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Hachette, HarperCollins, and Simon & Schuster

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Text of your email: Dear Mr. Read:

I am a long time consumer of books. I spend close to \$80 per month on digital books and we digital readers have been treated poorly by publishers for years (often losing money on DRM due to harsh restrictions on content even after paying for them). They have been slow to digitize books (with windowing titles several months after the print release). The digital copies of their books are often poorly formatted, with serious errors, and often without color covers (generic colors look awful).

Digital readers are also subjected to paying the same cost for digital books or sometimes even increased costs despite having far fewer rights. We can't lend the book to a family member or friend. We can't transfer a book from one device to another. We can't resell the book. Our own copyright rights as a reader are totally ignored under the ebook model and having to pay increased prices as a result of an improper conspiracy by the publishers is outrageous.

While I don't think the DOJ settlement does enough to protect readers and their rights, it is a step in the right direction. Therefore, please consider this email as support for the settlement.

Thanks for your time,

Keishon Tutt

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