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My objections are based on these points:

1. Publishing late on a Friday afternoon seems to be the now standard way of evading public scrutiny. This is shameful and obvious tactic to by-pass public scrutiny, as is the short time allowed for preparation of submissions and diffusion of knowledge.

2. The general tactic of non-discussion of these matters in public forum is a denial of democracy.

3. There is a complete page left blank (“to be supplied”). This indicates both a lack of willingness to think the matter through properly and lack of desire to clarify intentions for the public.

4. I see this bill as a “foot in the door”; if it is passed, the government can then add in anything it wishes by way of changes by Regulations, while hiding behind the fact that.

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