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Class of works: I am writing in support of Class #3 (Unskippable DVD Advertising): Audiovisual works released on DVD that contain access control measures that interfere with the ability to control private performance,

including the ability to skip promotional materials.

Summary:

Disc name: The Red Violin

Before being allowed to watch The Red Violin i had to sit through a compilation of half-second shots from various movies. I paid for the movie i'm about to watch, i never had to sit through this stuff with vhs, so why now? I helped the economy, i bought the latest greatest technology like a good consumer, so why are the movie companies trying to alienate me by forcing me to watch more ads. If the government could postpone the tax cuts for the rich and letting corporations destroy the Earth for an hour and see that this one simple right of mine is preserved, I'd really appreciate it. Thanks. -David Shirey