GOVERNMENT OF INDIA INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:304 ANSWERED ON:02.12.2004 MEDIA COMMISSION Bishnoi Shri Kuldeep;Kalmadi Shri Suresh

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is thinking of setting up a media commission;
- (b) whether the Government is also planning to establish a media council in place of the Press Council of India;
- (c) if so, whether the Government is thinking of making changes in the Working Journalist Act;
- (d) if so, whether any final decision has been taken; and
- (e) if so, the broad features thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND CULTURE (SHRIS. JAIPAL REDDY)

(a) to (e) : The proposal is under examination.