

## ban in BUET protested

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The Engineering University Central Students' Union (EUCSU) and different student organisations on Tuesday protested against the suspension of the student unions and embargo on student politics on the BUET campus.

Blasting on the authorities' decision of suspending of activities, the EUCSU termed the decision simply out of jurisdiction of the Academic Council as per the BUET Ordinance 1962.

"The decision was taken deliberately to divert the reality towards a different course to continue the unusual situation prevailing on the campus, said an EUCSU statement signed by its General Secretary Hasib Mustabshir.

A vested quarter is trying to undermine the EUCSU before the nation involving it in the killing of Sabequn Nahar Sony, the EUCSU statement said and demanded immediate publication of the probe-body's report.

The EUCSU demanded exemplary punishment to all those responsible for the Sony killing and the incidents took place as its backlash. It demanded resumption of classes on August 3 at any cost.

Protesting the government's move to ban student politics and the embargo on BUET campus, left leaning Samajtantrik Chhatra Front (SCF), Bangladesh Chhatra Union (SCF) and Awami League-backed Bangladesh Chhatra

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## Student polit

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League (BCL) demonstration the Dhaka University campus the day.

After a huge procession campus, Samajtantrik Front held a rally at the Shaheed Minar. When the procession was passing through the Canteen, activists and irrespective of any organ applauded it. Interestingly, lists of ruling party's student Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal gave their support to the procession.

The authorities used the nance issued during the Ayub Khan to ban student politics on the BUET campus ; which the students and leaders came out on the streets in the leaders' said.

Sony was killed in the gap between two factions of the party's student wing and BUET authorities, government machinery were thorough formed of the confrontation leaders said added that ban student politics on the campus nothing but the authorities tempt to ignore its failure.

The BCL leaders and students held a rally at DUCSU on DU campus demanding immediate withdrawal of the embargo imposed on BUET campus.

The leaders termed the authorities' decision an act of banning student politics enacting law. They vowed to resist any such attempt.

Meanwhile, forty top former student leaders in a statement condemned the government's decision of banning student politics.

The government was out to student politics in the name of curbing terrorism but the incidents they were showing as external were just inner conflict of student front, the leaders said government high-ups are directly involved in those incidents patronising the terrorists, the former student leaders said.

Obaidul Kader, Bahlul Mahmudur Rahman, Chunnur, Mahmudur Rahman Mannā, Akhtaruzzaman, Farid Hossain Badsha, Anwarul Islam Shirin Akhter, Mushtaq Hossain, Sultan M Mansur Ahmed, A Rahman Dhali, Enayetullah Khan, Noor Ahmed Bakul, Ak Sobhan Masroor, Ragib Al Munna are prominent among signatories.