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February 9, 2002

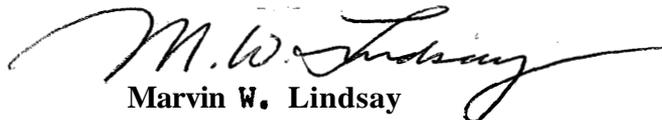
Office of the Secretary
Room 159, Federal Trade Commission
600 Pennsylvania Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20580

To Whom It Concerns:

With regard to the proposed telemarketers "Do Not Call" registry, I am appalled over the plan to have the victims of this invasion of privacy pay the bill for the privilege of not being called. Surely, there will be 10's of thousands of people, such as ourselves, who will refuse to pay a fee (I understand there will be a fee) for the right not to be annoyed. Something akin to the crime world's insurance protection racket. Unfortunately, those who do not sign onto the registry will no doubt get beaten up by the telemarketers through intensified telephone calls assuming they are receptive to this calling,

How about this idea? Let's have the Telemarketing Industry develop a national, computer access listing, of those people who want to be called. If your name is not on the list, you don't get called. There are certainly ways to develop this list and I'm sure the industry has the resources, let's put the onus on those responsible and who supposedly benefit from this irritating intrusion.

Sincerely yours,


Marvin W. Lindsay

Feb. 11, 02

I do not wish to be
called by telemarketers.
Will you please add my
name to the national
registry.



Mrs. James E. Livingston

FL

Thank you,
Mary C. Livingston

Topeka Ks

Febr. 5, 2002

Gentleman:

We are in favor of a Do Not Call national registry. These telemarketers are so persistent and now I find some are recordings too.

It's very annoyosome - it is inconvenient and they are very rude sometimes.

AT&T was calling 2 or 3 times a week & finally one day I said "I really wish you'd quit calling me" & she ask me my name & address (or telephone #). This was a couple years ago & we got off their list but have tried asking politely and others dont comply. Please help.

Sincerely
Jayette Loehr and
John Loehr

S. LONG

[REDACTED], Oh [REDACTED]

2-7-02

In Response to: Tell a Telemarketer

I am a telemarketer. I know sales calls can get very annoying because I too get them.

My point is this, I work with six other people at my job. We do calls for refinancing. Some people ^(THE CUSTOMER) are very rude and insensitive, others are very polite. I work with people that are handicapped and not able to work at any other job, some are on social security and not physically able to work another job. Some have this job because they are furthering their education and the hours and pay fit their schedule. Some of us can no longer do the physical work we once could do. We are trying to make a living and feed our families and pay our bills. At least we are not sitting around collecting welfare. If we lose our jobs we will be in the welfare line - taxpayers will have to pay that also.

Thank you,
Sandra L Long

Feb. 14 - 2002

Dear Sirs,

It has been a great Concern to me + my family being hounded daily, not one time - but about 20 or more times a day with these telemarketers - it has become a major thing in my home, I have a very sick husband - I'm 77 yrs. old - and I can't always run to Answer these foolish calls -

I would appreciate if something is done to have these calls come to a complete stop, before it was always out of the area calls, now they are private calls and I run all the more - This has to stop -

Kindly, I beg - put my name + phone number on this list to Cease these calls.

Thanks very much.
James Waida

[Redacted]
[Redacted] Pa. [Redacted]

[Redacted]

Any help will be appreciated

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] NY [REDACTED]

Telemarketing Rulemaking Comment
F.T.C. File # R411001

This letter is to inform you that we
wish to be put on the national tele-
marketing do-not-call list.

our telephone numbers are -

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Thank you.
Rocco & ROSE MARIE
MAROCCIA

Rose Marie Maroccia,
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] N.J. [REDACTED]

2/11/02

TELEMARKETING RULEMAKING

- COMMENT FTC FILE NO R411001

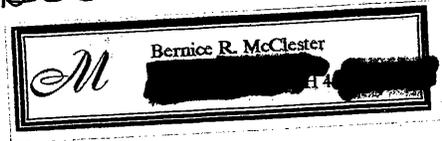
PLEASE REMOVE MY NAME FROM YOUR LISTS
PUT ME ON YOUR DO NOT - CALL - LIST

JOHN H. MIKHALIAN

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] PA [REDACTED] John H. Mikhalian

I vote in favor of
the "Do Not CALL" registry

Bernice McClester



To whom it may concern:

I'm happy to have the privilege
to express my feeling to put
my name on the list for
"Do not call" on the telemarketer
I don't want anything their
selling I don't like to be
pestered. I thank you
Esther M. Conn



Ms. Esther M. McConn



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

Michael McKeough,

PA.

Feb. 1, 2002

Dear FTC,

I am writing this letter to urge your support in helping to pass some type of national telemarketing do-not-call list. My local newspaper The Philadelphia Inquirer, had an article recently that highlighted your search for input, regarding **“Telemarketing Rulemaking - Comment FTC File No. R4110001.”** I cannot tell you how many times I have been interrupted with an inappropriate call from a telemarketer. These **businesses’**s have to be held accountable for their mass-calling campaigns that they have implemented on the national population. If a do-not-call list is the **beginning**, then let it **start** immediately. Thank you for allowing personal input into this matter.

Sincerely,



Michael McKeough

2-6-02

Please put my name on the
Do not Call list.

Mrs Al Meisagal

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Mo [REDACTED]

TO: FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
ROOM 159
600 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. N.W.
WASHINGTON, DC 20580

DATE: February 13, 2002

SUBJECT: TELEMARKETING SALES RULE

1. Establish a toll-free number through which consumers could request to be put on a "do not call list".
2. Do everything possible to deny telemarketers from calling me. I HATE TO ANSWER THE PHONE TO HEAR A PERSON TRYING TO SELL SOMETHING WHICH I CAW NOT SEE, and I do NOT KNOW if the message is true. Stop them from calling me. I can shop where I can see what I will buy. TELEMARKETERS INVADE PRIVACY AND WASTE MY TIME.

Thank you for your consideration,

Joe Miller

[REDACTED], OH [REDACTED]

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Thank you for your consideration,

Anna Miller

[REDACTED], OH [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] PA [REDACTED]
January 31, 2002

Federal Trade Commission
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Gentlemen,

My neighbors and I wish to thank you for considering, and hopefully approving, a proposal for a national telemarketing list to which we will heartily subscribe. We need to eliminate the tremendous number of unwanted calls invading our privacy. These efforts generally duplicate materials offered by other forms of media where we have control over the timing and frequency of presentation. We have no such control over telemarketing calls.

Thank you for this consideration,

Very truly yours,

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PA
February 7, 2002

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Telemarketing Rulemaking – Comment FTC File No. R411001

A national do-not-call list is the best idea to curb unwanted soliciting telephone calls. These calls always come at terribly inconvenient times for me and they even wake me up on Saturday mornings. I have never bought anything over the phone and I'm not going to start now so these calls are nothing but a disturbance in my own home. I know the telemarketers are just doing their job that they need to live, but it seems like enough people do buy things from them so they will not be missing anything by not calling me. If this list is put into place, I will try to be the first person to sign up! Thanks very much for giving people the option to not be disturbed.

Sincerely,

Patricia Mozzoni
Patricia Mozzoni

February 8, 2002

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

Gentlemen:

We support a centralized, national "Do Not Call" registry.

We receive an average of 25 telemarketing calls a week, any time from 7:30 A.M. to 10:00 P.M., Sundays included. To add to these disruptive and nuisance calls is the fact that many times there is no one on the line when you answer. It is our understanding the telemarketers automatically dial four numbers at a time, then talk to the first party that answers, leaving the other three answering "dead" lines.

We pay for telephone services for our own personal use -- not for overbearing, sometimes rude, telemarketers to invade our privacy!

Sincerely,

Lila Myers

Richard and Lila Myers

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Kansas [REDACTED]

FRANK L. NEMEYER

PA

Federal Trade Commission
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Dear Sirs:

Regarding the proposed law that would limit TELEMARKETERS from making unwanted and intrusive phone calls to telephone subscribers.

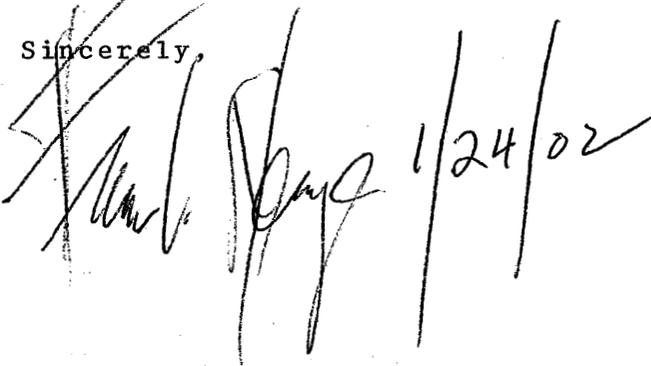
~~I am in complete agreement that there must be control over such activities.~~

Phone calls all during the day from firms seeking to sell something... be it film, land, homes, windows, siding or whatever are very annoying.

If we were a business not a private home, I can accept such phone calls as being useful to business activity. But in a home it has no place.

We did not undertake the monthly cost of having a phone for some distant and unwanted merchadiser to frequently call selling something or other that we do not "want" nor "need".

Sincerely,

 1/24/02

[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted], D.C., [Redacted]
February 19, 2002

Office of the Secretary
Room 1159
Federal Trade Commission
600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20580

Dear Staff:

I am writing to add my voice to those of numerous Americans who have steadily lodged complaints about telemarketers. They are not invited to call, are intrusive, and some are extremely nasty in their insistence. They wish to claim protection under the First Amendment; certainly I should have the right that they should not be permitted to invade my privacy. Currently I am the caregiver to my friend who has Stage IV Lymphoma in his right lung. Certainly we both should be assured of peace and quiet in our own domain.

Meaningful legislation regarding this universal and serious problem would be most appreciated. I thank you for your efforts.

Sincerely,
Patricia M. Nesley

No More Telemarketing
Calls To

[REDACTED]

Robert A. Nicolosi
Pauline H. Nicolosi

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] NC

[REDACTED]

No more telemarketing
calls to:

[REDACTED]

Arlene C. Odear

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED], NC

[REDACTED]

February 5, 2002

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Re: Telemarketing Rulemaking
Comment-FTC File #R411001

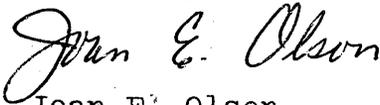
Dear Members of the FTC:

I am writing to lend my strong support to proposed legislation which would prohibit telemarketers from calling homes uninvited. I would like to see legislation where it was presumed no one could call and only if you desired the telemarketers to phone you would you have to call a number to get on the telemarketers' lists.

I abhor being interrupted by telemarketers calls. At times I have been waiting for calls from the hospital with news as to whether someone lived or died. Each time the phone would ring it would be like an arrow piercing my heart. I would run to the phone only to be net by a voice selling roofing materials or basement windows. Needless to say, it was not a happy experience.

Thank you for your efforts to ban these calls. I am most grateful.

Sincerely,



Joan E. Olson



PA

[REDACTED], Michigan
February 8, 2002

Dear Sir,

Please do set up a registry to let us get rid of the pesty telemarketers. We do not enjoy their calls and some of them can be downright rude. Please let us have some defense against them. We certainly do not enjoy being bothered at some of our busiest times by some person trying to sell us something. If we are interested in their product we will find them.

Sincerely,
Adam and Ellen Oszust

February 11, 2002

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Federal Trade Commission
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RE: "Do Not Call" Registry

To Whom It May Concern:

I read with great interest about the proposed "Do Not Call" Registry. My family and I definitely support this idea and would do whatever possible to have this proposal become a reality.

While I realize that the person on the other end of the phone is just doing his/her job – I cannot tolerate these people calling me in my home at night during family time. They've even been known to call late and on weekends.

So please count this letter as one in support of the proposed Registry.

Sincerely,

The Pasciolla's

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED], NC [REDACTED]