

September , 2025

24/9/25  
11.50 AM

The S.S.P.

Imphal East

District – Imphal East, Manipur

**Subject: Complaint regarding commission of cognizable offences under the *Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023, Information Technology Act, 2000 and Copyright Act, 1957* by owners/operators of “IPTV Smarters Pro” illegally distributing copyrighted content belonging to JioStar India Private Limited and its OTT platform JioHotstar.**

Sir

1. I, Samrat Das (“Complainant”), C/o, **Bikash Kumar Singh, an Individual IPR Consultant**, having office at Temple Chambers, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Room – 35, 6 Old Post Office Street, Kolkata, West Bengal – 700001, am filing this complaint in my capacity as authorized representative of *JioStar India Private Limited* (“Company”), duly empowered under delegated authority from Mr. Mohit Bajaj, attorney holder of the Company.
2. The Company, having its registered office at Star House, Urmi Estate, 95 Ganpatrao Kadam Marg, Lower Parel (West), Mumbai – 400 013, and corporate office at Plot No. 77, Institutional Area, Sector 32, Gurgaon – 122001, is a leading broadcaster engaged in the business of distributing satellite television channels and allied media services across India and internationally.
3. The Company also owns and operates the online streaming platform *JioHotstar* ([www.hotstar.com](http://www.hotstar.com) and *JioHotstar* mobile application), which provides millions of subscribers lawful access to television serials, films, live sports, and other premium entertainment.
4. The Company and its subsidiaries hold **exclusive intellectual property rights, broadcast rights, and communication-to-public rights** over all content telecast on its channels and OTT platform. These rights are protected by law. Any unauthorized

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12. First Information Contents: -  
exploitation of stolen broadcast signals and deliberate circumvention of protective technological measures.

13. In view of the above, he most respectfully request your good office to:

- a. Take cognizance of this complaint and direct registration of an FIR against the owners/operators of "IPTV Smarters Pro" and all persons involved in its operation, promotion, funding, and distribution.
- b. Initiate an immediate and thorough investigation into their activities and prosecute them under the provisions of the BNS, IT Act, and Copyright Act.
- c. Take urgent measures to block and shut down the illegal IPTV services to prevent further piracy of Company content and the continued unlawful broadcast of banned foreign channels.
- d. Seize servers, devices, equipment, and financial proceeds derived from these unlawful activities.

a. Take appropriate steps for the arrest/detention of Chanam Thoiba Meitel, whose direct involvement in receiving payments and supplying illegal subscriptions is clearly established.

14. The Company and the undersigned Complainant undertake to extend full cooperation to the investigating authorities, including providing technical expertise, additional evidence, and legal documentation as required.

15. They place in their utmost trust in your urgent intervention to protect not only the intellectual property rights of the Company but also the broader national security interests implicated by the unlawful transmission of banned foreign channels. Hence the case.

13. Action taken: Since the above information reveals Commission of Offence(s) u/s as mentioned at

Item No.:

- (1) Registered the case and took up the investigation/or
- (2) Directed (Name of I.O.): Sh Chandrakumar Singh

No.

- (3) Refused investigation due to:

- (4) Transferred to P.S.:

on point of Jurisdiction.

Rank: Inspt

to take up the Investigation:

District:

F.I.R. read over to the complainant / informant, admitted to be correctly recorded and a copy given to the complainant / informant, free of cost.

R. O. A. C.

14. Signature / Thumb impression  
of the complainant / informant

Signature of Officer in Charge

Police Station: Porompat P.S.

Name: Sh. Chandrakumar Singh

Rank: Inspector of Police, OC-PRT-PS.

No.:

15. Date and time of Dispatch to the Court: 26/09/2025.

Officer in-charge  
Porompat Police Station  
Imphal East, Manipur





12. First Information Contents:

Case: Samrat Das - Son of Late Swapan Das of 265, Prince Anwar Shar Road, Police Station - 44th Green Kolkata, West Bengal & C/o, Bikash Kumar Singh, an Individual IPR Consultant, having office at Temple Chambers, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Room-35, 6 Old Post Office Street, Kolkata, West Bengal 700001 reported to the officer in charge porompat station that this complaint in his capacity as authorized representative of JioStar India Private Limited ("Company"), duly empowered under delegated authority from Mr. Mohit Bajaj, attorney holder of the Company

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5. The Company has discovered that one individual, namely, Chalamba Irengbam (Mobile No. 7005851687), having address Kongba Laishram Leikai, Imphal East, Facebook channel his <https://www.facebook.com/chalamba.irengbam>, is actively promoting the IPTV Manipur through 795005, service titled "IPTV Smarters Pro". By doing so, he is unauthorisedly and illegally advertising, selling, and facilitating organized piracy and unauthorized distribution of the Company's copyrighted content.

6. Their modus operandi includes:

1. Offering a downloadable IPTV Smarters Pro App (apk), which once activated, enables unrestricted and illegal access to premium Company content on smart TVs.

11. Supplying pre-configured Android set-top boxes (STBs) that allow users without smart TVs to access the pirated content

7. During preliminary investigation, the Complainant and his associates subscribed to the said service:

1. A payment of ₹1500/- via UPI was made to one Chanam Thoiba Meitei for subscription credentials.

i. Additionally, an Android STB was purchased for 23,500/-. Both services were valid for one year.

8. Upon accessing the service, it was confirmed that IPTV Smarters Pro was streaming:

i. Premium Company channels, including Star Sports Select HD, Star Plus HD, Star Jalsha HD. Star Bharat HD, Star Gold HD, Nick HD. Bigg Boss Malayalam (OTTcontent) etc  
Banned Pakistani channels such as PTV Live PK, 92 News HD PK, HUM TV (FHD)

9. The unauthorized streaming of banned Pakistani channels is a matter of grave national security concern, as it violates broadcasting regulations and undermines the sovereignty and integrity of India.

10. The undersigned has collected and enclosed the following evidence:

i. Screenshots of Company's exclusive content being streamed.

ii. Video recordings of pirated broadcasts stored in a Pen Drive (submitted herewith).

iii. Proof of subscription and payments for the App and STB services.

11. The actions of the owners/operators of IPTV Smarters Pro attract multiple cognizable offences under Indian law, including:

A. Information Technology Act, 2000: A. Information Technology Act, 2000:

Section 43 & 66-Unauthorized access and misuse of computer resources.

ii. Section 66B-Dishonestly receiving stolen computer resource.

iii. Section 66D-Cheating by impersonation using computer resources.

B. Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023:

i. Section 303-Theft of property.

ii. Section 314-Dishonest misappropriation of property.

C. Copyright Act, 1957:

i. Section 63-Criminal infringement of copyright (cognizable offence).

ii. Section 65A-Circumvention of technological protection measures



**FIRST INFORMATION REPORT**  
(Under Section 173 B.N.S.S)

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1. DISTRICT: IMPHAL EAST.

P.S. POROMPAT

YEAR: 2025

FIR NO. 244(09)2025 PRT-PS

Date and time of FIR: 26/09/2025 at 6.00pm

Sl. No.	Acts.	Sections
1.	BNS	303/314/316/317/BNS,
2	Copy right act 1952	63/63A/65A/64 Copy right act 1952 ,
3	IT Act.25	43/66/66B/66D IT Act.

3. (a) Occurrence of Offence :

Day: Not Mentioned

Date from: Not mentioned

Date to: nmot mentioned

Time Period:

Time from: 12.30pm

Time to: 1.30pm

(b) Information received at PS Date: 26/09/2025

Time: . 6.00 pm

(c) General Diary Reference: 18/PRT-PS/2025

Date & Time: 26/09//2025 at 6.00pm

4. Type of information: written

5. Place of Occurrence: under the jurisdiction of Porompat Police Station Imphal East, Manipur .

(a) Direction and Distance from PS:

Beat:

(b) Address: under the jurisdiction of Porompat Police Station Imphal East, Manipur .

(c) In Case Outside the limit of this Police Station, then Name of P.S:

6.. Complainant/ Informant:

(a) Name: Samrat Das

(b) S/o :- Late Swapan Das (c) Date of Birth :  
Indian.

(d) Nationality:

(e) UID No.: -

(f) Passport No.

(g) Date of issue:

Place of issue:

(h) ID Details (Ration Card, Voter ID Card, Passport, UID No., Driving License, PAN)

SL. No.	ID Type	ID No.
1.	Aadhaar Card	

(i) Occupation : -

(j)Address:-

Sl. No.	Address Type	Address
1	Present Address	of 265, Prince Anwar Shar Road , Police Station – Golf Green Kolkata , West Bengal
2	Permanent Address	of 265, Prince Anwar Shar Road , Police Station – Golf Green Kolkata , West Bengal

(k) Phone Number: 9073572075

Details of known / suspected / unknown accused with full particulars:

Sl.No.	Name	Alias	Relative's Name	Present Address
1.	Chalamba Irengbam			Kongba Laishram Leikai

8. Reasons for delay in reporting by the complainant / informant:

9. Particulars of properties of interest:

Sl. No.	Property Category	Property Type	Descriptions	Value (in Rs.)
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10. Total value of Property:

11. Inquest Report / U.D. Case No., if any:

Sl. No.	UIDB No.