

From: [Anthony Vagnetti](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: "equal time"
Date: Sunday, November 3, 2024 2:24:46 PM

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stfu, brenda

From: [Fran Davis](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Bias in Equal TV Time for Candidates
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Sir:

Your complaint in The Hill about SNL breaking the rule about equal time for candidates because Harris appeared and Trump did not is specious because you did not complain about NBC streaming nonstop a Trump ad but not a Harris ad during the Breeders Cup races. And it included how to stream the rally via the NBC affiliate WSLs's streaming platform.

Your hypocrisy is part and parcel of the Trump regime and it is not getting you what you want. People see through it. Rapist, felon, found fraudulent for funneling all the assets of his charity and his namesake university for personal profit and leaving them bankrupt and causing harm to thousands and you support him. This not the government my dad, fiancé and generations of others fought for and died for. It's not too late for you to wake up and realize that integrity, democracy, and ethics still matter to the American majority. Do it, please.

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Jo El](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Cc: [Jessica Rosenworcel](#); (b) (6)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Candidate Harris Appearance on SNL and Equal Time
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Dear Commissioner Carr:

I share your concerns on this.

But, in response to your concerns about Candidate Harris recent appearance on SNL, as opposed to The Other Candidate, you need a little history lesson.

I suggest you begin your research at the Ronald Reagan library on the Fairness Doctrine, the apparent regulatory source of authority for your outrage. The library is in California. I have been there.

President Reagan under then-Chairman Fowler, his appointee, repealed the Fairness Doctrine. The rule was created in response to concerns about concentrated media ownership and messaging.

I appreciate, as I know you do, that this doctrine was much-aligned-by-the-right as a "restriction" on Free Speech. In fact, this was the basis for its repeal.

This very restriction you should know was championed by Chairman Fowler, the Reagan appointee, to repeal the Fairness Doctrine. It was then followed up in 2011 with repeal of many similar rules in Quizlet.

I reiterate that many Americans, myself included, would support restoration of this "LBJ Liberal" rule from the 1960s. I think most also supports limits on drug and alcohol ads and the content of children's programming advertising.

I know I do because of instances like this. I appreciate that the Other Candidate may lack the capacity to be ironic or deprecating and refuse to appear. Still, the principle of Fairness in the Platonic Abstract Form supports it. See The Republic, Jowett translation.

I suggest you start this Fairness with X, owned by Elon Musk, and Fox News, owned by Rupert Murdoch, currently classified as entertainment. I further suggest you extend application of this Fairness by extending Title II, not VI, to all cable and online broadcasting.

I'm willing to help.

Otherwise, this outrage is full of sound and fury signifying nothing.

Better yet, this selective outrage is proof of Santayana's observation that those who do not remember the past are doomed to repeat it.

Or, perhaps better, Marx's pithy comment that everything happens twice in history: the First Time as Tragedy, the Second Time as Farce.

Be well.

From: [Adryanna Sadge](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Cry harder
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Oh wahhhhhhhhh Harris got to be on SNL just like Hilary did in 2016. Oh , let me cry to the public because some arbitrary rule that means jack shit but gives you, a Trump crony, just a teensie bit of power.

Fucking cry baby. Trump will lose. You will lose. And then the whole lot of you will be imprisoned for your fascist, racist, bigoted bullshit attempts to corrupt the election and disenfranchise millions of voters.

You might fine Harris, but you won't get her kicked off the ballot. And her supporters will just pay her fine. It's in the bag. You've already lost.

So ... Keep your fucking racist, bigoted hands off our bodies, away from our trans youth, and out of our kids bedrooms (MAGA pedophiles trying to legally force little girls into marriage). Your party is the scourge of the Earth. If the devil were real, that's you and Trump and the rest of MAGA. Evil filth who deserve to rot in prison.

Can't wait until you've been fired! So long sucker

From: [Paul Edwards](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Cc: [Drema Johnson](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Detroit Radio Interview: NBC/SNL
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Commissioner Carr -

Are you available to join me on Monday any time between 4p EST - 7p EST for about 15 minutes to talk about the possible NBC/Comcast Universal election law violation with VP Harris's appearance on SNL?

Paul Edwards

Executive Producer and Host

The Paul Edwards Program

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From: [Rainer Hentschel](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Equal Time
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Don't give the American people your horse manure about "equal time" just because Kamala went on SNL. We have given that son of a bitch scum bag, Trump, equal time since 2015 when he announced his bid for Dictatorship of America!

So you take your "equal time" and shove up your Repugnant Party ass. Quit and give the job to someone who has integrity and a moral compass because you are lacking! I am so sick of pricks like you, Trump, Vance, McConnell, the crooked Supreme Court. If I had my way, all of YOU WOULD BE DEPORTED TO RUSSIA. Live it up in Putinville.

Go to hell in a hand basket and I will continue to say my daily prayer for Trump's permanent demise by any means and pray that it will come soon.

Ann Rubin-Hentschel

From: (b) (6)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Equal Time??
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Since when has the FCC been interested in enforcing equal time? Since your patron Donald Trump put you in charge of the FCC? Give me a break

Allison Smith

From: [Kathleen Popp](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: FCC commissioner claims Harris on 'SNL' violates 'equal time' rule
Date: Sunday, November 3, 2024 2:25:39 PM

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Hello,

Seems to me that the republicans running for president has been the one avoiding doing the debates, town halls with the opposite party. Trump could have done the 2nd debate and the CNN town hall but he choose not to.

So how can this be Harris's fault that she was invited to be in SNL?

Kathleen Popp
Michigan
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From: [Patrick DeBusca Jr.](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: FCC commissioner claims Harris on 'SNL' violates 'equal time' rule?
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“FCC commissioner claims Harris on ‘SNL’ violates ‘equal time’ rule”?

Shut up.

Trump has chickened out of multiple national media opportunities because, as you and everyone knows, he would be fact-checked into the ground.

And if you were anywhere but under a rock for the duration of his “presidency,” you would remember him using it to promote commercial products as well as his business and businesses of his cronies.

This you:

FCC Commissioner Brendan Carr Again Misrepresents The Debate Over Section 230

Go back to salivating over Project 2025 and leave democracy to the grown ups.

From: [Colton, Emma](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Fox News Press Inquiry: SNL
Date: Sunday, November 3, 2024 8:35:40 AM

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Good morning Mr. Carr,

Emma Colton here with Fox News Digital. I'm reaching out about your tweets concerning VP Harris' appearance on SNL last night, calling it a "clear and blatant effort to evade the FCC's Equal Time rule" as former President Donald Trump was not offered the same opportunity.

I would love to get a story on your comments, and was wondering if you have time for a short Zoom interview or phone call today to further discuss this.

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Let me know and thank you so much,
Emma

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To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Harris appearance on SNL
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While you may protest about the Harris appearance on SNL your partisan bias forgets the literally hundreds of hours trump has sucked out of the airwaves spewing hatred, discord and blatant lies on immigrants eating cats and dogs. Choose your actions wisely as your bias has clouded your view of reality. Do your job and stop playing politics.

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From: [Eric Johnson](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Harris on SNL
Date: Sunday, November 3, 2024 5:49:35 PM

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Dear Sir,

There is a long tradition of political candidates appearing on late night shows, including Saturday Night Live. That Donald Trump has not appeared is probably due to his vicious vocal attacks on what he sees as the liberal media (any media other than Fox or NewsNation)). He has made his bed regarding mass media, and now he can reap what he sows. If he was a decent and somewhat respectful person, I am sure he could have appeared if he wanted to. I know Donald Trump appointed you, but I find your public outrage a bit disingenuous. Kamala was providing entertainment, your public comments criticizing her seem strictly political. That Kamala Harris is welcomed to SNL is a result of her being a nice person.

Thank you sir,
Eric Johnson

From: [Nate](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Kamala on snl
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Get a life ass hole.

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From: [James Knorr](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
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Hi Brendan,

Just curious if you thought about the fact that Donald Trump was on SNL prior to him becoming elected in 2016? I'll be sure to share this information with the FCC as well.

Take care now,
J
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From: [Bill Gumbiner](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: NBC and SNL
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Commissioner Carr,

What will happen to NBC and their flagrant violation?? The depths to which they have sunk to only continue to demonstrate their unfettered bias in the 2024 presidential election.

Bill Gumbiner

From: [Joseph Sibilis](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Piscopo Tomorrow 11/4
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Hello Commissioner Carr,

I wanted to know if you might be free to come on Piscopo tomorrow November 4 at 8:05, 9:05, or 9:40 a.m. ET to discuss Kamala Harris' appearance on SNL?

Please let me know if that might be possible.

Thank you always for your time!

Joe Sibilis

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From: [Jesse Singal](#)
To: [MediaRelations](#)
Cc: [Jessica Rosenworcel](#); [Brendan Carr](#); [Geoffrey Starks](#); [Nathan Simington](#); [Anna Gomez](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Question from journalist about Mr. Carr's claim of NBC lawbreaking (deadline eod 11/6/2024)
Date: Monday, November 4, 2024 9:49:59 PM
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Hi -- I'm a Brooklyn-based journalist working on a piece for my newsletter <https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A__jessesingal.substack.com_d=DwMFaQ&c=y0h0omCe0jAUGr4gAQ02Fw&r=d1sGuDjZ3yGnvE-CUSoLQus_E6ZQBdKd8hJ39YgjXTE&m=olwcuUXSzcIMZzPW2Rn6Wgku4nE9DhH2qZl5_k8vkkMNjIODSoJeDZOi_JutKSM&s=I9nGX6AbAOcl5dEfd53SfWr-w6j2zBBiY3sbMnHYNZo&e=>> about the fallout from the Kamala Harris/NBC situation. There are a lot of rumors swirling around so I'm hoping to just clear them up.

Three quick questions:

1. According to the journalist Michael Shellenberger's outlet Public <https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A__www.public.news_p_brendan-2Dcarr-2Dtheres-2Dno-2Dquestion-2Dnbc&d=DwMFaQ&c=y0h0omCe0jAUGr4gAQ02Fw&r=d1sGuDjZ3yGnvE-CUSoLQus_E6ZQBdKd8hJ39YgjXTE&m=olwcuUXSzcIMZzPW2Rn6Wgku4nE9DhH2qZl5_k8vkkMNjIODSoJeDZOi_JutKSM&s=3GxNKo4G6LoM_02-6YNOZ2krNmX77YooGavpZ0LW1-4&e=>>, Mr. Carr said that NBC knowingly broke the law by having Kamala Harris on:

I just want to clarify whether it is Mr. Carr's personal view, separate from his FCC role, that SNL knowingly broke the law, or whether the FCC has itself come to that conclusion. If so, is there going to be an announcement or report forthcoming?

2. Is my understanding correct that A) the equal-time rule only applies and can be enforced if a candidate formally complains about another candidate's use of broadcast resources; and B) as of now neither the Trump nor any third-party campaign has filed such a complaint?

3. If (A) and (B) are true, how was Mr. Carr able to determine that SNL knowingly broke the law?

Thanks,
Jesse Singal



From: Plyam, Daniel
To: Holmes, Thomas; Brendan Carr; Greg Watson; Annunziato, Giovanna
Cc: Haubenstricker, Caroline; Morgan, Bill
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Re: Carr - Bartiromo - 8:45am Monday
Date: Sunday, November 3, 2024 1:35:58 PM
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Good afternoon Mr. Commissioner,

We're excited to have you on the show tomorrow morning. Maria would like to discuss Kamala's appearance on SNL, the election in general, and any other topics you're hot on and would like to discuss please let us know.

I'll send over a finalized list of topics in the morning. If there are any questions, don't hesitate to reach out!

Best,

Daniel Plyam
Associate Producer, Mornings with Maria
E: Daniel.plyam@fox.com
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Sent: Sunday, November 3, 2024 8:20 AM
To: Brendan Carr <Brendan.Carr@fcc.gov>; Greg Watson <Gregory.Watson@fcc.gov>; Plyam, Daniel <daniel.plyam@fox.com>; Annunziato, Giovanna <Gina.annunziato@FOX.COM>
Cc: Haubenstricker, Caroline <Caroline.Haubenstricker@FOX.COM>; Morgan, Bill <Bill.Morgan@FOX.COM>
Subject: RE: Carr - Bartiromo - 8:45am Monday

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Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Re: Cry harder
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Oh this is rich

So your orange daddy filed a complaint because NO ONE wanted to see that orange baffoon on SNL.

AND THE BEST PART ... you have no legal recourse against Harris. You can just fine a billion dollar corporation, who was most likely willing to face that fine in the first place.

Oh boy, did you get played

You and Trump did nothing. Please do carry on destroying Trump's chances. Fascism has no place in a DIVERSE United States.

Fucking white supremacist nazi pedo.

On Sun, Nov 3, 2024 at 09:56, Adryanna Sadge <aksadge@pm.me> <<mailto:On Sun, Nov 3, 2024 at 09:56, Adryanna Sadge <> wrote:>

[Oh wahhhhhhhh Harris got to be on SNL just like Hilary did in 2016. Oh , let me cry to the public because some arbitrary rule that means jack shit but gives you, a Trump crony, just a teensie bit of power.](#)

[Fucking cry baby. Trump will lose. You will lose. And then the whole lot of you will be imprisoned for your fascist, racist, bigoted bullshit attempts to corrupt the election and disenfranchise millions of voters.](#)

[You might fine Harris, but you won't get her kicked off the ballot. And her supporters will just pay her fine. It's in the bag. You've already lost.](#)

[So ... Keep your fucking racist, bigoted hands off our bodies, away from our trans youth, and out of our kids bedrooms \(MAGA pedophiles trying to legally force little girls into marriage\). Your party is the scourge of the Earth. If the devil were real, that's you and Trump and the rest of MAGA. Evil filth who deserve to rot in prison.](#)

[Can't wait until you've been fired! So long sucker](#)

From: [Colton, Emma](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Re: Fox News Press Inquiry: SNL
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Thank you so much again and looking forward to speaking with you soon.

-Emma

From: Colton, Emma <Emma.Colton@FOX.COM>
Sent: Sunday, November 3, 2024 8:35 AM
To: Brendan.carr@fcc.gov <Brendan.carr@fcc.gov>
Subject: Fox News Press Inquiry: SNL
Good morning Mr. Carr,

Emma Colton here with Fox News Digital. I'm reaching out about your tweets concerning VP Harris' appearance on SNL last night, calling it a "clear and blatant effort to evade the FCC's Equal Time rule" as former President Donald Trump was not offered the same opportunity.

I would love to get a story on your comments, and was wondering if you have time for a short Zoom interview or phone call today to further discuss this.

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Let me know and thank you so much,
Emma

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Cc: [Smith, J.J.](#); [McDonald, Michael](#)
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One follow up question – Senator Tim Kaine also appeared on SNL last night, is that a problem as well?

From: Cipollone, Elisa
Sent: Sunday, November 3, 2024 3:39 PM
To: Prasad, Shannon <Shannon.Prasad@FOX.COM>; Brendan.Carr@fcc.gov; Giordano, Michael <Michael.Giordano@fox.com>
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Elisa

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Sent: Sunday, November 3, 2024 12:43 PM
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-Shannon

Shannon Prasad

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Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Relax, buddy
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I get you need to smooch Trump's wrinkled ass as often as possible. But going after SNL? You sound like a lunatic.

Which I guess makes sense. Looking forward to your entrance into history's dustbin along with the rest of the MAGA kooks.

Cheers
Paul Vaughn.

From: [Scott Hilton](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Reported for potential Hatch act violation
Date: Sunday, November 3, 2024 9:35:55 PM

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Former President Trump was in fact offered time on Saturday Night Live and NBC but turned them down, as you well know. Your attempts to influence the election by posting your horseshit on social media instead of taking actual action (if there were any crime, which you know there wasn't) is a potential violation of the Hatch act and you've been reported as such.

Fuck you for not only who you are, but everything you claim to believe.

Scott Hilton

From: [Marley Parsons](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: Saturday night kamala
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From: [Francois de la Giroday](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: SNL
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Commissioner Brendan Carr

Take your equal time, republican, and shove it up your ass.

Most Sincerely,

Francois de la Giroday

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Go fuck yourself.

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To: [Brendan Carr](#)
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Mr. Carr, now your statement of outrage about Kamala Harris being on Saturday Night Live Has been printed in the media. I hope it doesn't end there and you actually do something about it. And show everyone that no one is above the law. Sincerely, Bert Moss
Sent from my iPhone

From: [Michael Grady](#)
To: [Brendan Carr](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL]: THE HILL: FCC commissioner claims Harris on 'SNL' violates "equal time" rule
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FOX "News" broadcasts are a perpetual equal time violation then.

FCC commissioner claims Harris on 'SNL' violates 'equal time' rule
A Federal Communications Commission (FCC) commissioner has claimed that Vice President Harris's recent appearance on "Saturday Night Live" violates the "equal time" rule.

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BEFORE THE UNITED STATES FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION,
AND THE UNITED STATES FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

VERIFIED COMPLAINT

In re: Violations of Law by NBC and Harris Campaign

3 November, 2024

Dear Commissioner Carr,

I am writing in response to the remarks published (and broadcast) on Fox News Channel today regarding the clear Equal Time Rule violation by NBC/SNL with the airing of the Kamala Harris cameo on Saturday evening.

In my opinion, based on the law and the facts, this can be remedied immediately if NBC/SNL airs a segment with former President Trump on NBC prime time TV on Monday evening or Tuesday morning -- a comparable sketch with actors from SNL.

If it is not remedied, it is clearly also a violation of federal election laws regarding in-kind campaign contribution/reporting/disclosure by both the Harris campaign and NBC. Pricing data for two minutes on NBC on Saturday nights is approximately \$300,000 per 30 seconds of air time.

I do not believe corporate campaign contributions are allowed to presidential campaigns under U.S. case law and statute.

Reference, <https://variety.com/2017/tv/news/saturday-night-live-nbc-tv-advertising-prices-1202588408/> <https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A__variety.com_2017_tv_news_saturday-2Dnight-2Dlive-2Dnbc-2Dtv-2Dadvertising-2Dprices-2D1202588408__&d=DwMGaQ&c=y0h0omCe0jAUGr4gAQ02Fw&r=d1sGuDjZ3yGnvE-CUSoLQus_E6ZQBdkD8hj39YgjXTE&m=SH5t1pzTPu8TwMu0G7yptzoBh3ARU8cX84GCGVGvUYoczk4jKU_9K8jx7Q233hsE&s=8ke1zpTzJlywcOtlghuwkYeoah1nQy6bAuVNfvXAA74&e=>>

Very Respectfully,

/s/

Mr. Gene Koprowski, Esq.

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11-3-2024

Greetings Mr. Brendan Carr, Commissioner

I hope your day is going well. I am writing about Vice President Kamala Harris appearing on Saturday Night Live, November 2, 2024. While the skit was cute, if they are found in violation of the equal time rule may I suggest banning NBC from having anything to do with politics for the next four years. They will not be able to broadcast any political content for the next 4 years starting immediately no matter who the next President of the United States of America turns out to be. Thank you for all that you do.

Respectfully,

Lori Rickard

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FCC commissioner claims Harris on 'SNL' violates 'equal time' rule

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Cc: ["Smith, J.J."](#); ["McDonald, Michael"](#)
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL]: RE: PRODUCER INTRO FOR TONIGHT'S INGRAHAM ANGLE - BRENDAN CARR (DC)
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NBC's Harris notice:

<https://files.fcc.gov/download/abc98447-9c9c-4f2b-8f03-244f6b18bf95.pdf>

NBC's Kaine notice:

<https://files.fcc.gov/download/739d7c88-c8ff-442a-aa05-e61ee1a05e28.pdf>

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I have now confirmed that NBC has filed an Equal Time notice regarding the Kaine appearance.

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If no one has complained to the FCC yet, I assume that is just due to the compressed time line. Ordinarily, what happens is that after a candidate appears, the stations file public notices announcing the fact. Our rules then give other campaigns one week to ask for comparable time and placement. We don't usually have situations like this 50 hours before election day. It is also possible that the campaigns are working with NBC to obtain some sort of accommodation. Maybe they will offer other campaigns free time during NBC Sunday Night Football. I'm not sure. But either way, it is far from clear to me that they can find a way to provide comparable time and placement to an SNL open within the next few hours.

That is why my main view is that NBC appears to have structured this in a way to evade the federal Equal Time rule. By sneaking in an SNL appearance list minute, it sure looks like there will be no way to entirely cure the problem that NBC knew they were creating.

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Got it – thanks.

Why is the hill reporting that there are no filed complaints yet?

In an emailed statement to The Hill, a spokesperson for the FCC said the agency “has not made any determination regarding [political] programming rules, nor have we received a complaint from any interested parties.”

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I believe that Tim Kaine’s appearance also triggers the Equal Time rule. So any qualifying candidate in that race, which might just be Hung Cao, should have Equal Time rights. I see that Comcast filed an Equal Time notice with the FCC for the Harris appearance. I’m trying to see if I can find one for the Kaine appearance. And it is not just the Trump campaign in the Harris situation that would be entitled to comparable time and placement, but all legally qualified candidates. So that might include Jill Stein and it might also include RFK Jr in at least some states, though that is less clear.

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One follow up question – Senator Tim Kaine also appeared on SNL last night, is that a problem as well?

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Hello Brendan,

The topic is on Kamala’s SNL appearance last night – if you have any other talking points to add beyond your tweets, feel free to pass along.

Thank you,

Elisa

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Hi Brendan.

Connecting you with Gio and Elisa. They will be your segment producers tonight. We have you hitting around 7:08pm. Booking the DC Bureau Pod 4 for the segment. I have your cell as (b) (6) Gio and Elisa will provide editorial details and will need talking points.

If you need anything else, just let us know.

Thanks!

-Shannon

Shannon Prasad

Booking Producer

The Ingraham Angle

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