

Dear Madam/Sir,

I would urge you to recommend that Section 40 of the Crimes and Court Act be implemented as soon as possible. This was a cornerstone of the recommendations of the Leveson inquiry and without it there is no hope of ever achieving affordable justice for the victims of the press.

The refusal of the press to join a truly independent press regulator and implement Leveson in full is no better than an arrogant "two fingers" to our Government and to democracy itself. This is not tolerable in a free society.

Yours sincerely,
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