

	August 14, 2004	Ban	State Government	The government clamped a ban on the local news cable network ISTV in the "public interest", apparently angered by images of thousands of people taking to the streets to protest against the AFSPA, 1958.	Matter in court	Matter in court
	February 20, 2005	Assault	130th Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) personnel	N Noren of <i>The Sangai Express</i> and W Lukhoi of <i>Mannaba</i> were brutally assaulted by personnel of the 130th Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) posted at Sajiwa jail, while covering an agitation by a Meitei revivalist group.	Inquiry instituted	No action taken
	March 14, 2007	Assault/ detention/ taking away of camera	38th Assam Rifles personnel	Personnel of the 38th Assam Rifles (AR) posted at Kotlien in Tamenglong district snatched away the cameras and beat up two journalists - <i>Ireiba</i> Ks Th Brojen and ISTV's Gagan -- while covering the alleged rape of a girl by an AR jawan. They along with two other journalists - <i>The Sangai Express</i> ' Shamungou and <i>Naharotg</i> , <i>Thoudang</i> 's Bokul were further detained.	Inquiry instituted	Journalists released same day after intervention by AMWJU. No action taken on perpetrators
	October 2008	Interference /pressure	Director General of Police (DGP), Y Joykumar	In October 2008, editors, senior journalists and functionaries of the All Manipur Working Journalists Union (AMWJU) were called up by the Director General of Police (DGP), Y Joykumar, regarding recent news items about urea smuggling involving state forces. The journalists were forced to identify the reporters who had filed the stories, as well as their sources.	No action taken	No action taken
	October 2008	Interference /pressure	Minister N. Biren	A reporter of <i>Poknapham</i> newspaper who had written about quality control related to an embankment built on a major river was summoned by the then Irrigation Minister, N Biren, himself a former journalist, and berated in front of other journalists, questioning the credibility of his reporting.	No action taken	No action taken
	August 24, 2009	Interference /Detention	Imphal West Police Commando personnel	Imphal West Police Commando team stopped and prevented a team of reporters proceeding on newsgathering duties at Tiddim road. They were detained and mobbed.	Information was given to police officials	No action taken