

Press Act, 1910

Section 16 - COPIES OF NEWSPAPERS PRINTED IN BRITISH INDIA TO BE DELIVERED GRATIS TO GOVERNMENT

1) The printer of every newspaper in British India shall deliver at such place and to such officer as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, direct and free of expense to the Government, two copies of each issue of such newspaper as soon as it is published. (2) If any printer of any such newspaper neglects to deliver copies or the same in compliance with sub-section (1), he shall, on the complaint of the officer to whom the copies should have been delivered or of any person authorised by that officer in this behalf, be punishable on conviction by a Magistrate having jurisdiction in the place where the newspaper was printed with fine which may extend to fifty rupees for every default.

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