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Council for Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights

## NOTIFICATION OF LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER ARTICLE 63.2 OF THE TRIPS AGREEMENT

IRELAND: BROADCASTING ACT 2009 (NUMBER 18 OF 2009)

Notifying Member	IRELAND
Details of the notific	ed legal text
Title	Broadcasting Act 2009 (Number 18 of 2009)

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Subject matter	Copyright and related rights
Nature of notification	[ ] Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation [X] Other law or regulation
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2023/IP/IRL/23 11047 00 e.pdf
Notification status	<ul><li>[X] First notification</li><li>[ ] Amendment or revision to notified legal text</li><li>[ ] Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)</li></ul>
Previous notification(s) referred to	Not applicable

## Brief description of the notified legal text

This Act revises the law relating to broadcasting services and content. It also establishes the Broadcasting Authority of Ireland; dissolves the Broadcasting Commission of Ireland and the Broadcasting Complaints Commission; amends and repeals certain enactments relating to broadcasting; provides for matters relating to TV licences; provides for the regulation and provision of telecommunications services and provides for connected matters which include an amendment to copyright legislation.

Language(s) of notified legal text	English
Entry into force	12 July 2009; This Act was enacted and commenced on the same date.
Other date	

## **Notification details**

Submission date of notification	26 April 2023
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Other information	Section 183 of the Act makes amendments to definitions contained in the Copyright and Related Rights Act 2000 (No 28 of 2000). See <a href="IP/N/1/IRL/C/3">IP/N/1/IRL/C/3</a> .
Agency or authority responsible	Intellectual Property Unit Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment <u>trademarks@enterprise.gov.ie</u>

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