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Deposition completed Probe body report on SN Hall by Aug 18

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The Judicial Inquiry Commission formed to investigate the police intervention in Shamsunnahar Hall completed deposition of witnesses on Wednesday. It will submit report by August 18.

The Commission chief Justice Tafazzal Islam said he would submit the report within the time-frame and, if needed, he would cross check the information and the statements.

The commission in the last 14 days recorded statements of 71 persons including the students, teachers, university executives, police officials, constables, and the hall employees.

On the last day, the commission once again summoned the officer in charge of Ramna thana Lutfar Rahman, Assistant Commissioner

of DMP M Morshed and Sub Inspector Rokeya Begum for further interview.

The commission also called in the wireless operator of Dhaka Metropolitan Police Nurul Islam and sought all the wireless messages recorded on July 23 and 24.

Following the July 23 incidents in Shamsunnahar Hall, the Ministry of Home constituted the one-member commission headed by Justice Tafazzal Islam on July 25 to find what was happened inside the hall on that night and who were responsible for the incident. The commission was given seven days time. Later the time was extended by two more weeks.

Beside recording statements of the witnesses and those involved
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Probe body

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in the incidents, the commission also sought opinions of former DU vice chancellors Prof Ema-juddin Ahmed and Prof A.K. Azad Chowdhury, acting DU VC Prof A.F.M. Yusuf Haider, acting President of Dhaka University Teachers' Association (DUTA) Prof Abul Khair and DUTA General Secretary Sharif Ullah Bhuiyan.