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Deprived teachers to hold convention on Dec 2

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ional convention of the teach- who have been deprived in the five years, organised by ional Front of Teachers and ployees (NFTE), has been cheduled to be held onember 2 instead of today.

The themes that will be dis- sed in the convention at ineers' Institute include state- ment of teacher representatives on iticisation of the education tor and repression and probable asures to stop repressions.

They will also urge the pres- it/chief adviser to handover the ge of education sector to any iser.

The convention will begin at 00am and it is expected that ami League President Sheikh sina will inaugurate the day- function, said leaders of TE, a platform of 11-teachers lemployees organisations.

At a press conference at the tional Press Club, NFTE Chief -ordinator and Convenor Prof azi Farruque said they have entified teachers have been pressed in sixways in the last five rs. They are sacking teachers m their jobs, preventing them entering educational ins es, issuing orders to stop r ents, depriving them of two ht year time scale, de- titutes of MPO saying they unpower structure and llying to bring teach

He warned that they will enforce tougher agitations if the caretaker government does not cancel the conditional circular of depositing tuition fees to the government fund against enjoying cent per cent salary from government exchequer.

According to the circular issued by education ministry, teachers

will have to deposit tuition fees collected from students to the government fund.

Among others, NFTE leaders Mohammad Azizul Islam, Prof Shahjahan, Prof Asadul Haq, Prof Abdur Rashid, SMA Jalil, Prof Al Chowdhury Manik, Bilkis Jaman Abdul Mannan and M Arju were also present at the conference. /