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FROM THE EDITOR

This issue marks our second contribution to the field of telecommunications and high technology law. The implosion of the stock market over the past few years and the current poor outlook might turn the casual observer in a different scholarly direction. There has never been a better time, however, to enter the realm of telecommunications or high technology law. The dynamic market conditions and tenuous regulatory structure provide ample opportunity to delve into the field.

This issue, by matching the high quality of our first, demonstrates the potential for cutting-edge work in this field. Moreover, it demonstrates that the Journal on Telecommunications & High Technology Law can be counted on to publish such pieces. The articles herein reflect an enormous amount of critical thinking, and provide unique solutions to the myriad of dilemmas facing practitioners and scholars in the field. Because of the fast pace of technological change in this area, there are numerous opportunities for commentators to formulate innovative regulatory frameworks. Our challenge is to “keep up” with the brisk pace of change, and to provide a forum for the most distinguished and intriguing commentators to offer their insight into telecommunications and high technology law.

I would be remiss if I did not mention and thank all of the individuals who assisted both in the production of the issue, and the sustained vitality of the Journal. First, the journal would not exist were it not for the incredible support of the Silicon Flatirons Telecommunications Program. Led by Professor Phil Weiser, whose own contribution is immeasurable, Silicon Flatirons provides the Journal with a solid ground upon which to grow. Our undying gratitude to Professor Weiser, for both personal and professional guidance cannot be expressed, but is a tacit bond each member of our board has with him. I also want to mention the former members of the Journal who laid the foundation for continuing this exciting enterprise.

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We are proud to offer our readers the second installment of the Journal on Telecommunications & High Technology Law, and encouragingly look forward to the continued success of the Journal.

Evan Rothstein
Editor-In-Chief
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