

Your Honors,

Please consider my comments. Interference mitigation is very important to the incumbent spectrum users. As implementation of BPL continues, it will be increasingly difficult to narrow down sources of interference. Please require that a clearly identifiable signal be sent through the power lines along with the digital signals. This signal would assist in tracking down the source of interference when it exists.

The signal should have the following characteristics: 1. The signal should be emitted at least once per minute. 2. It should be at the same signal strength as the data stream. 3. It should be of a protocol that is public domain and easily received and decoded without expensive or proprietary equipment. 4. It should be emitted on representative frequencies throughout the spectrum in use. 5. It should not interfere with the data stream, nor should it be masked by the data stream.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Keith DeLong