

THE ARTICULATION OF RIGHTS AROUND RELIGION IN THE WAVE OF 'HINDUTVA' IN INDIA

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Abstract

Minority rights in the context of the new wave of the 'Hindutva' (the Hindu Right wing) is devised and articulated both as an identity and a status concern. Question about implications of Hindutva for people belonging to religious minority communities or working to protect the human rights of these populations needs to be answered. The pressing concerns seem to address the human rights discourse on minorities and individual freedom which reflect upon what it is to be a minority in India in the wave of 'Hindutva'.

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