

# INDIAN FEDERATION OF WORKING JOURNALISTS

(Founded on 28 October 1950 in New Delhi and registered as trade union)

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To

All Presidents and General Secretaries of state units, Working Committee members, Special Invitees and National Council Members

Dear Comrades,

65th anniversary of the foundation day of the IFWJ will fall on 28<sup>th</sup> October 2015. It was earlier decided to hold enlarged working committee meeting at Mathura (UP) to commemorate the anniversary of this august organization. However, due to certain unavoidable reasons it had to be postponed.

The contributions of the IFWJ particularly in the fifties in getting certain laws enacted for the welfare of the newspaper employees is etched in the golden letters. This organisation has been primarily responsible for all newspaper related laws like the Working Journalist Act, the Press Council Act, the Constitution of the Wage Board, revamping of the RNI and DAVP and for the guidelines of various committees to be set up by the Central and the State Governments across the country.

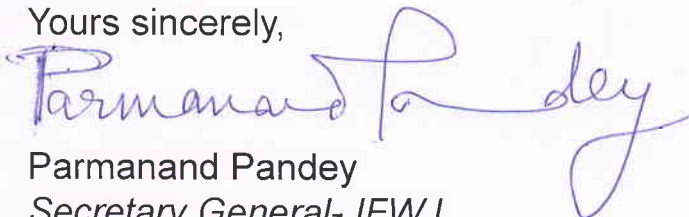
Now in view quantum jump of the technology the scenario of the mass media has completely changed. The old methodology of facing the challenges thrown up by the Media Mughals has become almost outdated and that is why; there is a need for re-look of all laws and Acts.

Since the working committee meeting has been deferred, therefore, we call upon all the state units to organise meetings/seminars in as many places as possible befitting the occasion, which may be attended 5/10 or more persons.

We request you to send the report of the meetings/seminars and the resolutions passed therein. We also request you to use this opportunity to consider over the changes/amendments to be brought about in the Constitution of the IFWJ in the light of the new challenges and problems. Although we have emailed the copy of the IFWJ Constitution to all state units, yet we are again sending it for your ready reference.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,



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Secretary General- IFWJ