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Rep. Steffen Applauds Multi-State Lawsuit Targeting Social Media Impacts on Children

Madison, WI – Today, State Representative David Steffen (R-Howard) released the following statement regarding the recent news of Wisconsin joining a multi-state lawsuit against Meta Platforms, Inc.:

“The overwhelming evidence pointing to the harmful effects of social media on our kids demands immediate action. I am thankful to Attorney General Kaul for his efforts on this issue and for ensuring that Wisconsin is involved in this legal effort to hold Meta accountable.

“Earlier this session I introduced the Kids Online Safety Act, a bipartisan bill aimed at establishing protections for our kids on social media. Social media companies are aware of just how harmful their unrestrained technology can be for our kids—and yet they’ve not taken responsibility or action to fix the situation. Legal and legislative action is needed.

I support Attorney General Kaul’s action on this issue and stand ready to work with him and other stakeholders to advance a legislative solution that will protect our kids and hold social media companies accountable for the safety of their users,” said Rep. Steffen.

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