

The FCC MUST NOT permit the use of the national electrical power grid for the transmission of Internet broadband. Why not? Because using the power grid for this purpose will result in a very much unwanted and undesirable by-product in the form of radio-spectrum pollution. This radio-spectrum pollution has the all-too-real potential to badly interfere with and ruin short-wave radio transmission and reception world-wide. For this reason alone, this proposal is most unwise. Moreover, it is not really needed, since Broadband already is being and can continue to be distributed in a non-harm-producing fashion. BPL's potential to do world-wide harm to the radio spectrum MUST be taken into account when making your decision on this matter, and greatly outweighs any benefit. I therefore most strongly urge you at the Federal Communications Commission to say "NO" to Broadband Over Power Line (BPL). Thank you!

Sincerely,

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