

Dear European Commission,

Net neutrality is of the utmost importance. Nowadays, the internet is an essential element in the freedom of speech and freedom of gathering of information. The subject is therefore too important to be left to commercial parties, public institutes of even local governments.

Protecting Net Neutrality is a great opportunity for the European Commission to prove its value to safeguard civil rights for the European citizens. Therefore I ask you to do everything within your power to guarantee Net Neutrality for all Europeans. We should not trust on self-regulation or forced transparency to achieve this. Unfortunately, the past has proven that this does not work satisfactory, and the subject is far too important to experiment with the outcome.

In my opinion, the best way to guarantee Net Neutrality is that the European Commission simply forbids internet providers to block, slow-down or hamper internet traffic in any way.

Yours sincerely,

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