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**DU exams on Sunday, Monday postponed**

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The teachers' representatives of Dhaka University Syndicate at a meeting with Vice-Chancellor Prof. A.K. Azad Chowdhury in the chair decided to postpone all the examinations scheduled to be held today (Sunday) and tomorrow (Monday).

A DU Press release on Saturday said the fresh dates for the postponed examinations will be announced later.

The meeting urged all the student organisations and all concerned to extend cooperation in holding examinations and other academic programmes of the university smoothly.

**Tension in DU**

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opponent JCD demanded removal of the occupants from the hall.

It may be mentioned that the BCL (S-P) members captured the Surya Sen Hall, a stronghold of JCD on Thursday following clashes between two factions of JCD over establishing supremacy at the hall.

A tense situation has been prevailing on the campus. A large number of police personnel have been posted at the hall gates and adjoining areas of the hall to avert any untoward incident. Hall sources said, apprehending further clash many students left the hall on Saturday.

The JCD Press conference held at the National Press Club was attended by JCD President Shahiduddin Chowdhury Ani, General Secretary Habib-un-Nabi Sohel, A.B.M. Mosharraf Hossain, Monir Hossain and Nasiruddin Washim, among others.

The JCD leaders said the BCL members instigated an expelled member of JCD to capture the hall and taking the opportunity the BCL members captured the hall with the assistance of police.

The JCD leaders said that a meeting of Education and Environmental Council of Dhaka University recently decided that the activists of any organisation could stay in any hall taking permission from the Provost of respective hall and that is why the JCD members who were ousted from the seven BCL dominated hall of the University were staying at the Surya Sen Hall, Zia Hall, Jasimuddin Hall and Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Hall. So if the University authorities decided to allow the residential students to stay at their halls that will go against the JCD, the JCD leader said.

"The Vice-Chancellor has fully failed to restore peaceful academic atmosphere in the University," the leaders added.

As per the programme, the JCD members will also hold rally at the Aparajeyo Bangla of the University tomorrow (Monday), and stage demonstration at all the educational institutions and district headquarter on July 30. It will also hold a rally in front of the National Press Club on July 31 and will announce next programme from the rally.