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Q14:

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| Q1: Improvement of the existing Framework. EXPLICTLY an R18+ rating for electronic entertainment in |
| the country. |
| Q2: |
| To provide Australians with an ability to understand the nature of an items content by looking at the |
| rating. Then allowing Australians to choose to view that content should they wish. |
| Q3: |
| No. Content is still content regardless of how it is accessed. |
| Q4: |
| Q5: |
| Yes the potential impact should affect classification, but the classifications should only be a guide. |
| Classifications shouldnt block access to content. Content for children should be easy to identify by the |
| lower ratings. EG (G) or (PG) under the old system. |
| Q6: |
| No, even content by a small distributor should be classified if it contains content that needs it. |
| Classified not BLOCKED or REFUSED CLASSIFICATION. |
| Q7: |
| I dont believe art needs a ratings system like TV or Movies but i think that if a exhibit contains graphic |
| content a small notice on the door would be courteous. EG (This exhibit contains nudity) Q8: |
| Yes definately. |
| Q9: |
| No. |
| Q10: |
| No. |
| Q11: |
| All content should be given a rating system like the current standard. If material doesnt fit in the |
| classification it should recieve a high rating. Something like an X+18 plus. It should not be refused |
| classification. |
| Q12: |
| Online content can have ratings applied but NO online content should ever be blocked or filtered. It is |
| up to people to make their own decisions. |
| Q13: |
| IT CAN BE CONTROLLED BY THEIR PARENTS. PARENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR |

OWN CHILDREN. Parents dont let their kids walk around kings cross late at night on their own, why

should they be online on their own without supervision. Responsibility comes back to parents.

I believe it is controlled well now. The explicit magazines have ratings and most establishments follow the guidelines on who to sell the materials to.

Q15:

I think that all content should have a classification marking.

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The government should provide people with the abiltiy to choose the content they wish to view. This should be done through a ratings system similar to the current one. The rating on the content EG G PG M R X should be all that the government does. Content should not be blocked from purchase because a small minority does not want to view it. Anything that doesnt fit in the ratings system should be rated with an X or XXX type of rating.

Q17:

Definately.

Q18:

Childrens programs. Films and television and Electronic Entertainment (Video Games)

Q19:

The classification process should be cheap for everybody. People should not have to pay for content to be rated.

Q20:

I believe they are well understood.

Q21:

Maybe the addition of a higher category, for content that doesnt fit current categorys. EG a Film that has extreme violence, and drug use should be rated with a higher rating that indicates that the content is EXTREMELY graphic and that people are aware that this isnt a regular R rated film. But it should NOT be REFUSED CLASSIFICATION AND BANNED FROM ENTERING THE COUNTRY. PEOPLE HAVE A RIGHT TO MAKE UP THEIR OWN MINDS.

Q22:

I believe that they are fine as they are. With the obvious lack of an R 18+ Rating for Video Games.

Q23:

It should be fixed to allow Adults to enjoy video games of whatever content they choose.

Q24:

NONE. If people dont wish to view certain content they can easily avoid it currently. Content should not be FILTERED.

Q25:

No. Content should not be blocked. It can be marked RC but it should still be accessable.

Q26:

No state and territory classification removed. It should be done on a federal level.

Q27:

A nation wide ratings system that provides RATINGS on content so people can estimate the nature of the content.

Q28:

Yes all classification to the Federal level

Q29:

Allowing content that does not fit in the framework to still be accessed, should the individual choose it. Other comments:

I belive Australians have the right to view whatever content they wish once they are of legal age.(18) At this age people can enlist and go to war. If people are old enough to choose to fight and die in conflict I think that people should have the right to watch films or play games that contain any content. I think people should be able to check a rating to see the general nature of content and then be free to make up their own mind. I think children should have their content censored by their parents not by the government. Australians need to take responsibility for their own children