## Governor accepts UPTU VC resignation

LUCKNOW: Governor Ram Naik on Thursday accepted the resignation of vice chancellor UPTU Prof RK Khandal.

VC of Madan Mohan Malaviya technical university Gorakhpur Prof Onkar Singh has been given additional charge of UPTU for six months. The governor has also asked for the constitution of a search committee for new VC of UPTU.

According to sources, the state government was upset with Khandal's style of functioning and had sought an explanation from him over several issues like appointments without seeking clearance from higher authorities and his frequent foreign visits.