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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
CENSORSHIP OF
FILMS APPEAL
BOARD
2004



**FOURTEENTH REPORT OF THE CENSORSHIP OF FILMS APPEAL BOARD
UNDER THE VIDEO RECORDINGS ACT, 1989.**

TO: Mr. Michael McDowell T.D.
Minister for Justice, Equality & Law Reform

We have the honour to submit our Annual Report for the year ended December 31, 2004.

The Video Recordings Act, 1989, provides for the control and regulation of the supply and importation of video recordings.

Details of the Appeals dealt with during the year are as follows:

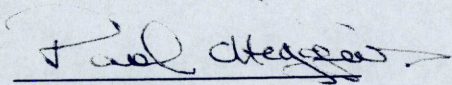
Total Number of Video Appeals	Film Censor's Decision Upheld	Revised Certificate Decided by Appeal Board	Amount in Fees Received
1	1	0	Euro 190.46

We also continued to perform our functions under the Censorship of Films Acts 1923 to 1992 and details of the appeals dealt with are as follows:

Total Number of Theatrical Appeals	Film Censor's Decision Upheld	Revised Certificate Decided by Appeal Board	Amount in Fees Received
1	1	0	Euro 1,000.00

The Appeal Board consists of:

Mr. Paul O'Higgins S.C., Chairman
Ms. Ann Walsh, Ordinary Member
Ms. Cathy Herbert, Ordinary Member
Ms. Sarah Moorhead, Ordinary Member
Mr. Kevin Myers, Ordinary Member
Ms. Nicola Byrne, Ordinary Member
Ms. Ann Mooney, Ordinary Member
Fr. Damien Mc Niece, Ordinary Member
Rev. Cannon David Pierpoint, Ordinary Member



Paul O' Higgins
Chairman,
Censorship of films Appeal Board.

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TUARASCÁIL BHLIANTÚIL

AN

BHOIRD ACHOMHARC

UM SCRÚDÓIREACHT

SCANNÁN

2004



**CEATHRÚ TUARASCÁIL DÉAG AN BHOIRD ACHOMHARC UM
SCRÚDÓIREACHT SCANNÁN FAOIN ACHT UM FHÍSTAIFEADTAÍ, 1989.**

CHUIG: An tUasal Michael McDowell T.D.
An tAire Dlí agus Cirt, Comhionannais agus Athchóirithe Dlí

Is mór an onóir dúinn ár dTuarascáil Bhliantúil don bhliain dár críoch Nollaig 31, 2004 a chur isteach.

Forálann an tAcht um Fhístaifeadtaí, 1989, do rialú agus rialachán ar sholáthar agus allmhairíocht fhístaifeadtaí.

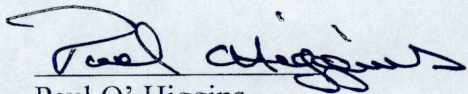
Is iad seo a leanas mionsonraí na nAchomarc a déileáladh leo i rith na bliana:

Líon Iomlán d'Achomhairc Físeanna	Seasadh le Cinneadh an Scrúdóra Scannán	Chinn an Bord Achomharc Teastas Athbhreithnithe	Méid Táillí Faighte
1	1	0	Euro 190.46

Leanamar orainn freisin ag comhlíonadh ár bhfeidhmeanna faoi na hAchtanna um Scrúdóireacht Scannán 1923 go 1992 agus is iad seo a leanas mionsonraí na n-achomharc ar déileáladh leo:

Líon Iomlán d'Achomhairc Amharclainne	Seasadh le Cinneadh an Scrúdóra Scannán	Chinn an Bord Achomharc Teastas Athbhreithnithe	Méid Táillí Faighte
1	1	0	Euro 1,000.00

Tá an Bord Achomharc comhdhéanta de: An tUas. Paul O'Higgins S.C., Cathaoirleach
Ann Walsh Uas., Gnáthchomhalta
Cathy Herbert Uas., Gnáthchomhalta
Sarah Moorhead Uas., Gnáthchomhalta
An tUas. Kevin Myers, Gnáthchomhalta
Nicola Byrne Uas., Gnáthchomhalta
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An tOir. Cannon David Pierpoint,
Gnáthchomhalta



Paul O' Higgins
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An Bord Achomharc um Scrúdóireacht Scannán.

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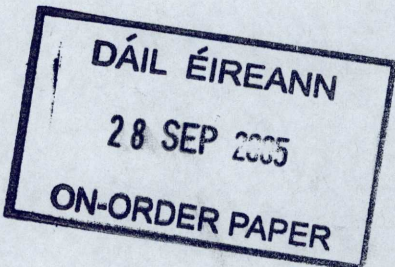
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4. Is there a statutory period in relation to the laying of the document?	No
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Seo cóipeanna* den doiciméad/de na doiciméid thíosluaite atá le leagan faoi bhráid an Tí. Is mar atá leagtha amach atá t-eolas a iarrtar thíos.



Ceann na Roinne nó an chomhlachta eile

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5. An gá tairiscint á cheadú?	

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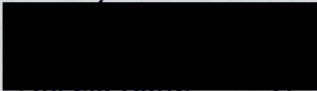
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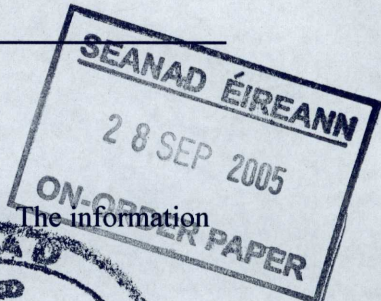
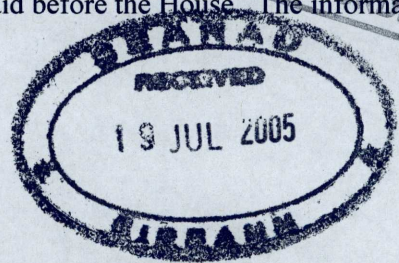
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