

Regulation of public airways and access thereto is a proper function of government, as is the prevention of monopolistic or oligarchic practices over which the public has little or no control. The FCC was created for this purpose and if anything has already placed far too much power in the hands of the few to the detriment of the public interest. Competition will not be served by allowing more media outlets to be controlled by those already in power. It is essential that the FCC fulfil the function for which it was created and that it exercise more, not less regulation over media ownership, already in the hands of too few outlets.