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See MCI v. FCC, 515 F 2d 385 (D.C. Circ 1974).

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## STATEMENT ON CRITICAL INFORMATION NEEDS STUDY

Please attribute to an FCC spokesperson:

“The FCC will not move forward with the Critical Information Needs study. The Commission will reassess the best way to fulfill its obligation to Congress to identify barriers to entry into the communications marketplace faced by entrepreneurs and other small businesses.”

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