

DU fact finding body formed

A three-member Fact Finding Committee has been constituted with the Proctor of Dhaka University as its Convenor to specifically determine the incidents that occurred at the campus on Friday in which one student was killed and several others injured, reports BSS.

The Fact Finding Committee was formed at an emergency meeting of the Syndicate of Dhaka University Saturday with Vice-Chancellor Prof. M. Maniruzzaman Miah in the chair.

The other members of the committee are Prof. Manirul Huq, Provost of Muktiyoddha Ziaur Rahman Hall and Prof. Harun-or-Rashid, Provost of F. Rahman Hall.

The meeting noted armed violence between rival student groups Friday and observed that if such situation continued, many more sad incidents could occur and claim valuable lives.

The Syndicate called upon the Government and all concerned quarters to take up effective measures unitedly for finding a permanent solution to the problem.

The meeting expressed its deep condolence at the death of a meritorious student of the Department of Soil Science Moin Hossain Raju and conveyed sympathy to the members of the bereaved family.

In another decision, the meeting demanded arrest of the persons responsible for killing of Raju and taking up legal action in this regard.

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Meanwhile, a Dhaka Metropolitan Police Press release said police conducted a special search operation at the Jagannath Hall, Zahirul Huq Hall, Surya Sen Hall and Mohsin Hall of Dhaka University from 5 a.m. to 8 a.m. on Saturday and recovered huge arms and ammunition and cocktails from there.

Police also arrested two persons during the drive.

They recovered arms and ammunition included one cut 303 rifle, three pistols, 78 rounds of cartridge and bullet, 14 cocktails, three toy pistols and one binocular.

A Dhaka University Press release identified the arrested persons as Sohail, a student of Surya Sen Hall, and Parvez of Mohsin Hall.