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National Commission for Minorities

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**Subject: Alleged attack on Prof. J. L. Kaul, Vice Chancellor, Vikram University for pleading the cause of Kashmiri students.**

*Your Excellency,*

This is in reference to the reports in the media regarding the attack on Prof. J. N. Kaul, Vice Chancellor, Vikram University. His office was ransacked and although it is not clear what ensued thereafter, Prof. Kaul was subsequently admitted to the ICU of a private hospital. The reason for this attack was the Vice Chancellor's purported expression of compassion for students from J&K with an appeal to landlords to show leniency towards rent recovery. The state of J&K is in the midst of a massive tragedy and students are barely able to communicate with their families. The VC is to be lauded in anticipating the problems of students at his University and making a humanitarian appeal.

The National Commission for Minorities is shocked and dismayed that our Universities - institutions that are meant to be the pillars of progressive thinking - are being used as spaces for violence by those who feel empowered enough to attack the Head of an Institution.

We wish to convey our serious concern at this incident and hope that the Vice Chancellor will be protected and supported in standing by his appeal. We request you to kindly order an enquiry into the incident and to make sure that those held guilty are punished.

*With my best regards,*

Yours sincerely,

*Naseem Ahmad*  
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