

As an Extra class amateur radio operator of 24-years I am very concerned that the proposed BPL service will have a devastating effect on a hobby that I and hundreds of thousands of others have been enjoying for nearly a century.

I urge the FCC to study this matter with the utmost care and to preserve the usable state of the HF amateur bands. Ham radio and its ever-present corps of volunteer emergency service workers would likely cease to exist in the years following the anticipated onslaught of RFI generated by BPL. --Adam Nathenson, N4EKV