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## Police rescue abducted student from DU hall

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The Lalbagh police on Friday rescued an abducted student from Dhaka University's Shahnewaz Hall.

Lalbagh police station officer-in-charge Khandkar Mohammad Helal Uddin confirmed the incident on Friday night.

The rescued youth is Mehedi, a student of the Islamic history department at Suhrawardy College.

He is a resident of the capital's Azimpur area.

'The victim's uncle complained that someone held his nephew and made a ransom demand. Upon his uncle's complaint, we conducted a drive at Shahnewaz Hall to rescue him with the assistance of the Dhaka University authorities. A case was filed on Friday night in this regard. No one has been arrested so far,' said the OC.

According to the OC, the two accused in the case are students of the 2020–21 session of the ceramics department of the Faculty of Fine Arts of Dhaka University.

The accused are Zahid Sheikh and Md Shahreen Islam.

Abdul Qayyum and Mehdi Hasan were two outsiders, who were with them.

Both outsiders are friends of Zahid Sheikh, the officer said.

DU proctor professor Md Maksudur Rahman said, ‘We have come to know about the involvement of two university students. If they are involved in the incident then action will be taken against them as per the university rules.’



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