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RU hall expels three BCL leaders

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The authorities of Nawab Abdul Latif Hall at Rajshahi University on Friday night expelled three members of the ruling Awami League-backed student body Bangladesh Chhatra League for beating up a residential student and throwing his belongings out of his room early Friday.

Hall provost AHM Mahbubur Rahman told New Age that they made the decision at an emergency meeting of the hall administration on the basis of the victim's complaint.

He said that they expelled residential student Taskif Al Tawhid from the hall and asked Shamim Hossain and Pervez Hasan Joy to leave the hall as their studentship ended.

Shamim is the general secretary of hall unit Chhatra League while Pervez is the vice-president of the hall unit and Taskif is an activist of the organisation.

AHM Mahbubur Rahman said that they also served show-cause notices on Shamim and Pervez for creating anarchy at the hall.

A three-member probe body headed by residential teacher Hamidul Islam was also formed to investigate the incident of beating a student and throwing his bedding out of his allotted room, he added.

Professor AHM Mahbubur Rahman said that they would take necessary action against the accused as per the university rules and regulations if they were found guilty in the probe report.

Earlier, BCL leaders Shamim Hossain and Pervej Hasan Joy, and activist Taskif Al Tawhid beat up Munna Islam, a second-year chemistry department student, and threw his bedding out of his allotted room and put up another student there.

Meanwhile, RU provost council convener professor Ferdousi Mahal warned that they would cancel residency and expel any student if an allegation of creating anarchy at the halls was found to be true against him or her.

She also said that they had taken a decision at an emergency meeting of the provost council on Friday night that they would not tolerate chaos at the residential halls.

‘In the case of ousting a residential student from his allotted room forcibly or any kind of untoward incident, the provost council will take concerted action’, she added.

Professor Ferdousi Mahal said that the provost council would work jointly to take all possible measures to maintain discipline and ensure a conducive learning environment at the residential halls.

‘It is the responsibility of the hall administration to decide who will get a seat and who will leave the hall. Exemplary punishment will be meted out if anybody is found to be creating chaos at the halls.’, she added.



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