

I have become aware of Time Warner's request to spin off its cable division. In consideration of this request, I hope that the FCC will take into account Time Warner's distribution of pornography-a practice that is harmful to families and communities.

Numerous studies show that pornography encourages distorted and unhealthy views of sexuality, particularly for deviant or violent types.

Pornography encourages the sexual exploitation of women.

Pornography devalues the importance of marriage as a beneficial and lasting institution for the good of society.

Pornography negatively affects children, families and society through increased rates of divorce, sexual abuse and the sexualization of young people.

I hope that the FCC will take some action to encourage Time Warner to uphold high moral standards in the programming that it provides. Thank you for your time,

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