

Dear F.T.C Commission

to whom it may concern,

I am writing to express my opposit  
to the changes proposed to telemarketing Sales Rule.  
I work for a telemarketing company that employ  
over 11,000 people across the country.

I am concerned about the impact the  
revisions may have on the company I work for.  
I believe that efforts would be better focused  
on fraud and not the legitimate marketers like  
the one I work for.

Furthermore, Telemarketing mean jobs!  
IF there is a loss of telemarketing jobs  
there will be a domino effect causing jobs  
lost my support people like myself. As a single  
parent, I feel you should reconsider any  
further attempts.

Thank You  
Doreen Muglia

Dear FTC. Commission,

3-11-02

I am writing today to express my opinion to the new Telemarketing Sales rule. I work for a telemarketing Company and I am a taxpayer and I do not believe this rule is necessary to have. Hopefully if I do not lose my job over this new rule if it is passed I do hope I can find another job that pay the way my company does, this telemarketing job I have now helps me take care of my 4 children being that I am a single mother it would be difficult for me to find another job that I can do well in and have a lot of skills towards. I do wish you'd take in consideration of everyone that works for telemarketing (companies) everyday to support there families.

Thank You  
Jennifer North

8 March 2002

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

FTC-02-001  
1/20/02

RE: Telemarketing Rulemaking – Comment. FTC File No. R411001

Dear FTC Commission,

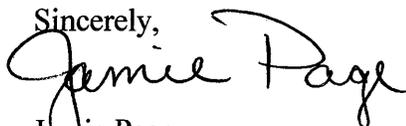
I **am** writing to express my opposition to the changes proposed to the Telemarketing Sales Rule. I work for a telemarketing company, and an industry that employs over 11,000 people across the country. I first started working for this company almost a year ago. I started **as** a telephone representative and was promoted to the position of a supervisor four months later. Working for a telemarketing company has opened many doors for me. I enjoy sales, and through my hard work in training and monitoring the representatives turned out are customer-oriented individuals. These people enjoy what they do, and are good at it. If this Telemarketing Sales Rule is changed not only will this cause my unemployment, but over 11,000 other people! I think that during these times all of us need to stick together and not eliminate a legitimate business.

I **am** aware that many states have a do not call list, and people can sign up to be on that list. The telephone company also has a Caller ID function to keep the privacy of those who do not wish to be solicited. From personal experiences doing sales calls most people are very receptive as long as the customer service is there and if the representative is upfront and honest with the customer. There are convenient ways in existence now to prevent those who do not want to be called not called.

Finally, What will be the cost of all of this? If this goes federal this certainly will cost a lot of money to all of us partial or non-partial; the extra cost would not be fair to a good majority of taxpayers. There will be expenses incurred for having people keep up the list, and all that would be required to go along with it. The loss of the jobs alone will then add to our taxes, as most people would file for unemployment until a new job is found. As taxpayers, don't we pay enough for unnecessary things as it is?

I **am** very against these proposed revisions to the Telemarketing Sales Rule. Yes, some of the fraudulent companies will be put out of business, but many of them won't. What about the legitimate companies like the one I work for? This certainly will put my company out of business. This will affect too many people in a very negative way, when there are many other avenues to take on this issue. Please accept my letter for consideration before implementing any proposal changes.

Sincerely,



Jamie Page

FTC, Office of Secretary

3-11-02

Room 159

600 Pennsylvania Ave, NW  
Washington, DC 20580

RE: Telemarketing Rulemaking -  
Comment FTC File No. R411001

Dear FTC Commission,

I am writing to express my opinion on the changes being proposed to the Telemarketing Sales Rule.

My employer is a telemarketing company who employs over 11,000 people across the country.

I am concerned about the negative effect that this change will have on my company. It will mean a less demand for telemarketers like myself and result in a country-wide loss of jobs. Also, as a taxpayer, I am concerned about where the funds for this will come from. I feel that it is unnecessary and I am not willing to pay additional

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taxes for this proposed change

Once again, I do not feel the proposed revisions to the Telemarketing Sales Rule would benefit anything, I have strong concerns and feelings of opposition about it. These changes will greatly hurt the legitimate telemarketing companies. Please consider my letter before accepting the new proposition.

Sincerely,

Rachel A. Pinciotti

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

RE: Telemarketing Rulemaking-Comment.  
FTC File No. R411001

Dear FTC Commission,

I am writing to express my opposition to the changes proposed to the Telemarketing Sales Rule. I am a mother of 2, who attends college full time. Working a part-time telemarketing job enables me to earn a decent salary, get my school work done, and still have time to spend with my children.

My husband and I are taxpayers, I don't feel we should have to pay for others to be put on Do-Not-Call lists.

The telemarketing company I work for maintains a company Do-Not-call list that is maintained and enforced.

Telemarketing means jobs. For many people, it is a pitstop between jobs for people who have lost a job or have

job. I feel ~~down~~  
down on unemployment. U

Once again, I would like to stress my opposition and concern regarding the proposed revisions to the Telemarketing Sales Rule. I believe these revisions will only hurt the legitimate telemarketing companies and do nothing to combat the fraudulent ones. Please accept this letter for consideration before implementing any of the proposed changes.

Sincerely,

Danielle Puckett  
Dannell W Puckett

RE: OPPOSITION TO PROPOSAL OF  
NATIONAL DO NOT CALL LIST

3/8/02

By Letting The F.T.C decide  
who calls the public. WE ARE giving  
up the right to FREE speech AND  
in effect promoting discrimination.

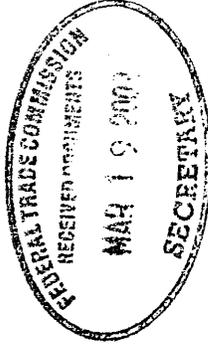
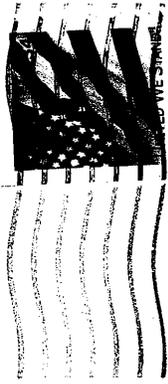
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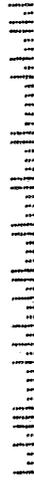
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Roger E. Reeves  
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Washington, DC 20580



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Office of Secretary:

Subject: Telemarketers:

Mr. Secretary:

I was informed to contact your office in regards to telernarketers.

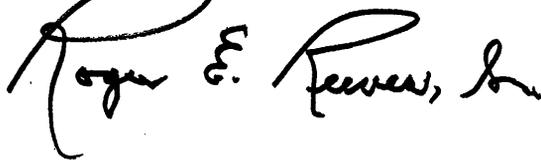
I would like this problem stopped as soon as possible, we receive calls beginning about 8 AM and continues until about 8;30 PM each night. This occurs every day during the week as well as some week-ins.

Any help you may give me will be appfeiciated, as this problem has become a common occurance, especially about dinnertime each evening.

Thank you for yøur help.

Sincerely,

Roger E. Reeves, Sr.



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

RE: Telemarketing Rulemaking Comment, FTC File  
NO. R411001

Dear FTC Commission,

I would like to stress my opposition and concern regarding the proposed revisions to the Telemarketing Sales Rule.

I work for a telemarketing company, which maintains a company "DO NOT CALL LIST" that is enforced.

As a sales verifier in the Quality Assurance Department, we strive to provide and maintain accuracy, integrity, reliability and a quality performance as evidence of our dedicated commitment to the client, company and consumers.

I believe these revisions will only hurt the legitimate telemarketing companies and do nothing to combat the fraudulent ones.

Sincerely,  
Albert Santiago

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

RE: Telemarketing Rulemaking-Comment. FTC File No. r411001

Dear FTC Commission,

I am writing to express my opposition to the changes proposed to the Telemarketing Sales Rule. I work for a telemarketing company that employs over 10,000 people across the country, and is an integral part of a BILLION DOLLAR industry.

Our company maintains a company do-not-call list that is strictly enforced and adhered to. As a manager I regularly review our do-not-call procedures with the phone representatives to ensure we are in compliance. I am aware that my company subscribes to the numerous state do-not-call lists as well as the nationwide do-not-call list of the Direct Marketing Association. It seems to me that an additional federal do-not-call list would be a waste of time and money. And it could create problems with names being added erroneously and being cut off from companies consumers wish to purchase from as well as organizations they would want to support. Furthermore, with it being a "free" service, the burden for payment would fall on the taxpayers, and as a taxpayer, I do not believe it is necessary.

I believe that your efforts would be better focused on fraud and not the legitimate marketers like the one I work for. Legitimate telemarketing means legitimate jobs and this bill will mean a loss of legitimate jobs for thousands of Americans, which will lead to rising unemployment and social unrest. I feed and support my family by working for a legitimate telemarketing company and this bill will jeopardize that for me and the thousands employed in the telemarketing industry.

Once again, I would like to stress my opposition and concern regarding the proposed revisions to the Telemarketing Sales Rule. I believe these revisions will only hurt the legitimate telemarketing companies and do nothing to combat the fraudulent ones. Please accept this letter for consideration before implementing any of the proposed changes.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rico P. Terrell Sr.", written over a horizontal line.

Rico P. Terrell Sr.

03/11/02

Dear FTC Commission:

I am writing to you regarding the changes proposed to the Telemarketing Sales Rule. I wish to express my concern regarding these changes, mainly because I feel that one blanket do-not-call list could unnecessarily shut down an entire industry that employs many hard-working individuals. There are many people who do not mind being offered products and services by telephone, and I believe it would be a good idea to focus your efforts on the fraudulent callers and not legitimate marketers like the company that I work for.

In addition, there is a possibility that someone who didn't mind being called would inadvertently be placed on such a list, such as someone who acquired a new phone number that was already on the list.

Please accept this letter for consideration before implementing any of the proposed changes.

Sincerely,  
Carmen Vastola  
Telemarketing Representative

March 8, 2002

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

Dear FTC Commission,

I am concerned about the proposed Telemarketing Sales Rule. This will effect me because I am a single parent that attends school and this is the only way of living to help make ends meet. I work for a telemarketing company and I enjoy what I do. I would like to stress my opposition & concern regarding the proposed revision to the telemarketing Sales Rule. Please accept this letter for consideration. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
Laketa White  
Laketa White

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3/11/02

FTC, Office of the Secretary

Room 159

600 Pennsylvania Ave; NW

Washington, DC 20580

RE: Telemarketing Rule making - Comment. FTC

File No. R411001

Dear FTC Commision,

I am writing to express my opposition to the changes proposed to the Telemarketing Rule. I believe that your efforts would be better focused on fraudulent companies, not the legitimate marketers like the one I work for. I work for a telemarketing that employs 11,000+ people nationwide. We call for well known clients, that people deal with in their household daily. Obviously, the clients must think we are a reputable company with Good Quality Assurance or we wouldn't be calling for them. Telemarketing means wide job market for those in between careers. If there is a loss of telemarketing jobs there will be a domino effect causing the unemployment rate to skyrocket. 9/11 has happened already lets not let history repeat itself. Asing le mom like myself depends on my job, the only source of income and no government assistance at all. I am

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now expecting my second child will be attending college in the fall so a full eight hour job disables me to pick my son up from school and have a small infant without the second parent being a dative. My job is very valuable to me. I love working in marketing, which is also my major in school. This nationwide do-not-call list is going to be created by the government right? So how much is it going to cost to enforce it? How much of tax payers dollars goes toward this? I work so hard for my money to wisk it down the drain for something thats not making my job easier.

Once again I stress my opposition about the Telemarketing Rule. I believe the revisions will only hurt the legitimate telemarketing companies and do nothing to combat fraudulent ones.

Please accept this letter for consideration before implementing any of the proposed changes.

Sincerely

Archea Williams

CAW

Cathey Woodham

[REDACTED], LA [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

March 07, 2002

Office of the Secretary Federal Trade Commission  
Room 159, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20580

Dear Sir,

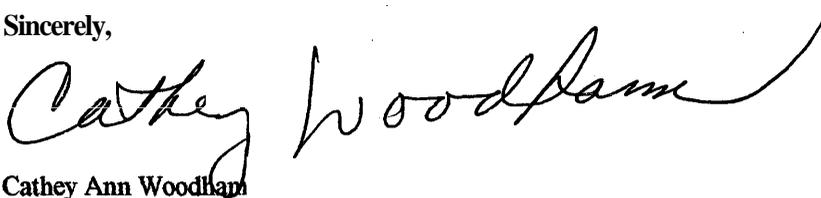
Telemarketing means jobs available to many people who are unable to participate in more traditional jobs.

In addition, the amount of donations contributed by individuals should not be the concern of the federal government in any way, shape or form. Generosity and kindness to others should not be regulated.

What should be in place are standards that the fundraising organization should meet and they should be receive certification, but on a local level.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Cathey Ann Woodham

March 8th, 2002

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

Re: Telemarketing-Comment FTC File# R411001

Dear FTC Commission,

I am writing to express my opposition to the changes proposed to the Telemarketing Sales Rule. I work part-time at a telemarketing job to help make ends meet.

Our company maintains a do-not-call list that is enforced. I have been instructed by my supervisor on how to handle and honor do not call requests. I believe that your efforts would be better focused on fraud and not the legitimate marketers like the one I work for.

Once again, I would like to stress my opposition and concern regarding the proposed revisions to the telemarketing Sales Rule. Please accept this letter for consideration before implementing any of the proposed changes.

Thank You,

Laurie Wright  
LAURIE WRIGHT  
TELEMARKETER

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[Redacted]  
[Redacted] LA. [Redacted]

March 11, 02.

Dear Senator Landrieu,

My husband Colonel Joseph D. Wright is a retired Air Force veteran of W.W.II with 36 years of service. When he entered the military he signed a written contract for a \$10,000 life insurance policy. He maintained the policy throughout his service and into his retirement. He paid his premiums regularly and did not borrow from the policy. On Jan. 16, 1971 the Department of Veterans Affairs arbitrarily reduced his policy to \$5000. without his consent. Reason given was, "Reduced Modified Life Age 70". If he wanted to maintain the \$10,000 already paid for, he would have to pay double the premiums. He did not reach age 70 until 1986 but the reduction was made in 1971. He retained the policy at \$5000 but it has since increased, with his payments, to \$20,901. He is still minus \$5000 plus earnings he should have received from the original policy.

When he retired he signed another contract requesting that 55% of his retirement pay be withheld for Survivor Benefit Plan (S.B.P.). On Jan. 02, 2002 my husband received a letter from Department of Defense Finance Service stating that the S.B.P. amount to be paid will be reduced to 35% although they are still deducting 55% of his pay. Reason given; because of age (when I reach age 62) and Social Security Offset. Social Security has

nothing to do with the amount of his retirement pay that is still being withheld by the Department of Defense. Not all retired veterans are covered by Social Security. The notice is 20 years too late. I am 82 years old and the Defense Department knows my birth date because I also served as a Naval Officer during W.W.II. This could not occur with a civilian insurance company or any other financial institution. Federal civilian employees do not forfeit any of their entitlement benefits so why do federal agencies continue to discriminate against the retired military?

We were denied medical care, that was promised by the military, for over two years until Tricare For Life was enacted. We thank you for your assistance in making TFL possible

Is there anything that you can do now to help right this pending wrong?

Sincerely,

Marcell Wright

(Mrs. J.D. Wright)

MARCH 11, 2002

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

Dear FTC Commission;

I am writing to oppose the changes to the telemarketing sales rule. I am a taxpayer working part-time as a telemarketer to help make ends meet.

I am not just concerned about myself but other young, single parents without an education or marketable skills. The new changes would adversely affect this population of the work force.

I believe the new changes would hurt legitimate telemarketing companies such as the one that employs me.

Sincerely,  
Brenda K. Wynn

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