Reasons why Orphan works should not go through
It Allows legal art theft
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It would prevent people that make art to get paid from making art to get paid as a result
I would like to one day be good enough at art to be paid for doing so. If this goes through however, i wont be able to, because people would just steal it and get the money instead. this would just motivate a lot of people to just stop doing art at all, as the physcial equivalent to this is snatching something someone drew/made, running off with it, claiming it as their own, and it would not be counted as a crime. I, along with almost everyone else, would like to be be able to make art without having to worry about someone taking it and not being able to do anything about it. This whole orphan works just screams dirty money and corruption, as no one in their right mind would think of such a backwards, plainly detrimental act. If schemes like this are things that people in the legal/law area come up with, im not impressed. first the internet being attacked, and now this. It feels like someone is going out their way to infringe on people's rights just to get money.