ORDER

In partial modification of the Government of India order dated the 29th May 2007 amending the “schedule to the license agreement” under the guidelines for DTH Service, the Government of India hereby now decides that

(i) the clause 7.9 added to the “Schedule to the License Agreement” for DTH Services vide order dated the 29th May 2007 stands deleted/cancelled.

(ii) the existing clause 7.8 to the “Schedule to the License Agreement” for DTH Services is hereby deleted and substituted by the clause namely.-

“7.8 The licensee shall carry or include in his DTH Service the TV channels which have been notified for mandatory & compulsory carriage as per the provisions of Section 8 of the Cable Television Networks (Regulation) Act, 1995 as amended, except for the regional TV channels, failing which the licensor shall be at liberty to take action as per clause 20.1 of this agreement

Provided further that the licensee shall carry other channels of Prasar Bharati not covered under this clause, on most favourable financial terms offered to any other channel.”

(Zohra Chatterji)

Joint Secretary to the Government of India

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1. Cabinet Secretary, Cabinet Secretariat.
2. Secretary, Department of Telecommunications.
3. Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs.
4. Secretary, Ministry of Finance.
5. Secretary, Department of Revenue.
6. Secretary, Department of Space.
7. Secretary, Department of Information Technology.
8. CEO, Prasar Bharati.
9. Secretary, TRAI.
10. M/s. ASC Enterprises Ltd. (Dish TV India Ltd.), FC-19, Sector 16-A, Noida-201301.