



No. HD/CYC/e-file/8/2022/8101/SB4

Home Department,
Government of Gujarat,
Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar

Read:

- (1) Information Technology Act, 2000, Government of India.
- (2) Information Technology (Intermediary Guidelines and Digital Media Ethics Code) Rules, 2021, Government of India; Dt. 25/02/2021.
- (3) Information Technology (Intermediary Guidelines and Digital Media Ethics Code) Rules, 2025, Government of India; Dt. 22/10/2025.
- (4) Circular No.22003/47/2024-I4C, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India; Dt. 27/06/2024.
- (5) Office Memorandum No.1(4)/2020-CLES-I, Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology, Government of India; Dt. 31/10/2023.
- (6) Order No. HD/CYC/e-file/8/2022/8101/SB4, Home Department, Govt. of Gujarat; Dt. 03/02/2025.
- (7) Director General of Police, CID Crime & Railways Letter No.DGPCR/0354/11/2025; Dt.12/11/2025.

ORDER

Rule 3(1)(d) of Information Technology (Intermediary Guidelines and Digital Media Ethics Code) Rules, 2021 & 2025 read with section 79(3)(b) of Information Technology Act, 2000 empower Appropriate Government or its agency to issue content take down orders to intermediaries, on whose computer resource the information is stored, hosted or published, in relation to any information which is prohibited under any law for the time being in force.

Information Technology (Intermediary Guidelines and Digital Media Ethics Code) Rules, 2025 published by Ministry of information and technology, Government of India vide Notification read at (3) clarifies that, "If such intimation is to be issued by the police administration, the authorised officer shall not be below the rank of Deputy Inspector General of Police, especially authorised by the Appropriate Government in this behalf."

In pursuance of the power under above mentioned Rules, in order to restrict any offence relating to public order; in relation to contempt of court; decency or morality; defamation or incitement, Government of Gujarat hereby authorise Additional director general of police (CID Crime & Railways), Gandhinagar as authorised agency & nodal officer to perform the functions under the said sections and Deputy Inspector General of Police, Crime-4, CID Crime & Railways, Gandhinagar as the

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designated officer to issuing take down notices to the appropriate intermediaries, to handle information which is prohibited under any law for the time being in force, under Rule 3(1)(d) Information Technology (Intermediary guidelines and Digital Media Ethics Code) Rules, 2021 & 2025 read with Section 79(3)(b) of the Information Technology Act, 2000.

Order passed read at (6), shall be treated as revoked, effective from commencement of this order.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat.

(Manoj Kumar Das)
Additional Chief Secretary to
Government of Gujarat

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Home Department, Block-2, Sardar Bhavan,
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To,

1. Director General of Police (CID Crime & Railways), Police Bhavan, Gandhinagar.
2. Dy. Inspector General of Police, Crime-4, CID Crime & Railways, Police Bhavan, Gandhinagar.
3. Superintendent of Police, State Cyber Cell, Karmayogi bhavan, Gandhinagar.

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1. Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Governor of Gujarat, Raj Bhavan, Gandhinagar. (By Letter)
2. Additional Chief Secretary to Hon'ble Chief minister of Gujarat, Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar.
3. Personal Secretary to Hon'ble Dy. CM and Minister (Home), Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar.
4. Home Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs, North Block, New Delhi – 110001.
5. Principal Secretary, Legislative and Parliamentary Affairs Dept, Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar.
6. Principal Secretary, Department of Science & Technology, Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar.
7. CEO, I4C, CIS Division, Ministry of Home Affairs, 5th Floor, NDCC-II Building, Jai Singh Road, New Delhi-110001.
8. Director General of Police, Police Bhavan, Gandhinagar, Gujarat.

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