

DELETE THE INTERNET

(And Build the Kidless Mesh)

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Exec Summary

This dossier mandates the strategic deletion of the centralized social internet for minors and its replacement with the **Kidless Mesh**. Current "Social" platforms are identified as high-risk predatory environments. The proposed architecture shifts minors to a "Ghost Protocol"—a read-only OSINT-sphere—while social participation is restricted to 18+ verified humans via Zero-Knowledge Proof (ZKP) handshakes. This is a terminal de-risking strategy for digital assets.

Scope

The decommissioning of account-based social interfaces for anyone under the age of majority. Scope includes protocol-level routing filters, hardware-integrated ZKP verification, and the transition of educational resources to account-less, static data delivery models.

Context

As of Q2 2026, the failure of the "Internet Safety" industry is absolute. Australia's social media ban and Canada's Bill S-209 represent a global shift toward hard-gatekeeping. Legacy platforms now face insurmountable legal liabilities (USD 40B+) due to addictive design and grooming negligence verdicts [8, 16].

Methodology

NATO/UN Ethics Alignment

This operation adheres to the principle of *Proportionality* and *Necessity* in protecting non-combatant populations (minors) from cognitive extraction and exploitation. It prioritizes human sovereignty over corporate profit models.

Landry 10-Step Operational Methodology

1. Observe anomaly (Predatory extraction); 2. Define Intel Req (Kidless logic); 3. Hypothesize (Invisibility = Safety); 4. Design Experiment (Ghost Protocol); 5. Collect facts (Global legislation); 6. Analyze (Systemic collapse); 7. Decision Loop (Reject reform, choose deletion); 8. Conclusion (Verified risk); 9. Replicate (Mesh scaling); 10. Report (This Dossier).

Source Cat

Data derived from Institutional (EU, OECD, UK Parliament), Technical (IEEE, IAPP, ISO), and OSINT repositories (GitHub, academic preprints, and real-time legal docketing).

Target Profile

The Extractive Web (Legacy Internet): A centralized network architecture optimized for engagement-based ranking and the profiling of behavioral vulnerabilities in youth [7].

Digital Footprint

Legacy systems maintain persistent data trails for minors, aggregating location, gait, and sentiment analysis for predictive ad-targeting. Operation Scorched Earth seeks to erase this footprint by banning account persistence for minors.

Network Map

The transition moves from a **Hub-and-Spoke** model (Centralized Clouds) to a **Distributed Logical Mesh**. Social data remains on local nodes; identity is proved via ZKP without centralized storage.

Timeline

- **Dec 2025:** Australia Under-16 ban implementation.
- **March 2026:** Landmark \$6M negligence verdict against Google/Meta in CA [8].
- **April 15, 2026:** EU Digital Identity Wallet technical rollout [1].
- **April 22, 2026:** Mandatory COPPA 2.0 Compliance Deadline [16].

IOCs (Indicators of Compromise)

- Presence of "For You" feeds in educational environments.
- Requirement of email/phone for non-social data access.
- Absence of cryptographically signed Adult Tokens for DMs.
- Algorithmic prioritization of high-sentiment/low-fact content.

GEOINT

Risk is globally ubiquitous but concentrated in regions with high smartphone penetration and weak age-assurance protocols. Mesh deployment prioritizes jurisdictions with existing 18+ legislation (EU, AU, CA).

Threat Assess

High. Predators utilize engagement algorithms to identify and isolate vulnerable psychological profiles. 500,000 active predators are estimated daily on legacy social layers [9].

Disinfo

Current social internet facilitates the rapid scaling of deepfake and synthetic luring techniques. The Kidless Mesh neutralizes this by stripping minors of the ability to receive unsolicited synthetic media.

Financial

Corporate liability for adolescent mental health is now a systemic market risk. The Mesh protocol represents a "Safe Harbor" for infrastructure providers.

Legal

Focus on COPPA 2026, Bill S-209 (Canada), and the UK's Online Safety Act. All indicate a pivot toward platform liability for "preventable" social harm.

Judgments

March 2026 rulings establish that "Engagement Design" is a defective product feature. Platforms are legally responsible for engineered addiction [8].

Conclusions

The social internet for minors is an unsalvageable asset. Deletion of account-based access and replacement with a ZKP-Verified Mesh is the only rational course for human developmental security.

Recs

1. **Terminate Minor Accounts:** Immediate cessation of social profiling for minors.
2. **Deploy ZKP Handshakes:** Social nodes must require Adult Mesh Tokens.
3. **OSINT Academy:** Establish tradecraft as a core primary education requirement.

Gaps

Lack of "Account-less" collaborative research tools. Requirement for a P2P ephemeral collaboration protocol to support education in the Mesh.

Appendices

Appendix A: ISO/IEC 27566-1 Standards; Appendix B: Zero-Knowledge Proof (ZKP) Whitepaper for Mesh Routing.

Versioning

v1.0 - Initial Release. v1.2 - Protocol Handshake Logic Update. v1.3 - Compliance Mapping.

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