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This merger should be stopped. If this merger is allowed to continue then AT&T will have far too much control over my cable access. I strongly believe that the cable industry has been unchecked and void of serious competition due to the monopolistic practices that have been allowed.

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As an individual I should like to join Consumers Union in objecting to the merger (purchase) of AT&T with Media One. AT&T was broken up more than 15 years ago because of its stranglehold on telephones in this country. I see absolutely no reason why it should now be permitted to buy its way back to this forthcoming monopoly position by purchasing all the cable companies in the world.

Not only would they then dictate cable fees but, more importantly, the costs of internet access which is speeding up thru broadband capabilities inherent in the cable access this would provide.

We ended this Ma Bell monopoly before there is no reason to give it a new life with greater abilities of giving it better stranglehold capabilities.

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