

Chairman Wilson and Members of the Senate Financial Institutions, Insurance and Technology Committee,

I'm Kenneth Stump from Newark. I'm writing because I'm worried about what my kids are getting into online, and frankly, I'm tired of feeling like I've got no say in it.

I don't want the government running my family. The App Store Accountability Act just gives me the tools to do my job as a parent. Right now? My kids can download whatever they want, can easily bypass age checks, and I don't find out until there's a problem. That's not right.

This bill puts one simple checkpoint at the app store. I get notified, I can say yes or no. That's it. No big government programs or bureaucracy. Just parents making decisions for their own kids.

Now, there's another approach floating around that would make me verify my kids' age on every single app, every browser, every system they use. That's a nightmare. I don't have time to become some kind of tech wizard just to keep my kids safe. And every time they're handing over personal information to another company? That's another place their data can get stolen or misused.

My kids are my responsibility, not some tech company's. The App Store Accountability Act respects that. It keeps government out of the way and puts parents back in charge.

I'm asking you to support Senator Reynolds' bill.

Thank you.

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