2022	15347	113.62	0	0.00	15347	113.62	1743800.00	0	0.00	0.00
22-09-2022	7011	125.49	0	0.00	7011	125.49	879779.60	0	0.00	0.00
25-09-2022	4403	137.58	0	0.00	4403	137.58	605783.10	0	0.00	0.00
26-09-2022	13130	129.44	0	0.00	13130	129.44	1699568.60	0	0.00	0.00
29-09-2022	8102	132.72	1734	133.19	8102	132.72	1075304.30	1734	133.19	230947.80
04-10-2022	3139	134.80	0	0.00	3139	134.80	423146.30	0	0.00	0.00
12-10-2022	0	0.00	1100	138.70	0	0.00	0.00	1100	138.70	152570.00
17-10-2022	2480	133.30	0	0.00	2480	133.30	330584.00	0	0.00	0.00
01-11-2022	0	0.00	520	185.20	0	0.00	0.00	520	185.20	96304.00
02-11-2022	1334	188.00	0	0.00	1334	188.00	250792.00	0	0.00	0.00
09-11-2022	510	158.50	0	0.00	510	158.50	80835.00	0	0.00	0.00
16-11-2022	1860	185.20	0	0.00	1860	185.20	344472.00	0	0.00	0.00
21-11-2022	0	0.00	1030	175.33	0	0.00	0.00	1030	175.33	180587.00
14-12-2022	4612	172.03	0	0.00	4612	172.03	793416.60	0	0.00	0.00
28-02-2023	0	0.00	584	276.80	0	0.00	0.00	584	276.80	161651.20
12-04-2023	0	0.00	155	283.40	0	0.00	0.00	155	283.40	43927.00
16-04-2023	30000	278.08	0	0.00	30000	278.08	8342295.10	0	0.00	0.00
02-05-2023	0	0.00	1005	250.81	0	0.00	0.00	1005	250.81	252060.00
07-05-2023	0	0.00	4230	230.04	0	0.00	0.00	4230	230.04	973048.20
09-05-2023	0	0.00	1000	228.20	0	0.00	0.00	1000	228.20	228202.50
10-05-2023	0	0.00	4000	231.50	0	0.00	0.00	4000	231.50	926000.00
11-05-2023	0	0.00	2000	224.13	0	0.00	0.00	2000	224.13	448258.00
Total	4381773		1849204		4381773			1849204		

b) Effects of "SEAPEARL" at DSE by ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL: (Both Public & Block Market)
Opening Balance: 1,754,049

Date	Buy			Sale				Cost of shares sold		Stock Position			Comparison with the Market					
	Qty.	Price (W.Avg.)	Amount	Qty.	Price (W.Avg.)	Amount	Bonus Share Credited	Price (W.Avg.)	Amount	Qty.	Price (W.Avg.)	Amount	Mkt Trade Qty at DSE	Mkt Close Price at DSE	Market price Changed by	Client Buy (%)	Client Sale (%)	Client Trade (%)
Opening Balance										1754049	46.65	81824280.99						
04-07-2022	69196	44.15	3055181.40	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1823245	46.55	84879462.39	186894	44.10	0.46%	37.02%	0.00%	37.02%
05-07-2022	100000	45.44	4543801.20	225654	44.64	10073874.00	0	46.50	10492015.90	1697591	46.50	78931247.69	781905	45.40	2.95%	12.79%	28.86%	41.65%
06-07-2022	108514	45.55	4943196.60	65037	45.49	2958843.60	0	46.44	3020279.68	1741068	46.44	80854164.61	481387	45.30	-0.22%	22.54%	13.51%	36.05%
07-07-2022	178910	46.02	8233356.60	95000	45.19	4292953.40	0	46.40	4408026.82	1824978	46.40	84679494.39	550984	45.20	-0.22%	32.47%	17.24%	49.71%
12-07-2022	204612	45.91	9392938.80	151416	46.08	6977743.70	0	46.35	7018201.48	1878174	46.35	87054231.71	680840	46.20	2.21%	30.05%	22.24%	52.29%
13-07-2022	0	0.00	0.00	370242	46.65	17270704.30	0	46.35	17160887.57	1507932	46.35	69893344.14	1852067	46.60	0.87%	0.00%	19.99%	19.99%
14-07-2022	52347	47.15	2467952.40	11300	46.90	529970.00	0	46.38	524061.82	1548979	46.38	71837234.72	356925	46.90	0.64%	14.67%	3.17%	17.83%
17-07-2022	211470	47.02	9944265.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1760449	46.45	81781499.72	528149	46.00	-1.92%	40.04%	0.00%	40.04%
18-07-2022	74744	45.91	3431726.40	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1835193	46.43	85213226.12	368327	45.10	-1.96%	20.29%	0.00%	20.29%
19-07-2022	0	0.00	0.00	18000	44.20	795600.00	0	46.43	835791.15	1817193	46.43	84377434.97	234442	44.20	-2.00%	0.00%	7.68%	7.68%
25-07-2022	2873	44.89	128967.70	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1820066	46.43	84506402.67	188587	44.30	1.61%	1.52%	0.00%	1.52%
26-07-2022	50000	46.00	2300000.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1870066	46.42	86806402.67	293684	44.30	0.00%	17.03%	0.00%	17.03%
27-07-2022	170175	46.50	7913604.30	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	2040241	46.43	94720006.97	314352	44.10	-0.45%	54.14%	0.00%	54.14%
28-07-2022	20995	44.14	926798.80	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	2061236	46.40	95646805.77	69888	44.00	-0.23%	30.04%	0.00%	30.04%
31-07-2022	40220	45.80	1841879.70	133025	44.85	5965847.50	0	46.39	6171165.32	1968431	46.39	91317520.15	451897	45.90	4.32%	8.90%	29.44%	38.34%

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01-08-2022	158643	46.87	7436151.10	300000	46.23	13870000.00	0	46.43	13928100.94	1827074	46.43	84825570.31	1188734	47.20	2.83%	13.35%	25.24%	38.58%
02-08-2022	570991	48.07	27448817.70	459850	47.47	21828139.00	0	46.82	21529598.79	1938215	46.82	90744789.22	2028594	47.90	1.48%	28.15%	22.67%	50.82%
03-08-2022	167129	48.05	8029762.00	110000	47.54	5229000.00	0	46.92	5160772.13	1995344	46.92	93613779.09	1188019	48.00	0.21%	14.07%	9.26%	23.33%
04-08-2022	156496	48.29	7556943.20	260595	47.95	12495784.00	0	47.02	12252111.86	1891245	47.02	88918610.44	1749955	48.20	0.42%	8.94%	14.89%	23.83%
07-08-2022	478967	52.17	24985905.80	804501	49.79	40059900.00	0	48.06	38661645.97	1565711	48.06	75242870.27	4758135	53.00	9.96%	10.07%	16.91%	26.97%
08-08-2022	278661	55.93	15585046.70	361715	52.50	18989072.50	0	49.25	17813011.68	1482657	49.25	73014905.28	4498583	56.40	6.42%	6.19%	8.04%	14.24%
10-08-2022	187646	56.64	10628601.90	193830	55.08	10675733.00	0	50.08	9706395.19	1476473	50.08	73937112.00	4846980	55.60	-1.42%	3.87%	4.00%	7.87%
11-08-2022	182869	54.25	9920337.10	200000	53.63	10726705.20	0	50.54	10107313.51	1459342	50.54	73750135.58	2779965	53.80	-3.24%	6.58%	7.19%	13.77%
14-08-2022	195313	56.92	11116365.00	215012	55.25	11880481.80	0	51.29	11027867.45	1439643	51.29	73838633.13	3577978	57.20	6.32%	5.46%	6.01%	11.47%
16-08-2022	235231	57.42	13506031.60	245473	56.46	13860158.00	0	52.15	12801414.84	1429401	52.15	74543249.89	3968405	57.70	0.87%	5.93%	6.19%	12.11%
17-08-2022	40700	56.99	2319602.60	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1470101	52.28	76862852.49	1533692	56.80	-1.56%	2.65%	0.00%	2.65%
21-08-2022	151362	58.42	8843063.50	162049	57.72	9353460.30	0	52.86	8565448.60	1459414	52.86	77140467.39	2084825	59.50	4.75%	7.26%	7.77%	15.03%
22-08-2022	147390	59.91	8830798.20	197000	58.15	11456065.80	0	53.50	10540389.07	1409804	53.50	75430876.52	1945320	59.60	0.17%	7.58%	10.13%	17.70%
23-08-2022	15809	58.54	925380.70	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1425613	53.56	76356257.22	1235074	58.10	-2.52%	1.28%	0.00%	1.28%
24-08-2022	54842	58.26	3194908.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1480455	53.73	79551165.22	764259	56.10	-3.44%	7.18%	0.00%	7.18%
25-08-2022	15083	59.49	897212.60	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1495538	53.79	80448377.82	1385957	59.30	5.70%	1.09%	0.00%	1.09%
28-08-2022	10288	62.57	643756.10	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1505826	53.85	81092133.92	3479367	60.30	1.69%	0.30%	0.00%	0.30%
29-08-2022	4984	59.19	295002.80	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1510810	53.87	81387136.72	905762	60.10	-0.33%	0.55%	0.00%	0.55%
30-08-2022	7774	60.70	471858.80	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1518584	53.90	81858995.52	498400	60.50	0.67%	1.56%	0.00%	1.56%
31-08-2022	3599	59.00	212336.10	114050	56.80	6477690.00	0	53.92	6149218.18	1408133	53.92	75922113.44	1217838	58.80	-2.81%	0.30%	9.36%	9.66%
01-09-2022	11994	59.32	711447.40	87000	57.10	4967700.00	0	53.96	4694734.90	1333127	53.96	71938825.94	884818	58.70	-0.17%	1.36%	9.83%	11.19%
05-09-2022	184495	60.92	11239227.70	360000	59.61	21459450.00	0	54.81	19730933.86	1157622	54.81	63447119.78	2665350	62.70	9.81%	6.92%	13.51%	20.43%
06-09-2022	20000	68.40	1368000.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1177622	55.04	64815119.78	2917444	68.90	9.89%	0.69%	0.00%	0.69%
08-09-2022	21813	67.92	1481638.80	70000	65.50	4585000.00	0	55.27	3869132.63	1129435	55.27	62427625.94	1256210	68.60	-4.99%	1.74%	5.57%	7.31%
11-09-2022	0	0.00	0.00	75000	69.22	5191500.00	0	55.27	4145499.25	1054435	55.27	58282126.69	1321840	73.70	7.43%	0.00%	5.67%	5.67%
12-09-2022	23493	77.74	1826371.60	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1077928	55.76	60108498.29	1611294	77.70	5.43%	1.46%	0.00%	1.46%
13-09-2022	0	0.00	0.00	48000	74.90	3595000.00	0	55.76	2676623.97	1029928	55.76	57431874.33	736344	76.20	-1.93%	0.00%	6.52%	6.52%
14-09-2022	20948	77.48	1623017.10	39500	73.80	2915100.00	0	56.20	2219736.88	1011376	56.20	56835154.55	2449457	77.80	2.10%	0.86%	1.61%	2.47%
15-09-2022	10678	79.67	850677.40	51200	79.63	4077220.00	0	56.44	2889783.31	970854	56.44	54796048.63	1382357	85.50	9.90%	0.77%	3.70%	4.48%
18-09-2022	0	0.00	0.00	9600	85.50	820800.00	0	56.44	541834.37	961254	56.44	54254214.26	473076	94.00	9.94%	0.00%	2.03%	2.03%
19-09-2022	30973	98.01	3035511.10	50001	89.00	4450089.00	0	57.74	2886984.09	942226	57.74	54402741.28	2830980	96.30	2.45%	1.09%	1.77%	2.86%
20-09-2022	38618	103.73	4005970.20	20001	95.10	1902095.10	0	59.55	1191048.36	960843	59.55	57217663.12	1742776	103.90	7.89%	2.22%	1.15%	3.36%
21-09-2022	15347	113.62	1743800.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	976190	60.40	58961463.12	2609693	114.20	9.91%	0.59%	0.00%	0.59%
22-09-2022	7011	125.49	879779.60	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	983201	60.86	59841242.72	2007441	125.20	9.63%	0.35%	0.00%	0.35%
25-09-2022	4403	137.58	605783.10	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	987604	61.21	60447025.82	2177050	137.60	9.90%	0.20%	0.00%	0.20%
26-09-2022	13130	129.44	1699568.60	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1000734	62.10	62146594.42	1733775	129.00	-6.25%	0.76%	0.00%	0.76%
29-09-2022	8102	132.72	1075304.30	1734	133.19	230947.80	0	62.67	108666.59	1007102	62.67	63113232.12	1118700	130.60	-0.99%	0.72%	0.16%	0.88%
04-10-2022	3139	134.80	423146.30	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	1010241	62.89	63536378.42	941264	133.90	5.35%	0.33%	0.00%	0.33%
12-10-2022	0	0.00	0.00	5100	136.58	696570.00	0	62.89	320750.72	1005141	62.89	63215627.70	1723975	147.60	12.67%	0.00%	0.30%	0.30%
13-10-2022	0	0.00	0.00	23000	139.13	3200000.00	0	62.89	1446522.86	982141	62.89	61769104.84	7166954	146.90	-0.47%	0.00%	0.32%	0.32%
17-10-2022	2480	133.30	330584.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	984621	63.07	62099688.84	1450210	131.50	-7.52%	0.17%	0.00%	0.17%
19-10-2022	0	0.00	0.00	10000	134.00	1340000.00	0	63.07	630696.37	974621	63.07	61468992.47	2262407	135.10	0.67%	0.00%	0.44%	0.44%
23-10-2022	0	0.00	0.00	10100	135.00	1363500.00	0	63.07	637003.33	964521	63.07	60831989.14	2808577	150.60	7.88%	0.00%	0.36%	0.36%
31-10-2022	0	0.00	0.00	10001	171.00	1710171.00	0	63.07	630759.44	954520	63.07	60201229.70	2082485	188.00	8.23%	0.00%	0.48%	0.48%
01-11-2022	0	0.00	0.00	520	185.20	96304.00	0	0.00	0.00	955334	63.24	60419225.49	1229961	187.50	-1.52%	0.11%	0.00%	0.11%
02-11-2022	1334	188.00	250792.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	955844	63.29	60500060.49	876095	158.50	-6.32%	0.06%	0.00%	0.06%
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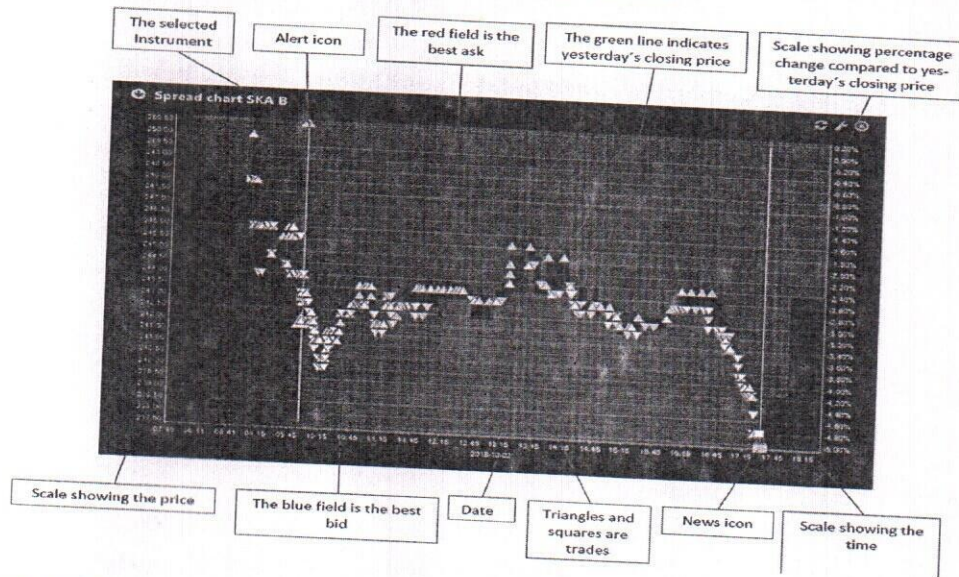
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13-11-2022	0	0.00	0.00	16500	172.97	2854000.00	0	63.29	1044366.02	932844	63.29	59044277.55	1612623	181.30	4.02%	0.00%	1.02%	1.02%
15-11-2022	0	0.00	0.00	25000	168.00	4200000.00	0	63.29	1582372.76	907844	63.29	57461904.78	805993	180.40	-1.15%	0.00%	3.10%	3.10%
16-11-2022	1860	185.20	344472.00	5500	167.00	918500.00	0	63.54	349492.88	904204	63.54	57456883.90	953406	184.80	2.44%	0.20%	0.58%	0.77%
21-11-2022	0	0.00	0.00	1030	175.33	180587.00	0	63.54	65450.49	903174	63.54	57391433.42	334774	176.10	-1.62%	0.00%	0.31%	0.31%
22-11-2022	0	0.00	0.00	10000	172.00	1720000.00	0	63.54	635441.60	893174	63.54	56755991.81	955208	184.40	4.71%	0.00%	1.05%	1.05%
14-12-2022	4612	172.03	793416.60	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	897786	64.10	57549408.41	156484	172.20	1.35%	2.95%	0.00%	2.95%
21-12-2022	0	0.00	0.00	42800	157.71	6750000.00	0	64.10	2743543.21	854986	64.10	54805865.21	1059747	182.50	6.17%	0.00%	4.04%	4.04%
26-12-2022	0	0.00	0.00	32500	179.80	5843500.00	0	64.10	2083297.99	822486	64.10	52722567.21	978443	186.60	-2.15%	0.00%	3.32%	3.32%
04-01-2023	0	0.00	0.00	42902	181.96	7806288.00	0	64.10	2750081.56	779584	64.10	49972485.66	1579012	202.80	9.92%	0.00%	2.72%	2.72%
08-01-2023	0	0.00	0.00	8000	200.00	1600000.00	0	64.10	512811.81	771584	64.10	49459673.84	883796	212.20	4.64%	0.00%	0.91%	0.91%
23-01-2023	0	0.00	0.00	11900	208.40	2479960.00	0	64.10	762807.57	759684	64.10	48696866.27	1111662	245.00	7.31%	0.00%	1.07%	1.07%
24-01-2023	0	0.00	0.00	10000	230.90	2309000.00	0	64.10	641014.77	749684	64.10	48055851.50	812064	273.70	8.18%	0.00%	1.23%	1.23%
25-01-2023	0	0.00	0.00	7000	258.00	1806000.00	0	64.10	448710.34	742684	64.10	47607141.17	715870	283.80	3.69%	0.00%	0.98%	0.98%
01-02-2023	0	0.00	0.00	3000	245.00	735000.00	0	64.10	192304.43	739684	64.10	47414836.73	855142	269.20	2.16%	0.00%	0.35%	0.35%
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20-02-2023	0	0.00	0.00	584	276.80	161651.20	0	64.10	37435.26	734000	64.10	47050483.94	900763	281.40	1.48%	0.00%	0.06%	0.06%
01-03-2023	0	0.00	0.00	14500	265.00	3842500.00	0	64.10	929471.41	719500	64.10	46121012.53	903752	276.30	-1.81%	0.00%	1.60%	1.60%
12-04-2023	0	0.00	0.00	155	283.40	43927.00	0	64.10	9935.73	719345	64.10	46111076.80	890416	288.00	0.70%	0.00%	0.02%	0.02%
16-04-2023	30000	278.08	8342295.10	29000	259.00	7511000.00	0	72.67	2107370.82	720345	72.67	52346001.08	699336	276.50	-2.19%	4.29%	4.15%	8.44%
26-04-2023	60005	288.00	17281440.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	780350	89.23	69627441.08	1278029	299.10	-1.45%	4.70%	0.00%	4.70%
02-05-2023	0	0.00	0.00	1005	250.81	252060.00	0	89.23	89672.04	779345	89.23	69537769.04	1262706	249.80	-4.80%	0.00%	0.08%	0.08%
07-05-2023	0	0.00	0.00	4230	230.04	973048.20	0	89.23	377425.61	775115	89.23	69160343.43	1490435	229.60	-8.38%	0.00%	0.28%	0.28%
09-05-2023	0	0.00	0.00	1000	228.20	228202.50	0	89.23	89225.91	774115	89.23	69071117.52	1018791	228.40	8.71%	0.00%	0.10%	0.10%
10-05-2023	0	0.00	0.00	4000	231.50	926000.00	0	89.23	356903.65	770115	89.23	68714213.86	940458	229.90	0.66%	0.00%	0.43%	0.43%
11-05-2023	0	0.00	0.00	2000	224.13	448258.00	0	89.23	178451.83	768115	89.23	68535762.04	1040602	211.30	-8.09%	0.00%	0.19%	0.19%
18-05-2023	0	0.00	0.00	20000	204.00	4080000.00	0	89.23	1784518.26	748115	89.23	66751243.78	941947	211.50	-0.24%	0.00%	2.12%	2.12%
04-06-2023	0	0.00	0.00	20001	212.00	4240212.00	0	89.23	1784607.48	728114	89.23	64966636.30	1973737	225.10	-0.71%	0.00%	1.01%	1.01%
11-06-2023	0	0.00	0.00	47010	197.11	9265932.00	0	89.23	4194510.16	681104	89.23	60772126.14	1691858	217.70	9.78%	0.00%	2.78%	2.78%
13-06-2023	0	0.00	0.00	10000	209.00	2090000.00	0	89.23	892259.13	671104	89.23	59879867.01	1422149	223.00	4.89%	0.00%	0.70%	0.70%
06-07-2023	0	0.00	0.00	10009	208.00	2081872.00	0	89.23	893062.16	661095	89.23	58986804.85	649986	219.50	-2.96%	0.00%	1.54%	1.54%
13-07-2023	0	0.00	0.00	5002	218.00	1090436.00	0	89.23	446308.02	656093	89.23	58540496.83	877373	230.30	1.32%	0.00%	0.57%	0.57%
Total	4862778	57.98	281964628.30	5960734	63.26	377064986.90	0	51.21	305248412.46	656093	89.23	58540496.83						

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c) Influence of Market Price of SEAPEARL by ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL (BOID-1205590073492622)

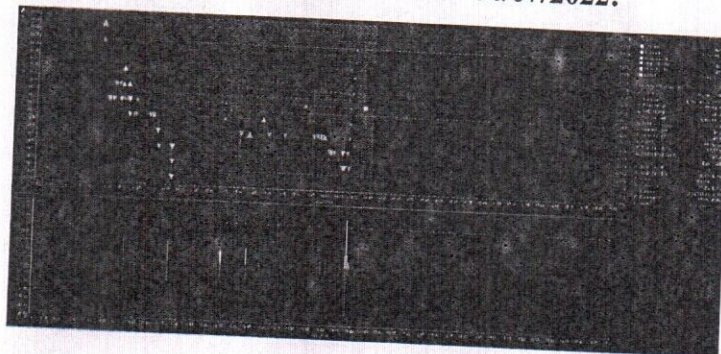
The enquiry team gathered trade monitoring screenshots from Surveillance Department pertaining to the public market trade of SEAPEARL conducted by "ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL". The collected data reveals instances of active trading by this PERSON on specific dates, exerting influence on the price of SEAPEARL. A demo of detailed information from the screenshots received from DSE surveillance system is as follows:



- ▲ Green triangle represents trade of SEAPEARL by "Abu Sadat Md. Faisal"
- △ White triangle represents trade of SEAPEARL by other clients

After a thorough examination of the trade monitoring screenshots collected from the Surveillance Department, it has been determined that "ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL" actively participated in the trading of SEAPEARL shares. His involvement is noted to have influenced the price of these shares on several dates

Active Participation as on 04/07/2022:



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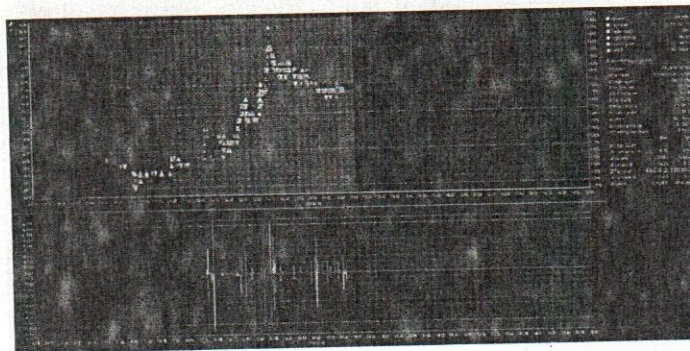
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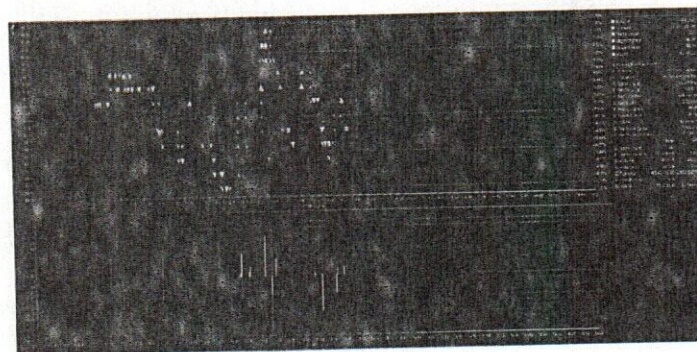
It was observed in the above graph that on 04-07-2022, total number of trades of SEAPEARL in the market was 205, whereas number of trades (buy) executed by ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL were 70 which is approximately 34.15% of the total number of trades in the market. Again, total traded volume of SEAPEARL in the market on that day was 186,894 whereas buy volume by the said client(s) was 69,196 which is approximately 37.02% of the total traded volume in the market. It is evident from **the green triangles** as plotted in the graph that the client had significant participation in the market on 04-07-2022 in trading of SEAPEARL share.

Active Participation as on 05/07/2022:



It was observed in the above graph that on 05-07-2022, total number of trades of SEAPEARL in the market was 602, whereas number of trades (buy) executed by ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL were 57 which is approximately 9.47% of the total number of trades in the market. Again, total traded volume of SEAPEARL in the market on that day was 691,905 whereas buy volume by the said client(s) was 100,000 which is approximately 14.45% of the total traded volume in the market. It is evident from **the green triangles** as plotted in the graph that the client had significant participation in the market on 05-07-2022 in trading of SEAPEARL share.

Active Participation as on 06/07/2022:

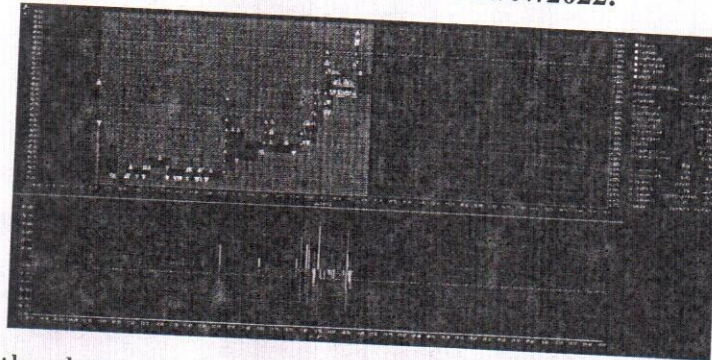


It was observed in the above graph that on 06-07-2022, total number of trades of SEAPEARL in the market was 351, whereas number of trades (buy) executed by ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL were 86 which is approximately 24.50% of the total number of trades in the market. Again, total traded volume of SEAPEARL in the market on that day was 481,387 whereas buy volume by the said client(s) was 108,514 which is approximately 22.54% of the total traded volume in the market. It is evident from **the green triangles** as plotted in the graph that the

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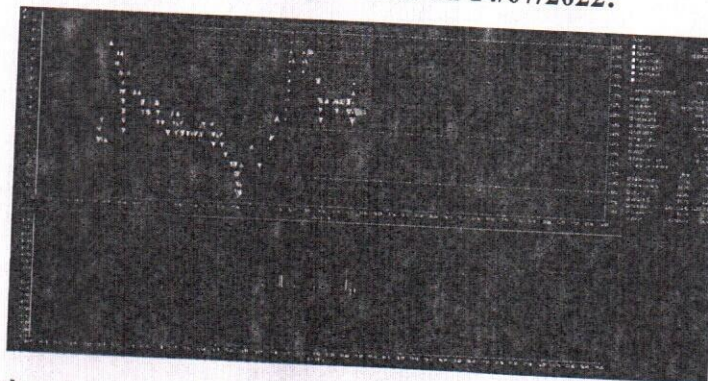
client had significant participation in the market on 06-07-2022 in trading of SEAPEARL share.

Active Participation as on 12/07/2022:



It was observed in the above graph that on 12-07-2022, total number of trades of SEAPEARL in the market was 510, whereas number of trades (buy) executed by ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL were 105 which is approximately 20.59% of the total number of trades in the market. Again, total traded volume of SEAPEARL in the market on that day was 660,840 whereas buy volume by the said client(s) was 204,612 which is approximately 30.96% of the total traded volume in the market. It is evident from **the green triangles** as plotted in the graph that the client had significant participation in the market on 12-07-2022 in trading of SEAPEARL share.

Active Participation as on 14/07/2022:



It was observed in the above graph that on 14-07-2022, total number of trades of SEAPEARL in the market was 393, whereas number of trades (buy) executed by ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL were 56 which is approximately 14.25% of the total number of trades in the market. Again, total traded volume of SEAPEARL in the market on that day was 356,925 whereas buy volume by the said client(s) was 52,347 which is approximately 14.67% of the total traded volume in the market. It is evident from **the green triangles** as plotted in the graph that the client had significant participation in the market on 14-07-2022 in trading of SEAPEARL share.

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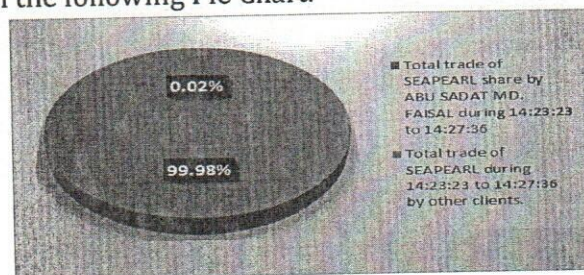
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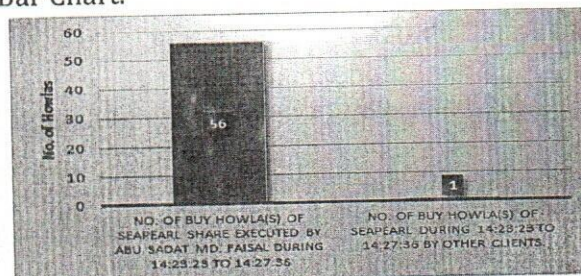
Manipulations of market price of SEAPEARL by Abu Sadat Md. Faisal are given below:

Manipulation of market price as on 04-07-2022:

On 04-07-2022, trading of SEAPEARL share was started at Tk. 44.50 which is Tk. 0.60 more than the YCP of Tk. 43.90. On that day, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL started series of trading at 14:23:23 at price Tk. 43.90 and induced the same to rise to Tk. 44.50 up to 14:27:36. It can also be observed from the above graph that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL executed significant trades during this time period. It is mentionable here that from 14:23:23 to 14:27:36, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL bought 51,508 shares of SEAPEARL compared to the total traded share of 51,518. This is shown in the following Pie Chart.



It is also found that during the aforementioned period, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL executed 56 howlas to purchase of shares of SEAPEARL compared to the total number of howlas of 57 as shown in the following Bar Chart.

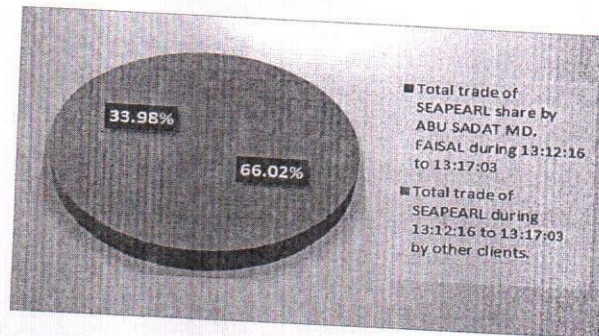


It is observed from the above graphs and screenshot that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL bought 99.98% of the total trades of SEAPEARL shares by executing 56 of total 57 howlas from 14:23:23 to 14:27:36 on 04-07-2022. From 14:23:23 to 14:27:36, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL induced the price to rise from Tk. 43.90 to Tk. 44.50. Thus it seems that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL were actively trying to lift the price of SEAPEARL share.

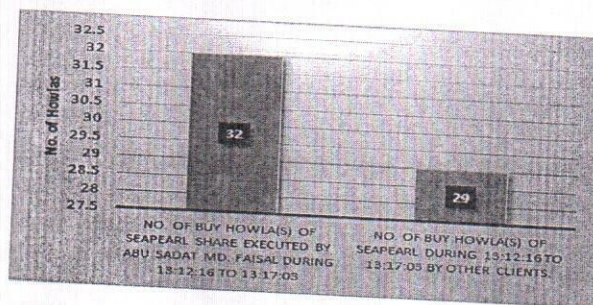
Manipulation of market price as on 05-07-2022:

On 05-07-2022, trading of SEAPEARL share was started at Tk. 44.50 which is Tk. 0.40 more than the YCP of Tk. 44.10. On that day, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL started series of trading at 13:12:16 at price Tk. 45.50 and induced the same to rise to Tk. 46.20 up to 13:17:03. It can also be observed from the above graph that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL executed significant trades during this time period. It is mentionable here that from 13:12:16 to 13:17:03, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL bought 70,099 shares of SEAPEARL compared to the total traded share of 106,174. This is shown in the following Pie Chart.

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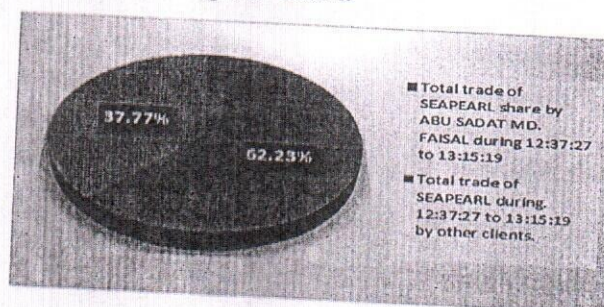
It is also found that during the aforementioned period, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL executed 32 howlas to purchase of shares of SEAPEARL compared to the total number of howlas of 61 as shown in the following Bar Chart.



It is observed from the above graphs and screenshot that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL bought 66.02% of the total trades of SEAPEARL shares by executing 32 of total 61 howlas from 13:12:16 to 13:17:03 on 05-07-2022. From 13:12:16 to 13:17:03, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL induced the price to rise from Tk. 45.50 to Tk. 46.20. Thus it seems that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL were actively trying to lift the price of SEAPEARL share. At the end of the day price of SEAPEARL share was increased by Tk. 1.30 which is approximately 2.95% higher than YCP.

Manipulation of market price as on 06-07-2022:

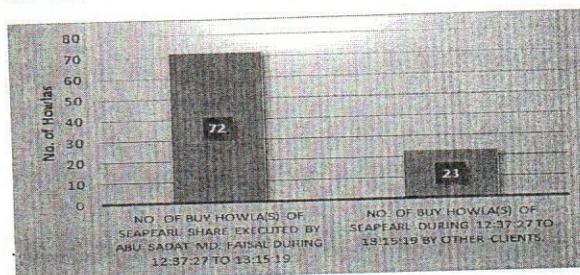
On 06-07-2022, trading of SEAPEARL share was started at Tk. 45.50 which is Tk. 0.10 more than the YCP of Tk. 45.40. On that day, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL started series of trading at 12:37:27 at price Tk. 45.00 and induced the same to rise to Tk. 46.00 up to 13:15:19. It can also be observed from the above graph that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL executed significant trades during this time period. It is mentionable here that from 12:37:27 to 13:15:19, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL bought 90,956 shares of SEAPEARL compared to the total traded share of 146,156. This is shown in the following Pie Chart.



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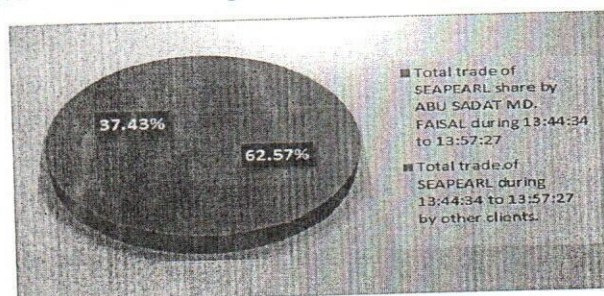
It is also found that during the aforementioned period, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL executed 72 howlas to purchase of shares of SEAPEARL compared to the total number of howlas of 95 as shown in the following Bar Chart.



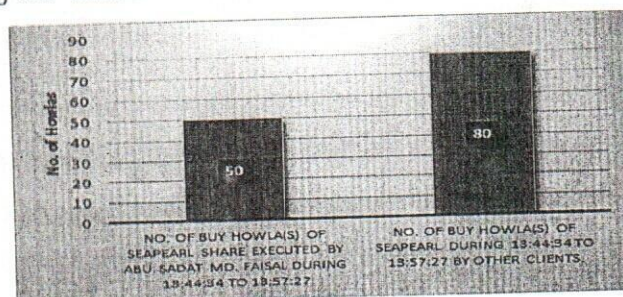
It is observed from the above graphs and screenshot that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL bought 62.23% of the total trades of SEAPEARL shares by executing 72 of total 95 howlas from 12:37:27 to 13:15:19 on 06-07-2022. From 12:37:27 to 13:15:19, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL induced the price to rise from Tk. 45.00 to Tk. 46.00. Thus it seems that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL were actively trying to lift the price of SEAPEARL share.

Manipulation of market price as on 12-07-2022:

On 12-07-2022, trading of SEAPEARL share was started at Tk. 46.00 which is Tk. 0.80 more than the YCP of Tk. 45.20. On that day, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL started series of trading at 13:44:34 at price Tk. 45.70 and induced the same to rise to Tk. 46.40 up to 13:57:27. It can also be observed from the above graph that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL executed significant trades during this time period. It is mentionable here that from 13:44:34 to 13:57:27, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL bought 125,003 shares of SEAPEARL compared to the total traded share of 199,772. This is shown in the following Pie Chart.



It is also found that during the aforementioned period, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL executed 50 howlas to purchase of shares of SEAPEARL compared to the total number of howlas of 130 as shown in the following Bar Chart.



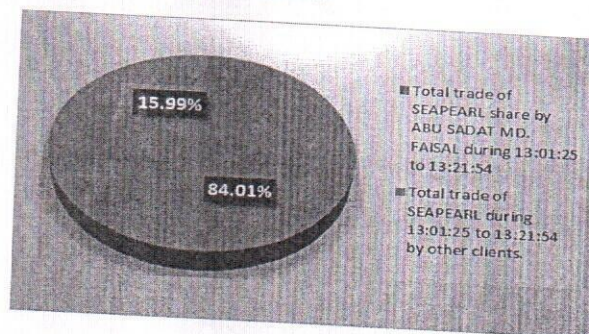
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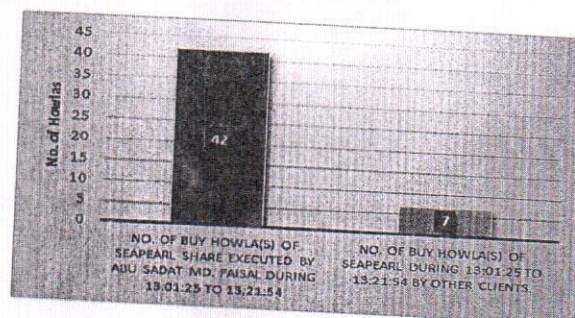
It is observed from the above graphs and screenshot that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL bought 62.57% of the total trades of SEAPEARL shares by executing 50 of total 130 howlas from 13:44:34 to 13:57:27 on 12-07-2022. From 13:44:34 to 13:57:27, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL induced the price to rise from Tk. 45.70 to Tk. 46.40. Thus, it seems that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL were actively trying to lift the price of SEAPEARL share. At the end of the day price of SEAPEARL share was increased by Tk. 1.00 which is approximately 2.21% higher than YCP.

Manipulation of market price as on 14-07-2022:

On 14-07-2022, trading of SEAPEARL share was started at Tk. 46.50 which is Tk. 0.10 less than the YCP of Tk. 46.60. On that day, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL started series of trading at 13:01:25 at price Tk. 46.50 and induced the same to rise to Tk. 47.70 up to 13:21:54. It can also be observed from the above graph that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL executed significant trades during this time period. It is mentionable here that from 13:01:25 to 13:21:54, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL bought 36,193 shares of SEAPEARL compared to the total traded share of 43,083. This is shown in the following Pie Chart.



It is also found that during the aforementioned period, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL executed 42 howlas to purchase of shares of SEAPEARL compared to the total number of howlas of 49 as shown in the following Bar Chart.



It is observed from the above graphs and screenshot that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL bought 84.01% of the total trades of SEAPEARL shares by executing 42 of total 49 howlas from 13:01:25 to 13:21:54 on 14-07-2022. From 13:01:25 to 13:21:54, ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL induced the price to rise from Tk. 46.50 to Tk. 47.70. Thus, it seems that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL were actively trying to lift the price of SEAPEARL share.

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e) Gain and Loss by "Abu Sadat Md. Faisal" from 01.07.2022 to 10.08.2023:

Summary																
Block Buy			Block Sale			Total Buy			Total Sale			Cost of Shares Sold		Stock Position		
Qty	Price (W.Avg.)	Amount	Qty	Price (W.Avg.)	Amount	Qty	Price (W.Avg.)	Amount	Qty	Price (W.Avg.)	Amount	Price (W.Avg.)	Amount	Qty	Price (W.Avg.)	Amount
481005	76.99	37033540.00	4111530	67.97	279463216.50	4862778	57.98	281964628.30	5960734	63.26	377064986.90	51.21	305248412.46	656093	89.23	58540496.83

Realized Capital gain(loss)per unit	12.05	Average Sale Price - Average Cost Price
Realized Capital gain(loss)%	23.53%	Gain (loss) Per Unit/Cost Per Unit
Realized Capital gain(loss)TK	7,18,16,574.44	Total Sale Quantity x Gain (loss) Per Unit
Closing Price (10-08-2023)	211.00	Closing Price of Last Investigation Date
Unrealized gain(loss) per unit	121.77	Closing Price of Last Investigation Date - Average Price of Stock Position
Unrealized gain(loss) %	136.48%	Unrealized gain (loss) per unit /Average Price of Stock Position
Unrealized gain(loss) TK	7,98,95,126.17	Quantity of Stock Position x Unrealized gain (loss) per unit

f) Contraventions:

ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL manipulated the market price of shares of SEAPEARL by conducting active and aggressive trade and made huge capital gain by deceiving general investors. Thus, it appears that ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL violated the followings:

- **Section 17(e)(v) of Securities and Exchange Ordinance, 1969** by directly or indirectly effecting a series of transactions in the shares of 'SEAPEARL' creating the appearance of active trading therein and raising price of the said share.



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যেহেতু, উপর্যুক্ত আলোচ্য বিষয়ে সংশ্লিষ্ট সিকিউরিটিজ সংক্রান্ত আইন ভঙ্গের কারণে কমিশনের এনফোর্সমেন্ট বিভাগ কর্তৃক এপ্রিল ১৫, ২০২৪ তারিখ বিএসইসি/এনফোর্সমেন্ট/৩৪২৬(২)/২০২৪/৩৫৪ স্মারকমূলে Mr. ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL -কে মে ০৫, ২০২৪ তারিখে কারণ প্রদর্শন সহ শুনানীতে উপস্থিত হতে বলা হয়। পরবর্তীতে পুনঃনির্ধারিত জুন ০৯, ২০২৪ তারিখে শুনানীতে Mr. ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL এর পক্ষে Mr. Suman Chandra Saha এবং Ms. Suuvra Chowdhury (on behalf) উপস্থিত হয়ে জুন ০৯, ২০২৪ তারিখের পত্রের মাধ্যমে নিম্নলিখিত বক্তব্য দাখিল করেন;

"Kindly refer to your letter BSEC/Enforcement/3426(2)/2024/354 dated April 15, 2024 and then rescheduled on June 09, 2024 regarding show cause cum notice for hearing: Non-compliance of Securities related laws. The Respondent Abu Sadat Md. Faisal files this Response to the Order to Show Cause issued by the Bangladesh Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") on April 15, 2024.

The Respondent Mr. Abu Sadat Md. Faisal has the strong defenses to the Commission's allegations. It was held in Gateway Int'l Holdings, Inc., Exchange Act Release No. 53907, 2006 WL 1506286, at 4 (May 31, 2006) the US Securities and Exchange Commission applies a multifactor test to determine an appropriate sanction including: "The seriousness of the violations, the isolated or recurrent nature of the violations, the degree of culpability involved, the extent of the efforts to remedy its past violations and ensure future compliance, and the credibility of its assurances, if any, against further violations."

1. The less serious nature of the violations

As an individual investor, Mr. Abu Sadat believes in fostering practices that promote the integrity and positive perception of the Bangladesh Capital Market. Generally, he engages in trading activities based on technical analysis, relying on some stock market web portals. His investment decisions are taken based on meticulous analysis rather than unfounded rumors or unauthorized information. Therefore, his involvement with 'SEAPEARL' during the mentioned period was motivated solely by his assessment of its potential as a trading stock, with no intention of contravening securities laws. Mr. Abu Sadat has been trading at stock brokers since 13th July 2021 and has been maintaining a responsible approach to share trading at all times. The alleged price manipulation activities of the shares of the SEAPEARL by Mr. Abu Sadat was unintentional and was taken place because of his embryonic stage of experiences in share trading. On the screenshots collected from the DSE surveillance system dated on 04/07/2022, 05/07/2022 and 06/07/2022, 12/07/2022, 14/07/2022 have shown the active participation in trading of SEAPEARL shares which actually happened in good faith and without any mala fide intention to influence the Market price of SEAPEARL's shares.

It was held in Securities and Exchange Board of India vs. Rakhi Trading Private Ltd that by manipulation and synchronization, it is meant that two parties have pre-meditated; as such a drastic movement in price within few seconds could have been only through prior understanding between the parties concerned only to fulfill an unlawful objective through misuse of the stock exchange. That is, prior arrangement/prior understanding with each other wherein one will make profit and other will lose and thereby as soon as one party opens up its trade in the market, the other party will buy it. In the present case no such manipulation was taken place and hence, Mr. Abu Sadat has not committed the manipulations. (Securities and Exchange Board of India vs. Rakhi Trading Private Ltd. (08.02.2018 - SC): MANU/SC/0096/2018)



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In Public Prosecutor vs. Soh Chee Wen and Ors. (24.10.2023 - SGHC): MANU/SGHC/0291/2023) the High Court of Singapore stated that in price manipulation cases the following grounds to be addressed in sequence:

- "(a) First, whether the accused persons exercised control over the Relevant Accounts during the Relevant Period and, if so, to what extent they exercised such control. This was the foundational issue upon which all others were built.*
- (b) Second, on the basis that the accused persons had controlled the Relevant Accounts, whether they had coordinated and managed their use of these accounts, and, if so, how they did so.*
- (c) Third, with control and coordination established, whether the accused persons had used abusive and illegitimate trading practices in the Relevant Accounts to inflate the liquidity and price of shares.*
- (d) Fourth, as regards the inflated liquidity of shares, if the accused persons had used abusive and illegitimate trading practices to that end, to what extent the markets for shares were artificially created by the accused persons' actions.*
- (e) Fifth, as regards the inflated prices of shares, if the accused persons had used abusive and illegitimate trading practices to that end, to what degree the prices of shares were inflated as a consequence of the accused persons' actions.*
- (f) Sixth, if, having put into effect a complex scheme to inflate the liquidity and prices of shares, whether the accused persons had any broader objectives for the Scheme beyond the fact of such inflation, and, if so, what those objectives were.*
- (g) Finally, in the period after the Crash, whether the accused persons conducted themselves in a way which suggested that they in fact operated the Scheme. (Public Prosecutor vs. Soh Chee Wen and Ors.(24.10.2023-SGHC): MANU/SGHC/0291/2023) Here, Mr. Abu Sadat has no intention to commit the price manipulation.*

2. The isolated nature of the violations

*The challenging circumstances posed by the restrictive floor price and the bearish sentiment in the market during that period (10/07/2022 to 01/08/2023), which significantly impacted my investment in SEAPEARL. In an attempt to mitigate potential losses, Mr. Sadat engaged in trading activities on different dates on the basis of technical analysis. While these actions may have contributed to an increase in trade volume and price to some extent, it was never his intention to manipulate market conditions or violate any regulations. Rather, his activities contributed to a positive vibe to bearish market and very often stock brokers urged him with reference of BSEC to continue my trading activities for the interest of market. The manipulation of market price of SEAPEARL by Abu Sadat Md. Faisal as alleged by the BSEC is isolated and sporadic acts. So, the allegation that Mr. Abu Sadat conducted active and aggressive trade and made huge capital gain by deceiving general investors is completely baseless whereas he suffered current realized loss of BDT. **134,692,559 (Thirteen crore forty-six lacs ninety-two thousand five hundred fifty-nine)** and unrealized loss of BDT. **2,021,499 (Twenty Lacs twenty-one thousand four hundred ninety-nine)**, resulting in a*



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total loss of BDT. **136,714,058** (Thirteen crore sixty-seven lacs fourteen thousand fifty-eight taka). I also made BDT. **120,850,135** (Twelve Crore eight lacs fifty thousand one hundred thirty-five) loss in single stock from my last year investment. This huge amount of loss placed him under considerable mental distress and deeply concerned about the prospects of recovery.

3. The low degree of culpability involved (if any) and First -time experience of Mr Abu Sadat in share trading:

It was stated in *US v O'Hagan*, 521 US 642, (1997) that the Securities Act requires that all violations must be committed willfully. If the trading activities with SEAPEARL during the specified period (10/07/2022 to 01/08/2023), inadvertently breached any provisions of securities laws, it happened without mens rea and because of first -time experience of Mr. Abu Sadat in share trading. Due to his heavy dependence on capital market websites and portals, Mr. Abu Sadat was not fully aware of the implications of aggregating the percentage of total shares traded and the total trade volume across different dates. Rest assured, there was no malicious intent or deliberate attempt to flout regulations on the part of Mr. Abu Sadat.

4. The extent of the efforts to remedy its past violations and ensure future compliance

In light of the challenges posed by the restrictive floor price, limited market depth, and reduced participant activity, Mr. Abu Sadat extends his sincere apologies for any inadvertent contravention of securities laws through his trading activities. In addition, he is fully committed to adhering to all rules and regulations governing the Capital Market henceforth. It was held in **Prakash Gupta vs. Securities and Exchange Board of India (23.07.2021 - SC): MANU/SC/0469/2021**) the following factors, which are only indicative, may be taken into consideration for the purpose of passing compounding of offences:

1. Whether violation is intentional.
2. Party's conduct in the investigation and disclosure of full facts.
3. Gravity of charge i.e. charge like fraud, market manipulation or insider trading.
4. History of non-compliance. Good track record of the violator i.e. it had not been found guilty of similar or serious violations in the past.
5. Whether there were circumstances beyond the control of the party.
6. Violation is technical and/or minor in nature and whether violation warrants penalty.
7. Consideration of the amount of investors' harm or party's gain.
8. Processes which have been introduced since the violation to minimize future violations/lapses.
9. Compliance Schedule proposed by the party.
10. Economic benefits accruing to a party from delayed or avoided compliance.
11. Conditions where necessary to deter future non-compliance by the same or another party.
12. Satisfaction of claim of investors regarding payment of money due to them or delivery of securities to them.
13. Compliance of the civil enforcement action by the Accused.
14. Party has undergone any other regulatory enforcement action for the same violation.
15. Any other factors necessary in the facts and circumstances of the case. Here Mr. Abu Sadat complied with all the grounds and prayed to be condoned.



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5. Burden of Proof in the Quasi-judicial proceedings

In the quasi-judicial proceeding before BSEC, the standard of proof is preponderance of probability. In **Kishore R. Ajmera case**, this Court held as under:

"It is a fundamental principle of law that proof of an allegation levelled against a person may be in the form of direct substantive evidence or, as in many cases, such proof may have to be inferred by a logical process of reasoning from the totality of the attending facts and circumstances surrounding the allegations/charges made and levelled. While direct evidence is a more certain basis to come to a conclusion, yet, in the absence thereof the Courts cannot be helpless. It is the judicial duty to take note of the immediate and proximate facts and circumstances surrounding the events on which the charges/allegations are founded and to reach what would appear to the Court to be a reasonable conclusion therefrom. The test would always be that what inferential process that a reasonable/prudent man would adopt to arrive at a conclusion."

After referring to **Ketan Parekh and Nirmal Bang cases**, in **SEBI v. Accord Capital Markets Ltd.** (MANU/SB/0136/2007), SEBI held as under:

"The proof of manipulation in the circumstances always depends on inferences drawn from a mass of factual details. Findings must be gathered from patterns of trading data and the nature of the transactions etc. Several circumstances of a determinative character coupled with the inference arising from the conduct of the parties in a major market manipulation could reasonably lead to conclusion that the Broker was responsible in the manipulation. The evidence, direct or circumstantial, should be sufficient to raise a presumption in its favour with regard to the existence of a fact sought to be proved. As pointed out by Best in "Law of Evidence", the presumption of innocence is no doubt presumption juris; but everyday practice shows that it may be successfully encountered by the presumption of guilt arising from circumstances, though it may be a presumption of fact. Since it is exceedingly difficult to prove facts which are especially within the knowledge of parties concerned, the legal proof in such circumstances partakes the character of a prudent man's estimate as to the probabilities of the case."

6. Prayer

As the Respondent has shown evidence of its efforts to remedy its past violations and ensure imminent and future compliance, provided credible assurances against future violations, and low degree of culpability (if any), it is prayed and hope that you would be kind enough to release Mr. Abu Sadat Md. Faisal from the charges of non-compliance of securities related laws and obliged him thereby."



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যেহেতু Mr. ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL-এর উল্লিখিত বক্তব্য এবং অনুসন্ধান প্রতিবেদন পর্যালোচনায় প্রতীয়মান হয় যে, উপস্থাপিত অভিযোগসমূহ সঠিক ও ইচ্ছাকৃত এবং উপর্যুক্ত কর্মকান্ডের ফলে পুঁজিবাজারের সাধারণ বিনিয়োগকারীগণ ক্ষতিগ্রস্ত হয়েছেন যা পুঁজিবাজার উন্নয়নের পরিপন্থী, সেহেতু এক্ষেত্রে Mr. ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL-এর ব্যাখ্যা কমিশনের নিকট গ্রহণযোগ্য হিসেবে বিবেচিত হয়নি;

যেহেতু, Mr. ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL-এর উপর্যুক্ত কর্মকান্ড Securities and Exchange Ordinance, 1969 এর Section 17(e)(v) লংঘন করেছে, যা সিকিউরিটিজ আইনের পরিপন্থী;

যেহেতু, Mr. ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL-এর উপর্যুক্ত কর্মকান্ড Securities and Exchange Ordinance, 1969 এর Section 22 অনুযায়ী শাস্তিযোগ্য অপরাধ;

যেহেতু, কমিশনের বিবেচনায়, সিকিউরিটিজ আইন ও বিধি-বিধান পরিপালনে আলোচ্য ব্যর্থতার জন্য, পুঁজিবাজারের শৃংখলা, স্বচ্ছতা এবং জনস্বার্থে আলোচ্য Mr. ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL-কে জরিমানা করা প্রয়োজন ও সমীচীন;

অতএব, সেহেতু, কমিশন উল্লিখিত যাবতীয় বিষয় বিবেচনাপূর্বক, Securities and Exchange Ordinance, 1969 (Ordinance No. XVII of 1969) এর Section 22 [যা The Securities and Exchange (Amendment) Act, 2000 দ্বারা সংশোধিত] এ প্রদত্ত ক্ষমতাবলে-

- Mr. ABU SADAT MD. FAISAL-কে Securities and Exchange Ordinance, 1969 এর Section 17(e)(v) ভঙ্গের দায়ে ৬.৫০ (ছয় দশমিক পঞ্চাশ) কোটি টাকা অর্থদণ্ড ধার্য করল যা অত্র আদেশের ৩০ (ত্রিশ) দিনের মধ্যে 'বাংলাদেশ সিকিউরিটিজ অ্যান্ড এক্সচেঞ্জ কমিশন' এর অনুকূলে ইস্যুকৃত ব্যাংক ড্রাফট/পে-অর্ডারের মাধ্যমে জমা প্রদান করতে হবে, অন্যথায় সিকিউরিটিজ আইন মোতাবেক পরবর্তী আইনানুগ ব্যবস্থা গ্রহণ করা হবে।

বাংলাদেশ সিকিউরিটিজ অ্যান্ড এক্সচেঞ্জ কমিশনের আদেশক্রমে,


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