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FBUTA firm to resist amendment to Varsity Ordinance

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The Standing Committee of the Federation of Bangladesh University Teachers' Associations (FBUTA) at a meeting on Monday expressed resentment over what it said Government's bid to amend the University Ordinance by the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Education and announced its firm determination to resist any conspiracy against the University autonomy.

The meeting, held at Dhaka University Club with FBUTA President Mustahidur Rahman in the chair, said that the Government's attempt to amend the Ordinance would hamper the autonomy of the University and the democratic rights of the teachers community. Any change in the University Ordinance without discussing it with the leaders of FBUTA and other teachers associations may spoil the academic atmosphere on the campuses, the meeting opined.

The meeting also demanded compilation of a democratic ordinance like the University Ordinance-1973 for BUET, Agriculture University, Islamic University, Khulna University and Shahjalal University.