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Dear Sir:

I am writing to express my dismay at the limitations the Digital Millennium Copyright Act has placed on average consumers such as my self. I find myself unable to take music and video that I *paid* for and listen/view it on devices that I also purchased for that very purpose.

For example, I own an iPod, but find that many music titles from Sony prohibit ditigilization to a common format that can play on my device. I paid for this music! I want to listen to it while jogging. I can go to the web and find illegal instructions to circumvent this copyright code, but it makes me a criminal. Instead, I'm forced to purchase music I already own in a format of lesser quality to listen to it on my iPod.

Simply put, this isn't fair, nor is it right.

Please rescind the Digital Millennium Copyright Act and give consumers the right to use what they have paid for in the manner they wish.