



Cllr Prince Sadik Choudhury

Place of Residence: **Northampton**
Sector: **Politics**

Councillor Prince Sadik Choudhury is the first Liberal Democrat British Bangladeshi Councillor in the whole of Northamptonshire. Cllr Choudhury is currently completing a Law degree at the University of Northampton, and it was during his years of study that he first became interested in politics. Cllr Sadik joined the Liberal Democrats and was successful in winning his seat in the Borough Council elections in May of 2007. He is presently the Councillor for the Thorplands Ward.

Cllr Sadik has had the benefit of a full Education here in England, having completed his GCSE's, A-levels and a HND in Business and Finance. Although his main forte remains to be politics, Cllr Choudhury is also involved with property management; a family run business comprising of buying, selling and letting property.

Prince Sadik Choudhury is also strongly occupied with numerous community activities and initiatives. He is the ex-manager of the Northampton Bangladeshi Football team. Moreover he is a trustee of Northamptonshire Muslim Council. He also holds many other prestigious posts, such as being an Executive member of Northampton Liberal Democrats Political Party and trustee of Corby Mosque.

Cllr Choudhury has made various contributions to his local community and is deeply associated with countless charity programmes. One of which was raising some



£5,000 for Northampton General Hospital, which has resulted in him being highly recognised by the NHS for his work. He is the first British Bangladeshi individual to be recognised by the NHS for such work in Northampton.

Sadik Choudhury's excellent work in politics and for the community led to meeting Dr Iftikhar Ahmed Choudhury during his visit to Bangladesh. During the visit Cllr Choudhury also represented the interests of his party by being an ambassador for the Liberal Democrats Shadow Foreign Minister Michael More MP. He took on this role so as to foster a link between Bangladesh and the UK. The visit to Bangladesh also enabled him to meet the British High Commissioner Anwar Choudhury, who invited Sadik and his wife for dinner at his residence.

Cllr Prince Sadik Choudhury has also written several articles for the

local Chronicle & Echo newspaper as well as the Northamptonshire BBC website, presenting his views and attitudes towards some very important issues. His articles for the Northamptonshire BBC still remain in existence on the website.

Sadik has been described by his party as vibrant, energetic and hardworking. This is evident in his participation within the local community, as well as through his work as a Councillor. At the present time he is working for the Council in providing bespoke services for Muslim burials in Northamptonshire. He is also working on the future development of Northampton, which is schedule to take place in 2012.

Sadik's commitment to politics and enthusiasm has made him one of the recognised British Bangladeshi individuals in Northamptonshire.