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13 CU BCL men hurt in infighting

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At least 13 activists of Chittagong University unit of Bangladesh Chhatra League, ruling Awami League-backed student organisation, were injured in a factional clash on the campus on Friday.

The injured are — Istiak Hossain of journalism department, Anis Mahmud of physics department, Arnob Islam of Institute of Education and Research, Imam Uddin of Arabic department, Mahmud Islam, Sourav Talukder and Mamun Islam of public administration department, Milon Mahamud of accounting department, Rahul Saha of economics department and Saidul Islam, Avoy Das, Dhrubo and Saddam Hossain of international relation department.

Of them, Arnob Islam and Dhrubo were sent to Chittagong Medical College Hospital in a critical condition.

Chittagong University police outpost inspector Md Akhteruzzaman said that members of two rival groups — Sixty Nine and Ulka — were locked in the clash as miscreants launched an attack on Ulka leader Golam Rasul in the city's Lalkahn Bazar area in the afternoon.

Golam alleged that followers of Iqbal Tipu, leader of Sixty Nine, made the attack.

Protesting at the attack, Golam's followers and members of Sixty Nine were locked in the clash at the main entrance of the university, the inspector said.

Hathazari police officer-in-charge Belal Uddin said that the police and university authorities went to the spot and took the situation under control.



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