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Dear Mr. Lamb:

First, let me say what a great pleasure it is that C-SPAN exists, and to have the information which C-SPAN provides. Second, my cable company (Comcast) chooses not to carry C-SPAN 2. They carry MTV & movies, rock and roll & religion, home shopping, pay-per-view & infomercials but no C-SPAN 2; nor do they seem inclined ever to carry C-SPAN 2.

Now, with regard to the events in the Senate on Thursday, July, 22, 1993 which were carried by C-SPAN 2 only: Senator Carol Moseley-Braun eloquently taking on Senator Helms, and turning the Senate vote around with the support of Senators Heflin, Feinstein, and apparently many others.

Just who the others are, and just what did occur; the full extent of the debate, C-SPAN viewers have been deprived of ever witnessing.

A few times before, I have watched as C-SPAN rebroadcast singular events which had taken place in the Senate. Not this time. I spoke with C-SPAN Viewer Services today and was told that the debate regarding the United Daughters of the Confederacy patent had been repeated twice: on Thursday at 11 PM, and on Sunday at 5:55 PM (EST) on C-SPAN 2, but would not ever be carried on C-SPAN because of something called "Rotational Programing--?" policy.

I feel cheated. The way the Networks and the Newspapers reported this event make it seem to have been one of the shining moments in the history of the Senate; one which Jefferson or Madison or Franklin would have liked to witness. SO WOULD I.

If ever there was justification for relaxing Network policy, I believe this is it. Please broadcast just that (complete) portion of the event on C-SPAN so we can all share it.

Sincerely,
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