

Senator **John Kerry** (D-MA) has entered the fray on the proposed deal that would make **MLB Extra Innings exclusively available on DirecTV**

. In a statement issued by Kerry he said he "intends to seek answers from the FCC."

A <u>hearing in the Commerce, Science & Eamp; Transportation Committee</u> takes place tomorrow to address the issue.

Kerry added, " I'd like to know how this serves the public - a deal which will force fans to subscribe to DirecTV in order to tune in to their favorite players. A Red Sox fan ought to be able to watch their team without having to switch to DirecTV. & Quot;

If you have an opinion on the DirecTV deal, make sure and register in the Biz of Baseball forums and comment within this thread.

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