

I am a licensed amateur radio operator and I believe that implementation of BPL would have a serious negative effect on not only my ability to effectively communicate via amateur radio, but would also be a serious threat to amateur radio as a whole.

The serious threat of BPL comes from its unconfined radiation of signals from power lines not only outside of my home, but also from within the very walls of my home. The FCC has already conceded tht BPL may affect cable TV and DSL service, and now it is time for the FCC to realize that amateur radio, a priceless service to this country, is also negatively affected by BPL.

Furthermore, any attempt to circumvent FCC Part 15 rules just to satisfy one industry at the expense of the rest of the licensed and unlicensed spectrum users should be avoided at all costs.

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