

BPL implementation will cause a nationwide communications disaster. A recent survey by the American Radio Relay League demonstrated that BFL rendered the HF spectrum almost useless – contrary to the BPL industry claims. The HF spectrum is relied upon by Government, Military and volunteer Amateur Radio operators especially during times of national disaster when emergency signals are almost always weak. As a result, BPL will seriously adversely affect Homeland Security. Japan and Germany have already outlawed BPL for similar reasons. I strongly urge the FCC to do the same.