

Journalist Harassment January-March 2020

Documentation Unit

Ain o Salish Kendra (ASK)

Description	No. of Harass
Torture/Harassment/Threat by Law Enforcement Agency	10
Death Threat (Govt. Officials, UNO, Drug dealers, Terrorist and unanimous by phone)	8
Case filed against published news	6
Torture/attack/threat/harassment/bomb thrown by Terrorist	6
Attack/Torture/Harassment by Awami League and its associated organizations	7
Attack/Torture/Harassment by BNP and its associated organizations	
Torture/Threat/Harassment by Govt. Officials and Employees	1
Unnatural Death	
Dead body Recovered	
Violence in Dhaka City Corporation Election	7
Missing	1
Others	5
Total	51

Source: Prothom Alo, Ittefaq, Samakal, Sangbad, Janakantha, Noya Diganta, Daily Star, New Age, Dhaka Tribune and Ain o Salish Kendra (ASK)

Note: During the midnight, Kurigram journalist, Ariful Islam, was picked from home and sentenced with 1 year imprisonment by the Mobile Court (Prothom Alo 15.03.2020)