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## Professionals call to reopen CU

CHITTAGONG, Jan. 21  
Peshajibi Samannay Parishad in a statement, today called for the immediate reopening of Chittagong University by evicting "unauthorised and armed" occupants of the student halls, reports BSS.

Some armed ~~occupiers~~ forcibly occupied the University's student dormitories on Jan. 6, creating stalemate in reopening.

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ing the University and the dormitories.

The statement said a meeting of the representatives of the Parishad yesterday expressed support to the on-going movement for "restoration" of democracy in the country and called upon all professional groups to come forward to strengthen the movement.

In a resolution the Parishad called for resignation of the present government to pave way for holding free and fair elections under a neutral and

caretaker government.

It called for release of lawyer Shamsul Huq Chowdhury and all political detainees, withdrawal of restriction on newspapers and lifting of Emergency.

The meeting resolved to hold a gathering of professionals in the first week of February and formed a sub-committee with engineer L K Siddiqui, Al-haj A K M Mahmudul Huq, Prof Abdun Noor and Jane Alam to organise the gathering.

Chaired by Parishad's Chief Coordinator Advocate Abu Saleh Chowdhury, the meeting was addressed by Engineer L K Siddiqui, Chittagong District Secondary School Teachers' Association President Al-haj A K M Mahmudul Huq, Homeopathic Parishad's Dr. Mohammad Ayub, Peshajibi Samannay Parishad's Joint Convener Prof Abdun Noor and newsmen Iskander Ali Chowdhury.