

You should definitely consider an exemption about modifying (aka jailbreaking) devices such as smartphones, video game consoles, and tablets. Being in IT, I learn alot that is useful on my job by working with these jailbroken devices.

Specifically, I need to be able to continue to jailbreak my Apple devices (iPhones/iPads). If I cannot jailbreak it, then I have trouble running the applications that I've written for it. I've paid for the device -- why can I not use it without paying Apple and being limited by their oversight?

If I buy a television or microwave, I don't then have to pay the manufacturer if I want to modify it. The same should be true for my phone -- I've paid for it -- let me use it how I want.

Thanks for your consideration.