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AT&T should not be permitted to buy DirectTV or any other company that competes in any way with AT&T.

AT&T/Cingular has put phony charges on bills, remotely disabled equipment as a tactic to "up-sell" customers to services that they don't need, and refuses to stop sending unwanted advertising.

AT&T/Cingular needs to be split up, and most of its top management sent to jail. Do not allow them to increase their already excessive power and their utter contempt for their customers by allowing them to buy or influence DirectTV.