

NDTV Gadget Guru Awards 2015

Viewer's Choice

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Award categories

Award categories as defined by the Terms are as follows. The Award categories may be changed / modified / split / merged / increased or cancelled by the Jury based on the number and quality of entries received in each category. In the event that no Participant in a category are found to be worthy of inclusion by the Jury, the Award category may be cancelled by the Jury. The Jury may decide to add nominees in the category to maintain high standards of participation. The decision of the Jury in this regard will be final and non-contestable. The Awards management will not entertain any queries in this regard.

S.No.	Award Category	Definition
1	Gadget of the Year (Viewers' Choice)	This category is not open to nominations to the manufacturers. The category will be populated from amongst the other entries jointly by the Jury and NDTV edit teams. The final winner will be decided using a public voting on the NDTV Awards website. The voting will start soon.

Eligibility criteria

- Only citizens of India can participate in the contest.
- Participants should be of 18 years of age or more as on 1 January 2015.
- Participant should represent that they are legally competent to enter into and form binding contracts under all applicable laws.
- Employees, relatives and family members of NDTV 24x7, NDTV India, NDTV Profit, NDTV Good Times or any NDTV Group Company, Ernst and Young are not eligible to vote for the NDTV Gadget Guru Awards.
- Only one (1) vote per category is permitted. Any multiple votes will be disqualified
- Votes received outside the specified times and procedure will not be counted
- Only the votes received in the correct format through **the website** will be considered as a valid vote
- All votes must be received by the closing date on 17/09/2015 11:59pm.
- All applicable data charges would be borne by the voter. In no case shall the Awards management be held responsible for any dispute between the voter and the service provider (Mobile Company) regarding tariff rate or otherwise. Awards management does not take any responsibility of failures occurring with any response mechanisms depending on performance of third parties.

Rules & Regulations for Viewer's Choice Category

Votes can be submitted in the following manner -

Website: By logging onto the website ndtv.com/gadgetguruawards (the "Site"), and clicking on the "VOTE" section. Once there, vote on the Site by using your registered Email account information and following the steps to submit a vote for the category/categories and nominee of choice. No other additional nominees would be accepted from the viewers.

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Additional Information

- Use of any device to automate a vote is prohibited, including, but not limited to, software-generated, robotic, programmed, script, macro or other automated votes. Sponsor reserves the right at its sole discretion to disqualify any individual it suspects or finds: (a) to have used a software-generated, robotic, programmed, script, macro or other automated online or text message vote; (b) to have tampered with the voting process; (c) to be acting in violation of these Official Voting Rules; or (d) to be acting in an unsportsmanlike or disruptive manner, or with intent to annoy, abuse, threaten or harass any other person
- NDTV reserves the right to cancel or suspend voting at any time without assigning any reasons whatsoever
- NDTV reserves the right to disqualify votes if it has reasonable grounds to suspect that fraudulent voting has occurred or if it considers there has been any attempt to rig the voting.
- NDTV, its directors, officers, subsidiaries and/or agencies and/or sponsors cannot accept any responsibility whatsoever for any technical failure or malfunction or any other problem with any network or line, system, server, provider or otherwise which may result in any vote being lost or not properly registered or recorded
- NDTV shall not be responsible for any computer/ systems/ or any other related breakdowns/failures which might result in your non-participation in voting for the NDTV Gadget Guru Awards
- By voting, voters agree to release the Releases from any and all liability for any and all claims, costs, damages or losses of any kind arising out of their participation in connection with NDTV Gadget Guru 2015.
- The decision of NDTV shall be final and binding in all regards and no communication shall be entertained in this regard.
- NDTV reserves all rights to make amendments to the existing Terms or withdraw, change, alter, amend the Voting mechanism, Terms, Voting Period without giving prior notice. It shall be the sole responsibility of the Viewer(s) to check the Terms from time to time.
- Viewers agree and acknowledge that there is no prize/gratification for participating in the Voting process.
- The Terms shall be advertised sufficiently across the Website to ensure that no Viewer is misled and understands the entire Voting process and the costs associated completely prior to participating in the Voting process. In case any Viewer is found to be in non-conformance of these Terms NDTV will disqualify the Votes received from such Viewer.
- NDTV shall be responsible for ensuring that the entire Voting mechanism shall be managed /conducted on a fair and equitable basis and in accordance with applicable laws. For this specific purpose NDTV, will at its sole discretion, appoint outside audit firms /companies/auditors/ Internal (as the case may be) to audit the entire Voting procedure including counting Votes and shall keep updated records of the same during the Voting Period
- All right, title and interest in the data received, promotional material(s) and any/all registrations received shall vest solely and exclusively with NDTV at all times.
- NDTV accepts no responsibility for late, lost, incomplete, incorrectly submitted, delayed, illegible, corrupted or misdirected entries, claims or correspondence whether due to error, omission, alteration, tampering, unauthorized data hacking, deletion, theft, destruction, virus attack, transmission interruption, communications failure, hardware failure or otherwise. NDTV has no control over communications networks or lines and none of them accepts any

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responsibility for any problems associated with them, whether due to traffic congestion, technical malfunction or otherwise. NDTV is not liable for any consequences of user error including (without limitation) costs incurred.

- All disputes relating to or arising out of the Awards shall be subject to the laws of India, and shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of competent jurisdiction at Chennai, India
- If Participants are unclear as to the rules or any element of the Awards or experience difficulties of any kind, they can write in their questions, problems or queries to the following address: infoggawards@ndtv.com, or call Aayushi Goyal: +91 9868883019 or Simran Kaur: +91 9868883017

