



JAWAHARLAL NEHRU UNIVERSITY TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION

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Exposing the deliberate omission by the JNU Administration

The JNUTA takes strong exception to the statement issued by the Administration on the 26th of October. The “**Summary & update of the Events Mahi-Mandovi Hostel**” does not even mention the beating up of Mr. Najeeb by a group of students, a fact which has not only been in the public domain but is also categorically mentioned in the statement by the warden who was an eye witness. Such omission appears to be deliberate and could put serious questions on the objectivity of the inquiry process.

JNUTA is deeply worried if there is any attempt to give clean-chit in advance to those who are out there to bring mob-violence in JNU. We have been demanding since the 19th of October that the inquiry process be expedited and necessary actions be taken against those who indulged in violence. A week has passed since then without any report being produced. More delay in this regard only helps in building tension in the Campus.

Acts of intended commission and omission will not bring any good to the university and slowly every section of the university will lose all faith in this Administration. The JNUTA appeals to the Vice Chancellor and his team to seriously act in an impartial manner upon incidences of violence if they are serious about maintaining normalcy in the campus. JNU cannot in any manner ignore, let alone protect, perpetrators of mob violence in the University Campus.

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