

Registration Department

Our Ref: Registration/ IS 18112

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Subject: Revised Guidelines for Implementation of IS 18112 ‘Digital Television Receiver for Satellite Broadcast Transmission Specification’

1. The IS 18112 prescribes the requirements of Digital Television (DTV) receiver for the reception of digital satellite Free-To-Air (FTA) TV and Radio signals.
2. The product ‘Plasma/ LCD/ LED/ Televisions’ as per IS 616 : 2017/IEC 60065 : 2014 is covered under mandatory BIS certification under Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY)’s Electronics and Information Technology Goods (Requirement of Compulsory Registration) Order, 2021.
3. MeitY vide their Order dated 26 April 2023 has notified the requirements of ‘Digital Television Receiver for Satellite Broadcast Transmission’ as per IS 18112 for mandatory BIS certification in their existing Electronics and Information Technology Goods (Requirements for Compulsory Registration) Order, 2021. The last date of implementation of IS 18112 is 26 Oct 2025.
4. The revised guidelines for implementation of IS 18112 are as follows:

Existing Licensees of Televisions as per IS 616:

5. All television sets shall incorporate the requirements of 'Digital Television Receiver for Satellite Broadcast Transmission' as per IS 18112, along with the safety requirements as per IS 616:2017/IEC 60065 : 2014.
6. All existing licensees must apply for an inclusion as per IS 18112, along with the safety requirements of IS 616:2017/IEC 60065 : 2014, as per the 'Guidelines for Change in Scope of Licence (CSoL)' under the Conformity Assessment Scheme II of Schedule II of the BIS (Conformity Assessment) Regulations, 2018. The existing series guidelines for Plasma/ LCD/ LED/ Televisions will be applicable for incorporating Digital Television Receiver for compliance.
7. If the existing models are already having TV tuner, licensees may apply online through the “Apply for Standard Revision/Amendment/ Essential Requirement” module, along with the test report for IS 18112 keeping in view the series guidelines for Plasma/LCD/LED Televisions. The lab shall also mention the test report number of IS 616 within the IS 18112 test report, referring to the same models that comply with both IS 18112 and IS 616.

8. After the last date of implementation i.e. 26 Oct 2025, models complying only with IS 616: 2017/IEC 60065: 2014 will be deleted from the scope of the licence. If compliance outlined in these guidelines are not received for any model under the licence, the licence will be liable for cancellation after the last date of implementation i.e. 26 Oct 2025.

Applications:

9. Applications received as per IS 616:2017/IEC 60065: 2014 may be processed further according to the prevailing guidelines until 25 Sep 2025, i.e., one month before the last date for the implementation of IS 18112. In case, applicants fail to meet additional requirements of IS 18112 by 26 Oct 2025, the licence/models shall be cancelled. The applicants are required to submit an undertaking confirming their compliance with IS 18112, in accordance with the instructions outlined in these guidelines.

10. Manufacturers who are desirous to get licence for Plasma/ LCD/ LED/ Televisions as per IS 616 : 2017/IEC 60065 : 2014 and IS 18112 have to submit a new applications in accordance with the 'Guidelines for Grant of Licence (GoL)' under the conformity assessment Scheme II of Schedule II of BIS (Conformity Assessment) Regulations, 2018.

11. All applications received for Plasma/ LCD/ LED/ Televisions as per IS 616:2017/IEC 60065: 2014, pending after the last date of implementation, will be automatically rejected.

Change in Scope of licence/ Inclusion:

12. Inclusions received as per IS 616:2017/IEC 60065 : 2014 may be processed further in accordance with the prevailing guidelines until 25 Sep 2025, i.e., one month before the final implementation date of IS 18112.
13. All Inclusions received for Plasma/ LCD/ LED/ Televisions as per IS 616:2017/IEC 60065 : 2014, pending after the last date of implementation, will be automatically rejected.

Standard Mark

14. As the 'Digital Television Receiver for Satellite Broadcast Transmission' has been made mandatory with effect from 26 Oct 2025, licences after getting necessary approvals from BIS shall display the Indian Standard no.s IS 616/IEC 60065 as well as IS 18112. There shall be only one single licence number for both the above specifications which shall be displayed below the Standard Mark.

15. The Standard Mark for 'Televisions Sets' with 'Digital Television Receiver for Satellite Broadcast Transmission' is given below for reference:

IS 616/IEC 60065
IS 18112



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16. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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