INCOMPAS Brings Together Advocacy and Networking to Build Strong Competitive Ecosystem

For nearly four decades, INCOMPAS, formerly known as COMPTEL, has been the leading advocate for competition across all networks – from fiber and wireless, to streaming services, cloud and edge providers – building an ecosystem that enables all companies in the industry to network and do business.

Their advocacy work continues to be critical, as we seek to preserve, promote and expand competition in order to spur continued innovation, expand customer choice and lower prices. Equally important are the networking opportunities at the annual INCOMPAS show, which offers an economical way for network builder, service providers, and vendors to meet in a single location – saving travel costs and time – seal deals, and discover new, innovative products and services.

The Growing Communications Ecosystem
As the industry has evolved, so have the types of companies INCOMPAS represents. Their membership has grown beyond the competitive long distance, access and local exchange services from their early days to include builders of advanced networks, and internet, streaming, content, communications and technology companies of all sizes.

These companies are catalysts for economic growth. Through their...
One of their highest priorities in 2018 is speeding the deployment of broadband, including fiber, small cells and 5G networks.

During the FCC’s reconsideration of its Open Internet policy framework, and in certain states, INCOMPAS has been the leading voice for consumer unfettered access to the content and services they love. Strong net neutrality policies have brought more choice, faster speeds, and lower prices. Main street businesses are migrating to the cloud in record numbers. INCOMPAS supports the no blocking, no throttling and no paid prioritization rules that were enshrined in the 2015 Open Internet Order. As well as interconnection practices that are just and reasonable. Their members have come together to support the Open Internet based on their common interest in ensuring that consumers have access to this transformational platform.

INCOMPAS plans to challenge the FCC’s repeal of the Open Internet rules and is also working in Congress towards a permanent legislative solution to save net neutrality.

There will be plenty of other items on INCOMPAS’s agenda in 2018. The INCOMPAS Show has historically offered an advantage in providing people with access to more timely and detailed information on policy development than is available in the public docket. INCOMPAS is diligent in holding policymakers accountable for their actions. The INCOMPAS Show or throughout the year with other members – visit www.incompas.org or email info@incompas.org.