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**PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES
Body formed for
appointment of
VC, pro-VC**

UNB, Dhaka

The government has formed a seven-member committee, headed by the education secretary, to ensure transparency in appointing vice-chancellors, pro-vice-chancellors and treasurers of the public universities.

Other members of the committee are Prof Wahiduddin Mahmud, Dr Farash Uddin, Prof Syed Manjurul Islam, representative of the University Grants Commission, joint secretary and deputy secretary of the education ministry, said a press release yesterday.

The committee will collect the updated list of senior professors of the universities and select from among them the qualified and the best candidates for the vacant posts.

However, the appointment of vice-chancellors of Dhaka, Rajshahi, Jahangirnagar, and Chittagong universities will remain out of the purview of the committee, the press release added.