

## Petition for Reconsideration

### 11-169 Basic Tier Encryption

I am very concerned with the FCC's basic cable tier encryption rule that allows TV providers to encrypt their signals so TV service can only work using their proprietary equipment. Translation: Internet TV set top boxes like the Boxee Box which users can connect their cable cords to for accessing digital TV channels. Furthermore, how does this rule affect individuals with analog TV antennas and digital TV converter boxes (since DTV transition) using over the air broadcast TV to get TV channels? Consider how such individuals not paying for TV service but receiving free over the air broadcast TV channels via an antenna and DTV converter box could be affected by the rule if at all. Keep in mind some individuals may prefer over the air free broadcast TV using such equipment (antenna and DTV converter box) and to stream/download over the Internet any other TV content they can't get over the air. For these individual consumers they may use over the air broadcast TV and online sources for their TV.