

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

Dear Chairman Powell:

As a customer of DIRECTV, I am writing to urge you NOT to support the pending merger of EchoStar and HUGHES, the parent company of DIRECTV. I believe the merger will kill competition in the satellite TV industry. In my opinion, this merger would be in direct violation of our country's anti-trust laws. Who would compete with the new 'super satellite company?'

I appreciate your consideration of my views.

Sincerely,

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