

Dear Commissioners:

Don't prevent states from fixing my cell phone problems. I am writing to oppose CG Docket No. 04-208 and WT Docket No. 05-194, which will unjustly take away the authority of states to tackle problems with cell phone service, including abusive cancellation penalties. Worse, the proposal will put in place a weak set of cell phone company-endorsed rules that offer no improvements in service or enforcement.

It's time to adopt policies that force cell phone companies to improve the level of service they provide to consumers. It is time to keep corporations out of the political system of the states and the federal government, just like separation of church and state. The state and federal government are to be run by the people. It's time for change, any matter coming up that can or can't help the people shall be put to the vote.

It is time for a new political party, one for the people, by the people and made by the people, the way it is supposed to be run and there is a party that will do this, not just for them but for all people. It is called the Veterans Party of America. Look them up. If our elected officials will not do as we ask then it is time for change.

Although CG Docket No. 04-208 purports to address consumer frustration with confusing cell phone bills, hidden fees and misleading advertising, the proposal does little for consumers. In the name of helping us, the agency is proposing to block states from passing their own pro-consumer laws. As bad, WT Docket No. 05-194 would bar state courts from enforcing state law when it comes to unfair and abusive cell phone contracts. That's going too far.

States are responding to consumer complaints. Don't stop them! And don't give in to adopting weak, industry-drafted rules in their place. The FCC should stand up to the cell phone industry, and respect states rights and strong

consumer protections.

Sincerely,
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