

**Monthly Salient Statistics of Cases Registered by PCI during August 2021-**

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**(A) Complaint against the Press**

Sl.no.	Nature of Complaint	No. of Cases Registered
1.	False News	42
2.	Defamatory News	15
3.	Misleading News	1
4.	Reporting on Child abuse	--
5.	Misleading Advertisements	--
6.	Paid news/Favours to Journalists Reference from Election Commissioner Complaint from General Public	--
7.	Obscene Reporting	--
8.	Professional Misconduct	7
9.	Obscene advertisement	--
10.	Others	22
<b>Total</b>		<b>87</b>

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**(B) Complaint By the Press**

Sl.no.	Nature of Complaint	No. of Cases Registered
1	Curtailement of Press Freedom	17
2	Physical Assault on journalist	4
3	Facilities to the Press	3
4	Others	8
<b>Total</b>		<b>32</b>

**Suo-motu Cognizance taken in matters (by and against the Press) during the month of August 2021**

Sl.no.	Suo-motu Cognizance	No. of cases
1	By/for the Press	1
2	Against the Press	--

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### (A) Complaint against the Press

Sl.no.	Nature of Complaint	No. of Cases Registered
1.	False News	21
2.	Defamatory News	13
3.	Misleading News	5
4.	Reporting on Child abuse	-
5.	Misleading Advertisements	-
6.	Paid news/Favours to Journalists Reference from Election Commissioner Complaint from General Public	-
7.	Obscene Reporting	-
8.	Professional Misconduct	3
9.	Obscene advertisement	-
10.	Others	31
<b>Total</b>		<b>73</b>

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### (B) Complaint By the Press

Sl.no.	Nature of Complaint	No. of Cases Registered
1	Curtailement of Press Freedom	23
2	Physical Assault on journalist	3
3	Facilities to the Press	2
4	Others	8
<b>Total</b>		<b>36</b>

### Suo-motu Cognizance taken in matters (by and against the Press) during the month of July 2021

Sl.no.	Suo-motu Cognizance	No. of cases
1	By/for the Press	1
2	Against the Press	--