

Dear Sir or Madam,

I do not pretend to know or understand the intricate procedures regarding the regulatory systems in place for the press nor am I master of the various acronyms of the various bodies involved, however it is crystal clear to me that the British press has not changed for the better since the hacking scandals and that barely a single recommendation of the Leveson Report has been put into practice.

The British press brings shame on this country and it does so with absolute impunity. Democracy demands not just freedom, but responsibility. Without the latter the former is simply the freedom to bully, persecute and misinform.

Please do whatever it takes to bring at least a modicum of accountability to the British press and if that means a statutory regulator then so be it. The current situation is utterly intolerable and wholly undemocratic.