

### EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS - NOVEMBER 11, 2023

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#### > Digital Advertisement Policy, 2023

✓ In a rapidly evolving media landscape, the Information and Broadcasting Ministry of India unveiled the 'Digital Advertisement Policy, 2023,' a significant move to harness the potential of digital media for government communication.



- This policy empowers the Central Bureau of Communication (CBC), the Central government's advertising wing, to conduct campaigns effectively in the digital realm.
- ✓ The 'Digital Advertisement Policy, 2023' represents a pivotal moment for the CBC, aligning its mission with the changing media landscape and the increasing digitalization of media consumption.
- ✓ With the policy's implementation, the CBC aims to disseminate information and raise awareness about various government schemes, programs, and policies in response to evolving media trends.

Broadcasting Services (Regulation) Bill 2023

 On November 10, 2023, the Information & Broadcasting Ministry unveiled the draft Broadcasting Services (Regulation) Bill, 2023, signaling a significant step towards modernizing and regulating India's broadcasting sector.

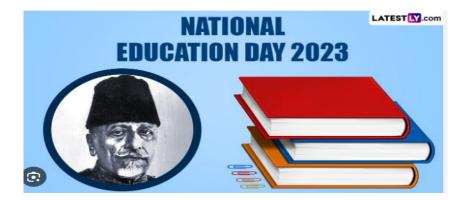


- ✓ This proposed legislation aims to replace outdated Acts, Rules, and Guidelines with a unified framework that adapts to the changing landscape of the media industry, encompassing Over-the-Top (OTT) content, digital news, and current affairs.
- ✓ The draft Broadcasting Services (Regulation) Bill, 2023, seeks to establish a consolidated legal framework for the broadcasting sector in India.
- ✓ It is designed to streamline and replace existing regulations, including the Cable Television Networks (Regulation) Act of 1995, to provide a more comprehensive and up-to-date approach.

# **IMPORTANT DAYS**

#### National Education Day 2023 – November 11

 National Education Day is celebrated every year on November 11th to commemorate the birth anniversary of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, India's first Education Minister.



✓ Azad was a visionary leader who played a pivotal role in shaping the country's education system. He was a strong advocate for universal primary education,

girls' education, and free compulsory education for all children under the age of 14.

 He also played a key role in establishing some of India's most prestigious educational institutions, including the Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) and the University Grants Commission (UGC).

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