

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To prohibit entities receiving protection from the antitrust laws from engaging in discussions regarding content moderation policies, practices, and procedures.

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To provide a temporary safe harbor for publishers of online content to collectively negotiate with dominant online platforms regarding the terms on which content may be distributed.

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by
_____ to the amendment (No. _____)
proposed by Ms. KLOBUCHAR

Viz:

- 1 At the end of section 5, add the following:
- 2 (d) LIMITATION REGARDING CONTENT MODERATION
- 3 POLICIES, PRACTICES, AND PROCEDURES.—The exemp-
- 4 tions from the application of the antitrust laws under this
- 5 section shall not apply with respect to an eligible digital
- 6 journalism provider, joint negotiation entity, or covered
- 7 platform if, on or after the date on which the applicable
- 8 negotiations under section 3 commence, the eligible digital
- 9 journalism provider, joint negotiation entity, or covered

1 platform, respectively, engages in any discussion of the
2 content moderation policies, practices, or procedures of the
3 eligible digital journalism provider, joint negotiation enti-
4 ty, or covered platform, respectively, with any eligible dig-
5 ital journalism provider, joint negotiation entity, or cov-
6 ered platform.