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## A win at last for Comilla

SPORTS REPORTER

Six matches. It took the reigning champions of the Bangladesh Premier League six matches to get off the mark. Comilla Victorians skipper Mashrafe Bin Mortaza will hope that their 32-run win over the Rajshahi Kings in Chittagong yesterday can help change the course of their luck so far.

Just like every other game, Comilla decided to tinker with their squad again yesterday when they let Nazmul Hossain Shanto and Khalid Latif open the innings. They also dropped Rashid Khan and brought in Ryan Ten Doeschate.

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## Procedure explained it all

SHAKHAWAT LITON

The procedure proposed by BNP chief Khaleda Zia for forging a consensus thrice among political parties to form the new Election Commission offers Herculean tasks to be accomplished.

The nature of the tasks as laid down in her proposals appears prima facie almost impossible to get done.

There is justified reason for apprehension that the process to arrive at the

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## NEWS ANALYSIS

MAGISTRACY FOR ARMED FORCES

## An outrageous proposal

SHAKHAWAT LITON

Khaleda Zia's proposal for deployment of armed forces with magisterial power in parliamentary election duty is outrageous.

If they are given the judicial clout, members of the army, navy, and air force will try people on charges of creating disturbances in the elections.

It is the magistrates who hold judicial powers. They have been given this task and they have exercised this power in previous elections.

On the other hand, the armed forces tried offenders by

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**TOP QUOTE**

"What we have seen at Madarpur Santal village [in Gaibandha] cannot merely be termed a brutal communal attack. It can be compared with the brutality committed in 1971."

**SANJEEB DRONG,**  
GENERAL SECRETARY OF  
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