

College teachers withdraw strike programme

The teachers of the government colleges have withdrawn their programme of strike which was scheduled to start from today (Saturday), reports BSS.

A decision to this effect was taken at separate meetings of the leaders of Bangladesh Government College Teachers' Association, BCS General Education Association, Bangladesh Government College Professors' Association (Kamal-Badiul), Lecturers' Association (Kamal-Altal), Bangladesh Government College Professors Association (Hatem-Mamta) and Bangladesh Government College Lecturers' Association (Parveen-Awal) with Education Minister Barrister Jamiruddin Sircar, held at the latter's residence in Dhaka on Friday a PID handout said.

The leaders apprised the Minister of various demands of the associations including promotion of the teachers to 20 per cent reserve posts, creation of posts in 61 colleges, promotion of the teachers on completion of a definite period of service, giving retrospective effect to the promoted teachers and abolition of discriminations scales for the teachers.

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