

Police foil JCD march towards CA office

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Policemen yesterday intercepted a procession of Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD), student wing of BNP, in front of the central public library in the city while they were proceeding towards the chief adviser's office to submit a memorandum to the chief adviser.

Demanding immediate release of detained BNP Chairperson Khaleda Zia, her two sons -- Tarique Rahman and Arafat Rahman Koko and detained JCD President Azizul Bari Helal, the JCD leaders and activists took out the procession from Madhu's Canteen at around 1:00pm in order to submit the memorandum.

JCD men held a protest rally over there, for an hour blocking the road. At the rally, they chanted slogan against the government and demanded release of detained BNP leaders.

Leaders at the rally also demanded proper treatment for Tarique and Koko abroad, immediate lifting of the emergency and holding national election before local government polls, decrease in prices of essentials and education materials.

They also demanded a proper investigation into the death of JCD leader Mashiul Alam Santu who was killed in an encounter with Rab in Barisal on Wednesday.

Talking to The Daily Star, DU unit General Secretary Saiful Islam Feroz said they will continue their agitation until their demands are met.

JCD leaders Sultan Salauddin Tuku, Safiul Bari Babu, Nurul Islam Nayon, Amirul Islam Khan Alim, Abdul Kader Bhuiyan Jewel, Mustafa Khan Safari, Azaharul Haq Mukul, Hasan Mamun, Saiful Islam Feroz, and Qbaidul Haq Nasir, participated in the rally.