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## Move to launch evening shift at DU protested

Progotishil Chhatra Jote (PCJ) a platform of eight left leaning student organisations protested the authority's decision of launching evening shift in Social Welfare Institution (SWI) and Library and Information Science Department of Dhaka University.

In a press conference held at Modhu's Canteen of the university on Monday the PCJ asked the university authorities not to take any initiative to launch evening shift as it may hamper the academic atmosphere of the university.

PCJ will submit memorandum to the Vice-chancellor of the university on April 24 and also to the Charmin of Library Science Department and Director of SWI today (Tuesday) to press their demands.

The PCJ also hold a solidarity rally of teachers, students and guardians at TSC in support of their demands on April 29.

Mijanur Rahman, President of Bangladesh Chhatra Kendro read out the written statement while, President of Samajtantrik Chhatro Front Khalekuzzamn Lipon, President of Bangladesh Chhatra Moitri Sabbah Ali Khan, President of Bangladesh Chhatra Federation Taslima Akhter Lima, President of Biplobi Chhatra Moitri Hasan Imam Rubel, General Secretary of Shamajbadi Chhatra Jote Masum Uddin, General Secretary of Chhatra Oiko Forum Hlahidul Islam, Assitent General Secretary of Banglaesh Chhatra Union Raju Ahmed were also presented at the press conference.

However, PCJ on the day held a rally in front of DUCSU building and also brought out a procession on the campus demanding arrest and punishment of the culprits those who cut off the hands of a BUET student on Sunday.