

SUST pro-AL teachers hold sit-in for VC's removal

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A SECTION of pro-Awami League teachers of Shahjalal University of Science and Technology staged sit-in on the campus on Sunday as part of their ongoing movement demanding withdrawal of the university vice-chancellor, Aminul Haque Bhuiyan.

Meanwhile, a group of activists of Bangladesh Chhatra League, student organisation of the ruling AL, held a demonstration against the teachers' movement on the campus.

The agitating teachers under the banner of Muktizudher Chetanay Udbuddha Shikkhak Parishad staged a sit-in in front of the main entrance of the registrar building from 8:00am to 4:00pm to press the demand for withdrawal of the vice-chancellor.

On the other hand, a group of BCL activists, under the banner of gen-

eral students, staged a demonstration at Mukta-mancha, some 150 yards from the registrar building, at noon demanding immediate end to the teachers' movement for the sake of proper atmosphere of education on the campus.

The pro-Awami League teachers started their movement on April 20. Thirty-five senior teachers also had resigned from 37 administrative posts to protest against the VC's alleged irregularities, nepotism and misbehavior with the teachers.

In the face of teachers' movement, Aminul Haque was forced to go for a two-month leave on April 23 citing personal ground.

The teachers resumed their movement on June 18 as Aminul Haque declared that he would return to the campus after ending his leave that ended on June 23.