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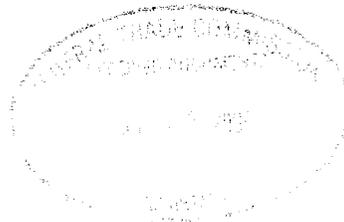
Congressional Liaison
Federal Trade Commission
600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Room 404
Washington, District of Columbia 20580

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am referring the enclosed inquiry from my constituent, Matthew Young, regarding proposed business opportunity rule to your office.

My constituent would appreciate your careful consideration of these remarks, and your thoughts on what remedies there are for this situation. Please respond directly to him and send a copy to me.

The Honorable Bill Nelson
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510
Attention: Julie Stuart



I thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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Constituent

Young, Matthew

Phone:

Email:

Web Mail Message

Web Mail Subject: Proposed "Business Opportunity" Rule

Contact type:

issue

Comments:

Hello Senator Nelson,

My name is Matt Young. I am an Independent Associate of Pre-Paid Legal services, Inc and I live in your district. I am writing today about the FTC's proposed "Business Opportunity" rule (16 CFR Part 437).

I have been with Pre-Paid Legal for 9 months. I am concerned because I believe this rule would have a negative effect on my home-based business and my full time income.

The FTC would require a seven-day waiting period before new Associates can sign up as a Pre-Paid Legal sales Associate.

The FTC would require me to provide the names and telephone numbers of the 10 nearest prior purchasers of the "Business Opportunity" to all potential Associates.

The FTC would require me to provide a list of lawsuits filed against the company going back 10 years.

While the FTC's proposal might be well-intentioned, I believe it is ill-conceived. Please contact the FTC and stop this proposed rule.

Sincerely,
Matt Young

Subject:

Proposed "Business Opportunity" Rule