

Shibir enforces strike at CU

From CU Correspondent

CHITTAGONG, Oct 9: Islami Chhatra Shibir enforced a day-long strike at the Chittagong University today protesting Thursday's incident on the campus.

Classes and scheduled examinations were not held and offices at the administrative building remained closed during the strike.

In the morning, Shibir activists locked the main gate of the university and did not allow vehicles to enter the campus. They also brought out a procession and held a rally on the campus.

The speakers at the rally demanded immediate arrest of those responsible for the incident.

Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL) also held a rally in front of the VC's office and demanded exemplary punishment to the Shibir 'extremists'.

Meanwhile, Chittagong University authorities have formed a three-member committee headed by Professor M M Sharfuddin, Provost of the Suhrawardy Hall to investigate the incident and asked the committee to submit its report within October 31.

At least 50 people were injured in the clash between Bangladesh Chhatra League and Islami Chhatra Shibir. The clash took place over control of Suhrawardy Hall of the university on Thursday.

BCL, Shibir filed separate cases with Hathazari thana after the incident.