

Probe body demanded DU proctor, two provosts resign

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One Proctor, two Provosts and a House Tutor of Dhaka University resigned from their respective posts on Wednesday night in protest against the lawlessness by some unruly student groups.

It is learnt, Proctor Kamrul Ahsan Chowdhury, Provost M. Mansur Musa Shahed Hasan, House Tutor of Zahirul Haq Hall and Shafi Ahmed, Provost of S.M. Hall submitted resignations separately to the Vice-Chancellor on Wednesday night.

Some agitated students on Wednesday threatened the provosts of Zahirul Haq Hall and S.M. Hall of Dhaka University with dire consequences for their protest against the unruly behaviour.

Witnesses said some students belonging to Chhatra League (A-A) on Wednesday besieged the office of the Proctor of S.M. Hall in protest against the police raid. Later they ransacked the office of provost in

presence of provost Shafi Chowdhury. They also demanded his resignation at gun point. They also misbehaved with Mr. M. Mansur Musa provost of Zahirul Haq Hall. The unruly student ransacked a room of Zahirul Haq Hall. Talking to the

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Observer Mr Musa said that a group of students of the Hall threatened him several times. He said that students of this organisation had been trying to pressurise him in different ways.

The Dhaka University Syndicate at a meeting held on Thursday urged the Vice-Chancellor of Dhaka university to form an inquiry committee to probe into the law and order situation on the campus and submit reports as soon as possible and take necessary steps for punishing those responsible for the incidents.

The syndicate meeting also urged the Vice-Chancellor to make necessary changes in the existing laws of the Dhaka University to take speedy actions against any student found responsible for misconduct and creating law and order situation in future.

The Syndicate meeting condemned incidents in which some students assaulted the son of the proctor, intimidated the provost of S.M. Hall and Zahirul Haq Hall and expressed grave concern over the incidents.

The decisions were taken at the syndicate meetings which presided over by Vice-Chancellor Prof. Moniruzzaman Miah. The Vice-Chancellor apprised the syndicate members of the law and order situation on the campus specially the incidents which took place during the last two days.