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I’m an independent artist and writer, currently struggling to publish several graphic stories as well as sell pieces of my own art. This is a competitive business, one where career is based on how many people associate the art with you. Not only would this bill disassociate others from my work, but it would infringe on my creative ownership of it, and thus hinder the furthering of my career. I ask only that the house reconsider it’s stance and think about the many thousands of people and companies in my position, who’s incomes and careers are based on their visual property.

-Peter.