APPLICATION UNDER RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT – 2005

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The Central Public Information Officer Doordarshan Kendra Kudappankkunnu Triyandrum-695043 12.4.2012

Sir.

The Doordarshan introduced its DD Direct Plus DTH service with enticing advertisements in DD Channels. Many poor people bought the DD DTH with hard earned money believing the enticing advertisement on DD Channels about the **Regional Channels**. Now all the **Regional Channels** has been withdrawn without any notice. On 4.4.20012, I tried to know the reason of this cheating from Director Doordarshan Kendra, Thiruvananthapuram (Tele: 0471-2730128) and from DD DTH Delhi (Tele: 01123382093) but could not get any information. Then on 4.4.2012, I have sent email to ddcddtvm@gmail.com asking the reason for withdrawing the Regional Channels. Also with the Heading "DD's DTH Service" this matter was published in the Reader's Mail of The Hindu dated 9.4.2012 but till today no information on withdrawal of the Channels has been received.

So, I hereby request that the information for the following may please be provided under RTI Act-2005. RTI Act Section 6 (3) may also be used if necessary.

- 1. The date of withdrawal of the enticing advertisement about the DD DTH Service from the DD Channels?
- 2. The reason for withdrawing the enticing advertisement about the DD DTH Service from the DD Channels?
- 3. The reason for withdrawing the regional Channel Amrita TV(Malayalam) from DD DTH?
- 4. The reason for withdrawing the regional Channel Jai Hind TV(Malayalam) from DD DTH?
- 5. The reason for withdrawing the regional Channel Kairali TV(Malayalam) from DD DTH?
- 6. The reason for withdrawing the regional Channel Makkal TV(Tamil) from DD
- 7. The reason for withdrawing the regional Channel Kalaignar TV(Tamil) from DD DTH?
- 8. The reason for withdrawing the regional Channel Mega TV(Tamil) from DD DTH?
- 9. The reason for withdrawing the Channel Care World TV(Hindi) from DD DTH?
- 10. The reason for withdrawing the Channel 9XM TV(Hindi) from DD DTH?

- 11. The reason for withdrawing the Channel Music India TV(Hindi) from DD DTH?
- 12. The reason for withdrawing the regional Radio Channel Malayalam Classic from DD DTH?
- 13. The reason for withdrawing the regional Radio Channel Malayalam 90's from DD DTH?
- 14. The reason for withdrawing the regional Radio Channel Malayalam Latest from DD DTH?
- 15. The reason for withdrawing the regional Radio Channel Tamil Classic from DD DTH?
- 16. The reason for withdrawing the regional Radio Channel Tamil 90's from DD DTH?
- 17. The reason for withdrawing the regional Radio Channel Tamil Latest from DD DTH?

Yours truly,

(Subhash.S)

NB:- Received the original RTI Application affixed Court fee stamp worth Rs.10/- back, and sending the application again along with the Indian Postal Order worth Rs.10/-