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Q1:

I think a new framework for classification should be changed to the same classification layout as used for the Movie/TV industry.

Q2:

I think that clearly identifying what age groups fit into the classification, allowing people to identify what is Ok, and what isn't depending on age groups.

Q3:

No, these days just about every second game is available on multi-platforms (PC/ Playstation/ Xbox/ Nintendo), giving a different classification on the other platforms will only confuse the public.

Q4:

This is an arguable point, and really depends on the content. For instance, a game could have content that only affects 1 group of the public, and not the rest.

Q5:

Yes, Yes.

Q6:

Yes

Q7:

no

Q8:

yes

Q9:

yes

Q10:

yes

Q11:

I believe that it should use the same factors as Movies/TV

Q12:

I think parental controls should be implemented, to help restrict access for those homes with young children

Q13:

Parents should be strict and clear on this with there children and become more educated (with parental controls) to help monitor what there children are exposed to.

Q14:

Q15:

From the moment it's advertised with a release date

Q16:

I believe the governments, industry bodies, users should mainly be used as a reference, and have people make there own choice.

Q17:

yes

Q18:

depending on the target audience either G/PG/M/MA/R18+

Q19:

Q20:

I believe the main confusion category is the MA+, some content is similar to another, but the main ones are violence and horror.

Q21:

An new classification category should be added R18+, otherwise you have content that doesn't fit into the M or R, thus I think it should follow the Movie/TV classifications.

Q22:

I think in stores the content should be displayed in area where children can't view it, such as a higher shelf, or make an area where it's clearly identified. example : Caution - this area contains "content" that's not suitable for children, or teenagers under 18.

Q23:

Yes

Q24:

Anything that is refused classification should it not fall into any of the categories (only if there a 5 levels of classification)

Q25:

No

Q26:

Yes, otherwise you could end up with people on holidays in another state or territory bringing a prohibited item across the border, and would only cause confusion in pre-owned sections and second hand stores

Q27:

The same that is used in the Movie/TV industry

Q28:

Yes

Q29:

Advertising what age groups go with what classification, and having an R18+

Other comments:

Content advertised does need another classification, there are some genres that need to be R18, this helps us, the public clearly identify what type of content we could be exposing our selves to.

The form used for gathering this information should be typed up in a simpler form, and not so complicated.

I found myself wondering what quite a few questions were actually asking.