

Steps taken to bring about change in edn system

Education Minister Barrister Jamiruddin Sircar Friday called upon the employees of education department to put in their sincere efforts for introducing a dynamic, efficient and people-oriented educational administration in the country, reports BSS.

The Education Minister was speaking as chief guest at the biennial conference of Bangladesh Secondary and Higher Education employees combined parishad at the Shikhhah Parishad auditorium in Dhaka, a PID handout said.

Presided over by president of the parishad Mr Salehuddin Selim, the conference was addressed by State Minister for Textiles Major (retd) Abdul Mannan; Director General of Secondary and Higher Education Department Prof M Eunus Miah; President of Dhaka city Jatiyatabadi Sramik Dal Mr AKM Nazrul Islam and general secretary of the parishad Mr Khuram Mollah.

The Education Minister said the present democratic government has taken steps towards bringing about a qualitative and quantitative change in the system of secondary and higher education. He said Na-

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tional University, Open University and private universities would bring an improvement in the standard of higher education in the country.

He opined that the employees of education department will have to work with sincerity, honesty and dedication for making the government programmes in education sector success. He added that proper steps have already been taken towards regularising the services of the employees and giving them time scale.

State Minister for Textiles, Major (retd) MA Mannan, said the present government has given highest priority in education sector.