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How would they even make a new agency?

While it would be difficult given the political divide in America, it is most certainly possible.

The most difficult part would probably be **getting Section 230** amended, which releases companies from liability over what their users post on their platforms.

But, all Congress would need to do is make it so that the new agency is allowed to prosecute companies despite Section 230.

Even if they did, who's going to run it?

The agency would be headed by the commission chair, likely an expert in law and technology, the agency itself would be a **commission** composed of **advisors, lawyers, and policymakers** from the appropriate senate and house committees

What're they gonna do? Do they have any goals?

Consulting with advisors and researchers, the commission would be responsible for the research and development of new ways to make social media safer, like the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration does for vehicles

Also like the NHTSA, the commission could set standards for social media platforms to maintain, such as standards for protecting against misinformation, a clear definition and policy for hate speech, and an effort to incite productive conversation rather than inflammatory



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