

# Court Upholds \$1B Copyright Ruling Against ISP Cox

“Internet service provider (ISP) Cox Communications’ attempt to reduce a \$1 billion award of damages for copyright infringement has failed, in a win for music companies including Sony, Universal, and Warner,” reports in *World IP Preview’s News*.

“The US District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, Alexandria Division, upheld the award of damages in a decision dated Tuesday, January 12.”

“In 2018, members of the music industry including Sony, Universal, and Warner accused American ISP Cox of contributory copyright infringement and vicarious copyright infringement. The plaintiffs claimed that a total of 10,017 copyrights were infringed on peer-to-peer networks.”

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