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Students protest at attack on IU teacher

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The students of Al-Hadith and Islamic Studies department of Islamic University stage demonstration on the campus in Kushtia protesting against attack on professor M Mostafizur Rahman of the department allegedly by an Agrani Bank official, on Thursday. – New Age photo.

The students of Al-Hadith and Islamic Studies department of Islamic University staged a demonstration on the campus in Kushtia on Thursday protesting against attack on professor M Mostafizur Rahman of the department allegedly by an Agrani Bank official.

Around one hundred students of the department gathered in front of the university's main entrance and blockaded the Kushtia-Jhenaidah Highway at about 11:00am demanding immediate arrest of Kushtia Chourhash Agrani Bank official M Shohel Mahmud.

They urged the university authorities to take stern action against the bank official who carried out an attack on professor Mostafiz while he was walking on the road on Wednesday morning, the agitating students said.

They would continue their demonstration on the campus until their demand of arresting the bank official was met, the students added.

No vehicle was allowed to move on the Kushtia-Jhenaidah Highway as the students blocked the road during their demonstration.

The commuters from far districts, as a result, suffered a lot due to the blockade.

On information, a team of IU proctorial body went to the spot and brought the situation under control.

The students, however, withdrew their demonstration at about 12:00 noon as the proctorial body assured them of looking into the matter.

Earlier, Shohel assaulted Professor Mostafiz on Wednesday morning following a dispute between the duo over their land related dispute.

As a sequel to the dispute, Shohel swooped on Mostafiz while Mostafiz was walking on the road in the morning.

Shohel, at one stage, beat Mostafiz up with a bamboo stick that left him injured on the spot. Later, other people rescued Mostafiz from the spot and took him to Kushtia General Hospital for treatment.



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