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From: Thomas C. Martin, jr <mar0279@ibm.net>
To: A4.A4 (SSEGAL)
Date: 7/28/98 3:27pm
Subject: Comments to the Chairman

Thomas C. Martin, jr (mar0279@ibm.net) writes:

I consider the pending requirement to require cable companies to give every local broadcast station a second channel on our cable systems to be totally ridiculous. My cable system is overloaded with local stations of little value and further expansion will drive more and more people to satelite. I would hope you get your collective inteligencve working and back off from such a proposal.

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From: Dell S. Hanks <dellhanks@aol.com>
To: A4.A4 (SSEGAL)
Date: 7/28/98 11:38am
Subject: Comments to the Chairman

Dell S. Hanks (dellhanks@aol.com) writes:

I have been watching very closely the emerging debate on the HDTV and its relationship to cable TV.

I understand there is a controversy regarding the possibility of replacing C-Span with an HDTV channel.

I feel that this would be a grave mistake. I personally watch C-Span with great interest and consider it invaluable to my keeping in touch with the processes and debates relative to the democratic process.

Watching TV with a higher quality picture would be nice. I love TV as much as anyone, but if a choice must be made between the political process and picture quality, the choice is simple.

Please keep C-Span and C-Span2 as I know they are critical to our education and political process. Thank-you.

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From: Christina & Steven Campbell <soups@pacbell.net>
To: A4.A4 (SSEGAL)
Date: 7/28/98 3:51pm
Subject: Comments to the Chairman

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Christina & Steven Campbell (soups@pacbell.net) writes:

Honorable Chairman Kennard:
Allowing C-SPAN to be omitted from our cable system is about the most un-American thing that could happen today. I wish that there would have been C-SPAN when I was in school, because it allows the general public an inside look at the workings of our government. Please do not allow this terrible thing to happen.
Very truly yours,
The Campbell Family

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