

NOTICE BY CENSOR OF EXCISIONS FROM FILMS
(Under the Cinematograph Films Act 1928)

To Paramount Films Ltd
Auckland

N° 1933

I HEREBY give you notice that I agree to approve the film PSYCHO

and to issue a Restricted to persons 18 & over certificate in respect thereof subject to the following excisions in the film being made:

Part 5	Substantially reduce scene of woman being killed while under shower to show initial stab followed by her hand clutching curtains.
6	Reduce views of killer's bloody hands & views of blood on walls.
8	Reduce views of Abergast being killed to initial stabbing followed by view of his bloody face which should be retained, but <u>not</u> repeated stabs that follow.
11	Reduce views of skull of mother to first shot only & reduce screaming of Lila..
Trailer	Delete reference to <u>2nd</u> murder; reference to <u>knife</u> ; reference to back breaking as it hit floor; reference "You should have seen the blood", and words "He crept in here, but as shower was going there was no sound" and final title "Psycho" with accompanying screams
Teaser Trailer	Delete opening & closing screams & view of body being removed.

Pt 5,8,11 cut for TV 9/2/83 cuts waived for VLB release 6/5/92 Amended to R16 22.8.77

1. Unless it is your intention to appeal against this decision, you are required within twenty-one days to authorise me to make the excisions as set out above in the copy of the film in my possession.
 2. You are further required –
 - (a) To forward to me all copies of the film in your possession or under your control so that corresponding excisions may be made therein; or
 - (b) Within twenty-one days after the master copy of each of the excisions is made available to you for the purpose, to make corresponding excisions in all copies of the film in your possession or under your control and to return the master copy of each excision together with all corresponding excisions from the copies of the film in your possession or under your control to
- [Here set out any conditions on which applicant is permitted to make excisions.]

[Cross out instruction not applicable.]

3. If any further copies of the film are obtained, you are required to give me notice in writing within 10 days after their receipt, and to carry out the procedure set out in (3) above, whichever is applicable, on receipt of advice from me.

Dated at Wellington this 27th day of October, 1960

D.C McIntosh. Censor.