

To FCC Commissioners Genachowski, Clyburn and McDowell:

Please do not succumb to the global phenomenon of bending over backwards to support corporate interests. Deregulation over the past 30 plus years has produced the worst assault on practical control of our country, as on all the worlds' governments, wresting it from potential democracy to the Corporate Personhood Oligarchs who truly make decisions in these times. If anyone believes we're in a free enterprise system anymore, the fact that six SIX major corporations control half of our alleged news sources should be enough to refute that antiquated notion; unfortunately, it does not refute. The FCC runs the risk of becoming increasingly irrelevant as a governmental protector of The People as opposed to The Corporate Entity. Until, if, the World Wide Web is leashed, people yearning for unbiased, undiluted journalistic integrity will turn away from corporate outlets and continue to use social and other online media to find morsels of truth.

Keep the ban in place and the FCC may retain its seat at the table.

Regards,

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