

January 31 2002

Dear Sir,

I wish to get record as being behind a "Do Not Call" registry 100% and wish you to put through a centralized, national registry. Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Rosemary A. Jones

[Redacted]  
[Redacted] Mel [Redacted]

telemarket either - treat 'em all alike.

I think the do not call registry is a great idea. Would someone like me have to renew the request every year (ah, the paperwork!) or would one request do it?

I don't think someone registering not to have these calls would end up buying a product; I don't see how it would affect sales since the person receiving an unwanted call doesn't buy anyway (I hang up!).

I don't think a person's info; i.e. telephone #, address, account #s belong to anyone to have at it for marketing. Directories exist for the convenience of telephone subscribers, not marketers. I also do not like my accounts being on the Internet without my consent + that happens a lot.

Thanks, Carol Perry

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CAROL A. JORY

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~~██████████ KS ██████████~~

PS

I would suggest that unwanted communication wouldnt be included in the first Amendment. They have the right to communicate, I have the right to refuse their communication too + how does one refuse to some persistent telemarketing company? I also have the right to privacy - to not be pestered by them.

I hope Mr. Murie privacy initiative prevails, + that it also includes the internet (The National Heritage Foundation cheerily told me by mail I can access my account on the internet - + I sent back their letter to get the info off the internet not in a very pleasant reply!).

Consent is all important + ignored. You are giving us the opportunity to object, refuse which isn't done very much today, is it?  
Thanks again Jory  
C.A. Jory

Dear FTC,

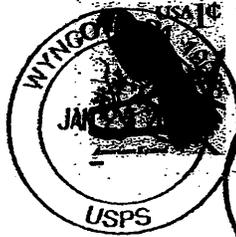
Please include  
my name in the list  
of "Do not Call"

DR. SIMON JOSEPH

[REDACTED]

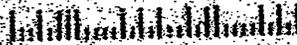
[REDACTED], N.J. [REDACTED]

Thank you.



FTC, Office of the Secretary  
Room 159, 600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW  
Washington, D C 20580

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Jan. 25, 2002

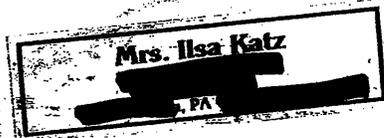
Gentlemen:

I'll be delighted to be left alone by all telemarketers, including those of charities.

I already give to those I know and want to support. I hope you'll get that "do-not-call" list.

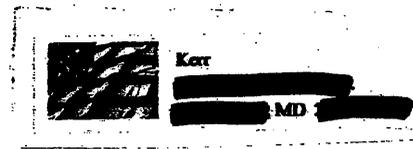
Very truly yours,

Ilsa R. Katz



*Ilsa R. Katz*

January 30, 2002



[Redacted]  
[Redacted], MD

Office of the Secretary  
Room 159 Federal Trade Commission  
600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW  
Washington D.C. 20580

RE: DO NOT CALL LIST

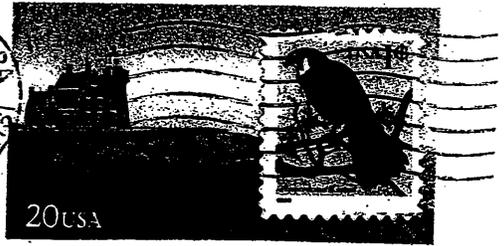
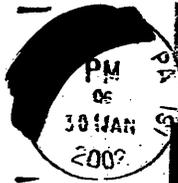
Dear sirs:

Please, put into ~~effect~~ the DO NOT CALL LIST. We are so tired of being harassed by telemarketers. We have resorted to paying Verizon \$5.00 a month to have Call Intercept on our phone. This restricts unknown caller/unknown number calls from reaching our phone. The companies that do show up on our Caller ID, however, *still* get through to our phone. These steps were taken when the calls were up to 3-5 a day, even some on Sundays. Why should we have to pay for these services to enjoy peace and solitude in our own home?

Please, take our comments into consideration when deciding this matter. We appreciate your time and efforts regarding this solution.,

Sincerely,

Rudy and Carolyn S. Kerr  
(Mr. & Mrs.)



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 Room 159  
 600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW  
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"Telemarketing Rulemaking. Comment  
 FTC File No. R411001."

Please make them stop calling  
 us! DO AWAY WITH TELEMARKETING

Joseph Klingner

[Redacted]  
 [Redacted], PA.



Federal Trade Commission  
 Office of the Secretary, Rm 159  
 600 Pennsylvania Ave, NW  
 Washington, DC 20580

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Dear Mrs. Secretary,

[Redacted], MD.  
 Jan. 30, 2002

I wish to make a few comments re-  
 garding the 'Do Not Call' Plan.

It is a wonderful idea to have one  
 central registry, since my individual  
 call to eek Tele marketer has not  
 stopped the calls. Calls have been increasing  
 in frequency and length during the last  
 decade. We need to  
 stop this intrusion  
 at evening time.

Sincerely,  
 Herbert K. Kobayashi  
 Herbert K. Kobayashi

[Redacted]  
 MD  
 [Redacted]

January 26, 2002

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Office of the Secretary  
**Room 159**  
600 Pennsylvania Ave., NW  
Washington, DC 20580

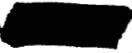
Dear Secretary:

**This** letter is written in support of the **FTC** proposal for a national telemarketing "do not call" list. Over the **last** several years, the volume of these calls has grown steadily. We now receive at our home about 7 calls/day. Calls disrupt dinner most nights. Calls are received later in the evening, up until 10:00 pm. Calls now are received on Saturday and even Sunday. It is more than **an** annoyance; it is an invasion of privacy.

I have signed up for several "do not call" lists, but the volume keeps increasing. We are considering turning off our phone for **certain** hours, but we don't want to **miss important** call from our family. Please push this proposal quickly.

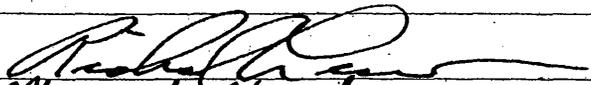
Sincerely,

  
Gordon Kuhn

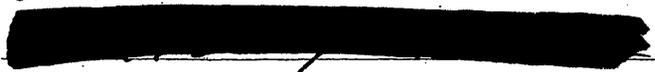
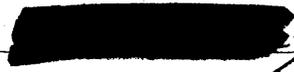
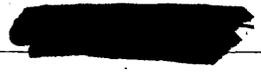
PA 

2/02/02

If we would love to be on  
a national "NO call list".  
Let's create one.  
This is years overdue!

  
Margot H. Lewin

Richard Lewin

  
 NH 



### Proposed National "DO NOT CALL" Registry Amendment to the Telemarketing Sales Rule



## Your Opportunity to Comment

Whether you are a consumer or represent a business, the FTC wants your opinions about the proposed changes to the Telemarketing Sales Rule, including its proposal to create a national "do not call" registry.

You can submit your comments by sending an email to [comment@ftc.gov](mailto:comment@ftc.gov) or by writing to the Office of the Secretary, Room 159, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20580. For a list of more detailed questions, please refer to the Proposed Rule.

Comments will be posted. All comments that the FTC receives on the proposed amendments to the Telemarketing Sales Rule will be posted on the FTC website. E-mail addresses and phone numbers of individual commenters will be removed before posting.

In addition to any general comments on the proposed TSR changes, the FTC is interested in your comments on the following questions:

(a) How long should a telephone number remain on the national "do not call" registry?  
*UNTIL IT IS NO LONGER IN SERVICE*

(b) Who should be permitted to request that a telephone number be placed on the "do not call" registry? Should requests from the line subscriber's spouse or adult child(?) be permitted? Should third parties (outside the FTC) be permitted to collect and forward requests to be put on the "do not call" registry?  
*YES*

*YES*

(c) What security measures are appropriate and necessary to ensure that only those people who want to place their telephone numbers on the "do not call" registry can do so? Should consumers be able to verify that their numbers have been placed on the registry? If so, how?  
*IT WOULD BE NCCG, 2) I DON'T KNOW HOW.*

*I DON'T KNOW*

(d) Should the "do not call" registry be an "all or nothing" option or should it instead allow consumers to specify the days or time of day that they are willing to accept telemarketing calls?  
*ALL OR NOTHING*

(e) The proposed rule would permit consumers or donors who place their name and telephone number on the "do not call" registry to provide express verifiable authorization to specific sellers or organizations to make calls to them. How will this requirement affect those entities with which a consumer or donor has a pre-existing relationship?  
*I DON'T KNOW.*

### General Questions for Comment:

Please provide comment, including relevant data, statistics, consumer complaint information, or any other evidence, on each different proposed change to the Rule. For each proposed modification that you suggest, please include answers to the following questions:

(a) What is the effect (including any benefits and costs), if any, on consumers?  
*AN END TO THE SOURCE OF TELEMARKETING!!*

(b) What is the impact (including any benefits and costs), if any, on individual firms that must comply with the Rule?  
*I DON'T CARE.*

(c) What is the impact (including any benefits and costs), if any, on industry?  
*I DON'T CARE.*

ROMAN LOTSBERG  
VA

*ALREADY  
I HAVE ELIMINATED ALMOST ALL CALLS BY CURRENT  
THREATENING TO SUE (IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CURRENT LAW. AM*

(d) What changes, if any, should be made to the proposed Rule to minimize any cost to industry or consumers?

(e) How would each suggested change affect the benefits that might be provided by the proposed Rule to consumers or industry?

(f) How would the proposed Rule affect small business entities with respect to costs, profitability, competitiveness and employment?

ROMAN LOTSBERG

[REDACTED], VA [REDACTED]

*[Handwritten Signature]* Feb 2, 2002

1/27/02

WE WHOLEHEARTEDLY  
SUPPORT THE FTC'S PROPOSAL  
FOR A NATIONAL DO-NOT-CALL  
LIST.

THE TELEMARKETING INDUSTRY  
NEEDS TO HAVE STRICTER LIMITS  
ON THEM TO CUT DOWN THE  
NUMBER OF UNWANTED CALLS  
BEING RECEIVED BY CONSUMERS.

THANK YOU.

EDWARD LUTMAN

~~& John~~

THERESA KERN

Theresa Kern

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED], PA [REDACTED]

Jan. 30/02

From: Edward Mack

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] .KA [REDACTED]

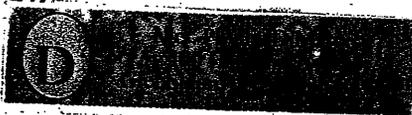
To: Federal Trade Commission

Subj: Telemarketing

While I get provoked with the subject callers especially at meal time (and lately one at 10 PM), I am primarily upset by their use of my FAX line.

Last summer, while visiting in Colo, I found the floor under the FAX machine covered with messages for free cell phones and managed care etc.

When you phone to get your Fax # off their list, all you get is a busy signal.   
EJM



2/4/2002

Telemarketing  
Rulemaking -  
Comment FTC  
File No. R411001

Dear Sirs,

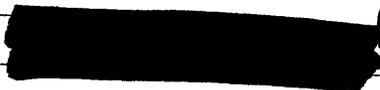
Please put me on the  
list "Do Not Call"  
from the consumers list.

I would really appreciate  
it!

Thanking you in  
advance,

Sincerely,

Phyllis R. Marco



1/28/02

Dear FTC:

You have my full support to implement your proposed change in the Telemarketing Sales Rule. The "Do Not Call List" would greatly reduce the unwanted calls I receive.

In the past I have instructed those callers to remove me from their telephone data base and stop calling me. They continue to call me.

Please implement your plan A.S.A.P.

Very truly yours

Herbert Martin

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] PA [REDACTED]



*From the Desk of*  
**Susan Maynard**

## **Memorandum**

**To:** Office of the Secretary, Room 159  
Federal Trade Commission  
600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20580

**Date:** February 6, 2002

**Subject:** Newly Proposed "Do Not Call" Telemarketing Registry

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Dear Sir or Madam,

My husband and I were delighted to hear about the "Do Not Call" registry that is being proposed by the FTC. Like many other people, there have been times, mostly during the evening dinner hour, that we have been ready to pull the hair out of our heads with telemarketing call after telemarketing call after telemarketing call. So many unsolicited calls as a matter of fact, that we often feel as though we are becoming hostages to the answering machine connected to our telephone. I won't even go into the lack of manners that the majority of telemarketers possess. Something has to give, please!

Whatever it takes, we are here to sign up to eliminate the unwarranted telephone calls once and for all. Thank you for all that you are doing to look into this matter.

Sincerely,

*Susan and Fred Maynard*

**Susan and Fred Maynard**

VA

[REDACTED] MD  
January 31, 2002

Office of the Secretary  
Room 159, Federal Trade Commission  
600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW  
Washington, DC 20580

Gentle people:

Hardly a day **goes** by when I do not **get** at least one call from what I assume is a telemarketer. Profoundly hard of hearing, I have a TTY phone, and when I answer by typing "Hello, GA," whoever is calling (I suspect in most cases a machine) hangs up. Infrequently, I am able to run a recorded voice message advising that it is a TTY line and one must either use a TTY or the Relay Service. On the rare occasion when someone actually calls back via Relay, it is someone I know. I receive far more of these "anonymous" calls than calls via Relay. Needless to say I find the calls very annoying; I have to get up and go to my one phone (TTYs are too expensive to have two) to find no one is there. Even if a telemarketer were to call via Relay, I would refuse to talk to them, as I have been so aggravated by the years-long inconvenience they have caused. It is about time they realized they are not only wasting my time, but their own, dialing my number.

Sincerely,

Robert J. McCarthy

John H. McCutcheon

PA

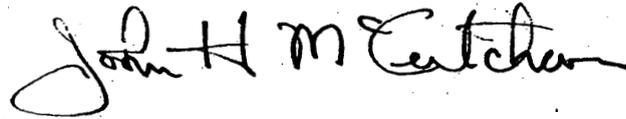
February 1, 2002

FTC Office of the Secretary  
Room 159  
600 Pennsylvania Ave., NW  
Washington, D.C. 20580

Dear Sirs:

I am very much in favor of the proposal for national telemarketing do not call list. I very much resent having my telephone used by solicitors peddling their wares for products I don't need or want. I greatly hope that this proposal will come to fruition.

Sincerely,



JOHN F. McGRATH

[REDACTED]  
PENNSYLVANIA [REDACTED]

Thursday, January 24

Dear Gentlemen

interesting article  
in the paper about the new  
law on telemarketing. It's  
long over due. I like to  
mention that I have a tele  
marketer that calls me  
during the day I have  
caller id. a few months ago  
they called me while I was  
at home. The phone rang  
I said hello, they never  
answered. The phone number  
is [REDACTED] 7 for your  
records.

I know these calls can cause  
problems junk mail is another  
problem when ever I get  
junk mail I ~~A~~ in the  
waste basket.

Like to here your  
comment.

Sincerely  
yours  
Dale Swartz

PA  
31 Jan 2002

Dear Federal Trade Commission,

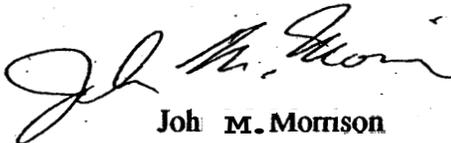
I have head about your proposal for a national "Do Not Call" registry, and wish to register my strong support for such a program.

If telemarketers were private individuals, many would qualify as stalkers. For many years I, and the people I know, have been harassed by them. Requests to take my name off their lists are routinely ignored; I keep track of some of the more flagrant violators.

I hope also that laws will be enacted to put some teeth into this proposal. We have learned that we cannot trust the ethics of telemarketers to stay on the straight and narrow. For example, I hope that Caller ID blocking would become illegal for any representative of a marketing company— most come through as "Unavailable" right now.

If there is anything more I can do to help this proposal become law, please do not hesitate to contact me. I applaud your work in this and in other areas.

Sincerely,



Joh M. Morrison

February 5, 2002

Mr. & Mrs. William Murray

To the FTC

Proposal for a national telemarketing do -not-call-list

I find it very annoying to be bothered with all the telemarketing calls that I receive on a daily basis.

I am tired of being harassed it's such a nuisance to have to put up with this annoyance.

Please pass the bill for the do not call list,

Sincerely,

*Mr. & Mrs. William Murray*

Mrs.. William Murray

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BEATRICE NAFTALIN

WASHINGTON, D. C.

January 30, 2002

Office of the Secretary, Room 159  
Federal Trade Commission  
600 Pennsylvania Ave., N. W.  
Washington, D. C. ,20580

Gentlemen:

Thank you in advance for a national "DoNot Call" registry. We await the day,

It is true that the telemarketers have a constitutionally protected right to communicate.

It is equally true that we have a right not to listen, a right to be left alone.

So far as the industry's concern about losing \$668 billion in sales is concerned, who on earth would buy a product pushed by his tormentor??

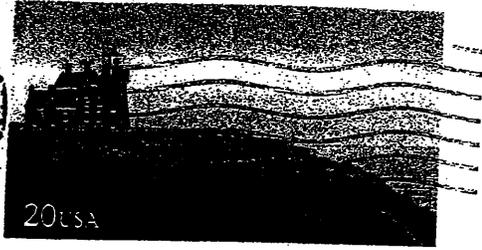
Very truly yours,

  
Beatrice Naftalin

E. NORWITZ

[Redacted address lines]

MD



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In regard to the "Proposed national  
DO NOT CALL Registry. The sooner  
this thing is implemented the  
better I'll like it. Here's what  
I have experienced with the tele-  
marketing business:

2-5-02

- ① Winners are interrupted.
- ② My 94 yr old mom struggles to get up to answer the phone (more times than not she forgets to put her cordless phone beside her on the sofa where she watches TV most of the day) & who is this effort for - you guess it.
- ③ you finally get sit down & relief - ~~then they do again.~~ I say do the public a favor & ~~cancel~~ cancel the Registry.