

New Ctg varsity VC soon?

Chittagong Office

CHITTAGONG, July 8.— Chittagong University Vice-Chancellor Prof. Alamgir Mohammad Shirajuddin is learnt to have been officially asked to meet the University Chancellor and Acting President Justice Shahabuddin.

The official message as conveyed to the Vice-Chancellor by the District Administration on Saturday.

The official sources said that the Vice-Chancellor was advised to see the Chancellor on Sunday morning.

However, Vice-Chancellor Prof Alamgir Mohammad Shirajuddin could not come to Dhaka on Sunday to meet the Chancellor.

The Vice-Chancellor Prof Alamgir Mohammad Shirajuddin is likely to leave for Dhaka today.

Meanwhile, there is rumour in Chittagong that the resignation of Prof Alamgir Mohammad Shirajuddin is now imminent. The possible candidates are Prof Rafiqul Islam Chowdhury of Political Science, Department of Chittagong University, Prof Murtaza Bashir of Fine Arts Department of Chittagong University and Prof Abdul Momin Chowdhury of General History Department of Dhaka University. There is also a proposal for appointment of a retired Supreme Judge for the post of Chittagong University Vice-Chancellor. But no official views in this respect were available.

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Meanwhile, emergency syndicate meeting of Chittagong University was held at the campus residence of the VC under protection of police and BDR personnel.

The Vice-Chancellor Prof Alamgir Mohammad Shirajuddin presided over the meeting that lasted over one hour in the morning.

The total number of members present at the meeting could not be known. The Chittagong University Syndicate consists of altogether seventeen members.

Interestingly enough, there was no previous announcement given by the University for this syndicate meeting. For an emergency meeting of Syndicate, the University does not need to give previous announcement, said a senior teacher of Chittagong University.

The agenda of syndicate meeting could not be known. However, there is a provision of taking up of one agenda in an emergent syndicate meeting.

The quiet holding of syndicate meeting by the Vice-Chancellor ignoring the protest of opponents had aggravated the situation in Chittagong University. The police and BDR are on vigilance round the clock to check any possible outbreak of violence in Chittagong University.