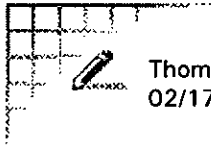


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While the FCC didn't dislike the McCain bill, the VP's office said they see it as an attack on the whole program and, as Bruce saw when I brought it up with Gips, not enthused. On the other hand they don't seem to deny the logic of that it will pass and it will be signed, so can't we make it into something we will be for. Kohlenberger makes several other points: 1. de facto libraries and schools will have smut blocks because Microsoft browser does, and Netscape's browsers will, have them; 2. the VP has done a lot of parent control of the Internet events including the 'parents Guide to the Internet'; 3. they aren't opposed to doing another announcement -- we should look to Markey who is trying to get into the issue. I'm following up there.