

NDTV Q2 FY26: REVENUE UP 9

Reliance Industries Ltd. (RIL) has trNew Delhi Television Ltd (NDTV), part of the Adani Group, reported a 9.8% rise in revenue to Rs 122.27 crore in Q2 FY26, but its net loss



widened to ?74.01 crore, up 38% YoY, due to higher operational expenses and investments in transformation.

For H1 FY26, revenue stood at Rs 229.92 crore (up 12% YoY), with a net loss of Rs 14.43 crore. NDTV launched new primetime shows, brought in senior anchors, completed a Rights Issue, and merged four entities to streamline operations.

NETFLIX INDIA PROFIT JUMPS 61% IN FY25

Netflix India recorded a robust FY25 performance, with profit after tax rising 61.7% to Rs 84.8 crore from Rs 52.4 crore in FY24. Gross turnover climbed 32.4% to Rs 3,769 crore, fueled by higher domestic streaming revenue and tighter cost management.

Other income rose 47% to Rs



72.9 crore, while total expenses grew 32% to ?3,711 crore. Personnel costs dropped 16%, reflecting greater efficiency, and depreciation fell sharply by 54%.

The company reported a pretax profit of Rs 130.5 crore, up 54% year-on-year. All profits were transferred to reserves, underscoring Netflix India's growing financial strength in a competitive OTT landscape.

JIOSTAR POSTS RS 7,232 CRORE REVENUE IN Q2

Reliance Industries' JioStar reported Rs 7,232 crore in gross revenue for Q2 FY26, while profit after tax soared to Rs 1,322 crore, up sharply



from Rs 581 crore in Q1.

EBITDA rose to Rs 1,738 crore, with a record 28.1% margin, reflecting strong performance across its JioHotstar platform, which averaged 400 million monthly active users and a 34.5% TV entertainment viewership share.

SONY PICTURES NETWORKS INDIA FY25 PROFIT HALVES

Sony Pictures Networks India (Culver Max Entertainment) posted a total revenue of Rs 6,338 crore in FY25, down from Rs 6,641 crore in FY24, as advertising budgets remained tight.

Net profit nearly halved to Rs 456 crore. The company said it continued to invest in content expansion, digital platforms, and marquee sports properties such as the

Asia Cup, and expects growth momentum to return in FY26.

ZEE ENTERTAINMENT Q2 PROFIT DROPS 63%

Zee Entertainment Enterprises Ltd (ZEEL) reported a 63% YoY decline in profit to Rs 76.5 crore in Q2 FY26, as total revenue fell to Rs 1,995 crore from Rs 2,034 crore.



Advertising revenue declined 10.5% YoY to Rs 806 crore, though subscription income rose to Rs 1,023 crore. For H1 FY26, profit stood at Rs 220 crore versus Rs 327 crore a year ago.

NETWORK18 Q2 REVENUE UP 7%

Network18's news segment revenue grew 7% YoY to Rs 477.2 crore in Q2 FY26, supported by higher pricing yields despite lower ad inventory demand.



Operating EBITDA remained flat at Rs 7.4 crore, while H1 EBITDA grew 21.7% to Rs 11.5 crore. The company continues to expand its digital ecosystem through initiatives like Moneycontrol Fintech, Creator18, and Firstpost.■

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