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## PRESS STATEMENT BY FCC COMMISSIONER MICHAEL J. COPPS ON SENATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE PASSAGE OF 'PROTECTING CHILDREN FROM INDECENT PROGRAMMING ACT'

Washington, D.C. — In response to the Senate Commerce Committee's passage of the 'Protecting Children from Indecent Programming Act', Commissioner Michael J. Copps issued the following statement:

"Today's action by the Senate Commerce Committee reflects the outrage millions of Americans feel when they and their children are so regularly ambushed by indecent language on television. The people expect their airwaves to be put to better use."