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Dear FCC,

My name is Maneesh Pangasa and I live in Yuma, AZ.

Net neutrality, the principle that Internet service providers (ISPs) treat all data that travels over their networks equally, is important to me because without it users may have fewer options and a less diverse Internet.

A pay-to-play Internet worries me because ISPs could act as the gatekeepers to their subscribers.

The Internet is important to me because, as a college business student, I need to know that there will not be barriers to entry for the new ideas and services that I hope to bring to the marketplace. If ISP subscribers have an easier time loading websites of existing companies than my new innovative product, there's no way that I will be able to compete or succeed.

In addition the proposed Comcast Time Warner Cable merger worries me greatly because a larger Comcast will have more incentive to discriminate online especially against Over The Top Television (OTT) providers of online video services like Apple TV (iTunes Store), Amazon Fire TV (Amazon Instant Video), Google TV or Android TV (Google Play Movies & TV), Microsoft Xbox (Xbox Video) etc.

Sincerely,

Maneesh Pangasa