Case filed against hundreds over attack on Kuet students



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The Khulna University of Engineering and Technology (Kuet) administration has filed a case following an attack on general students by unidentified assailants on campus.

Kuet Security Inspector Moniruzzaman Liton filed the case with Khanjahan Ali Police Station last night, said Kabir Hossain, officer-in-charge (OC) of the police station.



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It accused 400-500 unidentified individuals of involvement in the attack.

According to the First Information Report (FIR), a group of people armed with sticks and sharp weapons entered the university, assaulted students, and caused significant damage to property.

Following the attack on Tuesday, Kuet's Public Relations Office said the vice-chancellor assured students of full support and a fair investigation.

He promptly contacted law enforcement, requesting immediate intervention, and convened an emergency meeting with deans, institute directors, the registrar, department heads, and provosts to address the situation.

However, before law enforcement arrived, clashes erupted between the attackers and students. Several faculty members, including the vice-chancellor, as well as many students and staff, sustained injuries and were admitted to the Kuet Medical Centre, the public relations office said.

The VC assured the students that their demands would be met promptly.

The Kuet administration has urged everyone to remain calm and has requested full cooperation from law enforcement to prevent further disturbances.