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# HC nod to petition in JU ragging, student death

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KOLKATA: Calcutta High Court on Wednesday granted permission to senior counsel and MP Kalyan Banerjee to file a petition over the recent incident of ragging in Jadavpur University that resulted in the death of a fresher.

Banerjee sought the court's intervention in the running of Jadavpur University, which had turned into a place where anyone could do anything and everything.

Banerjee submitted to the division bench of Chief Justice T S Sivagnanam and Justice Hiranmay Bhattacharyya that outsiders were entering the university and there was no CCTV surveillance in the university to monitor their activities.

Petitioner and Trinamool Chhatra Parishad state vice-president Sudip Raha made the Bengal governor a party to the case on the grounds that the governor was "deliberately not appointing" a full-time vice-chancellor and pro-vice-chancellor of the university.