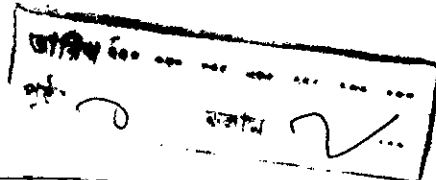


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## Possible battle soon Infighting among JCD 'cadres' in DU

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After capturing dormitories of Dhaka University, BNP-backed Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD) is now facing inner discords over establishing supremacy by a number of factions.

Cadres of two factions were about to fight with each other at the university's Zia Hall on Friday afternoon, witnesses said. Police took position at a buffer zone and deterred a possible armed battle.

To everyone's utter dismay, outsiders beat up and ousted more

than 30 activists of different factions of JCD, according to a rough estimate. The figures might be more since every victim could not be contacted. The terrorists also attacked four university correspondents and another reporter in last five days.

Supporters of JCD, who sacrificed and continued activities during the Awami League rule, got annoyed with the arrival of 'new guests' in the halls, who are

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not students at all. The outsiders' hegemony not only disturbed the common students but also created a suffocating situation for them, many resident students alleged.

Identified terrorists namely Kala Jahangir, Hajaribagh's Leather Liton, the brother-in-law of Mohammedpur Godfather Imon, Titon, and some other notorious criminals — have been reportedly staying in different dormitories following the supporters of Pro-AL Bangladesh Chhatra League were ejected after October 1.

JCD sources said the same infamous terrorists earlier backed by the then ruling party-backed BCL-men returned to the DU halls, only after changing their political allegiance overnight.

"What is the difference? We earlier lived under the hegemony of Awami cadres and now we are staying under BNP cadres," a resident of Muhsin Hall said narrating the current situation.

Those, who are familiar with the campus violence, said the city terrorists were brought back to the campus to help the respective factions by using their (armed cadres') collection of sophisticated small and light arms.

The top JCD leaders are accused of backing the terrorists who earlier served the purpose of BCL. "We don't believe in any ideology. We just work for those who possess power," one of the outsiders told this correspondent. The outsiders sought a period of time to leave the halls, top leaders of JCD said on condition of anonymity.

BNP Chief Begum Khaleda Zia, prior to her present tour Saudi Arabia, strictly directed the JCD leadership to clean the university.