

To the Commissioners:

Someone has called to my attention that the Time Warner and AOL merger may cause a fundamental shift as to how internet accounts are handled in the industry.

Apparently Time Warner and AOL have the policy of limiting the free exchange of information and ideas through thier internet accounts. This concerns me to the end that as ISPs get bought up the product has gotten worse. The extreme of course being at the biggest provider. What I am most concerned about is the precedence such a megalith will have. If the big guys do it then the little ISPs will probably follow suit. What we will end up with is a huge loss to the United States internet community.

I am saying this not as a member of either service and I hope the little guys will be able to survive so that I may still have a choice of a decent ISP.

Thankyou for your time,

Frank Carney