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Subject: seeking public comment on whether to permit the airborne operation of wireless handsets on aircraft

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Dear Sir,

Since there is no place on your site specified as being for the public comment that you seek, I am emailing you, in your capacity as boss. (And I suggest you create such links in the text wherever you ask for public comment.)

My comment:

PLEASE no. NO. I object to this in the strongest terms. I can't believe you are even considering it, except as a way to balance the damn budget.

With no space between passengers and no ability to remove oneself, being involuntarily subjected to the telephone conversations of others is an unacceptable violation of what I can only call personal privacy.

Let 'em text, email or send smoke signals. That should be enough. But don't force passengers to be on the receiving end of the conversations of their accidental seatmates with no choice in the matter. You can expect inter-passenger trouble on board if you do.

Thanks for your consideration,

C. Schuerhoff

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