



May 14, 2025

The Honorable Marsha Blackburn
United States Senate
357 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Richard Blumenthal
United States Senate
503 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senators Blackburn and Blumenthal:

At Apple, our goal is to provide people with technology that not only improves and enriches their lives, but also helps them stay safe online. We are focused on innovating, creating, and uplifting family-friendly tools that promote children's safety and privacy, including parental controls that help families manage their children's device usage.

In this spirit, Apple is pleased to offer our support for the Kids Online Safety Act (KOSA). Everyone has a part to play in keeping kids safe online, and we believe your legislation will have a meaningful impact on children's online safety. Apple also supports the bill's improvements to children's privacy. As longtime advocates of privacy as a fundamental right, we believe these improvements are important, and hopefully the first steps towards comprehensive privacy legislation that ensures everyone's right to privacy online.

We recognize that, over time, some concerns have been raised about potential unintended consequences of KOSA, and we appreciate that you have continued to work to address such concerns. As KOSA advances, we stand ready to assist in any further efforts to ensure its success.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Timothy Powderly", is located below the "Sincerely," text.

Timothy Powderly
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