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DISCUSSION ON REFUGEES IN NEW YORK: NOW IS THE TIME TO TAKE POLITICAL STEPS IN RAKHINE: KHALILUR RAHMAN



The event, titled “The Global Refugee and the Asylum System: What Went Wrong and How to Fix It”, was chaired by US Deputy Secretary of State Christopher Landau. Representatives from Bangladesh, Panama, Liberia, and Kosovo took part in the discussion, along with participants from other countries, international organisations, and advisory groups.

National Security Adviser Khalilur Rahman has said that the situation in Myanmar’s Rakhine State is comparatively improving. Therefore, the time has come to take genuine political steps there.

He made this remark last Thursday in New York at a discussion organised by the US State Department on the sidelines of the United Nations General Assembly session.

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Responding to a question on whether refugees, once recognised and given asylum, can stay in a host country indefinitely, the National Security Adviser said that 50 years ago the people of Bangladesh had suffered a horrific genocide. As a result, nearly 10 million Bangladeshis crossed the border and took refuge in India. Fortunately, the war situation did not last long.

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**A HIGH-LEVEL
CONFERENCE IS SET TO
TAKE PLACE AT THE UN
ON SEPT 30**

A landmark international conference on the Rohingya issue will take place at the United Nations headquarters in New York on Sept 30, yet no representatives from the refugee community have been invited.

The exclusion has drawn criticism from Rohingya refugees living in camps in Bangladesh, who say a conference about their future without their presence is both “disappointing and symbolic of their ongoing marginalisation”.

“They’re organising a global conference on us, without us. It feels like a play without a lead,” said Rohingya community leader Syed Ullah, speaking to bdnews24.com from Cox’s Bazar.

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**BHASAN CHAR: FAILURE OF
HUMANITARIAN SPECTACLE**



WHEN the first batch of Rohingya refugees were ferried to Bhasan Char in 2020, the stage was set with lofty promises and confident rhetoric. The island, a patch of land rising out of the Bay of Bengal, was portrayed as a safe haven. Concrete cluster villages, embankments against tidal surges, cyclone shelters doubling as schools and medical centres — everything was showcased as proof of a grand humanitarian vision. It was not just a project, it was a political statement: Bangladesh had ‘solved’ the refugee crisis, at least for a select number of them.

But five years later, the glitter of the promise has eroded. Behind the numbers, the embankments, and the brick houses, Bhasan Char is slowly

unmasking itself as what it always was — a deeply flawed experiment built on fragile assumptions, questionable motives, and a cavalier disregard for human dignity. It is not merely a logistical headache; it is a monument to the hubris of a government that confused spectacle for sustainability and concrete walls for compassion.

The truth is now plain: the relocation to Bhasan Char has stopped. The interim government that replaced the Awami League has allowed the project to wither quietly, unwilling to either defend it or dismantle it outright. That hesitation itself tells the story. The grand design that once consumed billions of taka from the public purse has turned into a burden no one wants to own.

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