



## Hasina's Tribunal Verdicts Likely by February, Says Chief Prosecutor



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Chief Prosecutor Mohammad Tazul Islam has expressed optimism that the ongoing trials against former Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina could be completed by February next year. The cases, numbering between eight and ten, are currently being heard at the International Crimes Tribunal.

Speaking to journalists in Dhaka on Saturday (August 30) after the Delta Conference 2025, Tazul Islam said investigators had made “substantial progress” in probing the human rights violations linked to the mass uprising of July–August 2024. He acknowledged that bringing charges against law enforcement officers involved in those events had been a major challenge, compounded by the destruction of key evidence. Even so, he noted, the trials are advancing at a steady pace.

Tazul Islam stressed that the proceedings are being conducted under international standards to ensure credibility and fairness. He further added that several landmark verdicts are expected soon, raising hopes that the nation will see the conclusion of Hasina's trials by February.