

I fail to see how the broadcast flag will curb piracy. There has yet to be a copy protection system invented that hasn't been cracked. I suspect this will go a long way toward punishing innocent users (hampering fair-use), and doing nothing to stop serious pirates. I'll have a laugh at the content industries' expense when this broadcast flag proves as flawed as the rest of the copy protection schemes.

"Good people do not need laws to tell them to act responsibly, while bad people will find a way around the laws."  
- Plato (427-347 B.C.)