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H. R. 9067

To amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide for a gender identity content descriptor for video programming, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. MOORE of Alabama introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. GENDER IDENTITY CONTENT DESCRIPTOR FOR**
4 **VIDEO PROGRAMMING.**

5 Title VII of the Communications Act of 1934 (47
6 U.S.C. 601 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the
7 following:

1 **“SEC. 723. GENDER IDENTITY CONTENT DESCRIPTOR FOR**
2 **VIDEO PROGRAMMING.**

3 “(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after the
4 date of the enactment of this section, the Commission
5 shall—

6 “(1) determine if the conditions of subsection
7 (b) have been met; and

8 “(2) if the Commission determines under para-
9 graph (1) that such conditions have not been met,
10 promulgate regulations that—

11 “(A) establish a content descriptor for
12 video programming that depicts, discusses, or
13 promotes gender identity, gender transition,
14 transgender identity, or non-binary identity;
15 and

16 “(B) require distributors of video program-
17 ming to transmit the content descriptor de-
18 scribed in subparagraph (A)—

19 “(i) with any video programming
20 that—

21 “(I) contains the content de-
22 scribed in such subparagraph; and

23 “(II) is marketed to children
24 (such as programming that is rated
25 TV-Y, TV-Y7, or TV-G under the
26 TV Parental Guidelines); and

1 “(ii) in a manner that, to the max-
2 imum extent technically feasible, can be
3 used with the feature described in section
4 303(x) (commonly known as the ‘V-chip’)
5 and other parental-control technologies.

6 “(b) VOLUNTARY COMPLIANCE.—The conditions of
7 this subsection are the following:

8 “(1) The TV Parental Guidelines have been re-
9 vised so as to include a content descriptor for video
10 programming that depicts, discusses, or promotes
11 gender identity, gender transition, transgender iden-
12 tity, or non-binary identity.

13 “(2) The content descriptor described in para-
14 graph (1) is being consistently transmitted with the
15 rating under the TV Parental Guidelines for video
16 programming that—

17 “(A) contains content described in such
18 paragraph; and

19 “(B) is rated TV-Y, TV-Y7, or TV-G
20 under the TV Parental Guidelines or is other-
21 wise marketed to children.

22 “(c) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this sec-
23 tion may be construed to ban or censor any video program-
24 ming.

1 “(d) TV PARENTAL GUIDELINES DEFINED.—In this
2 section, the term ‘TV Parental Guidelines’ means the vol-
3 untary ratings (or any successor to such ratings) for video
4 programming maintained by the TV Parental Guidelines
5 Monitoring Board (or any successor to such Board).”.

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