GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION UNIVERSITY BRANCH BIKASH BHAVAN, SALT LAKE, KOLKATA - 700091

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Dated 29/10/2025

NOTIFICATION

WHEREAS, the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India had constituted Search-cum-Selection Committee for recommendation to the post of Vice-Chancellor in SLP 17403 of 2023 (State of West Bengal Vs. Dr. Sanat Kumar Ghosh & Ors.) through solemn order dated 08.07.2024 (hereinafter referred to as the said order);

AND WHEREAS, in terms of the said order, names of persons to be appointed as Vice Chancellor as per the recommendation of the Search-cum-Selection Committee for the Biswa Bangla Biswabidyalay as constituted in terms of the said order, were placed before the Hon'ble Chancellor through the Hon'ble Chief Minister indicating the choice of the Hon'ble Chief Minister in order of preference;

AND WHEREAS, in terms of all subsequent orders including order dated 06.10.2025 of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the matter of SLP 17403 of 2023 (State of West Bengal Vs. Dr. Sanat Kumar Ghosh & Ors.), the Hon'ble Chancellor has approved the name of Prof. Dr. Abu Taleb Khan as the Vice-Chancellor of the Biswa Bangla Biswabidyalay;

NOW, THEREFORE, in terms of the above mentioned orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court and in exercise of the powers conferred by the Biswa Bangla Biswabidyalay Act, 2017, as amended from time to time, the Hon'ble Chancellor is hereby pleased to appoint Prof. Dr. Abu Taleb Khan as the Vice-Chancellor of the Biswa Bangla Biswabidyalay with effect from the date of joining for a period of four years or till he attains the age of seventy years, whichever is earlier.

Senior Special Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

- 1. Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Govt of West Bengal.
- 2. Prof. Dr. Abu Taleb Khan, Professor, Department of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati, Assam.
- 3. Registrar, Biswa Bangla Biswabidyalay.
- 4. Director, Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati, Assam.
- 5. Private Secretary to the Minister-in-Charge, Higher Education Department;
- 6. Special Law Officer and Ex-officio Deputy Secretary(Law)
- 7. Deputy Secretary to the Hon'ble Governor of West Bengal.
- 8. Sr. P.S. to the Chief Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal.
- 9. Sr. P.S. to the Principal Secretary, Higher Education Department;
- 10. IT Cell of this Department, with a request to upload in the Departmental Website;
- 11. University Branch, Department of Higher Education
- 12. Guard file.

Deputy Secretary