

The Honorable Michael K. Powell
Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Powell:

I am writing concerning the proposed merger of EchoStar and DirectTV.

My concern centers on EchoStar's commitment to HDTV. To date, their HDTV offering lags far behind DirectTV (despite their assurances to the contrary).

Should the merger proceed, please ensure the combined firm has to OFFER MORE HDTV PROGRAMMING.

Thank you

Sincerely,

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