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BCL factions clash: 2 hurt on CU campus

CHITTAGONG, June 7:—Two activists of pro-Awami League Chhatra League were injured with bullet in an intra-party clash on the Chittagong University campus today (Saturday), campus and hospital sources said, reports UNB.

They said Raihan and Abu Taher, supporters of a BCL faction led by

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Sahjahan, were wounded when activists of rival Ujjal group opened fire on them at the University Railway Station at about 1.20 pm.

Raihan, a second year student of Law Department, was struggling for life in Chittagong Medical College Hospital, Abu Taher, also a university student, was admitted to the hospital.

The clash began as some supporters of Shahjahan group shouted at the activists of Ujjal group, who were leaving the campus in a shuttle train under police protection provided at the instruction of university authorities.

Police fired three rounds of blank shots and three tear shells to bring the situation under control.

Earlier, the university authorities arranged a meeting at the VC office for an amicable settlement between the two belligerent groups which had clashed on the campus Thursday leaving three students injured.

Additional police were deployed on the campus to avert further untoward incident.