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# HSBC EXPORT EXCELLENCE AWARDS: SUBMISSION DEADLINE FOR SME CATEGORY EXTENDED

The submission deadline for the SME category at the 5<sup>th</sup> HSBC Export Excellence Awards has been extended till 28 July 2014. SME exporters with annual export turnover (non RMG/Textiles) of less than US\$5 Million can submit their nominations to be selected as one of five 'Exporter of the Year' titles.

The nomination deadline for SME category has been extended based on numerous requests from the exporters\_in SME sector. Nomination criteria and other requirements will remain the same. Nomination forms are available in www.hsbc.com.bd website.

HSBC Export Excellence Awards is a unique export recognition programme to recognise and honour Bangladeshi exporters for their contribution to the country's growing export base and economy.

Previous winners of the SME category at the HSBC Export Excellence Awards are Creation (Pvt) Limited, Graphic People Limited, Bay Footwear Limited and Brain Station-23.

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