

## BDR intensifies patrol to foil push-in by BSF

BSS, Dinajpur

Bangladesh Rifles (BDR) has intensified patrol at different points of the frontier following push-in bids by the Border Security Forces (BSF) of India on Friday.

BDR sources said that the BDR jawans always keep vigil to foil any

provocative act in the bordering areas.

When asked they, however, said, "The situation is not that tense to maintain red alert in the areas."

BDR officials said that the situation in the bordering areas was now under control.

### ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION

## KU pro-VC withdrawn

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Khulna University Pro-Vice Chancellor Professor Dr Syed Jabid Hossain has been withdrawn.

An official letter was sent to the Khulna University in this regard yesterday. He has been asked to join his previous job in the Department of Accounting of Rajshahi University.

Dr Jabid, hailing from Rampal upazila of Bagerhat district joined the Khulna University as pro-VC on February 3, 2002.

KU sources said that he was

withdrawn as he was facing allegations of corruption, nepotism and malpractices. Inquiry against him is going on, the sources added.

I have been the victim of conspiracy hatched up by a section of teachers and officials of the university, Dr Jabid said refuting all allegations against him.

Dr Jabid allegedly provided jobs to many people of his district taking bribes as chairman of the KU recruitment committee.

## One murdered in Sonargaon clash

BDNEWS, Narayanganj

A man was killed and a dozen of people were injured in clashes between two rival groups at Anandabazar area in Sonargaon upazila in Narayanganj on Sunday.

Police sources said armed goons of Sarkar group hacked Rafiqul Islam to death when he was going to bazar at about 7:30am. Rafiqul Islam was son of late Hasan Ali of Panchabati at Orakandi area

of Anandabazar. He was a witness in Gafur murder case. Gafur was a member of Galua group.

Sarkar and Galua groups have long been engaged in factional feud.

Meanwhile, supporters of Galua group attacked the houses of Sarkar group injuring a dozen of people following the death of Rafiqul.

Police arrested five people in this connection. A tense situation was prevailing in the area.



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Student organisations against terrorism and communalism lay siege to the education ministry yesterday protesting the distortion of history on the War of Liberation in textbooks.