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Dear Sirs:

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Please try to put on  
more educational  
shows on T.V. - Take  
off these violent shows  
that show killings & drugs

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Dear Sir,

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I am very much concerned about TV viewing of our children. Children are very impressionable and when subjected to so much violence, drugs, sex and immorality they grow up believing that is the proper and only way to behave. Our children deserve better than that.

Let's give them a better life by changing their TV time to something educational, moral and enjoyable to watch. Keep in mind the time children will be watching.

I feel if we can point our children in the right direction it will make a better America for all of us. America was founded on Christian morals - may we keep it that way.

Please do what you can to better TV viewing for our children. Thank you.

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Sincerely,  
Lucy Johnson  
451 6th St  
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THE HONORABLE REED HUNDT  
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
1919 M STREET NW, ROOM 814  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20554

We are deeply concerned about childrens programming on TV. While we understand the initial respnsibility is the parents, they cannot possibly be at their childrens shoulder censoring everything they watch. Please concern yourself with this matter as well as the programming that is aired on Prime Time. This is thoroughly disgusting. It causes even an old Grandparent to blush. SOMETHING MUST BE DONE ABOUT THIS SITUATION;!!!.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION.



ROBERT AND JOYCE KLOUBEC  
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The Honorable Reed Hundt, Chairman  
Federal Communications Commission  
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Dear Sir,

In our Family and Community Educations & Homemakers Club, we are trying to make it a better world for our children and grand-children. The current programming schedule for Educational TV Programs are not aimed at the times our little ones are watching.

I am well aware that Public TV is doing a tremendous job providing Educational TV for all youth, but the national networks are not!!!

Please use your influence to create a larger and better time frame for network tv showing of educational programs for children. Saturdays and Sundays are big watching times and with terrible programming information to encourage our children to become good moral and physical people

Please use your position to promote ~~better~~ TV viewing for our and your own children.

Thank you,



Dorothy Shull  
FCE past state president  
Rural Route 1, Box 361  
Carthage, Missouri 64835 9763

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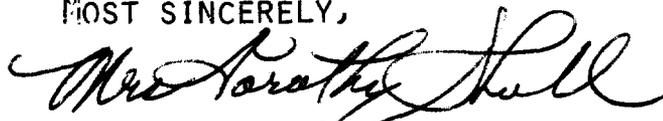
AS A MEMBER OF FCE MISSOURI, I WISH TO ENCOURAGE YOU TO CONSIDER MORE EDUCATIONAL TV FOR CHILDREN AND FOR MORE OF THESE TV PROGRAMS TO BE SCHEDULED AT TIMES WHEN CHILDREN WATCH TV ON SATURDAY, SUNDAY AND EVENING HOURS.

IT IS OF PRIMARY IMPORTANCE THAT OUR YOUNG CHILDREN VIEW WORTHWHILE EDUCATIONAL TV TO ALLOW THEM TO GROW INTO FINE CITIZENS WITH A HEALTHY MINDS AS WELL AS BODIES.

THE FCC CAN INFLUENCE PROGRAMMING ON ALL NETWORKS AND WITH YOUR INFLUENCE, WE COULD HAVE FAR MORE EDUCATIONAL USE OF TV FOR CHILDREN AT HOURS THEY USUALLY VIEW TV PROGRAMS.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION TO THIS MATTER.

MOST SINCERELY,



MRS. DOROTHY SHULL  
COORDINATOR FOR LITERACY  
IN JASPER COUNTY  
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Dear Sir:

As President of Jefferson County Association for Family and Community Education, and especially as a grandmother of three with one on the way, I am concerned with good and educational programs on television today. I feel that the FCC must stand up for children and come up with guidelines for a clearer definition of educational programs, and require that these programs be shown at times when children are most likely to be watching.

A few excellent programs have been developed as a result of the Children's Television Act, but there is a need to strengthen the guidelines for enforcement of the Children's Television Act of 1990 to provide more educational and informational programs for children. Our National Organization has been working in support of this. (NAFCE)

Appreciating your help — Mable's Kaiser

Mable's Kaiser  
5228 Skyline Ct.  
Imperial, MO 63062

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Willie Belle Colyar  
302300 S. Franklin Street  
Tullahoma, TN 37388

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The Honorable Reed Hunt, Chairman

Dear Mr. Hunt:

I am a mother, grandmother and great grandmother, and I am very concerned about television programs that children watch. We need more Disney type programs as compared to what is being shown now. There must be something that can be done to improve this, and I implore you do what you can to correct this.

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0 Thank you,

Mrs. Willie Belle Colyar

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To whom it may concern,  
Would be better if children  
programs was on at  
a time when they could  
enjoy them.

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Thank you  
Majeira Davis

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Dear Hundt,

I am writing to ask you to strengthen the guidelines for childrens programing. Considering the influence children's TV has on their behavior and the social problems our country faces, it would be in the best interests of us all to offer more positive educational and informative programing instead of the violent cartoons and those of questionable entertainment value. I feel that too

many children watch unsuper-  
vised and they may not be  
able to tell reality from  
fantasy.

Thank you for your  
consideration

Sincerely,

Frances Reynolds

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Florence, AL 35630  
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The Honorable ~~Richard~~ <sup>Stunt</sup>:

Please do what you can to strengthen the guidelines for enforcement of the Children's Television Act of 1990 to provide more educational and informational programs for children -

Television is a powerful influence. There is tremendous potential for its use for education.

I am a member of a Family & Community Education Club. We are extremely interested in having better TV programs for our children.

Thank you -

Freda Jones

Mrs. Freda Jones  
1706 Beckman Dr  
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The Honorable Reed Hundt, Chmn.  
Federal Communications Commission  
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Dear Sir:

FCC MAIL ROOM

Will you please work to  
strengthen guidelines for enforcement  
of children's television act of 1990,  
to provide more educational  
and informational programs for  
children?

I am a member of the National  
Association for Family and Community  
Education Volunteer organization,  
to improve programming for  
children, who are our country's  
future. Don't you strive to show  
educational programs targeted  
to their age level, at times when  
children can watch. I will appreciate  
your making educational needs a  
priority for our children.

Sincerely,  
Doris Maples

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July 13, 1994  
Rt 3, Box 420  
Abbeville, AL 36310

Honorable Reed Hurdt - Chairman  
Federal Communications Commission  
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The Honorable Hurdt:

Yes, I would like to see more programs for children that are educational and religious related.

The programs that are related to sex, nudity + violence should be taken off. So many parents have to work + leave their children at home in the day time, when school is out. It would be good for children to have programs to watch that would be educational for them.

The Barney shows, I think, are real good for children + they learn a lot from this kind of program. "Highway to Heaven" was a very good family show. The "Roseanne" show should be taken off because she condones sex, + also the "Soap Operas" do this also, which makes our teenagers think that is the way to live + think it is the right thing to do.

Television is a very powerful influence on everyone that watches. Our children are our most valuable assets. After all they are our future!

Sincerely,  
Loan C. Smith

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1309 W Vermijo ST  
Colo. Spr. Colo. 80905

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Honorable Reed Hundt, Chairman

I'm writing in regards to Children's Television Act of 1990. We need more improved television programming for children. They are our country's future and so many spend many hours watching TV. Their special educational programs should be shown after school and early evenings. I hope that education needs will be made top priority instead of selling toys + food. I pray you will consider childrens programming needs.

Yours Truly  
Nora McCarty

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1309 W Vermijo St  
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The Honorable Reed Hundt,

Dear Sir,

I would like to ~~express~~ <sup>FCC MAIL ROOM</sup> my feelings on the subject of T.V. programs for children as well as Radio programs. I think our children see <sup>hear</sup> too much sex, crime, vulgar talk, music not fit for them to hear. I have taught Sunday School for almost 50 yrs, worked in Theat Street for 15 yrs + have baby sit + kept children for years.

Children need good clean programs to see + hear so they can grow up to be good citizens. after all they will take our place someday.

Last but not least "let us not leave <sup>ask</sup> God out" our fathers always <sup>ask</sup> God for guidance + leadership + so shall we. Let's clean up T.V. + Radio for our children they are our tomorrow

Mary Hockett  
791 Houston Thomas Rd.  
Manchester, Tenn 37355  
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Thank You.  
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Dear Sir:

As a member of the Missouri Association for Family and Community Education, I would ask you to strengthen the guidelines for the enforcement of the Children's Television Act of 1990 to provide more educational and informational programming for children.

The National Association for FCE which is an organization made up of volunteers, has been actively working to improve television programming for children.

We feel that our children are the future of our country, and if our country is to have the kind of bright future we hope for, then our children need special consideration. Television is a sales medium and children's programming is especially geared to selling children cereal, toys and other products. Educational needs are not a priority when programs are designed. Indeed, some of the current programs for children are nothing more than a large sales pitch.

A few excellent programs have been developed since the act was passed and if the guidelines were clearer more quality programs could be provided for our children.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

*Margaret B. Davis*

*372 Oralle St.  
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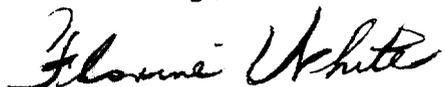
I am writing to you about television programs for children. I feel the guidelines for enforcement of the Children's Television Act of 1990 to provide more educational and informational programs needs to be strengthened.

Television is a tremendous potential for educational use for our children. It has a powerful influence on children. As a grandmother, there are some programs our grandchildren are not allowed to watch, either at their home or ours, and I feel more quality programs should be produced.

Also, I feel the educational programs for children need to be on at an hour when children watch TV, not too early or too late in the day.

Thank you for whatever you can do for our children---our country's future.

Sincerely,



Florine White

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Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

*Evelyn R. Bauer*



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Ladies of the Lake  
2440 Hunter Place  
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Dear Sir;

I am writing as the president of a local club of a 323,000 plus member, national volunteer organization, the National Association of Family and Community Education (NAFCE). Throughout the nation our organization has been working to improve television programming for children. We have serious concerns regarding the standards of the Children's Television Act of 1990 as presently written.

Mr. Chairman, I'm sure I do not need to tell you that the future of our country lies in the hand of today's youth. That future is being shaped by an industry who uses television as a sales tool. Far too many of the programs influencing our children are designed to sale toys, food and other child oriented products.

Our local club and parent organization feel strongly the current FCC guidelines need strengthened. They should provide for more educational and informational programs for children. We feel an hour a day scheduled at the appropriate time should be the minimum amount of programming targeted at children.

As the guidelines are presently written, many television stations are skirting quality programming by coming up with descriptions of current programs they air to justify then as educational. It is obvious that educational needs were not a priority when they were developed. Sir, you don't make an onion smell like a rose by redefining smell. If the guidelines were strengthened this could be prevented. I would also add that even when there is a quality children's program, the chances it will be aired at a time when most children can watch is not high.

Mr. Chairman, we must look to you and the FCC for the special consideration our children need when it comes to television standards. We ask you to stand up for our children and make guidelines for a clear definition of educational programs and require that these programs be shown at the appropriate times. Please use your office to ensure the necessary standards are implemented. With your help, we can make a difference. Thank you.

Yours truly,

*Maxine Paul, President*

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Ladies of the Lake  
St. Charles County Association of FCE

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The Honorable Reed Hundt, Chairman  
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Dear Mr. Hundt:

My request is to strengthen the guidelines for enforcement of the Children's Television Act of 1990 -- to provide more educational and informational programs for children.

I am a member of the National Association for Family and Community Education. We have been working to improve television programming for children. We realize that television has a powerful potential for educational programs. The FCC has the authority and ability to be certain that television meets its educational potential especially for our children.

Our children are our future. I encourage the FCC to provide better guidelines for a clear definition of what constitutes educational programs for children. I appeal to you to provide guidelines to require that educational programs will be offered at times when children will be watching TV.

Modern technology has given us a vast opportunity of assisting children through educational television programming. Many television stations have not tried, in good faith, to provide educational and informational programs especially for children. Many stations "make up" descriptions of programs they already have on the air to justify them as educational programs that meet the FCC requirements.

The FCC should respond to the vision of the future in providing the educational opportunities only television can provide to so many children. Please consider your commitment to children's educational television programs as you commission meets in the future.

Sincerely,

*Lillie Simmons*

Lillie Simmons

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To the Honorable Reed Hundt:

I am writing this letter to request that the guidelines for enforcement of the Children Television Act of 1990 be strengthened to provide more educational and informational programs for our children. Also that the programs be aired when the children would be watching, instead of 5:30 or 6:00 AM.

Children's programming needs to be targeted at their age level.

Please make Educational needs a priority when programs are developed.

Television is such a powerful influence on our children, please make it a good influence on them.

Thank You  
Joyce Burnside

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Joyce Burnside  
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1014 13<sup>th</sup> ST. S.  
Moorhead, Minn.  
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The Honorable Reed Hundt  
Federal Communications Commission  
1919 M Street NW Room 814  
Washington, D. C. 20554

Dear Sir:

We ask you to do all you can to keep violence, immorality, cursing and swearing and the glorification of crime, off from the TV screens of our nation. For the sake of our younger citizens we need to do this! Sad to say, many parents do not screen what their children see! How can we educate them? We know it is their responsibility, but to protect the innocent ones who have no guidance from adults, it appears the TV industry's conscience also needs to be aroused! Thank you for doing what you can do.

Concerned Senior Citizens,  
Ray and Kathryn Melheim

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Columbus IN  
July 14, 1984

Dear Sir:

Television is a powerful influence in our lives! The dangers we face daily on TV alone can undermine family life by insidiously influencing adult thought and action, as well as our children's. What we put into our minds determines what comes out in our words and actions. I am a grandmother of two (5 and 6 years). Because of poor programming, we do not watch TV.

FCC must stand up for our children and encourage educational programs at times when children can watch. "Our greatest natural resource is the minds of our children," Walt Disney.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Schroer  
Madison Dist. Rep  
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Columbus IN 47201

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I am writing to you to express my agreement in the need for the television hearings to make programming of television more responsible. As a grandmother and Maryland Association for Family and Community Education member I have helped with the survey our organization made nationally to collect data on television viewing by children. Schools are consistently underfunded and many children do not attend school or drop out. We need clear definitions for programming so that age specific programs are available for all children. Too often programs that could be educational for the children are scheduled early in the morning or late at night when children shouldn't be watching television. Also the children's programs seem more concerned in selling a product than in properly providing something that would interest the children so they would want to find out more about the subject.

Please do continue to work on agreements that will benefit our children and all of us!

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Dear Sir,

I am writing to you because I am a grandparent, very much concerned about what children are seeing on television. Television can and should be used to help make better citizens. There is a great opportunity for it to be a source of educational development in children.

I urge you to strengthen the guidelines for enforcement of the Children's Television Act of 1990 - to provide more educational and informational programs for children during the hours in which children can be expected to be watching.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

Olga Belle Wehrlein

14806 72nd St.

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