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It started last year when both Anju Seth and the board accused each other of trying to snub the other party.

Anju Seth had accused Chairman Shrikrishna Kulkarni of eating into her executive powers and the board had accused Seth of improper conduct.

In December, a section of the IIM-Calcutta faculty wrote a letter to the Ministry of Education where they alleged that Anju Seth had centralised powers and infringed the decisionmaking role of the board.

Anju Seth, who was appointed as the first woman head of IIM-Calcutta in November 2018, had gone on a sick leave putting Prashant Mishra, Dean (New Initiatives and External Relations) in charge as the acting director of IIM-Calcutta.

Seth's term was to end in February 2022. She is an alumnus of IIM-Calcutta 1978 batch.

