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100 pc basic salary for non-govt teachers likely

Education Minister Dr. Osman Farruk on Sunday said the government was actively considering 100 per cent basic salary for the non-government teachers and employees, reports BSS.

"The government will do it on availability of resources as necessary steps have already been undertaken to remove all discriminations between government and non-government teachers," he said.

The Minister said this while addressing a seminar on "Teachers for Good Education and Role of Teachers' Organizations in Eradicating Copying," jointly organized by Bangladesh College Teachers Association and Bangladesh Principals' Council.

Education Secretary Sahidul Alam, Vice-Chancellor of National University Prof. Abdul Momin Chowdhury, Pro-Vice Chancellor Prof. Khalilur Rahman, Journalist Gias Kamal Chowdhury and General Secretary of the Principals' Council Majharul Hannan, among others, took part in the discussion. President of Principals' Council Prof. M Shariful Islam presided over the seminar.

Dr. Osman Farruk stressed upon drastic reform to improve the quality of education and said the government had already ignited that process, side by side putting the right persons in right places.

He said teachers of non-government institutions could make more contribution to improve quality of education and asked them to put in their best to make today's generation as tomorrow's leaders in all spheres.