Dear Sirs and Madams;

â€™m very concerned that our rights as artists will be violated with the Orphan Works part of the proposed Copyright Act. Our businesses can die if not protected. Now more than ever we need copyright protection since copies of our artwork can be so easily accessed worldwide. And the cost of copyright must remain affordable for our works can be numerous, at times, and the returns not as lucrative as you would think.

Please consider youâ€™d be shackling visual artists to legitimized piracy from people who will sell it with no right to it. This is a nation of rights and this revision would just be repealing these rights that should be inherent in all creative works. Will literature, written works be next? Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Andre Noel