



## THE FILMS REGULATIONS 1984, AMENDMENT NO. 4

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PAUL REEVES, Governor-General

### ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 27th day of August 1990

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 75 of the Films Act 1983, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

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### REGULATIONS

**1. Title and commencement**—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Films Regulations 1984, Amendment No. 4, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Films Regulations 1984\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) Except as provided in subclause (3) of this regulation, these regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1990.

(3) Regulation 2 of these regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of November 1990.

\*S.R. 1984/77

Amendment No. 1: (Revoked by S.R. 1988/184)  
Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1988/184  
Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1989/151

**2. List of decisions**—The principal regulations are hereby amended by inserting, after regulation 16, the following regulation:

“16A. Subject to paragraphs (b) and (c) of subsection (2) of section 21A of the Act, every list of decisions produced pursuant to subsection (1) of that section shall contain the following particulars in respect of every film listed in it:

- “(a) The name of the person applying for examination or, as the case may be, applying for exemption from examination of the film:
- “(b) The title of the film:
- “(c) The name of the maker of the film, and the country of origin:
- “(d) Whether the film is a trailer to another film:
- “(e) The gauge or format of the film:
- “(f) The running-time of the film:
- “(g) The Chief Censor’s decision in respect of the film, and the date of the entry of that decision in the Register:
- “(h) Where the Chief Censor refuses to approve a film for exhibition or approves a film for exhibition following the making of any excisions or alterations, the reasons for the Chief Censor’s decision by reference to the relevant provision or provisions of Part I of the Act:
- “(i) Such other particulars as the Chief Censor considers necessary, being particulars that have been entered in respect of the film in the Register.”

**3. On trailers**—Regulation 18 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking subclause (2), and substituting the following subclause:

“(2) Where the Chief Censor has exempted a film from the requirement of examination and has approved it for exhibition without conditions, or has examined a film and has given it a classification designated by any of the symbols ‘G’, ‘GY’, ‘GA’, ‘RP (specified age)’, or ‘R (specified age)’, notification of the Chief Censor’s approval for exhibition of the film on any trailer may be in form 5, or form 6, or form 7, or form 8, or form 9, or form 10 in the First Schedule to these regulations, as the case may require.”

**4. First Schedule amended**—The First Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking forms 5, 6, 7, and 8, and substituting the forms 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 set out in the Schedule to these regulations.

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SCHEDULE

NEW FORMS 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, AND 10

*Form 5*

Reg. 4

Reg. 18



The film this trailer advertises has been


FILMS ACT 1983

**EXEMPTED**

**FROM THE REQUIREMENT OF EXAMINATION  
AND APPROVED FOR EXHIBITION**

SCHEDULE—continued  
Form 6

Reg. 18

	<p>The film this trailer advertises has been approved by the Chief Censor for exhibition and classified as</p>
<p><b>FILMS ACT 1983</b></p>	
<p><b>G</b></p>	<p><b>APPROVED FOR GENERAL EXHIBITION 1.</b></p>

**NOTE:**

1. Insert any description of the film given by the Chief Censor.

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SCHEDULE—continued

Form 7

Reg. 18



The film this trailer advertises has been approved by the Chief Censor for exhibition and classified as

**FILMS ACT 1983**

**GY**

**APPROVED FOR  
GENERAL EXHIBITION  
RECOMMENDED AS MORE  
SUITABLE FOR PERSONS 13 YEARS  
OF AGE AND OVER  
1.**

**NOTE:**


1. Insert any description of the film given by the Chief Censor.

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SCHEDULE—*continued*

Reg. 18

Form 8

	<p>The film this trailer advertises has been approved by the Chief Censor for exhibition and classified as</p>
<p>FILMS ACT 1983</p>	
<p><b>GA</b></p>	<p><b>APPROVED FOR GENERAL EXHIBITION RECOMMENDED AS MORE SUITABLE FOR ADULTS 1.</b></p>

**NOTE:**

1. Insert any description of the film given by the Chief Censor.

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SCHEDULE—continued

Form 9

Reg. 18



The film this trailer advertises has been approved by the Chief Censor for exhibition and classified as

**FILMS ACT 1983**

<p><b>RP</b><sup>1.</sup></p>	<p><b>APPROVED FOR EXHIBITION ONLY</b></p> <p>2.</p> <p>3.</p>
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**NOTES:**

1. Insert "specified age".
2. Insert "to persons ..... years of age and over and to any person under that age when accompanied by that person's parent or guardian".
3. Insert any description of the film given by the Chief Censor.

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SCHEDULE—continued  
Form 10

Reg. 18



The film this trailer advertises has been approved by the Chief Censor for exhibition and classified as

FILMS ACT 1983

<b>R</b> 1.	<b>APPROVED FOR EXHIBITION ONLY</b>  2.  3.
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**NOTES:**

1. Insert "specified age".
2. Insert "to persons ..... years of age and over".
3. Insert any description of the film given by the Chief Censor.

MARIE SHROFF,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.*

These regulations amend the Films Regulations 1984. Except for *regulation 2*, which comes into force on 1 November 1990, these regulations come into force on 1 October 1990.

*Regulation 2* inserts a new *regulation 16A* into the principal regulations. The new regulation sets out the particulars to be included in respect of each film listed in the list of decisions to be published pursuant to section 21A of the Films Act 1983 (as inserted by section 6 of the Films Amendment Act 1990). The particulars are similar to those required to be entered in the Register of Films.

Section 21A of the Films Act 1983 comes into force on 1 November 1990, and accordingly *regulation 2* has the same date of commencement.

*Regulation 3* amends *regulation 18* of the principal regulations, which relates to the notifications that are required to be shown on trailers advertising films. Subclause (2) of that regulation is revoked and a new subclause substituted. The effect of the amendment is to provide for the notifications to include any description given to a film by the Chief Censor.

*Regulation 4* amends the First Schedule to the principal regulations, and prescribes new forms of the notifications to be shown on trailers advertising films.

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