Federal Trade Commission CAN-SPAM Act Post Office Box 1030 Merrifield, VA 22116-1030

Commissioners:

Re: CAN-SPAM Act Rulemaking, Project No. R411008

Thank you for creating legislation concerning spamming. I have heard that you are looking at adding to the CAN-SPAM act suppression lists.

This will be a big mistake. This will put a chain around people like me who do business on the Internet. Instead of punishing us business people, put into the CAN-SPAM act polices that deal with the spammer.

To require us to use suppression lists will seriously damage our legitimate publications where we have permission to mail to subscribers.

Suppression lists are a negative force working on the business people who follow the law. If it is put into practice, many legal businesses will be diminished and the spammer will continue to spam, since he will find ways not to be caught.

Sorry, but your suppression list idea is doing thing backwards. Punish the spammer, not the good businessperson.

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