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I am writing to request that the FCC DENY and DO NOT enact the proposed RM-11708

All proposed rulings must be considered by the INTENT.

The intent here is clear: to enable Pactor 4 and future noisier, wider data modes onto the US Amateur Bands. Data modes that are primarily used to support internet packet technologies.

At stake, and all deference should be given to the Amateur Bands and the long-held traditions of their proper use by licensed amateurs.

By and large, Amateur Operators find this proposal distasteful, and a serious encroachment and degradation of current bandplans.

Licensees-by-convenience (those that take tech tests for cheap data service) do not have the amateur hobby at heart in their filings. They want faster data. One filing even referenced a desire to stream movies over amateur radio HF frequencies.

Back to the INTENT. It is not the intent of the proposal to enhance or protect as it has been for many decades, so it must not be passed.

Please reject proposal RM-11708