

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 increase costs and provide poor service choices for consumers like me.

For the Consumer - PLEASE DO NOT APPROVE THIS MERGER.

I appreciate your consideration of my views.

Sincerely,

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