

Hello

In reference to the Orphaned Works proposed rule change:

The cold hard facts is that copyright abusers will use any excuse available to them to try to use work without compensating the work's owner. Any excuse not to find a copyright owner will be used to steal work.

I have the misfortune of having a name similar to a famous baseball player. Many people searching for me tell me how tempted they are to give up while plowing through the many pages dedicated to the other David Wells.

My work of the last twenty five years is mis-used enough. Why would you want to give potential misusers one more excuse for not paying me the royalties I am rightly entitled to.

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