“My name is ______ and I am contacting you because it is unacceptable to me, as your constituent, that children are being sold online for sex without liability to websites who are knowingly facilitating this crime. Please protect our children and support the Stop Enabling Sex Trafficking Act.”

Stop Enabling Sex Trafficking Act Key Points

· The Stop Enabling Sex Trafficking Act will provide an important clarification to Section 230 of the Communications Decency Act to ensure that websites that knowingly facilitate sex trafficking can be held liable.

· The fact that sex with children can be openly advertised is something that we would expect no human being to find acceptable. The courts have been clear: there needs to be a legislative solution to the protections afforded to websites like Backpage.com through Section 230 of the Communications Decency Act. The Stop Enabling Sex Trafficking Act offers just this remedy.

· The arguments by some in the tech industry are not convincing. Since the early days of the Internet, Congress has found appropriate and effective means to limit copyright and privacy infringement on the Internet. The Stop Enabling Sex Trafficking Act targets only those digital publishers who knowingly allow offending material to be published.