

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
LAW AND JUSTICE  
LOK SABHA**

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PROTECTION OF JOURNALISTS  
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**Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Union Government proposes to enact a law aimed at protecting journalists from criminals and other elements inimical to them;
- (b) if so, the details thereof:
- (c) the salient features of the proposed legislation; and
- (d) the time by which such an act is likely to be enacted?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF LAW & JUSTICE(SHRI SALMAN KHURSHID)

- (a): No Madam.
- (b)to (d): Do not arise.