

To Federal Trade Commission
Reg: Business Opportunity Rule

We, Prakash & Smita Hegde are Independent Business Owners with the Quixtar opportunity for over 8 years. We have reached the levels of Silver, Platinum, Ruby and now Emerald in the business. Our next goal is DIAMOND in 2007. Smita has been able to quit working and stay at home with our two children and be a fulltime mom, while building the business from home. This business has helped me to enhance my income and soon be my fulltime career, giving me financial freedom in my mid 30s. We love the business as it has made a tighter home team because of common dreams & goals.

We were registered by a friend who lives in Boston. He asked us to go to a meeting in Michigan (where we lived then). We were explained the plan without pressure at the meeting. They gave literature pack and cds to take home and read before making decision. We registered because Quixtar looked good & legitimate to us. When we register people, we do the same thing because it is taught in our entire system.

In fact when prospects get the material on the CD it clearly says in writing and also in voice recording that "no one can guarantee your success" etc and literature pack clearly says the "Average Income of IBOs" in bold letters. To sign up it costs about \$51 (without prod pack) to \$171 (with Product intro pack-recommended). If they decide to cancel the registration, for 180 days their entire money is refunded by Quixtar (no questions asked).

The requirement of a 7-day waiting period

We honestly think that 7-day waiting period is just burdensome and will slow down the IBOs who are building business properly. We understand the intent of this is to curtail fraudulent companies, but Quixtar is legitimate business besides it offers a 100% refund for 180 days. It would severely hurt our business because 7 days is a long period and prospects will forget most of the information they got at the opportunity meeting in seven days.

Quixtar website and the literature pack that we give have enough information to make a quality decision in a 2-3 days max. Besides if somebody is got good potential, he cannot register people who are ready to start right away. It's too much!

The requirement to provide references:

We are uncomfortable giving list of other IBO's Phone numbers & address because we will most definitely lose prospects, who may join elsewhere. I think it's not needed as Quixtar has 100% refund. Besides I don't want my phone number floating around with someone's prospects that we do not know at all. It will violate our privacy. Our prospects get a chance to meet other IBOs at opportunity meetings in Hotel and Product meetings conducted in our homes. This way they can learn from other IBO's experiences.

Requirement to provide a "Litigation List":

Litigation list will only serve one purpose, "Confuse the prospect". When people get confused they do nothing. So we request you to take it out PLEASE!

The requirement for specific earnings disclosures:

We share the SA4400 document in our literature pack with the standard 6-4-2 plan numbers and "Avg IBO income for Active IBOs was \$115". We do not like the idea of having to confuse the prospect with too many over cautious lines, that they get scared Vs motivated. TOO MANY REGULATIONS WILL CHOKE THE BUSINESS.

The requirement for financial substantiation:

We tell people approximately how much we made last year (no exaggeration), if they asked. We don't like to volunteer, as many times prospects perceive this as desperate convincing. Besides if FTC required us to show financial statements of what IBO has made, the new IBOs will have nothing much to show in the beginning of their business. It can be a potential show stopper.

We hope that the FTC will take our comments in to consideration. We really would like to be truly successful and grow in this business and help many of our downline team succeed through the Quixtar opportunity. Eliminating unnecessary restrictions will help us keep growing.

Sincerely,

Prakash & Smita Hegde

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