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To: Department of Justice,

I have been a movie theatre owner for over 50 years with headquarters in Wilson, NC. Our theatres are located in small towns and like many other small towns the movie theatre is the only form of entertainment. We employ approximately 50 people with some being full time while others are part time. Many of our part time employees are students in high school and some go to the nearest community college.

Going out of the theatre business due to distributor terms and conditions will be bad for these small towns. I do not feel that any large circuits will come into the small towns where these theatres are located. The market is just too small. The end result will be no movies for many of our patrons unless they drive a long distance.

Thank you,

Marion Boykin