

## Cabinet committee reconstituted to address salary disparities

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THE government has reconstituted the cabinet committee for addressing disparities in the new pay structure for public servants.

The reconstituted committee led by the finance minister includes the industries minister, the commerce minister, minister/state minister of the public administration ministry, the

education minister, the law minister and the state minister for finance and planning ministry.

According a gazette notification issued by the Cabinet Division on Tuesday, the finance division would provide secretarial assistance to the committee.

The seven-member committee included the commerce minister, the industries minister and the law

minister as members, but excluded the information minister.

Meanwhile, finance minister AMA Muhith on Wednesday said the reconstituted committee would first review demands by the public university teachers next month.

He was talking to reporters at his secretariat office in the backdrop of scheduled work abstain programme of

the public university teachers.

The cabinet on September 7 approved the new pay scales for public servants.

Public university teachers, officials belonging to all Bangladesh Civil Service cadres other than administration and foreign affairs have demanded retention of selection grades and time-scales in the new pay structure.