

File No. 1401/11/2016-TV (I)
Government of India
Ministry of Information & Broadcasting
Broadcasting Wing

New Delhi: Dated 16th December, 2016

ORDER

Subject: Amendment in the Policy Guidelines for Uplinking and Downlinking for News/Non-News and Current Affairs TV Channels.

The matter related to qualification of top management personnel in TV Channels, has been engaging the attention of this Ministry for some time.

After detailed and careful consideration, the competent authority has decided to delete clauses 2.1.4 and 3.1.15 of the Uplinking Guidelines dated 05.12.2011 and clause 1.10 of the Downlinking Guidelines dated 05.12.2011 concerning appointment at the top management positions in the Companies operating TV channels.

Accordingly, clauses 2.1.4 and 3.1.15 of the Uplinking Guidelines dated 05.12.2011 and clause 1.10 of the Downlinking Guidelines dated 05.12.2011 stand deleted. This order will come in force with immediate effect.

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