

I would like to take this opportunity to voice my opposition to the Broadband Over Power Lines (BPL) initiative. I am an active Amateur Radio operator and am convinced that the BPL initiative will greatly hinder the Amateur Service's ability to provide critical communications due to the excessive interference levels to the amateur frequencies that will be caused by sending RF signals down these unshielded lines.

I would like to urge the Commission to oppose any commercial entities that would lobby to have this initiative approved.

Thank you,
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