

I am in full support of the comments submitted by The American Radio Relay League concerning Docket ET 03-104. Those in favor of Broadband over Power Line (BPL) have no viable or "preponderance of evidence" data to support approval of this docket. It is paramount to realize that further research in BPL is needed to avoid the great risks of spectrum interference. We must be sure that it will not cause irreparable interference to services licensed to operate in the 2 MHz - 80 MHz frequency range. During these times of international and national tensions and continued threats of attacks against the United States, we must maintain capable and fully functional communications systems. We cannot afford to diminish our ability to protect the American people by creating a system that cannot function properly during an attack upon our infrastructure or after a natural disaster. Approval of ET 03-104 would violate the existing FCC rules on non-interference and would be contrary to the best interest of the public. Please approach this supposedly beneficial technology with all the caution possible. We must do what's right for the American people in terms of their safety and well being. BPL, as it stands now is not capable of achieving that.