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I Am in full support of A LAW giving  
me the right to my contact lens Rx.

I should have rights as to where  
I buy lenses and if someone offers  
better price & service I should have the  
power to choose.

Thank You

Cindy Barth.

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I support the law which  
gives me the right to my  
contact lens prescrip<sup>t</sup>or

I want the freedom to  
buy my contact lens where  
I choose to

Thank you  
Rebecca Morris

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I support the new Contact Lens Law!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lorraine". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the "L" and "O" being particularly prominent.

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Dear Secretary of the FCC

I am writing to voice my support for the law which gives me the right to my contact lens prescription and the freedom to buy my lenses where I choose. I firmly believe that this law supports our basic principle of freedom of choice.

I have been fortunate over the past year in obtaining my prescription and am hopeful that this will not change.

Sincerely,  
Aaron July

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April 4, 1987

To Those Concerned:

Please be advised that I strongly support the law which gives people the right to their contact lens prescription. Possession of the prescription allows me to buy contact lenses at competitive prices from a seller of choice. Isn't this capitalism at its best? There's no room for the doctor's monopolistic privilege.

Thank You.  
Sincerely yours,  
Tilly P. Dugay

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I support the Fairness to Contact Lens Consumers Act of 2003.

As a contact lens wearer, I should have the same rights as those who wear eyeglasses. I cannot afford to have my prescription withheld unless/until I pay for yet another visit to the doctor.

Sincerely



Ms. Ann Parker

FL

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Ann M. Parker

Sincerely  
A Confused

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I support the new law. I want the freedom to buy my constituents wherever I went.

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PLEASE protect my right to shop  
around and purchase my contact lenses from  
a retailer of my choice. For YEARS I  
paid an outrageous amount for my lenses until  
the market opened up

This YEAR my eye doctor tried to convince  
me NOT to get my lenses from anyone but  
his office. I will be changing my eye M.D.  
due to the same. Do not let eye practitioners

Please do not print below this line force <sup>or</sup> ~~not~~ to purchase  
their lenses

Dear Ted Trade Com.,

I feel everyone should have  
the right to obtain their contact  
lens Rx & take it anywhere  
they wish to get it filled.  
Freedom of choice should  
be a no brainer of thinks.

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John Gifford

FTC,

I support the "Fairness to Contact Lens Consumers Act of 2003" which provides me the right to my contact lens prescription.

Buying my contact ~~lenses~~ <sup>lenses</sup> should be easy & convenient & most importantly I should be able to buy them whenever I want. - Michael Han CT

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Hello I Have worn Contact Lenses For  
Many Year I am very Much in Support  
OF a Law Which Gives Me The right To  
My Lens Prescription. I want The Buying  
OF My ~~lens~~ Lenses to Be easy & Convenient  
& I want The Freedom to Chose Where I  
Buy them. Thanks For Listening &

Your Time

Andrew Kausali, K

Co

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I support the law giving me the right to obtain my contact lens prescription. It should not be an issue with my doctor as it has been in the past.

Alice M. Fay

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To Whom it may Concern:

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## **GREENING**

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I support the law which gives  
me the right to my contact  
lens prescription. It is  
important to me that I have  
the freedom to choose where to  
buy my contacts. Thank you,

Nancy J Watts

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F.T.C.

I support the law which  
gives me the right to have  
my contact lens prescription

Thank you.

Sharon Held

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I understand that in 2003 a law was passed that requires  
an eye doctor to provide a copy of my contact lens  
prescription to me. I want to go on record that I am  
in favor of this law. I myself have never had a  
problem getting my prescription, so I assumed it  
to be my right. This law is very important. Some  
eye doctors charge twice as much as others,  
or twice as much as mail-order companies for  
lenses. I want the right to purchase my lenses  
from the source of my choice. I use independent  
lensers, so there is absolutely no reason for  
me to buy my lenses through an optician  
since most of them sell Contact Lens  
Manufacturers like CP 2003.

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Sincerely  
Maggie Black

To Federal Trade Commission:

I support the law that gives  
me the right to my contact  
lens prescription.

I want the freedom to choose  
where I buy them.

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It is important to have the ability to access my contact lens prescription. I support this law. It should be my choice on where I purchase my lenses. I have had trouble in the past with outrageous contact markups. In order to receive my prescription, I was forced to pay over 75% <sup>more</sup> than other companies. I believe it is important to have access to my prescription to choose where I purchase.

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April 3, 2004

To Whom It May Concern,

I support the new contact lens law. I find purchasing lenses from the eye doctor cost me 30% more & they may not have them in stock. Using an outside source is less expensive & less of a hassle.

Thank you,

Jayna Kaysen

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I have been wearing 4/3/04

Contact lenses for 25 years.

I have spent a large sum  
of money upgrading and  
maintaining my lenses. It  
is very important that I have  
freedom of choice and the right  
to my ~~prescription~~ Maryland Phim

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I support the law which gives me  
the right to my contact lens prescription.

I want the freedom to choose  
where I buy my contact lenses.

Diane Cirino

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PM 102  
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Please know I support the  
new contact lens law that gives  
me the right to my contact  
lens prescription. Please don't  
take our rights from us.

Sincerely,  
Lorraine Ruke

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I like my eye Dr. He's been good  
to me that's why I kept him  
when I moved 55 miles away.

That's also why my contacts  
are off and I don't have to go to the optometrist  
as convenient. I prefer now disposables.  
Very clean. No time to go to school and  
wash them off. I just take them off

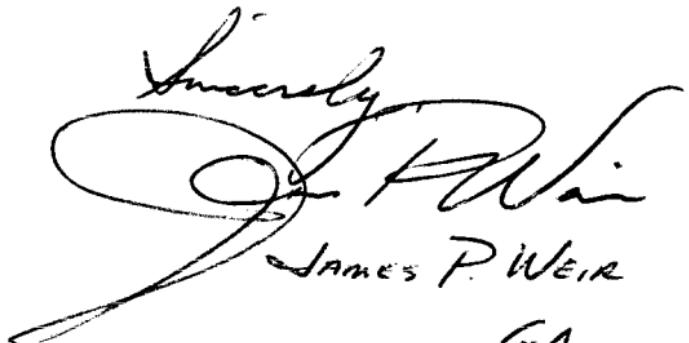
and put them in my case and  
put them in my mouth. I just  
wash them off in the morning  
and put them in my mouth.

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I support the new Contact Lens  
law. It is important that  
I shop for my lenses because  
I have no insurance. I had  
to pay recently to obtain  
my prescription - that is wrong  
especially since my eye exam  
cost me a lot. Sincerely Zoya Van Every

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I appreciate my ability to purchase  
contact lenses from whomever I choose.

Sincerely,  
  
James P. Weir  
EPA

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I support the law giving me the  
right to a copy of my contact  
lens prescription. The last time  
I had trouble with the doctor sending  
the prescription out - they claimed they  
could wait a week before I open

Chris & wife

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To Whom It May Concern at the FTC:

I support the Fairness to Contact Lens Consumers Act of 2003 and want the freedom to buy my lens where I decide.

In college during finals, I lost a lens and my home eye care provider refused to give me my prescription so I could get a replacement quickly in my college town.

Please enforce this new law fully.

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Eleanor Ord

I WISH TO RETAIN MY RIGHT TO  
OBTAIN MY PRESCRIPTION WHENEVER I  
GET AN EYE EXAMINATION.

THANK YOU,

CHRIS SMITH

M.D.

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I support the law which gives me the right to copy contact lens prescription & I want buying my cases to be easy & convenient choosing where I will buy them.

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My husband and support the law that gives us the right to fill our contact lens prescriptions where we choose. My doctor's office charges me \$18.00 more for exactly the same lenses I can buy elsewhere. I get no extra service for this charge.

Sincerely,  
Sandra Coats

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Dear Federal Trade Commission, I support the law which gives me the right to purchase my contact lenses wherever I want to. I had a terrible experience at an eye doctor's office in Houston. After my extensive checkup with my ophthalmologist, I asked for my contact lens prescription. My doctor refused to give it to me and said he does not give the patients the prescription because he wants you to pick them up from him personally so that he can make sure they fit correctly. I explained that I was from out of town and under my husband's insurance I had to go to a Houston doctor. I told him that it was more convenient for me to purchase my lenses locally or on-line. He refused! My visit with him was a waste of my time (he ended up not

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charging me for the visit). I had to make an appointment with another doctor to get my prescription. I should be able to get my lenses anywhere, just like I can get my glasses anywhere.

4-04-04

FTC

I want you to know that I support the Fairness to Contact Lens Consumers Act of 2003. It has given me the freedom to obtain Contact Lenses at a savings to me.

J. Dorothy Palay

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3/22/04

DEAR SIRS OR MESSAMES -

I APPROVE THE PRESENT FEDERAL  
LEGISLATION GIVING CONTACT LENS  
USERS THE RIGHT TO THEIR PRE-  
SCRIPTIONS. I OPPOSE ANY EFFORT  
BY OPTOMETRISTS TO IMPAIR THIS  
RIGHT FOR THEIR OWN BENEFIT.

WESLEY S. CALDWELL, III

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I support the law which gives me  
The right to my contact lens  
prescription. After all they are  
my eyes, & therefore the prescription  
is mine. My lenses purchased from  
1-800-contact is about  $\frac{1}{2}$  of what my  
doctor sells them for. Doctors are  
making too much money these days!

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John Urey

Federal Trade Commission  
I support the laws  
that gives me the right  
to my contact lens  
prescription...

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March 19, 2004

Dear F.T.C. -

I support the "Fairness to Contact Lense Consumers Act of 2003, which gives me, a contact lens wearer, the right to a copy of my own contact lens prescription w/ out additional charge, waivers or any conditions. I travel a lot & must be able to easily obtain my prescription and I prefer to shop around for the best prices & do not always want to buy my lenses from my eye doctor. Give me the same rights as glasses wearers, please!

Mary Wiseman

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AZ

I support the law giving consumers  
the right to their contact lens  
prescription.

Freedom of choice in purchasing lenses  
is important.

I thought I had to purchase lenses  
at the DRS office. I then took the  
RX information off the lens packages  
and ordered them elsewhere at a lower  
price.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,

I SUPPORT THE LAW WHICH GIVES ME THE  
RIGHT TO MY CONTACT LENS PRESCRIPTION.

I WANT TO BUY MY LENSES WHERE I  
CHOOSE TO.

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Please continue to allow consumers  
free access to their contact/eyeglass  
Prescriptions.

Thanks!

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Dear Federal Trade Commission

PLEASE SUPPORT THE LAW WHICH  
GIVES ME THE RIGHT TO my CONTACT  
LENS PRESCRIPTION AND GIVES ME  
THE FREEDOM TO CHOOSE WHERE  
I BUY THEM —

THANK YOU

Bernard Saltonstall

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ETC:

I HAVE BEEN DENIED MY  
CONTACT LENS PRESCRIPTION FROM  
DR. ERIC KNIGHT - WEST ALLIS, WI

I SUPPORT THE LAW THAT GIVES  
ME THE RIGHT TO MY LENS PRESCRIPTION

cjohnson@ppslcc.net

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Craig

I support the new Contact lens law.  
It is important to me that I have the  
freedom to purchase my lenses from  
the retailer of my choice.

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Federal Trade Commission  
When - not contacts I thought  
I had  
my eye doctor.  
Paying \$120 for 8 lenses so I  
had to only change the ones  
every 6 months instead of the  
recommended | each 3 mths. Now  
I can change more than recomme,  
due to decreased prices. Now  
I don't have to damage my eyes  
to see. Please pass the bill. ~~Wade Edwards~~

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SUPPORT THE LAW WHICH GIVES ME  
RIGHT TO MY OWN CONTACT LENS  
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CHOOSE WHERE I BUY THEM.

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To whom it may concern:

I support the law that gives me the right to a free copy of my contact lens prescription. I want the freedom to choose where, how, and from who I purchase my contact lenses.

Please uphold my freedom of consumer choice.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Anne Amoo

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I definitely support the Contact Lens Law.  
It is our right to purchase our lenses  
in the way we prefer to do so.

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etc.

- 1) I support 100% the law which gives me the right to my contact lens prescription.
- 2) I want buying my lenses to be easy & convenient, while maintaining the freedom to choose where I buy them.



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I support the law giving me  
the right to my contact lens script  
and requiring the eye doctor to  
give it to me at no charge.  
I have always exercised my free-  
dom to get my contacts where I  
choose; I want the FTC to support  
my freedom.

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I feel as a consumer, I have  
the right to buy my contacts  
from who ever I want. and  
I do not feel I should have  
to pay an inflated price for  
Contact len , from my eye doctor.

Sincerely

Lori Jaffuto

3/22/04

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April 3 2004

DEAR Federal Trade Commission:

Sir, I support the law which gives me the right to my contact lens prescription. I want the Act of buying my lens to be easy and convenient. I want the freedom to choose where I buy them.

Four <sup>five</sup> members, out of ~~four~~ contact lens wearers, in my family, have had problems being able to buy our lenses because our eye doctor would not release our prescriptions. Thank you for your consideration. Sincerely,

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To Anna Webb

Fed Trade Comm

I am in ~~suppose~~<sup>ISLAND</sup> of the ~~now~~<sup>the</sup> GREETINGS  
gives me the ~~right~~<sup>03 APR 0004</sup> to my Contact  
prescription —  
— take off to choose



prescription  
I want to be able to choose  
from whom I buy my contacts

Donald J. Hetherington, Ph.D.

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Please note that I totally support  
the Contact Lense rule. I have  
in the past paid for the exam  
with a doctor and then had  
to buy contacts from them  
before they would release  
the Rx to me. This does not  
seem fair as I paid for  
the service. Sincerely,

M. Gradias

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I support the new Contact Lens Law. It is important because I have torn or lost my contact lens or lenses and I rely on them. When I asked for a copy of my prescription from my eye doctor there was a big hassle and it took more than a week to obtain it. Also, there have been times when I needed it immediately because I was going on vacation when I called the ~~the~~ 1-800-Contacts they were so understanding and obliging.

Sincerely  
Kathleen Bakdassam

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Dear Gentlemen.

I support the law which  
gives me the right to my  
Contact lens prescription & the  
freedom to choose when I buy  
them.

A few years ago I had to see  
my old optometrist for my prescrip-  
tion. Thankyou O M Bush

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Not providing patients their prescriptions is analogous to not providing patients free & immediate access to their medical records. It is just plain wrong.

Karen Moore

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4-1-04

Dear Sir/Madam:

I support legislation giving consumers the right to their own contact lens prescriptions so that I can purchase my lenses wherever I want. Please put this law in place - it will make my life easier and provide an honest boost to the economy. Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Michael Cenfield

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I support the law which gives me the  
right to my contact lens prescription

I want the freedom to buy lenses where  
I choose to.

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THANK YOU,

James R. Belder  
Kathy D. Belder  
James C. Belder

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Although I have a lot of trust in  
the quality of care I get from my  
doctor, a prescription is never offered,  
I have to ask. But I do know  
my rights and I do request the  
prescription. Do not change the laws.

Elise Pulekowish

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*New York City*  
Please know that my ~~Eye Doctor~~ forces me to sit with her "contact specialist" where contacts are twice as expensive, before giving me a copy of my prescription. Please make this practice illegal by letting the Fairness to Consumer Act of 2003 stand. I am in support of it.

Please do not print below this line. *Thank you.*