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The Honorable Richard Durbin
United States Senate
525 South Eighth Street
Springfield, IL 62703

Dear Senator Durbin,

I am a cable television customer and I am upset that broadcasters continue to increase the charges for free over-the-air television signals.

Recently, broadcasters in my area have significantly increased the charges to my cable company for the carriage of their signal that is a free service supported by advertising. My cable company has informed me that they are now passing along the broadcast carriage charges to me. In many of the cases, I cannot receive the broadcast station with an antenna and have received those signals via the cable company. Simply put, the carriage by the cable company instead of my own antenna should not give broadcasters the right to charge a fee for free over-the-air television. Why does the government discriminate against me just because I am a cable customer?

Please help reform broadcast carriage rules so that I as a consumer am not unfairly charged excessive, discriminatory fees.

Sincerely,

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The Honorable Tammy Duckworth
United States Senate
8 South Old State Capitol Plaza
Springfield, IL 62701

Dear Senator Duckworth,

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The Honorable Mary Miller
United States House of Representatives
604 East Main Street G
Mahomet, IL 61853

Dear Representative Miller,

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The Honorable Nikki Budzinski
United States House of Representatives
133 South 4th Street, Suite 300
Springfield, IL 62701

Dear Representative Budzinski,

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