



Southern African Catholic Bishops' Conference

CATHOLIC BISHOPS OPPOSED TO TV PORN

Pornography is destructive of persons, detrimental to our society and is evil. As Catholic bishops we are totally opposed to the broadcasting of pornography in South Africa.

Any form of commercialisation and screening of pornographic sex is exploitative, engenders addiction and can only bring about degradation of everyone involved. Entertainment should enrich and not diminish human dignity.

We, therefore, call upon all people of goodwill, especially those with the responsibility of decision-making, to do all in their power, to protect our people, in particular women and youth from this evil of pornography.

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