

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

Dear Chairman Powell:

I would like to express my personal support for the echostar-Direct TV merger. This would provide many conveniences and benefits that are not currently available to me and many others around the country. I like the quality that digital satellite TV provides. I prefer it over cable and digital cable. After the merger, with the combined strength of the two companies, I would be able to receive my local broadcast stations on a clear satellite signal, not some fuzzy antenna or cable signal. In addition, I could combine my satellite TV service with broadband Internet service. This is a great marriage of technology. No more slow dial-ups for me! Please approve this merger. It will be good for all.

Sincerely,

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