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**Government of India  
Ministry of Communications  
Department of Telecommunications  
Sanchar Bhawan, 20, Ashoka Road, New Delhi - 110 001  
(Data Services Cell)**

**No. 813-07/LM-07/2023-DS-II**

**Dated:02-01-2025**

**To,**

All the Internet Service Licensees

**Subject: CS (Comm.) 87 of 2023; Star India Pvt. Ltd. and Anr. v. moviesverse.ac and Ors. Before Hon'ble Delhi High Court**

Kindly find enclosed the Hon'ble Delhi High Court orders dated **29.11.2024**, **02.12.2024** and **24.02.2023** on the subject matter.

2. Please refer to **para 7** and **para 8** of **court order dated 24.02.2023** in respect blocking of **websites enumerated** in Memo of parties from 232 to 241 and 242 to 260.

3. In view of the above, all the Internet Service Licensees are hereby instructed to take immediate necessary blocking action for compliance of the request in the affidavit as above in view of the said court order.

Digitally signed by

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**Director (DS-II)**

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**Copy to:**

- i. Sh. V. Chinnasamy, Scientist E (chinnasamy.v@meity.gov.in), Electronics Niketan, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) New Delhi for kind information and with request to take action as per **Annexure**.
- ii. Sh. Vaibhav Gaggar (vaibhav@vaibhavgaggar.com), Central Government Standing Counsel for kind information
- iii. Rimjhim Tiwari, Associate Saikrishna & Associates, counsel for the plaintiff (rimjhim@saikrishnaassociates.com) for kind information [Requested to take action as per Annexure] .
- iv. IT wing, DoT for uploading on DoT Website please.



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\* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**  
 + CS(COMM) 87/2023  
 STAR INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED ...Plaintiff

Through: Mr. Sanidhya Maheshwari (VC),  
 Advocate

versus

MOVIESVERSE.AC & ORS. ....Defendant

Through: None

**CORAM:**  
**JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL) Dr. AJAY GULATI**

**ORDER**

% **29.11.2024**

**I.A. No. 46713/2024 on behalf of the plaintiff seeking impleadment of additional rogue websites (notified on affidavit) as defendant nos. 232 to 241 engaged in infringing activities as defendants in the instant suit.**

1. The plaintiff is seeking to implead additional rogue-websites as defendant nos. 233 to 241 (wrongly mentioned 232 to 241 in the title of the application) because they have been found to be indulging in illegally disseminating the copyrighted material belonging to the plaintiff. The application is supported by the required affidavit. Keeping in view the contents of the suit and the application, the same is allowed. The proposed defendants are impleaded as defendant nos. 233 to 241.
2. The amended memo filed alongwith this IA is taken on record. Steps be taken to serve them within two weeks.
3. The order blocking / suspension of the rogue-websites and supply of necessary information by defendants no. 30 to 37 passed by the Hon'ble Court on **16.02.2023** shall operate qua the



freshly impleaded defendants as well in terms of directions contained in **para 23** of the said order and *para 7 & 8* of the order dated **24.02.2023**. IA is allowed and disposed off accordingly.

**4.** Put up for completion of pleadings on 23.01.2025, the date already fixed.

**Dr. AJAY GULATI**  
**(DHJS),**  
**JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL)**

**NOVEMBER 29, 2024/sk**

*Click here to check corrigendum, if any*



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\* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**  
 + CS(COMM) 87/2023  
 STAR INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED .....Plaintiff

Through: Ms. Rimjhim Tiwari,  
 Mr. Sanidhya Maheshwari (VC),  
 Advocates

versus

MOVIESVERSE.AC & ORS. ....Defendant

Through: None

**CORAM:**  
**JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL) Dr. AJAY GULATI**

**ORDER**

% **02.12.2024**

**I.A. No. 46891/2024 on behalf of the plaintiff seeking impleadment of additional rogue websites (notified on affidavit) engaged in infringing activities as defendants no. 242 to 260 in the instant suit.**

1. The plaintiff is seeking to implead additional rogue-websites as defendant nos. 242 to 260 because they have been found to be indulging in illegally disseminating the copyrighted material belonging to the plaintiff. The application is supported by the required affidavit. Keeping in view the contents of the suit and the application, the same is allowed. The proposed defendants are impleaded as defendant nos. 242 to 260.

2. The amended memo filed alongwith this IA is taken on record. Steps be taken to serve the newly impleaded defendants within two weeks.

3. The order blocking / suspension of the rogue-websites and supply of necessary information by defendants no. 30 to 37 passed by the Hon'ble Court on **16.02.2023** shall operate qua the



freshly impleaded defendants as well in terms of directions contained in **para 23** of the said order and *para 7 & 8* of the order dated **24.02.2023**. IA is allowed and disposed off accordingly.

4. Put up for completion of pleadings on 23.01.2025, the date already fixed.

**Dr. AJAY GULATI**  
**(DHJS),**  
**JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL)**

**DECEMBER 2, 2024/sk**

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N.D.O.H. ON 23.01.2025 BEFORE JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL)  
EMAIL-IPD

Date of Ref. Order: 29.11.2024	Date of receipt of process:
Date of filing PF: 09.12.2024	Date of Service of process:
Date of issuance:	Date of returning of Process to DA:

IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI

**C.S.(COMM) 87/2023**

**Star India Private Limited**

**...Plaintiff**

*versus*

**Moviesverse.ac & Ors.**

**...Defendants**

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237. dotmovies.ooo  
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238. bollyflix.la  
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239. allmovieshub.pl  
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240. 123-movies.my  
dmca@123movies4u.pro
241. 1movierulzhd.vin  
admin@movierulzhd.com

WHEREAS the plaintiffs have instituted a suit relating to a commercial dispute against you and you are hereby summoned to file a written statement within 30 days of the service of the present summons and in case you fail to file the written statement within the said period of thirty days, you shall be allowed to file the written statement on such other day, as may be specified by the Court, for reasons to be recorded in writing and on payment of such costs as the Court deems fit, but which shall not be later than 120 days from the date of service of summons. On expiry of one hundred twenty days from the date of service of summons, you shall forfeit the right to file the written statement and the Court shall not allow then written statement to be taken on record.

You are required to appear in this Court, in person or by a pleader duly instructed, and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some person able to answer all such questions on **23.01.2025 at 11:00 A.M. before Joint Registrar (Judicial)** to answer the claim; and further you are hereby to produce on the said day all documents in your possession or power upon which you base your defence or claim for set off or counter claim, and where you rely on any other document whether in your possession or power or not, as evidence in support or your defence of your claim for set off, or counter claim you shall enter such documents in lists to be annexed to the written statement.

*The Defendant(s) is/are directed to file a written statement to the plaint positively within by 30 days from date of receipt of summons with advance copy to opposite side. Along with the written statement, the Defendant(s) shall also file and affidavit of admission/denial of the documents of the Plaintiff, without which the written statement shall not be taken on record.*

Take further notice that in default of your appearance on the date fixed and in the matter mentioned above the suit will be heard and determined ex-parte in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Court, this 12<sup>th</sup> Day of December, 2024.



**ADMN. OFFICER JUDL. (IPD)  
For REGISTRAR GENERAL**

*JK*

- Encl: 1) Copy of Plaint.  
2) Copy of Order dated 16.02.2023  
3) Copy of Order dated 29.11.2024**



**NOTE:**

- The Party in person is required to produce the following documents in order to obtain the gate pass for entry to the High Court: Notice served upon the party or any other proof requiring his presence in the High Court; Identity proof (aadhar card, election identity card, ration card, driving licence or passport).
- Litigants may avail affordable legal service from the High Court of Delhi (Middle Income Group) Legal Aid Society. For eligibility & further details contact DHCMILAS office at Lawyer's Chamber No. 233, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, LCB-1, Delhi High Court, New Delhi – 110503, or visit [www.dhcmilas.com](http://www.dhcmilas.com).

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Given under my hand and the seal of this Court, this 12<sup>th</sup> Day of December, 2024.

  
  
**ADMN. OFFICER JUDL. (IPD)**  
**For REGISTRAR GENERAL**  
JK

**Encl: 1) Copy of Plaintiff.**  
**2) Copy of Order dated 16.02.2023**  
**3) Copy of Order dated 21.11.2024**

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N.D.O.H. ON 23.01.2025 BEFORE JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL)  
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**C.S.(COMM) 87/2023**

**Star India Private Limited**

**...Plaintiff**

*versus*

**Moviesverse.ac & Ors.**

**...Defendants**

To,  
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You are required to appear in this Court, in person or by a pleader duly instructed, and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some person able to answer all such questions on **23.01.2025 at 11:00 A.M. before Joint Registrar (Judicial)** to answer the claim; and further you are hereby to produce on the said day all documents in your possession or power upon which you base your defence or claim for set off or counter claim, and where you rely on any other document whether in your possession or power or not, as evidence in support or your defence of your claim for set off, or counter claim you shall enter such documents in lists to be annexed to the written statement.

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**ADMN. OFFICER JUDL. (IPD)**  
**For REGISTRAR GENERAL**  
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI  
(ORDINARY ORIGINAL COMMERCIAL JURISDICTION)  
CS (COMM) NO.        OF 2023

IN THE MATTER OF:

Star India Pvt. Ltd.	Versus	...Plaintiff
Moviesverse.ac & Ors.		...Defendants

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...Plaintiff

*Versus*

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8. besthdmovies.homes  
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9. chassidimam.com  
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10. fullymaza.top  
Email: pw-4a649196e6e9ca3413d421dbf841e484@privacyguardian.org
11. gomoviz.gay  
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12. goodcauseonline.org  
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14. excelqhalif.net  
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15. Ibomma.beauty  
Email: abuse@dynadot.com
16. Idownloadhub.lol  
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19. moviesbd24.com  
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20. filmyweb.site  
Email: ramdevmahato444@gmail.com
21. moviesflix.ml  
Email: copyright@freenom.com
22. ww2.cinevez.mx  
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23. wwv12.watchmoviesonlinepk.com  
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49. Ashok Kumar(s) ... Defendants

Place: New Delhi

Date: 14<sup>th</sup> February 2023



Yatinder Garg | Raunak Das Sharma | Rimjhim Tiwari  
D/1330/2015 | F/1429/2019 | D/4021/2022  
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Defendant No. 1 along with Defendant No. 2-26 are the main contesting parties.



**Annexure**

Subject: Action requested to be taken by MEITY and Plaintiff for effective removal of content for viewing by public at large within India as per the said orders of Hon'ble Court.

It is observed that a number of orders of Hon'ble Court are issued for blocking of websites every month. There are around more than 2700 ISPs in India and these ISPs are connected among themselves in a mesh network. DOT is instructing each of the ISPs through emails/through its website for blocking of the websites as ordered by the Hon'ble Courts. Ensuring compliance of the orders by each of the ISPs is a time-consuming and complex task especially in view of multiplicity of orders of Hon'ble Courts, multiplicity of websites to be blocked and multiplicity of ISPs.

2. Allocation of Business Rules inter-alia states thus:-

*'Policy matters relating to information technology; Electronics; and Internet (all matters other than licensing of Internet Service Provider).'*

3. In view of above and in order to ensure effective removal by content for viewing by public at large, the plaintiff is requested to do a trace route of the web server hosting the said website. In case the web server happens to be in India, the plaintiff may inform the same to Meity who may direct the owner of such web server to stop transmission of content as per IT Act and as directed by the Hon'ble Court so that the content would be blocked from the source itself and the exercise of blocking by 2700 ISPs would not be required.

4. In case such server is located abroad i.e. outside India then access to such URL/website can be blocked through the international internet gateways which are much less in number. This would result in timely and effectively removal of undesirable content for viewing by public at large as is the requirement as per the orders of Hon'ble Court.