

Dear Kevin Martin, FCC Chairman,

I am a small business owner that relies on quick file transfer and remote computer control via the internet. I cannot accept that an ISP like Comcast would deliberately prohibit my right to commerce. My company manages mission critical servers responsible for delivering diagnostic medical information for radiological diagnosis. I contract directly with Hospitals and Radiology groups in providing service for their equipment at all times of the day and night. I must have full access to full broadband at all times. Allowing Comcast or any other ISP to control or throttle internet speed is a totalitarian perspective. It is the responsibility of Comcast or other ISP to excel their technology for faster and better internet speed. You can do great harm to America and American Commerce if you allow Comcast or other ISP to block or control internet peer-to-peer communications. America needs new ideas in the battle for larger bandwidth. We have already seen great technologies arise from previous bandwidth debate. The FCC should not assist with Comcast's complacency as they will do real harm to consumers and business alike.

Sincerely,

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Comcast's blatant and deceptive blocking of peer-to-peer communications is exactly the problem millions of Americans have warned would occur without Net Neutrality protections.

The FCC must take serious and immediate action to put an abrupt end to this harmful practice and prevent other Internet service providers from following Comcast's example of discriminating against the free flow of online information.

The Internet is a vital engine for economic growth, civic participation and free speech. We simply can't allow corporate gatekeepers to smother these democratic communications by discriminating against new technologies, secretly interfering with Internet traffic and stifling innovation.