

JOINT STATEMENT

Dated: 7th May, 2023

A joint meeting of All Manipur Working Journalist Union, Editors' Guild Manipur and Manipur Hill Journalist Union took serious note of various social media handles, unregistered news outlets making and releasing news which are ethically incorrect and likely to fuel further public unrest. Several other individuals functioning under PRESS BANNER are also uploading unedited and sensitive footages that are also likely to cause social strife.

AMWJU, EGM and MHJU would like to urge authorities concerned to look into the issue before irreparable damage is done.

On the other hand, AMWJU, EGM and MHJU are also concerned at individuals and organizations taking unilateral actions against media house and persons registered or not for mistakes in reporting. We urge all to use legal and lawful approach to address the issue rather than violence and intimidation.

The three media organizations also urge all editors and working journalists to be very vigilant at times like these and see that our reporting do not fuel the public unrest further, but rather help in bringing peace and solution.

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