

**Before the
Federal Communication Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of)
)
Inquiry Regarding Carrier Current Systems) ET Docket No 03-104
Including Broadband over Power Line Systems)
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Comments of Laura R. Simpson, General Class KB1DNT

Gentlemen:

As millions of Americans, I depend on the FCC to protect the airwaves. As a newly licensed amateur operator, I would appreciate the opportunity and satisfaction to operate on the air in the coming years and provide the service that has characterized the amateur radio community since its beginning. Broadband over the power-lines may not allow me this opportunity due to the interference problems that have been identified. However, that is selfish compared to the issue of health and safety of all people in the US. If BPL could allow dangerously high voltages or dangerous exposure to EM fields within the home, this is also a concern

I am counting on the FCC to maintain standards for the regulation of the electromagnetic spectrum and any associated issues of health and safety for the USA population.

Thank you for your consideration,

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