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| **Maharashtra Film Incentives** | * The State offers schemes and incentives under Maharashtra tourism policy, 2015.
* **Financial Incentive under Tourism Policy**:
	+ Up to 100% of the entertainment tax levied on the movie tickets of the movie will be waived off if the filmmaker spends 75% or more of the total number of dates allotted to shooting the film in Maharashtra
	+ Up to 50% of the entertainment tax levied on the movie tickets of the movie will be waived off if the filmmaker spends 50%-74% of the of the total number of dates allotted to shooting the film in Maharashtra
* **Incentives to Regional Films**
	+ States government offers subsidy to Marathi film as per their grades.
	+ The applicant shall furnish all the relevant documents while applying for subsidy
* Application for subsidy is made offline, by submitting the application form and other required documents at “MFSCDC” office, Goregaon, along with censor board certificate.
* **Fiscal Incentive (Marathi Films)**
	+ Category A Film is eligible for assistance of upto Rs.40 lakhs
	+ Category B Film is eligible for assistance of upto Rs.30 lakhs
	+ Special concession on location fees by the state government departments as per their internal guidelines.
* **Subsidy Application**
	+ The application for subsidy is made offline.
	+ The applicant fills application form and pay INR. 1000 as application fee.
	+ Applicant submit all the documents mentioned in the application form at Film City office.
	+ The film is then screened by the state appointed assessment committee.
	+ If the film scores over 70, it is categorized as “A” grade & if the score is lies between 50 and 70, it is categorized as “B” grade.
	+ After categorization, the application is forwarded to State Tourism and Cultural Department.
	+ The subsidy is released by the state tourism and cultural department as per the category and fund allocated.
* **Other Initiatives**
	+ The state is also planning to launch an integrated Single Window System (SWS) to give all the film shooting permission in the state at one place.
	+ The process for developing an online system is in progress; meanwhile in order to facilitate shooting permissions a Facilitation Cell has been set up to coordinate with various departments for providing film shooting permissions
	+ MFSCDC is the nodal agency for the functioning of Single Window Facilitation Cell.
	+ In the envisaged SWFC application for film shooting can be made online by accessing <https://www.maharashtrafilmcell.com/Form.aspx> and filling the respective form.
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