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U.S. Copyright
Orphan Works

Dear U.S. Copyright Office,

I am a Multimedia Artist, I've been working professionally for over 27 years. I studied at Columbia College and Illinois Institute of Art.

The Copyright Bill that is coming up for a vote if it passes will be stealing money from out my pocket that I earn with what I create. Infringing on my designs with out my permission and no compensation is criminal.

What I create becomes part of my business, it's my voice, it's my signature, it's unique, it's me. I take extreme pride in my craft for someone to come along to take it do what they want with it and deny me my right, my credit, my future.

Copyrights allow me to certify it is my work, deal with people who steal it, get them to stop profiting from it , and keeps it off products and sites that I think are inappropriate and damage my reputation.

I in no way welcome someone else monetizing my work without my knowledge or consent. Would you?

Sincerely yours,

Juan Gomez