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## NU students stage demo for withdrawal of newly imposed fine

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The re-admitted students of National University, who are migrating from previous disciplines, in Sylhet on Monday demanded immediate withdrawal of the newly imposed fine for cancelling the previous admission.

They made the demand after forming a human chain around 11:00am in front of Sylhet Central Shaheed Minar at Chowhatta in the city.

The students organised the programme under the banner of 'National University students' to protest against the alleged harassment of general students in the name of fine to cancel the previous admission.

Addressing the rally, the student representatives said that they had admitted in the first year graduation courses under the session 2016-17 after paying specific fees of the National University.

Later, they re-admitted in other subjects under the session 2017-18 after cancellation of the previous admission and paying the stipulated fees for the new admission, they said. But, the NU authorities on May 20 issued a circular asking the re-admitted students of different disciplines to pay Tk 10,700 as fine to cancel the previous admission, they added. Mentioning that most of them have come from the low-income families, the protesters said payment of such additional amount would be impossible for them.

The student representatives in the rally said that they would go for tougher movement if their demands are not met.

Saiquat Bhounik, Tanjila Ahmad, Tazul Islam, Iqramul Alam, Al Amin, Abu Hurayra, Juber Ahmad, Kamrul Islam, Mahdi Ahmad, Bidyut Sarker and Nabil Hossain, among others, addressed the rally.

Students of different disciplines admitted at different colleges affiliated by National University in the district attended the human chain programme, carrying colourful placards with various slogans to press home for their demand.



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