



**Inspector General
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Message

I am very glad to know that International Institute of Currency Technology (IICT) is organizing an International Seminar on "Awareness on Bangladeshi Banknote for Blind".

In fact, holding of an open public awareness seminar on banknote identification for the blind is a new concept in Bangladesh. The law enforcing agencies have been doing their best to prevent counterfeiting of bank notes and their circulation. Despite all our sincere efforts counterfeiting of bank notes could not be checked completely. To a great extent this is due to the lack of awareness about the features and characteristics of genuine banknotes on the part of the general mass and most importantly for the blinds.

Absence of awareness helps the counterfeiters to push their products in circulation and get away without much trouble which encourages further spread of the crime. In this perspective holding of an awareness program on bank note identification for the blind is a praiseworthy which is sure to yield a very much effective result.

I wish the program optimum success.

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