

## Tenure of V-C, pro-V-C of CU extended

Chittagong Office

CHITTAGONG, Dec. 30:—Professor Rafiqul Islam Chowdhury and Professor Badiul Alam today have got extension in their job of Vice Chancellor and Pro-Vice Chancellor of Chittagong University respectively.

These two top administrative heads of the University of Chittagong on their completion of terms together retired from their posts on December 29.

The Vice-Chancellor Professor Rafiqul Islam Chowdhury and Pro-Vice Chancellor Badiul Alam—both from the Political Science Department of the University got appointment to their respective posts on December 29, 1991. While the V.C. got the appointment for a term of four years, the pro-V.C. got for two years. However, the pro-V.C. got extension for two consecutive terms.

When the Vice Chancellor was contacted tonight, he confirmed the extension of his and pro-V.C's job. The order passed by the Chancellor's office said, "They will continue to hold their offices till further notice".

According to a competent university sources, the incumbent Vice-Chancellor and pro-Vice Chancellor will hold their posts till the election of 3-member V.C. panel for Chittagong University.

Meanwhile, there is now an impasse in the election of 3-member V.C. panel for Chittagong University. Upon a Writ Petition of one university teacher alleging anomaly in the voter list of Senate members, a High Court Division of the Supreme Court gave injunction on the holding of election to the Chittagong University V.C. panel.

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