

MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 2nd August, 2006

G.S.R. 459 (E). – In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-section (1) of Section 22 of the Cable Television Networks (Regulation) Act, 1995 (7 of 1995), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Cable Television Networks Rules, 1994, namely: -

1. (1) These rules may be called Cable Television Networks (Amendment) Rules, 2006.
(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
2. In the Cable Television Networks Rules, 1994 –
 - (i) in rule 6, in sub-rule(1) after clause (o) the following proviso shall be inserted, namely : -

“Provided that no film or film song or film promo or film trailer or music video or music albums or their promos, whether produced in India or abroad, shall be carried through cable service unless it has been certified by the Central Board of Film Certification (CBFC) as suitable for unrestricted public exhibition in India.”
 - (ii) in rule 7, for sub-rule(9) the following shall be substituted, namely : -

“(9) No advertisement which violates the Code for self-regulation in advertising, as adopted by the Advertising Standard Council of India (ASCI), Mumbai for public exhibition in India, from time to time, shall be carried in the cable service.”

[F.No. 2302/1/2001-BC-III(Part)]

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Note:- The principal rules were published in Gazette of India, Part II, Section 3, Sub-section (i) vide number GSR 729 (E), dated the 29th September, 1994 and subsequently amended by GSR 459 (E), dated the 8th October, 1996 and GSR 710(E), dated the 8th September, 2000 and GSR 282 (E), dated the 11th May, 2006.