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Open Internet: Thank you

President Barack Obama and the FCC did it

Mr. President, "Thank you" was your final message to American people who strongly and massively supported your plan to anchor net neutrality in American traditions, by law. Thank you in return.

- ◆ No more blocking
- ◆ No more throttling
- ◆ No more paid prioritization

We should be proud of you ,for having brought back your great nation to peace and prosperity. Other more qualified fellows will do. Electronic Communication is my sector, that is what I dedicated all my professional life to. I was looking at the pace with which changes were spreading all over world with the incredible strength of new digital ecosystem, wondering how we, professionals of the sector, would handle the situation challenges. At a time everyone was focusing on the famous "last mile" unbundling, I had that incredibly crazy idea to, drop everything, go beyond the last mile and create a totally vertical and future safe simulator of whatever could happen in a modern telecommunication networks, including both network engineering and all managerial issues involved in a the daily conduct of electronic communication business. Seven years I have been fighting for and am just starting to be reasonably satisfied with the results. Three weeks ago, for the first time, working for Chad Regulatory Body (ARCEP-TCHAD), I calculated et valued parts of network components resources , of one of the core operators of the country, Internet access and associated traffic should be charged, and with that were able to calculate the real cost of services related to other applications (VOICE in particular) but also the cost of an Internet megabyte in various situations.

I went carefully through the Open Internet Order ruled by FCC early this year and must express a lot of pride about that organization for excellent reasons they have given when they said some thing like "we have a lot of experience on last mile issues but beyond, concerning network management and interconnection in particular , we need time to observe and learn". Respect.

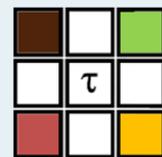
For having deeply investigated the issue raised to justify their prudence about what is going on with-in the core network, I affirm that they are right and have protected core providers ability to continue to invest without harming or delaying the fabulous sector revolution led by edge providers. They also have protected consumers by ruling transparency in such a way that they have all necessary information to make their choice about which provider, which site or which shop they want to access.

In your November 10, 2014 (I have decided to include in my presentations on the subject), I would just suggest that everyone who hear "equal treatment" of all traffics understands "equitable treatment" because of nonlinearity of telecommunication resources granting.

Be sure, Mr. President, that even beyond your last term, many people will continue, based on the FCC ruling on the issue, to fight for the strong and fair principles put forward to be implemented as appropriate, including beyond the last mile. We have started in Africa (French speaking countries) and the expectations are growing fast.



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