## SALE NO. 3 – HELD ON MAY 08, 2023.

 Offering:
 Leaf:
 Dust:

 (In pkgs)
 21,435 (25,046)
 6,054 (6,513)

1,486 (Season: 2022) 299 (Season: 2022)

## (Last year in brackets)

Quality: Showed some decline.

**Demand:** Good demand initially but slackened as sale progressed.

**<u>Buyers:</u>** A few of the major blenders lent fairly good support. Loose Tea Traders were less active than last.

## **LEAF-CTC:**

**<u>Brokens</u>** Met with a good demand initially which however, slackened as sale progressed leading to further lower rates with fair withdrawals.

Fannings: Met with an easier market generally by Tk. 10/15 and there were fair withdrawals.

**Bought-Leaf Teas:** Met with selective demand. Withdrawals were rather heavy.

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CTC BROKENS CTC FANNINGS					
	(In Taka)	(In US \$)	(In Taka)	(In US \$)	
Best	240 – 255	2.25 – 2.39	235 – 245	2.21 – 2.30	
Good	225 – 235	2.11 - 2.21	220 - 230	2.07 - 2.16	

US \$ 1= TK. 106.49						
Plain	137 – 157	1.29 – 1.47	140 – 157	1.31 – 1.47		
Medium	200 – 220	1.88 – 2.07	200 – 215	1.88 - 2.02		
Good	225 – 235	2.11 – 2.21	220 – 230	2.07 - 2.16		
best	240 – 255	2.25 - 2.39	235 – 245	2.21 - 2.30		

The above quotations represent the median range within which the teas have sold and do not indicate the highest and lowest prices.

TOP PRICE realised (relating to our catalogue only.)

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Mark.	<u>Brok.</u>	Fangs.	<u>Dust</u>
Baramasia	Tk. 258	Tk. 245	Tk. 277

<u>Dust:</u> Met with a good demand at rates Tk. 10/20 below last. CD's eased considerably in value.

<u>Comment:</u> There was far less excitement noticeable in this sale as buyers operated rather selectively and held much lower limits. Over-all quality showed a decline. Most prices were generally Tk. 10/15 lower than last and often more. CD's declined sharply in value.