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Probe body asked to submit report in 5 days

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Chittagong University vice-chancellor Shireen Akhter said on Sunday that the university authorities would take action against all those involved in the recent factional clashes between two factions of the ruling Awami League-backed student body the Bangladesh Chhatra League CU unit.

The VC, at a press conference at the Fine Arts Institute in the afternoon, also said that the investigation committee, which was formed on Thursday following the BCL factional clashes, was asked to submit its report in five working days.

Replying to a question as to why no one had been detained yet, the VC said that the university administration could not immediately file a case against students who had allegedly been involved in the clashes.

She said that to avoid further clashes on the campus, the university administration would take action against all non-students and would identify whether there were any drug spots on the campus.

The clashes between two BCL groups—one allegedly loyal to former Chattogram City mayor AZM Nasir Uddin and the other reportedly loyal to education minister Mohibul Hassan Chowdhoury continued for three days from February 14 to Friday night, injuring 12 BCL activists and three police personnel, according to BCL leaders from both factions.



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