



ISSN: 2249-7315

Vol. 11, Issue 10, October 2021

SJIF –Impact Factor = 8.037 (2021)

DOI: 10.5958/2249-7315.2021.00117.9

THE IMPACT OF LEGAL CINEMA ON ANCIENT LAW REFORM

Sourabh Batar*

*Teerthanker Mahaveer Institute of Management and Technology,
Teerthanker Mahaveer University,
Moradabad, Uttar Pradesh, INDIA
Email Id: battarsourabh@gmail.com

ABSTRACT

For the longest period, legal film and law have coexisted. This study attempts to connect the two via the creation of a film, Philadelphia. The film's reception, as well as the widespread critical praise, was hailed by the general public when it was released in 1993. The importance of legal film in the field of law is self-evident. People may consider the possibilities that might arise if ideas are executed when they are shown on a large screen. As is the case with the aforementioned film, which prompted heated discussion regarding HIV-related legislation as well as the whole field of homosexuality. The legislation and regulations governing the Human Immunodeficiency Virus in India, as well as active efforts being done to raise awareness about the virus, will be emphasized in this article. The idea of homosexuality, as well as the stigma surrounding it, will be addressed. The importance of legal film and associated case law is also discussed.

KEYWORDS: AIDS, Film, Law, Legal, And Philadelphia.

REFERENCES:

1. N. Rafter, "American Criminal Trial Films: An Overview of Their Development, 1930-2000," *Journal of Law and Society*. 2001, doi: 10.1111/1467-6478.00175.
2. "Rights of HIV/AIDS patients in India," *Help. LAW*, 2021.
3. "Health Ministry Implements HIV AIDS Act 2017: All You Need to Know," *Times of India*, 2018.
4. A. R. Kavi, "What Next After Sec. 377?," *Deccan Her.*, 2018.
5. S. M. Akali, "Learning from Suresh Kumar Koushal v. Naz Foundation Through Introspection, Inclusion, and Intersectionality: Suggestions from Within Indian Queer Justice Movements," *Berkeley J. Gender, Law Justice*, 2016, doi: 10.15779/Z38NS0KX7K.
6. G. Bhatia, "Equal moral membership: Naz Foundation and the refashioning of equality under a transformative constitution," *Indian Law Rev.*, 2017, doi: 10.1080/24730580.2017.1396529.
7. P. Dixit, "Navtej Singh Johar v Union of India: decriminalising India's sodomy law," *Int. J. Hum. Rights*, 2020, doi: 10.1080/13642987.2019.1690465.
8. D. Renu, "Homosexuality with Special Reference Case: Navtej Singh Johar V. Union of India," *Int. J. Trend Sci. Res. Dev.*, 2019, doi: 10.31142/ijtsrd23555.