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## **NOTICE TO ALL DISTRIBUTORS OF FILMS, INTERACTIVE COMPUTER GAMES AND CERTAIN PUBLICATIONS**

Date: 22 January 2021

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Dear Sir / Madam,

### **IMPLEMENTATION OF SECTION 2 OF THE AMENDED FILMS AND PUBLICATIONS TARIFF'S REGULATION. 2020**

Section 31 (1) of the Films and Publications Act, 65 of 1996, provides that after having consulted the Minister of Finance, the Minister of Communications and Digital Technologies may make regulations regarding fees payable in respect of any application, exemption, permit or appeal under the FP Act.

Having approved the revised set of Tariffs Regulations, on 20 December 2018 the Minister of Communications and Digital Technologies addressed correspondence to the Minister of Finance requesting to obtain the latter's concurrence on the implementation of the revised Tariffs Regulations.

On 11 November 2019, the Minister of Finance confirmed that in terms of section 31 (1)(a) of the FP Act, he gave concurrence for the Minister of Communications and Digital Technologies to grant the necessary approval for the Implementation of the revised Tariffs Regulations by the FPB.



On 3 October 2020, the Minister of Communications and Digital Communications issued a Notice indicating that:

1. In terms of section 31 (1 of the Films and Publications Act, 65 of 1996, the Films and Publications Tariffs Regulations published under a notice under GG No.39379 of 6 November 2015, is duly amended through the promulgation of the Amended Films and Publications Tariffs Regulations, 2020; and
2. Section 1 of the Amended Films and Publications Tariffs Regulations, 2020, which deals with Physical Content and Distributor Size, shall be duly effective from Monday, 1 February 2021 whereas Section 2 of the Amended Films and Publications Tariffs Regulation, 2020, which deals with Online Distribution, shall be effective from Tuesday, 1 December 2020.

The duly issued Notice and Amended Films and Publications Tariffs Regulations, 2020, are attached for ease of reference.

Should you have inquiries, please contact FPB at [clientsupport@fpb.org.za](mailto:clientsupport@fpb.org.za).

Yours Faithfully

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Film and Publication Board

22/01/2021

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Date