Subject: Calling All Canadians! Posted by nikki6ixx on Sun, 22 Jun 2008 23:27:46 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

It's been on the news lately, about a new piece of legislation that will place severe restrictions on us, and how we listen to music, and watch videos. I was hoping for copyright legislation that was smart, and thought out; instead I see a bill that is severely flawed.

This doesn't just affect people who are filesharing, but people like me, who buy our music, and videos fair and square.

I have a massive music library, and apparently, because I am ripping CD's with 'Digital Locks' I can be fined \$500 bucks a pop. I thought I had BOUGHT the music. I also record TV shows using a DVR, but under this impending legislation, I could be in big trouble for doing that too.

Transferring your DVD's to an iPod, PSP, or other portable device will also be an offense, that could see penalties of \$20,000! Unlocking a cellphone can meet penalties.

This law affects all Canadians in ways they may never expect, including us who THOUGHT we were being honest.

You can help possibly stop this flawed and moronic piece of legislation, by filling out this form to your local MP.

http://www.copyrightforcanadians.ca/action/firstlook/

It's real easy, and quick, and your message might mean the difference real, progressive, and flexible legislation, or dark days where every citizen is a criminal.

If you can, visit your MP's office and tell everyone there that this is idiocy.