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Re: Please vote to support the Kids Online Safety and Privacy Act (S.2073)

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Dear Mr. Durfey,

Thank you for writing to share your thoughts regarding online safety for children and teens. I appreciate hearing from you.

Our children are among the most vulnerable members of our society, and I strongly believe that we have an obligation to care for their mental and physical well-being. Digital platforms have become key spaces for education, socialization, and entertainment for young people, and it is important that they are able to use these services safely.

The "Kids Online Safety and Privacy Act" (S.2073), introduced by Senators Richard Blumenthal (D-CT) and Edward Markey (D-MA), seeks to provide young people and their parents with tools, safeguards, and transparency to safely navigate online services. On July 30, 2024, I voted in favor of this bill, and it passed the Senate by a 91-3 vote. It is currently awaiting further consideration by the House of Representatives.

I voted in favor of this bill on the Senate floor because I believe many of its provisions would meaningfully help protect the health, wellbeing, and safety of children and teens online.

Please know that I appreciate hearing your perspective on this issue, and I will keep your thoughts in mind as I continue working with my Senate colleagues on issues that address the experiences of minors online.

Once again, thank you for writing. Should you have any other questions or comments, please call my Washington, D.C. office at (202) 224-3553 or visit my website at padilla.senate.gov. You can also follow me on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#), and you can sign up for my email newsletter at padilla.senate.gov/newsletter.

Sincerely,

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