

Teacher arrested on molestation charge



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Sanswrang Mushahary of Bodoland University has been arrested by police on Wednesday evening for alleged molestation charge by 17 students. [Prof](#) Mushahary was held by police after FIR lodged from students union and women cell of the university.

A case has been registered with Kokrajhar PS no.655/16, under section 354 (A)/376/511 IPC. [Prof](#). Mushahary has denied the allegations leveled [against](#) him . He said that no such incident was happened in the university [as](#) alleged him. He said that it was a fabricated matter [against](#) him . He said he will file counter complain [against](#) the incident.

[Prof](#). Sanswrang Mushahary, who is the head of department of Economic department and also principal in-charge of [Music](#) and Fine [Arts](#) College, Kokrajhar, was accused of molestation by the students of the university.

The students lodged a written statement to the university Vice chancellor and women cell [against](#) the professor.

Of the 17 who gave the statement, [10](#) are 1st semester students. They said the professor called them on the pretext of some work at his office room and commits the crime. He later threatens the students of action in the exams if they complain [against](#) him.

Mushahary tried to molest a 1st semester [student](#) yesterday and had called her on the pretext of some work at his office chamber and tried to molest her. When she shared the horror with her classmate about the incident, many came up with similar experience. They later complain to the [student](#) union of the university and together decided to file a complain to the vice chancellor.

The [student](#) union today carried out a protest strike and gheared the department office demanding action and suspension [against](#) the teacher.

The university vice chancellor [Prof.](#) Hemanta Kumar Baruah said the accused professor was put under suspension till further inquiry. He said that it was unwanted incident committed by a teacher in the university.

The students demanded his suspension. “He should be sent to jail and his service terminated, Ransai Khunggur Mushahary, general secretary of the University students union said .

[Prof.](#) Mushahary has been arrested [as](#) per FIR lodged from women cell of Bodoland University by this evening from University.

Victim students demanded stern action [against](#) him along with punishment, who has created resented among students.

[Prof.](#) Mushahary refuse o speak to the media.

Police rushed the university to take stock about incident.

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