

The idea of making providers of public wifi (eg internet cafes, hotels, libraries, some rail operators) responsible for copyright infringement by their users is crazy! It's almost impossible for them to police and they would have to bear the full cost of dealing with the claim. All it will do is create a massive disincentive for anyone to provide public wifi. As a result, we'll see the available public bandwidth shrink significantly. Not a good thing for the nation to become less competitive in this respect as other countries are more and more wired.