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UGC seeks further clarification from Jadavpur University in student death case

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KOLKATA: The University Grants Commission (UGC) is not satisfied with the second report sent by Jadavpur University last week regarding a case of ragging and the death of a student. The UGC has identified certain lapses that they wish to clarify with the university.

Last week, the university submitted a detailed report along with attachments comprising 35 files.

The UGC will soon write to the university, requesting a comprehensive explanation of the security arrangements in place prior to the incident.

The new interim VC, Buddhadeb Sau, said on Monday, "We have a meeting of the anti-ragging committee today where we will discuss these matters."

Union education minister Dharmendra Pradhan indicated on Sunday that the report from the university, which was sent to the UGC, was not satisfactory.