

Films (Exemption) Notification 2011

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FILMS ACT (CHAPTER 107)

FILMS (EXEMPTION) NOTIFICATION 2011

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 40(2) of the Films Act, the Minister for Information, Communications and the Arts hereby makes the following Notification:

Citation and commencement

1. This Notification may be cited as the Films (Exemption) Notification 2011 and shall come into operation on 15th September 2011.

Definitions

2. In this Notification, unless the context otherwise requires —

“exempt film” means any obscene film that has been approved by the Authority for use by the exempt institution and any exempt person for educational and research purposes only;

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“exempt institution” means the Nanyang Technological University of Singapore;

“exempt person” means —

- (a) Mr Adams Wai-Kin Kong for so long as he is employed by the exempt institution and deployed at the School of Computer Engineering; or
- (b) any researcher who —
 - (i) is employed by the exempt institution or engaged by Mr Adams Wai-Kin Kong to assist Mr Adams Wai-Kin Kong in his research work; and
 - (ii) has received the approval of the Authority to use any exempt film for educational and research purposes;

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“use”, in relation to an exempt film, means to possess or exhibit the exempt film.

Exemption

3. Subject to paragraphs 4 and 5, sections 29(2) and (4) and 30 of the Act shall not apply to, or in relation to, the exempt institution or any exempt person in respect of any exempt film that is used for educational or research purposes.

Conditions

4.—(1) The exemption under paragraph 3 shall be subject to the following conditions:

- (a) every exempt film shall be used by the exempt institution or any exempt person for educational and research purposes only;
- (b) the exempt institution shall keep and maintain a register of exempt films containing the title of every exempt film and such other information as may be specified by the Authority;
- (c) an exempt film shall be used only in such rooms within the premises of the exempt institution as may be approved by the Authority (referred to in this Notification as the approved rooms), and access to the approved rooms

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