

As a licensed radio amateur and holder of the General Radiotelephone Operators License, I am strongly opposed to the use of BPL, or broadband over power line technology. It is my belief that this type of system, if implemented, would cause such extreme interference to several amateur bands that it may cause the most heavily relied upon bands to be completely unusable. It is my understanding that this technology has been tested in other countries such as Japan and found to be unsuitable due to its potential to interfere with other services.

I am asking the FCC to attempt to preserve amateur radio and other services which use the HF bands by disallowing BPL in its present form, a form which will cause extreme levels of interference to the amateur radio service.

Thank You,

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