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BCL factions clash at CU: 8 injured

From CU Correspondent

CHITTAGONG, Aug 11: At least eight people were injured, two of them seriously, in a gunfight between two rival factions of Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL) at Shah Amanat Hall of Chittagong University today.

The clash between the two factions erupted at about 5:30 pm when a group led by Ujjal of Shah Jalal Hall was resisted by another group led by Shafiq of Shah Amanat Hall in their bid to sell some trees of the hall.

Both the factions exchange fire during the clash that continued till 7-30 pm.

Of the injured, Abdullah Al Mamun Shaheen and Sohel received bullet injuries. The injured were admitted to Chittagong Medical College Hospital and the University Medical Centre.

Police raided Shah Jalal and Shah Amanat halls after the clash.

A tense situation was prevailing on the campus till filing of this report at 9:45 pm.