

In Re: **Comment for Proceeding Number 13-86**  
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Comment on Changing FCC Egregious Cases Policy  
or Maintaining Current Policy

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Broadcasters, a Special Interest Group (the "Media"), are pushing the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") to loosen their standards on profanity, extreme violence, nudity and sex ostensibly to enable them to better compete with cable and satellite programming entities.

Before I get into the reasons for my comments below, the FCC must understand and accept two simple facts: **(1) THE ROOT CAUSE OF ESSENTIALLY EVERY PROBLEM AMERICA IS FACING TODAY IS DIRECTLY TRACEABLE TO THE MEDIA AND ITS INDECENT PROGRAMMING WHICH HAS RESULTED IN A SIGNIFICANT DECLINE IN AMERICAN MORALITY.** Like it or not, understand it or not, accept it or not, the FCC knows without doubt that statement is true. Otherwise the FCC would not have over one million indecency complaints to contend with. American citizens know it without doubt and the FCC is turning a blind eye towards that fact if they do not admit it; and, **(2) Like it or not, understand it or not, accept it or not, THE FCC SHARES PART OF THE RESPONSIBILITY AND BLAME (with the Media) FOR ALLOWING AMERICAN MORALITY TO DECLINE AS A DIRECT RESULT OF THEIR FAILURE TO ENFORCE THEIR OWN INDECENCY STANDARDS.** Accordingly, the FCC is thereby contributing to America's decline.

**1. FCC SEEKS COMMENTS ON WHETHER TO REDUCE INDECENCY**

**STANDARDS:** Accordingly, the FCC released a public notice seeking comment on whether new standards, allowing profanity, extreme violence and nudity should be adopted as the FCC's new approach post-FCC v. Fox. The FCC has indicated they want to hear about **how it should police profanity, nudity and sex on public broadcast airwaves.**

According to a document published by the FCC's Enforcement Bureau, the Office of General Counsel is seeking comments on whether the FCC should maintain current protocol or, as the Media suggests, "change with the times" on issues including expletives on TV and instances of sexual nudity. **The Media believe "it's time for a change;"** however, Media's beliefs are **inconsistent with the beliefs of the majority of the American people and inconsistent with the general welfare of all American citizens and American national security.**

The FCC's Enforcement Bureau and Office of General Counsel seek comment on whether the FCC should make changes to its current broadcast indecency policies or maintain them as they are. Stated another way, the question is whether the FCC's Enforcement Bureau should only pursue egregious indecency -- instances in which content demonstrates "deliberate and repetitive use of profanity, nudity and sex in a patently offensive manner."

**SUMMARY OF COMMENTS ON FCC EGREGIOUS CASES POLICY:**

1. The FCC seeks comments on whether to reduce its indecency standards;
2. **I STRONGLY OPPOSE RELAXATION OF FCC INDECENCY STANDARDS;**
3. The FCC's sole purpose is to protect American citizens , not special interest groups;
4. U.S. Congress charged the FCC with responsibility to enforce decency;
5. The U.S. Supreme Court rejected media attempts to allow indecent programming;
6. The U.S. Supreme Court confirmed FCC authority to enforce decency in Media programming;
7. Airing obscene programming at any time violates Federal law;
8. FCC Indecency Standards should be tightened, not loosened;
9. American citizens do not want more indecency in Media programming;
10. The FCC must refuse to reduce or loosen their indecency standards;
11. Moral decline adversely affects American citizens and our national security;
12. Indecent programming weakens America and its national security;
13. Effects of the Media's indecent programming;
  - a. American Women are being harmed by indecent Media programming;
  - b. 75% of Americans say Hollywood has a detrimental effect on society;
  - c. Even liberal America acknowledges the Media's negative effect;
  - d. America is being slowly destroyed by immorality;
  - e. Any nation is no stronger than its moral structure;
  - f. America can begin reclaiming its morality with FCC enforcement of decency;
  - g. Hollywood's values are not American citizens' values;
  - h. The news media share equal blame with Hollywood;
  - i. American parents are pessimistic about future generations;
  - j. Media programming encourages sex among teenagers and infidelity and divorce among married couples;
  - k. The Media's adverse influence destroys American education;
  - l. "Political Correctness" and the Media are destroying America;
  - m. American ethics are declining with its morality;
14. Media programming: should focus on education, health care, high moral values and acceptable behavior for the U.S.'s survival;
15. The Media's rights end where American citizens' rights begin;
16. The Media are unconcerned about viewing American families see;
17. History has shown that the Media WILL NOT regulate or police themselves; they have no incentive to do so.
18. **EXPECT AMERICAN LIFESTYLES AND ORDERLY SOCIETY TO DETERIORATE, AND CRIME RATES TO INCREASE, IF THE FCC LOOSENS INDECENCY RESTRAINTS;**
19. Failure to control decency makes immorality profitable for the Media and the Media will provide an ever increasing supply of increasingly indecent programming;
20. Contempt for law and order develops a disorderly society; and
21. Leaders need the FCC's help to return from moral inversion.

2. **I STRONGLY OPPOSE RELAXATION OF FCC INDECENCY STANDARDS:**  
**I strongly oppose any changes to the current FCC indecency standards that would allow the Media to broadcast profanity, nudity and sex on the public airwaves, even if brief or "fleeting." Relaxing the FCC's current indecency policy is unnecessary, will not serve the public interest and will not serve America's national interest.**

**The FCC's indecency standards on egregious cases should also address broadcasting of unnecessary and fictional extreme violence.** Accordingly, my comments may include references to extreme violence and any references I make herein to "indecent," "indecency" and/or "profanity, nudity and sex" shall include unnecessary and fictional extreme violence, whether explicitly stated or not.

**The Media's proposed change serves no useful purpose whatsoever and in fact will contribute further to the decline in morality and family values currently being experienced to the detriment of all American society today and to our nation.**

I fully understand the First Amendment (of the U.S. Constitution) issues involved in the "Free Speech" arguments the Media will surely make. **There is no stronger supporter of our First Amendment rights of Free Speech than I, and I will fight to the death to keep that right as pure as it was intended by our founding forefathers to be;** however, I am not qualified to address those complicated legal issues and therefore must defer them to others (FCC) more qualified than I to defend. It is very difficult for me to believe that profanity, nudity, sex, sexual promiscuity, and extreme fictional violence in the Media's programming for the sake of profit by Media special interests are the types of things our founding forefathers had in mind when the U.S. Constitutional First Amendment was drafted and approved. **I do believe that when the U.S. Constitutional right some may call "Free Speech" is used to harm American citizens and U.S. national security, that right is waived and lost because it is being improperly and inappropriately used as an excuse simply to justify immoral and indecent Media programming – together with its destructive effects upon American citizens, our country and its national security.**

**3. FCC's SOLE PURPOSE: PROTECT AMERICANS, NOT SPECIAL INTERESTS:**

The sole reason for the FCC's existence is to protect the American people from exploitation by those against whom the American people have no defense. The FCC represents the American people, not the Media. To loosen the FCC's indecency standards would violate the FCC's fiduciary responsibilities to the detriment of the American people and to our nation in favor of the Media for monetary and/or political gain. Unfortunately, the Media's proposed guidelines show disrespect and contempt for freedom of conscience and the moral values the American people have held dear for centuries, values which have made our country strong and great in the past.

**4. U.S. CONGRESS CHARGED FCC WITH RESPONSIBILITY TO ENFORCE DECENCY:**

With respect to cable and satellite services, Congress has charged the FCC with the responsibility of enforcing statutory prohibitions against airing indecent programming. The FCC has historically interpreted this restriction to apply to radio and television broadcasters, and has never extended it to cover cable operators. Because cable and satellite services are subscription-based, viewers of those services theoretically have greater control over programming coming into their homes, whereas broadcast content traditionally has been available to any member of the public with a radio or television.

**5. U.S. SUPREME COURT REJECTED MEDIA ATTEMPTS TO ALLOW INDECENT PROGRAMMING:**

The U.S. Supreme Court has rejected the Media's attempt to overturn the FCC's indecency standards "as outdated and a violation of the First Amendment" and upheld the FCC's ban on indecency, speaking about "the foul-mouthed glitteratae from Hollywood."

**6. U.S. SUPREME COURT CONFIRMED FCC AUTHORITY TO ENFORCE DECENCY:** The Supreme Court has confirmed the FCC's authority to enforce policies regarding profanity, nudity and sex, especially during times when children are likely to be watching or listening; that authority should continue, be strengthened and enforced.

**7. AIRING OBSCENE PROGRAMMING ANY TIME VIOLATES FEDERAL LAW:** Currently it is a violation of federal law to air obscene programming at any time. It is also a violation of federal law to broadcast indecent or profane programming during certain hours. Congress has charged the FCC with responsibility of enforcing the law that governs these types of broadcasts. The FCC has authority to issue civil penalties, revoke licenses, and deny renewal applications. In addition, federal district courts may impose fines and/or imprisonment for up to two years on those convicted of criminal violations of the law.

Historically the FCC enforced those laws where violations occurred but in 2006, because of litigation arising from questions about the FCC's indecency standards, the FCC began deferring enforcement actions on indecency cases awaiting direction from the courts. The FCC recently (and appropriately) began processing new cases and initiating new investigations. Referring to subsequent court decisions the Media has again raised questions about the FCC's authority to enforce indecency Statutes.

With respect to cable and satellite services, Congressional legislation contains statutory prohibitions against airing indecent programming "by means of radio communications." The FCC has historically interpreted this restriction to apply to radio and television broadcasters, but has never extended it to cover cable operators. In addition, because cable and satellite services are subscription-based, viewers of these services have greater control over programming content coming into their homes, whereas broadcast content traditionally has been available to any member of the public with a radio or television, including young children for whom indecent programming is inappropriate.

**8. FCC INDECENCY STANDARDS SHOULD BE TIGHTENED, NOT LOOSENED:** If the FCC wants to do our population and our country a service (as it should), their indecency standards would be increased to prevent profanity, extreme violence and nudity from being shown during prime time programming. Such profanity, extreme violence, nudity and sex is totally unnecessary, serves no useful purpose whatsoever and is, in fact, a significant contributor to many, perhaps most, of the problems our nation is facing today, e.g., crime, violence, illegitimacy, welfare, health care, and a continuing decline in morality in general.

**9. AMERICAN CITIZENS DO NOT WANT MORE INDECENCY IN MEDIA PROGRAMMING:** Apparently the Media believe they operate at a competitive disadvantage simply because they are prevented by legislation from proliferating profanity, violence and are pushing the FCC to take a more relaxed attitude toward nudity, sex and cursing on broadcast TV. **More than two-thirds of the American people DOES NOT want more profanity, violence, nudity and sex in Media programming** being presented to the American people and they are strongly urging the FCC to stand firm against any lowering of public standards. Some of the most successful programs being aired today contain no profanity, violence, nudity or sex. The Media does not need profanity, nudity and sex in order to compete with cable and satellite programming and the Media does not need it to be successful in their businesses. If profanity, nudity and sex were necessary for

success, the Media would have failed many decades ago – and very likely America would not have the problems it has today. *Give the Media an inch and they will take a mile.*

If profanity, nudity and sex were necessary for society to succeed you would hear it from the pulpits of our Christian churches, you would find it in the opinions of our courts and you would have seen it centuries ago expressed by our nation's founding forefathers and in our U.S. Constitution and Bill of Rights. **The plain and simple fact is that profanity, nudity and sex in Media programming is unnecessary, undesirable and a significant burden on the American way of life.**

I have heard that the FCC is getting deluged with feedback from Americans opposed to any easing of its heightened indecency standards. **I am among those who strongly oppose allowing additional profanity, violence, nudity and sex to be shown in TV and radio programs.** Over the past 50 years our society has become steeped in profanity and indecency as a direct result of media programming. Today a line must be drawn over which we must not pass. We already have far more than enough filth, garbage, profanity, violence, nudity and sex in the Media's programming.

Our family has essentially stopped watching Media programming because of the offensive prevalence of profanity, extreme violence, nudity and sex in Media programming and because U.S. news Media, and their extremely biased "reporting," have lost their credibility, honor and integrity.

**10. THE FCC MUST REFUSE TO REDUCE THEIR INDECENCY STANDARDS:**

**I THEREFORE STRONGLY URGE THE FCC TO REFUSE TO REDUCE OR LOOSEN THEIR INDECENCY STANDARDS.** TO DO OTHERWISE WILL BE A

GROSS DIS-SERVICE TO OUR NATION AND TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. The nation's morals are already in the gutters and sewers. We do not want our grandchildren to believe it is acceptable for people to use four letter words or watch programming with even a few seconds of profanity, extreme violence, nudity and sex. It is very offensive for parents to be surprised by such programming while watching TV. These are not the values we want to impart to our grandchildren or to our nation's future generations.

**11. MORAL DECLINE ADVERELY AFFECTS AMERICAN CITIZENS AND OUR**

**NATION:** The break down in cultural standards of morality that promotes profanity, violence, pornography, obscenity, nudity and sex in books, magazines, motion pictures, radio, and TV is significantly, adversely affecting our daily lives, society, educational systems, economy, national security, liberty and freedom. Moral guidelines that normally influence individual behavior no longer function when the government undermines incentives for moral conduct and blurs the distinction between right and wrong. **American citizens have a Right to decency and the Media should not be allowed to force unrestrained indecency upon American citizens.**

**12. INDECENT PROGRAMMING WEAKENS AMERICA AND ITS NATIONAL**

**SECURITY:** The programming of the Media has taught our nation's young people that sex, violence, alternative lifestyles, marital infidelity, and divorce are all to be accepted as normal. Violence originating from **Hollywood** has also inundated the minds of our society, has taken root and **is teaching criminals in our society how to commit violent crimes.** And further, the liberal movement of "Political Correctness" that takes into regard many of these lifestyles and embraces them as acceptable, while bashing Christianity and its moral

value system that has made our nation so great and strong, has created significant problems within, and has significantly weakened, America.

We have allowed our Nation to have the Bible and any mention of Christian values removed from our society and have allowed all these other immoral and destructive behaviors and lifestyles to become seen as “normal” and “acceptable.” Under such circumstances we should not, and we cannot, expect anything but significant problems in our society, problems (history has told us time and again) that will ultimately destroy our nation. America is already well down that destructive path. The FCC can begin the process of reversing that destructive trend by denying the publication of profanity, violence, nudity and sex to be included in their programming.

**Relaxing the FCC’s current indecency policy will never serve the public interest or American national interests and I hereby urge the FCC to reject all proposals that would allow the broadcast of expletives and nudity on FCC-licensed stations.**

### **13. EFFECTS OF THE MEDIA’S INDECENT PROGRAMMING:**

#### **A. AMERICAN WOMEN: BEING HARMED BY INDECENT PROGRAMMING:**

An increasing number of American women are finding themselves trapped, rather than liberated, as a result of the Media’s indecent programming;

1. More women are having abortions;
2. More single women are trying to raise children due to divorce or having children born out of wedlock;
3. There is no consequence for infidelity or abuse;
4. Illegitimacy rates are high and rising;
5. An increasing number of women are becoming dependent upon welfare;
6. Their children receive disproportionately less parental guidance and are more likely to become involved in drug use and crime;
7. Education of our children is suffering and America’s educational standing worldwide has been in steady decline since profanity, extreme violence, nudity and sex began being included (and allowed by the FCC through failure to enforce their indecency standards) in Media programming;
8. By the time boys are in their early teens they are physically stronger than their mothers. Having no fathers, they are socializing in gangs. No one can control them: Not parents, teachers or even the local police.

#### **B. 75% OF AMERICANS SAY HOLLYWOOD HAS DETRIMENTAL EFFECT:**

Approximately 75% of all subsets of the American people believe the entertainment media has had, and is presently increasingly (because of technological advances and increasingly liberal influences) having, a significantly negative and detrimental effect on America’s commitment to moral values, a sentiment shared by the following;

1. 86% of Republicans;
2. 68% of Democrats;
3. 80% of Conservatives;
4. 64% of Liberals;
5. 82% of orthodox religions;
6. 62% of secular progressives;
7. 74% of Americans believe moral values in America are weaker than they were twenty years ago; and,

8. 68% of all Americans believe the media are a major and highly detrimental influence on moral and cultural values in America.

**C. LIBERAL AMERICA ACKNOWLEDGES MEDIA'S NEGATIVE EFFECT:**

**NOTE** The percentages stated above indicate that EVEN THE MOST LIBERAL AMERICANS BELIEVE THE MEDIA IS HAVING A SIGNIFICANTLY NEGATIVE AND DETRIMENTAL EFFECT ON AMERICAN MORAL VALUES. The cost to the American people is outrageously high, trillions of dollars each year. The resulting cost will eventually bankrupt America and bring it to ruin, just as it destroyed the Roman Empire.

**D. AMERICA IS BEING SLOWLY DESTROYED BY IMMORALITY:**

We have seen the roots and tentacles of liberalism take a strong hold on American culture and weaken America's moral values; we are now reaping the bitter fruits of it in the form of vast problems throughout our society. Our nation is being slowly, but systematically, destroyed as a direct result thereof.

**E. ANY NATION IS NO STRONGER THAN ITS MORAL STRUCTURE:**

**A nation is no stronger than its family and moral structure no matter how wealthy or powerful it is.** Rome fell to decadence, liberalism, welfare, immigration and extreme taxation, and the Roman Empire lasted for 1200 years. America has achieved that decadence and immorality in just 200 years. Stated in terms of mathematical probability that means **America will fail much faster the Roman Empire fell if we do not return to our original moral roots and standards.**

The FCC can, if it is willing to have the courage to do so, assist America with its return to our moral roots and standards – or the FCC can participate in, and hasten, America's destruction by allowing the Media unrestrained ability to publish profanity, extreme violence, nudity and sex in their programming.

Deuteronomy says about nations that turn away from God: "our children will become servants (we will become the slaves) of foreigners, the food we grow will be eaten by those who do not inhabit the land, we will see diseases that cannot be controlled or cured, and eventually America will ebb into the past where Babylon, Rome, and others have gone before us." That has proved to be true time and time again throughout history. Do we not learn anything at all from that history?

**F. AMERICA CAN RECLAIM ITS MORALITY WITH FCC ENFORCEMENT OF THE FCC'S EXISTING INDECENCY STANDARDS:**

America can reclaim our roots and our morality if we act to **take back what has been stolen from us** by the Media and the liberal and immoral tenets that are soaking and gaining control of the minds of our future generations.

**IF THE FCC IGNORES THE IMMORALITY OF THE MEDIA, AND REMOVES RESTRAINTS FROM THEIR STANDARDS ON PROFANITY, EXTREME VIOLENCE, NUDITY AND SEX, THE MEDIA'S IMMORALITY WILL STRANGLE THE LIFE FROM THIS NATION UNTIL IT NO LONGER EXISTS.**

The Media's immorality is already rapidly strangling the life out of our nation today and I am very concerned that the FCC is sitting back allowing that to happen, perhaps even encouraging and facilitating the destruction of our nation by yielding to Media

and special interests' demands and by failing to enforce the FCC's indecency laws and standards.

**THE FCC MUST NOT LOOSEN THEIR STANDARDS OF DECENCY; INSTEAD, THE FCC SHOULD BE STRONGLY CONSIDERING TIGHTENING THEIR STANDARDS OF DECENCY.**

**G. HOLLYWOOD'S VALUES ARE NOT AMERICAN CITIZENS' VALUES:**

The values presented through media programming are Hollywood's values, not the values of the American people; **the Media and entertainment industry seem almost impossibly pervasive and immune to complaints as they continue to cross every boundary of moral excess with impunity.** Hollywood and America's politicians are so far removed from American society that they cannot comprehend mainstream America's moral values or the reasons for them;

**H. THE NEWS MEDIA SHARE EQUAL BLAME WITH HOLLYWOOD:**

The news media share equal blame with Hollywood because of their repeated emphasis on sex, violence and celebrities and because of their biased and obsequious "reporting"; the American people have lost all respect for the U.S. News Media and believe very little of what is shown; American News Media routinely violate their own code of ethics and as a result has totally lost its credibility.

The FCC should REQUIRE U.S. News Media to present both sides of every argument and provide equal time for opposing views to be presented, particularly when politicians and/or political issues are involved. **The American people cannot make intelligent decisions if they are not given the opportunity to hear and see the truth. Advocating or supporting any politician's or political party's views, no matter which party or politician is involved, is NOT news "reporting" and is definitely not in the best interest of American society;**

**I. AMERICAN PARENTS: PESSIMISTIC ABOUT FUTURE GENERATIONS:**

American parents are extremely pessimistic about the moral decline being bequeathed to America's future generations and fear that their children's lives, and the lives of their future generations, will be chaotic and unhappy;

1. Such unhappiness leads to higher crime and suicide rates;
2. Drug use among young adults is rampant;
3. Crime and Drug use will inevitably become a recipe for violence and despair for many young adults; and
4. Young adults will become more likely to commit very serious acts of violence, not only against others but against themselves.

**J. MEDIA PROGRAMMING ENCOURAGES SEX AMONG TEENAGERS:**

Some teenage boys boast that they can have sex with just about any girl from age 14 up with no problem; teen pregnancies and sexually transmitted diseases are the inevitable result. The boys and young men who impregnate teenage girls and young women usually have no way or means of supporting the illegitimate children they father; most of them do not have the desire or the courage to accept the responsibility of fatherhood.

Media programming encourages sex among American teenagers and young unmarried adults; it also promotes promiscuous sex as being acceptable behavior and has thereby created many of America's problems of today. The Media's indecent programming also encourages infidelity and divorce among American married couples leading to

broken homes, single parent families, increased welfare, drug usage, crime and violence – not to mention the stress and significant hardship placed upon the single parents struggling to raise children from those broken homes.

**K. MEDIA's ADVERSE INFLUENCE: DESTROYS AMERICAN EDUCATION:**

The Media's adverse influence upon our children has had, and is having, a significantly detrimental effect on education in America, in fact America's world-wide standing in academics has been steadily declining and is continuing its decline. That should come as no surprise to the FCC.

Teachers cannot maintain discipline in their classrooms, they are often the victims of profanity and abuse (especially by unruly children in their late teens who see no value in education) and they are understandably refusing to subject themselves to that kind of treatment. As a result highly intelligent people who would like to teach refuse to enter that profession and the education of America's children suffers significantly. Our children must be taught respect for moral boundaries if our nation has the slightest hope of avoiding failure.

We live in a nation of self centered ideology where upcoming generations desire all their parents have without the hard work. We have a very large population of young men in their 20's and 30's still living at home with little ambition. They believe that when the parents are gone they will inherit what their parents now have. So why become educated? Why work? Just have fun until Pay Day arrives in the form of a funeral.

**L. POLITICAL CORRECTNESS AND THE MEDIA ARE DESTROYING**

**AMERICA:** The Media has adopted the concept of "Political Correctness" ("PC") thereby branding dissent of any kind to be "politically incorrect" and **thereby infringing upon our U.S. Constitutional right of free speech. Politicians today are using PC in an unethical and dishonorable manner to justify inappropriate behavior, legislation or actions thereby destroying the moral fabric of America.** They want the American people to believe *anything* they label "politically incorrect" is wrong. Nothing could be further from the truth. Foreign countries are abandoning the concept of PC because they have experienced, and have been forced to recognize, its destructive effect on their society.

**PC and the Media's indecent programming are being used to shift America towards intolerable immoral behavior, slowly dismantling all restraints upon self-indulgence established by manners, customs, Christian religious beliefs, law and tradition. When any society tolerates the intolerable, that society will inevitably experience chaos, revolution and failure. As restraints shrink, rebellion grows ever more present and extreme in nature. Private and public life becomes a charade; delusion will thrive and terror will rule.**

America has a terminal cancer (the combination of PC and indecent Media programming) rapidly growing within its midst today and unless the FCC restrains the Media, America will increase the rapidity of its decline, moral and otherwise. Unless truth and plain speaking are allowed, clear thinking is denied and only empty slogans of people inspired by selfishness prevail, completely unrestrained by morality. The proponents of PC nonsense neither understand the implications of what they say, nor

why they are saying it; the PC concept is insane, which means that any community or governmental department (e.g., the FCC) that adopts PC has discarded sanity.

**M. AMERICAN ETHICS ARE DECLINING WITH ITS MORALITY:**

America's ethics are declining. Many people freely admit they would cheat on restaurant checks, tax returns and would break laws they considered outdated or if no one got hurt. **When any society begins to believe a nation's laws do not apply to them, or they can disregard them with impunity, chaos and disorder will reign.**

**14. MEDIA PROGRAMMING: SHOULD FOCUS ON EDUCATION, HEALTH CARE, HIGH MORAL VALUES AND ACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOR FOR U.S. SURVIVAL:**

America needs a people who do not merely talk about public virtues, but embrace them and act to preserve them. Reversing America's moral decline isn't just about the media. It's a daily fight in millions of homes and in billions of daily ethical situations. Our nation could make significant progress toward recovery of our greatness if Media programming taught educational topics, health care, and morality instead of teaching our children (A) how to commit crimes, (B) that deviant lifestyles are acceptable, (C) that it is perfectly acceptable to disregard the laws of our nation and, (D) that profanity, extreme violence, nudity and promiscuous sex are acceptable in American society.

Britain is the latest country to pay a very heavy price for their "moral revolution" and abandonment of their traditional ethic of self-restraint. They now understand the significance of their mistake but are so far down that destructive path that they may be unable to reverse the course of their nation's future. Whole communities are growing up without fathers or male role models.

Bringing up a family in the best of circumstances is not easy. To try to do it by placing the entire burden on women — 91 percent of single-parent families in Britain are headed by the mother, according to census data — is practically absurd and morally indefensible.

There are areas in Britain's major cities that have been no-go areas for years. We already have the same thing in some American cities; e.g., Dearborn, MI, Baltimore, MD, Nashville, TN and Los Angeles, CA. Crime and drugs are rampant. It is a recipe for violence and despair. If the FCC allows the Media to have their way, America will follow Britain down that path of national destruction.

**An orderly society cannot and will not function without high moral values.**

**15. MEDIA RIGHTS END WHERE AMERICAN CITIZENS' RIGHTS BEGIN:**

Social liberals are currently seeking legal precedent to advance homosexual marriage. A Supreme Court decision in support of homosexual marriage, and federal and state laws in support of homosexuality, will be used by the Media to advance their indecent agenda and to normalize the practice of homosexuality — just like they normalized abortion on demand. It is therefore very appropriate for social conservatives and others to seek use the law to protect and advance American society and to demand the FCC's assistance in doing so — after all that is the FCC's responsibility. My demand that the FCC do that is embodied in these comments.

**THE RIGHTS OF THE MEDIA END WHERE THE MEDIA BEGIN IMPOSING THEIR UNWANTED PROGRAMMING UPON THE AMERICAN PUBLIC** and the Media has far too long been imposing their deviant lifestyles upon the America people.

The FCC cannot have it both ways. Either indecency standards are enforced or they are not; and therefore, America will fail or not depending upon the FCC's course of action in setting indecency standards. There is more than enough filth, garbage, violence, nudity and sex on TV already. Do not reduce the FCC's indecency standards. The morals of many weak and vulnerable Americans have already reached the gutters and sewers and very likely will never be retrieved.

**16. THE MEDIA ARE UNCONCERNED ABOUT VIEWING AMERICAN FAMILIES**

**SEE:** It is the FCC's responsibility to discourage nudity, explicit sex, showing people having sex shortly after meeting someone, teaching our children how to maim and kill, disrespecting elders, using nasty, profane and sarcastic language, back-talking and showing disrespect for authority of any kind and living on welfare and in squalor.

**17. HISTORY HAS SHOWN THE MEDIA WILL NOT REGULATE THEMSELVES:**

I request that the FCC maintain a very strict interpretation of profanity, (extreme violence,) nudity and sex; or, if changes are made, to be much more strict in its interpretation and enforcement of acceptable moral standards. **THE MEDIA HAS REPEATEDLY SHOWN THAT THEY WILL NOT REGULATE THEMSELVES** on this issue and are unconcerned about what viewing families see and hear. The media have no incentive to do so. Accordingly, the media will not change without FCC restraint.

**18. IF FCC LOOSENS INDECENCY RESTRAINTS, EXPECT AMERICAN LIFESTYLES, AND ORDERLY SOCIETY TO DETERIORATE AND CRIME RATES TO INCREASE:**

**If the FCC should create a reason for, or allow the Media to encourage, American society to do something the American people believe to be immoral, unethical, untrue or unwise, the FCC should expect such behavior to increase, because it certainly will.**

When government significantly reduces punishment for real crimes, such as murder and rape, such crime rates skyrocket. The only thing government achieves by reducing punishment for such crimes is provide an opportunity for murder, rape and crime to occur. Without serious consequences for prohibited behavior (e.g., Media programming) that harms others, serious harm to innocent victims will increase and become commonplace.

The same is true with the FCC. **If the FCC removes restraints from the Media's standards on profanity, extreme violence, nudity and sex** it creates incentives by effectively saying "it is acceptable" for out-of-wedlock births, welfare, deviant behavior, drugs, crime and violence to occur, **the FCC should expect out-of-wedlock births, welfare, deviant behavior, drugs, crime and violence to rise sharply.** After all that is what the FCC will be allowing the Media to teach our children and future generations.

**19. FAILURE TO CONTROL DECENCY MAKES IMMORALITY PROFITABLE FOR THE MEDIA AND THE MEDIA WILL CONTINUE TO PROVIDE AN EVER INCREASING SUPPLY:**

The FCC's failure to control the Media's publication and teaching of immoral behavior has made it profitable for the Media; therefore, Hollywood and the Media seek to provide an unending and ever increasing supply of immoral behavior.

**The more immorality the Media provides to American society, the more incentive American society has to behave in an immoral manner – because the Media makes**

**immorality appear to be acceptable throughout American society when that is not at all the case. The practice of allowing the Media to produce programming containing profanity, extreme violence, nudity, sex and sexual promiscuity thereby creates immorality that would not otherwise exist; scandals will prevail and immorality will become common practice.**

**20. CONTEMPT FOR LAW AND ORDER DEVELOPS A DISORDERLY SOCIETY:**

With the plethora of legislation being implemented there are more laws to break and people begin breaking them with impunity; they develop contempt for law and order and a disorderly society develops. People must recognize the moral value of regulation (law) independent of the laws that have been passed and independent of the people who passed those laws. Actions of the FCC MUST appeal to people's moral interests in order to enhance morality. **The FCC will never provide an opportunity for American society to return to morality, nor will they make a meaningful contribution to society, by loosening their standards of decency.** Rather the inverse is true. **IT IS THEREFORE INCUMBENT UPON THE FCC TO STRENGTHEN, RATHER THAN WEAKEN OR LOOSEN THE FCC'S INDECENCY STANDARDS.**

**21. LEADERS NEED THE FCC'S HELP TO RETURN FROM MORAL INVERSION:**

We live in a time of moral inversion where Christian leaders are chastised for their moral behavior; morality is classified as an "embarrassment" when it should be the other way around. Our Christian leaders are therefore being coerced by the Media to abandon their duty of courage in the face of persecution, but the majority or moral Americans still look to them for moral leadership. American Christian leaders and our nation's leaders need the help of the FCC to return from the times of moral inversion we live in today. The FCC can only provide that help by strengthening, not loosening, FCC indecency standards.

Therefore, **THE FCC SHOULD REFUSE TO LOOSEN ITS INDECENCY STANDARDS and should instead tighten, strengthen and enforce them.**

I thank the FCC for trying to keep Media programming as decent as it is. Please redouble your efforts and aggressively help the American people return decency and bias free news to U.S. Media programming. Thank you for your consideration and for the opportunity to comment on Proceeding Number 13-86.

Respectfully submitted,