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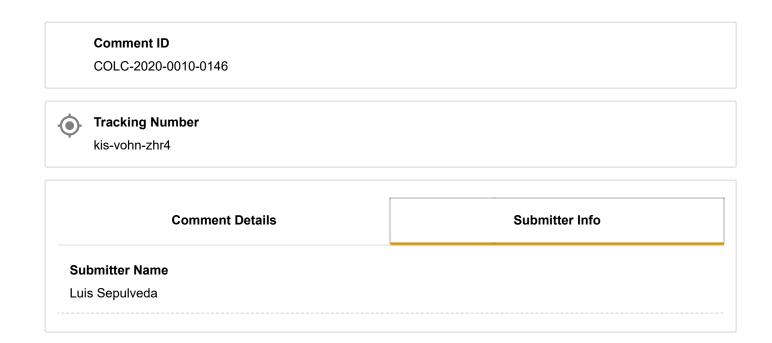
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As technology in the wireless communication has advanced, it has transformed the wireless voice networks of old into purely digital, data-only networks. They are now, for lack of a better term, internet service providers, where the devices used to access this network (phones) operate and have the same capabilities as the traditional internet connected computer. It is time for wireless carriers to accept that they do not own the mobile devices accessing their network. If we don't let traditional internet companies lock our computers to their service, why are we doing it for the wireless companies? Locking a phone to a specific carrier service does not protect any copyrighted works. The phone manufacturers have those protections in place. Wireless carriers have no copyrighted works to protect in providing their service. This needs to stop!! It is time to prohibit the carriers from locking phones to their networks!!



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