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To Whom It May Concern:

During **January** of this year **Global Crossing** announced that they **were** filing for Chapter 11 bankruptcy **protection**. This bankruptcy, following in the steps of **Enron**, caused severe hardship among **employee/shareholders**, as it appears that **our 401K** plan containing Global Crossing stock is now **virtually** worthless. During this past month it was **announced** **that** a re-structuring plan has been approved by the bankruptcy judge, **resulting** in **Hutchison Whampoa** (Hong Kong **6 Singapore** companies) having controlling interest in this new company. ■ This action is approved not only will **shareholders/employees be affected** by the actions of this **company**, but **also** the very security of this country. I am very concerned about the "National **Security Risk**" that **this sale poses**. If approved by the Federal Communications Commission, the Chinese, would now have controlling interest in the largest private optic network in the world. **This would result** in **the** Chinese controlling between 20% and 25% of the fiber optic capacity **coming** into and going out of the United States. This, I feel, has the **potential for a great security risk**, as undoubtedly, military operations will **be among** the governmental agencies that will be using this capacity. I am **as** a result, **asking** that the FCC please investigate the potential problems that will occur as a result of this sale. ■ These concerns are found to have merit I ask that you deny **approval** of the license **transfers**, ultimately stopping the sale of Global Crossing. ■ I would **appreciate** a response to this letter.

Thank you,

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