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Syndicate resents DU closure

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The Dhaka University Syndicate on Sunday expressed surprise over the Government decision to close the University and observed that the decisions was contrary to the Dhaka University Ordinance, 1973.

Resenting the Government decision to close the University, the Syndicate of Dhaka University at an emergency meeting on Sunday under the chairmanship of Vice-Chancellor Prof. Moniruzzaman Miah said the Government instruction to close the University without consulting the Syndicate and the Vice-Chancellor at least was not in conformity with the Dhaka University Ordinance, 1973.

The syndicate decided to defer all the examinations under course system and traditional system as announced earlier.

The meeting of the syndicate said the Government announcement to close the University came at 10:30 p.m. news bulletin of Bangladesh Television asking the students to vacate the Halls by 7 a.m. on Sunday. The Vice-Chancellor informed the meeting of the Syndicate about the news and said that thousands of students assembled in front of his residence after the news was telecast. The students, he further informed the meeting, staged demonstrations representing the Government decision.