

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING  
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:211  
ANSWERED ON:07.08.2006  
FOREIGN NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES  
Dhotre Shri Sanjay Shamrao

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

- (a) the number of foreign newspapers and magazines being published in India;
- (b) whether any guidelines have been issued for publication of these newspapers and magazines; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI P.R. DASMUNSI)

(a) to (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 211 TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.08.2006.

(a): Under the extant guidelines, no foreign newspaper has been permitted to be published from India. However, forty-eight (48) foreign magazines/journals have been permitted to bring out their Indian editions, so far.

(b) & (c): The detailed guidelines issued by this Ministry for publication of foreign newspapers and magazines/periodicals/journals from India are at Annexure-I & II.