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BUET rejects students' plea to withdraw expulsion order

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The Academic Council of Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET) has rejected the appeal of two students for withdrawal of expulsion order on them and suspended the expulsion of another student following his appeal.

The appeal of Farid Ahmed, a 4th year student and Mahfuzur Rahman, a 5th year student, were rejected. The expulsion order on the other, Kamal Kumar Roy, was suspended.

The three students were expelled recently because of their alleged involvement in
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objectionable activities.

The students of BUET kept off their classes after the morning break yesterday protesting rejection of appeal of the two students.

Meanwhile, it has now become uncertain whether all the students organisations are going to participate in the ensuing EUCSU election.

There may be a polarization in the All Party BUET Students Committee in favour and against the election, although APBSC had earlier announced that they would not participate in the election if the authorities did not withdraw the expulsion orders.

Bangladesh Students Union (BSU) had decided to take part in the election and Bangladesh Chattra-League (S-R) is also marching with them. Jatiyatabadi Chattra Dal (JCD) has called an emergency meeting of its central committee to decide the issue. But a leader of JCD said that they agreed to boycott the election if other organisations came with them. Bangladesh Chhatra League (M-N) is in their side.

The last day for submitting nomination papers for the elections is today.