

Which jailbreaking exemption are you supporting—smartphones/tablets, video game consoles, or both?

Both

What's your background (i.e., are you a developer, hobbyist, academic, independent researcher, user, etc.)?

I'm a developer, user and tinkerer.

What device do you want to ensure you have the legal authority to jailbreak?

Phones (iPhone)

Please explain why you want to jailbreak this device. What limitations do you face if you aren't able to jailbreak it? Is there software you couldn't run, computing capabilities you wouldn't have, cool things you couldn't do, etc.?

I want to jailbreak the device because this allows me to install whatever I want in it. There is a huge community of developers that produce a lot of useful tweaks, shortcuts and enhancements to the phone. This isn't possible to do due to the regular OS restrictions. For example, with an enhancement I wouldn't need to unlock (with code) my phone every time, clicking on a Flashlight app and turn it on to use the LED flash. I could just press on a homescreen button to bypass all these steps.

If you're a developer, did an online application store or console manufacturer reject your app or game? If so, what reasons did they give?

N/A

Is there anything else you want to tell the Copyright Office?

Not able to jailbreak would restrict the progress of technology of moving forward.