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As a consumer and a Microsoft hardware and software user I wish to make a few comments about the settlement.

I have never experienced any anti-competitive practices. I have always had choices of hardware and software products and have never had to make decisions based on any monopoly situation. I have purchased a lot of Microsoft products and other company's products as well. I purchase on the basis of the best match between the features of the various products and my specific needs and benefits from those products. I have never been forced into anything because of lack of choices.

Microsoft's continual marketing of new and innovative products has enhanced my personal and business productivity and has kept the competition continuing their product development to compete in the marketplace. This all works out to the benefit of all consumers.

The recent slide of the US economy began with the Government's attack on Microsoft. A remedy has been proposed that is acceptable to Microsoft and to consumers like myself. Let's activate this remedy now! I guarantee this will mark the beginning of a resurgence in the strength of the American economy!

Good Luck on moving forward on this---we all need it!

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