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Dear Federal Communications Commission,

I was wondering if you could do anything about TV Monopoly System we have in the USA? Yes, there are Broadband Internet Monopolies and TV Monopolies in the United States of America but Congress does not do anything about it.

I would like to make a comparison about the TV Business. The Cable Company's/Comcast/Time Warner/Cox/Dish Network/Direct Tv offer tv to the American people where you can get all these channels you want for X amount of Dollars. It is take it or leave it option. If I only want to watch CNN or FOX NEWS, NBC, Discovery and nothing else I still have to pay the price as if I were to watch all of them. Let me give you a comparison if I were go to the grocery store and I wanted to buy steak and beer only, but if Safeway forced me to purchase Milk, Ice Cream, Eggs, Turkey Burgers, Orange Juice, Lobster, Sushi, Dom perignon, Chilean sea bass, Caviar, and Fried Rice to get the Steak and Beer I would walk out of the store and go somewhere else to buy my steak and beer. In this example, the cable companies, Content Companies is Safeway forcing me to purchase all those items I do not want or need, when all I want is steak and beer.

Cable Companies/Direct Tv/Dish Network are essentially forcing people to buy all the products even if they do not want all the channels. It is also the fault of the Content Companies because they Force the Cable Companies/Direct Tv/Dish Network you have to buy all of our channels if you want to get XYZ Channel. So this is why the Cable companies bundle all the channels and pass it along to the consumer in higher prices every year. I cancelled my cable because I do not watch that much tv. So every single year the Satellite and Cable companies raise price on the channels because the content companies raise their prices. The American people do not have a choice at all when it comes to buying their Television Channels. Some cities are lucky enough to have Google Fiber Internet, but still have to deal with the same problem with television channels being bundled because of the Content Companies. I would think the American people would have a higher opinion of Congress/Government if you would do something about the Monopoly Cable Companies/Content Companies. (Comcast/CBS/Disney/NewCorp, et al). Broadband Monopolies.

Also, with a digital antenna I get half of the channels and the rest of them are flakey meaning lots of static so in the area I live it isn't the best. I was hoping that Aereo would pass the Supreme Court. But the Supreme Court killed Aereo and I would be willing to pay \$10.00 a month for the network channels and a crystal clear connection but again the Supreme Court killed Aereo. I believe the Minority Opinion of the Supreme Court understood Aereo. Yet, the FCC gave NBC, ABC, CBS, FOX, et al. Free Spectrum to show the American people television shows. Again the government gave NBC, CBS, FOX, ABC, et al FREE SPECTRUM.

But, yet because of where I live I am forced to pay \$35.00 to Cox Communications just to get Network Television because my antenna only gets half the channels. Aereo came along had something people like me could afford for \$8.00 a month and I could actually get crystal clear Network Tv via the internet connection from the Monopoly Cable Company I have.

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network tv channels so the American people can watch tv. But, I have to pay \$25 or \$35 to Cox Cable to watch NBC or FOX. How does that make any sense?????????

Maybe if we had a la carte cable/television there wouldn't be this problem. There is no other industry in the USA other than the television business that has a monopoly on the American people. I would love to get cable but I only watch 3 or 4 channels and I do not watch sports. So if I want to know what is going on in America I have to turn on my computer and use my internet which for the most part is another monopoly for high speed internet. Please do not Approve Comcast and Time Warner Merger it will make a Monopoly even bigger and will give them 30% of the broadband market (Comcast will have 30% market share if you approve this merger.

Speaking of Monopolies Verizon and ATT have a duopoly on Cell Phone Service. ATT and Verizon have coveted beach front property in Spectrum low band spectrum. You really should do something about making it more competitive with T Mobile and Sprint. Sprint and T Mobile offer lower prices but they have horrible coverage and they have very little low band spectrum. If you could do something about any of this, that would be great.

Sincerely,

American Tax Payer/ American Citizen