

SF0051S2001

1 Page 5-after line 18 Delete the Senate standing committee
2 amendment (SF0051SS001/A) to this line and
3 insert:
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5 "(h) This section shall not apply to:
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7 (i) A radio or television broadcasting station,
8 including a cable or satellite television operator, programmer or
9 producer, that broadcasts an election communication that includes
10 synthetic media prohibited by subsection (b) of this section as
11 part of a bona fide newscast, news interview, news documentary or
12 on-the-spot coverage of a bona fide news event if the broadcast
13 clearly acknowledges through content or a disclosure, in a manner
14 that can be easily heard and understood or read by the average
15 listener or viewer, that there are questions about the authenticity
16 of the synthetic media in the election communication;
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18 (ii) Any entity who broadcasts an advertisement without
19 censorship under 47 U.S.C. 315;
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21 (iii) An internet service provider, search engine, cloud
22 service provider or any affiliate or subsidiary thereof that
23 disseminates misleading synthetic media solely as a result of
24 providing access or connection to information or content on the
25 internet or other electronic sources that are not under the
26 provider or engine's control, to the extent that the provider or
27 engine is not responsible for the creation of the misleading
28 synthetic media on which an alleged violation of this section is
29 based.". ROTHFUSS