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After all, in July 2011 Phone hacking scandal revealed, NC, the government, the parliament and investigating authorities was starting get into full-scale responses to the scandal. However, a series of responses to the scandal ended without identifying the substantive truth enough. NC quickly closed NoW, withdrawn its takeover bid for BSkyB, established Management Standards Committee as a post-processing system, and renewed its headquarters personnel, but did not determine the facts and cause of the scandal. Although the Leveson inquiry established by the government, and House of Commons Culture, Media and Sport Committee conducted a multifaceted inquiry into the scandal and confirmed various facts, they failed to clarify Murdoch's involvement in the crime, and black connection between NC/NI and politicians or police. In addition, a five-year full-fledged investigation into the entire phone hacking affair by the Metropolitan Police's the new and fresh investigation teams led to conviction of many journalists, mainly NI employees. However, the investigation authorities' investigation and the court hearing on the scandal do not necessarily throw light upon the whole affair.

In the aftermath of the scandal, the Fleet Street inevitably established a new press regulator to replace PCC. But the Leveson inquiry's recommendation for a new press regulator with statutory backstop, led to controversies. Finally, two press regulator, voluntary independent self-regulatory body, IPSO and Royal Charter-backed alternative body, IMPRESS have been established. I would like to keep an eye on IPSO, the independent regulator of most of the UK's newspapers and magazines, whether it will succeed as an effective press regulator.