

# Maharashtra

## Tax Exemption and Concession

- Marathi films have 100% entertainment tax exemption on theatrical release in Maharashtra State.
- Marathi films enjoy Concession/Rebate in Film/TV shooting charges at various government owned sites/locations. i.e. *Dadasaheb Phalke Chitranagari* Goregaon (East), Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai, Department of Archaeology and Museum of Maharashtra, BEST, Maharashtra Maritime Board, etc.

## Financial Assistance and Awards

The Corporation implements Film finance assistance scheme of Government of Maharashtra, under the name “*Darjedar Marathi Chitrapat Arthsahaya Yojna*” as following

- Marathi Films which scores 70% and above marks is Graded “A” category and granted a financial assistance of Rs. 40 lakh.
- Marathi films scoring 51% to 69% marks are Graded “B” category and granted a financial assistance Rs. 30 lakh.

Every year State government declares State Film awards, wherein the 1st best movie gets a prize money of Rs. 4 lakh.

## Film City

- Maharashtra Film Stage and Cultural Development Corporation Ltd., *Dadasaheb Phalke Chitranagari*, Filmcity Mumbai is one of the largest entertainment infrastructure for film, television and commercial shooting in Mumbai which is spread in 521 acres and having outdoor and indoor shooting locations and studio facilities.
- *Kolhapur Chitranagari* has land bank and indoor/ outdoor shooting facilities at Morewadi Kolhapur.

## AVGC Policy

- Maharashtra Film Stage and Cultural Development Corporation Ltd, Dadasaheb Phalke Chitranagari Goregaon East, Mumbai has made provision for Animation, Visual Effects, Gaming and Comics (AVGC) project in its 521 acres of land bank.