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**FilmOntario supports Copyright reform
Screen-based industry consortium applauds proposed copyright legislation**

For Immediate Release: Toronto, June 8, 2010 – FilmOntario applauds Ministers Clement and Moore for developing this legislation, and calls for passage of a strong Bill, which will protect Canada’s screen-based content. Intellectual property rights should be protected in Canada; you cannot drive a new car off the lot for free, nor should you be able to steal screen-based content. Once passed, this legislation will enable Canada to compete effectively in the global digital marketplace.

FilmOntario is a private sector consortium 30,000 strong, of companies, producers, unions, guilds and organizations within the Ontario screen-based sector (film, television and interactive media), and over \$1.5 billion in direct economic activity annually.

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