

# Indian politician offers \$1.5M for beheading of Bollywood star over Hindu queen, Muslim ruler romance film

When Hindus imitate Muslims – shame on them. [The Indian Express reported](#).

India's 1.3 billion-strong democracy is the largest in the world, but despite significant economic progress over the last few decades its politics are held hostage by a complex mix of religion and caste. Books and movies have found themselves at the receiving end of threats of violence and bans because they either offend one religious or caste group, or are deemed offensive to Indian culture in general...