



India's #MeToo movement' documentary

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The short documentary explores the rise of the #MeToo movement in India. It also shows how the accusations on sexual harassment extended from the media industry to academia and the political sector, alongside campaigning for women to speak up when harassment happens in the private sphere as well. Men and women in India have been speaking up against violence against women since 2012-2013, following the death of a 23 year-old young woman. This episode initiated a more grounded conversation on sexual assault against women and especially against women of lower castes. In fact, according to Indian's Crime National Bureau, more than four Dalit women – the 'untouchable' - are raped every day. In 2018, India was rated the most dangerous country in the world for women by the Thompson Reuter Foundation because of high rates of sexual violence. Reports attested that in 2016, India had 338,954 reported crimes against women (38,947 were rapes).

For first hand interviews with survivors, please see: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=13w-CJRoi30&vl=en> [1].

See also: India was highlighted as one of the worst country for sexual violence, human trafficking, and for cultural and religious discrimination by Thomson Reuters Foundation's 2018 survey (<http://poll2018.trust.org/country/?id=india> [2]).

Available online at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EuBDhN3NP7A> [3]

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