

Dear FCC, My concerns are in the area of RFI, and the proposed new method of measurement. I noted the reference to "licensed & unlicensed" users and fear that this does not take into account Part 15 devices such as TV's, etc.; nor does it address such sources as power lines and power transmission equipment now in service nationwide. Just today I have read about extreme levels of RFI in the 7 MHz band from "new" Plasma TV's (ref: <eham.net> articles - current).

IF this shift in policy is to be made in the interest of ALL concerned and involved users of RF spectrum - then, I would ask that said policy directly address all current sources of RFI and in those specific cases where "users" (power companies) and manufactures (like RCA, Sony, etc.) of such Part 15 devices be held accountable for their actions and devices causing such RFI; to include remedies and liabilities.

Another area of my concern, in such policy changes or redirection, is homeland security and remedial actions should a WMD event occur within the continental USA. The US Gov currently holds vast blocks of spectrum without defined use nor even occasional use. As Policy, I feel, the FCC should reserve small well defined segments of these blocks of spectrum for actual use by any local, state, or Federal Gov entity, or their agents/designees, for cross-jurisdictional communications during such events or drills and practices for them. There is currently no such provision, for these cross-jurisdictional communications, in the lower-48 states that I am aware of, there is a freq allocation for this purpose and others in Alaska, i.e., common channel(s).

Thank you for taking the time to consider these ideas from a citizen.

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