

RMC students besiege principal's office

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FEMALE students of Rajshahi Medical College on Sunday laid siege to principal's office, protesting at ban on using electric heaters, refrigerators and other electric devices in the dormitories.

They also laid siege to the principal's residence to press home the same demands Saturday night.

Agitated student said the college administration, in cooperation with male staff and police, conducted a drive at about 9:30pm on Saturday to seize electric heater and refrigerators from the three women hostels of the college.

During the drive, the male staff and police entered into the female students' room without knocking and snatched heaters, refrigerators from them.

Protesting at the incident, about 200 hundred female students gathered at the hostel ground, brought out a procession and laid siege to the principal's house, held a rally there and demanded withdraw the decision of ban on using electric heater, refrigerators and others devices.

On Sunday, the students laid siege to the principal's office from about 12:00pm to 3:00pm.

They stopped their agitation later on but vowed to continue their demonstration until their demand was not met.

The RMC principal, Golam Kibriya, told New Age that they conducted the drive as per the decision of apex body of the college administration.

He also said step by step the administration would also conduct drive at male hostels.