

Govt urged to recover materials from Delhi, Pindi

Mr. A. B. M. Shamsuddoula, President of the Council of Islamic Studies and Research, on Sunday appealed to the Government to take necessary steps for the earliest recovery of the Bangladesh materials from the India Office Library and Records, London, Indian National Library and Museum, Calcutta, and National Library of Pakistan, Islamabad reports BSS.

In a Press statement, Mr. Shamsuddoula, said that historically and constitutionally Bangladesh is the major and rightful successor to the India Office Library and Records, London. Both India and Pakistan have been getting many privileges. But unfortunately, Bangladesh continues to be deprived of her rights and privileges, he said.

Mr. Shamsuddoula also added that it was regretful that ever since the emergence of Bangladesh in 1971 the Government of Bangladesh has been taking no steps as to the rights of Bangladesh in the India Office Library and Records, London, in spite of formal public opinions and communications.