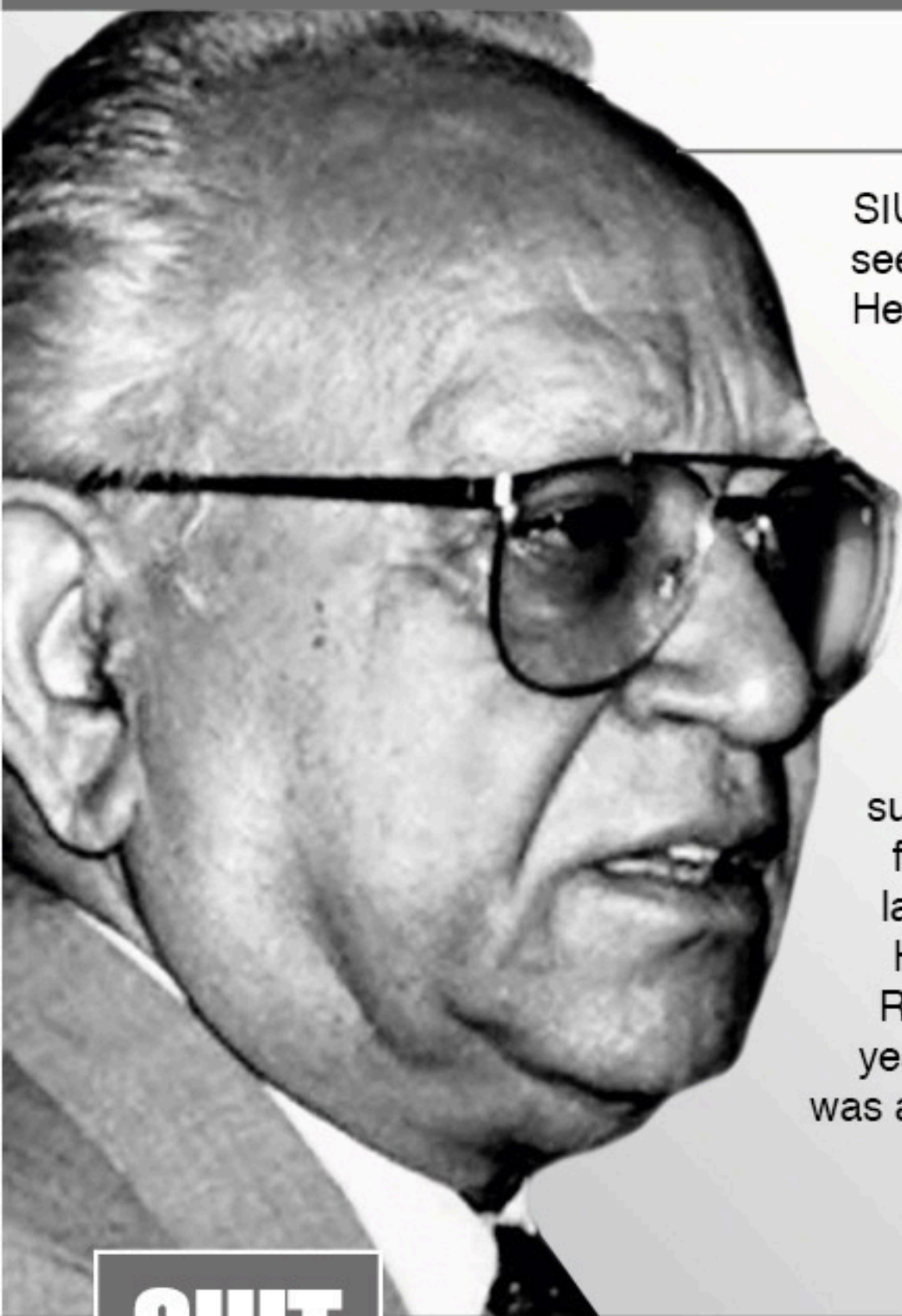


In Memoriam

Dr Syed Ali Jaffer Naqvi

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1934 – 2022



SIUT condoles the sad demise of Dr. Jaffer Naqvi. He is seen as the Founding Father of Nephrology in Pakistan. He returned to Pakistan after working for 11 years in the UK and USA as the first nephrologist who started Nephrology Ward 22 at the Jinnah Postgraduate Medical Centre in the 1970s with two dialysis machines that he brought with him from the USA. In addition he was an Executive Member of the Board of the International Society of Nephrology, and was incharge of the SE Asia Region. He served as the Provincial and Central Councilor of the PMA for some two decades and staunchly supported the cause of Health for All. Dr Naqvi laid the foundations of the Kidney Centre Karachi in 1985 and later started a 150 bed Kidney Foundation Nephrology Hospital near Karachi University. He is credited with a Registry of Dialysis in Pakistan that he operated for 14 years. He trained many nephrologists in his lifetime and was appointed Professor Emeritus at the Sindh Institute of Urology and Transplantation. At his death, he was still Patron in Chief of the Pakistan Society of Nephrology.

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