



## Mr. Md. Rofique Miah

Place of Residence: **East Sussex**  
Sector: **Business**

**M**r Rofique Miah is the eldest son of late Al-hajj Terab Ali (Chairman) hailing from the Village of Paragon of Kalkali Union under Jagannathpur Thana in Sunamgonj district. Born in 1955, Mr Miah completed his secondary and primary education in Bangladesh before leaving for the UK with his parents in 1968.

When arriving in the UK Mr Miah and his family lived in the Dorset area of Bournemouth. He studied in Dorchester Boys School for two years whilst studying he kept down many part time jobs. Whilst completing his education Mr Miah started thinking about launching his own trade business, so with that in mind he moved from the Bournemouth area to reside in Brighton, East Sussex.

After doing many jobs Rofique Miah began his career as a businessman by establishing an Indian restaurant named Ashoka in 1977. Within a short period of time Mr Miah opened up a chain of twelve businesses one after another including; Bombay Indian Restaurant, Rajpoot, Sagar, Rajrani, Rajgate, Golistan and many more in Brighton.



Apart from being a successful businessman Mr Rofique Miah is a dedicated and committed Social Worker. He is the newly elected president of Jagganathpur British Bangladesh Education Trust UK, EC member of Bangladesh Caterer's Association, director of Jagganathpur Kallyan Trust, president of Sussex Bangladesh Association, former president of BNP Sussex branch, president of Sussex Muslim Society, former director of Black Ethnic Minority Group and the chief executive of Shajalal Mosque.

Apart from been a success in

Britain Mr Miah is also well known in his home country of Bangladesh. He is the founder trustee of Shajalal College based in Jagganathpur Thana, Paragon Ideal High School and the Bangladesh Female Academy in Dirai Thana. Moreover he is the convener of the newly formed Kalkali Union Development organisation. One of the directors of Cambridge School based in Pirmahallah in Sylhet Town and Silmark Private Ltd Company.

Mr Rofique Miah is married to Ms Amina Begum and he is the proud father of five daughters and two sons.