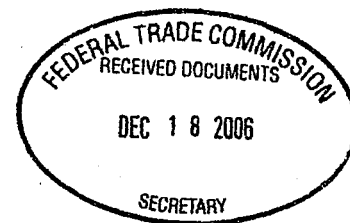


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RE: Prerecorded Call Prohibition EBR Telemarketing,
Project No. R411001

To whom it may concern:

My auto dealer contacts me with timely offers of oil change; my lawn service contacts me each season to sign up for lawn care. These are sales calls that allow me to interact and do business with these companies that I have a relationship with. My newspaper carrier informed me of this legislation and I think it is crazy that the government get involved in my personal business relationships.

I am opposed to the FTC's proposal that would require written authorization to receive pre-recorded telemarketing calls from the businesses and charities that I have an Established Business Relationship with. I am aware of the burden this would place on these businesses.

I would ask the Commission to either adopt the EBR exception contained in the TCPA that creates an

exception for pre-recorded calls sent by companies that have an EBR with the person they are calling or continue its forbearance towards businesses that send pre-recorded messages to those with an EBR beyond January 2, 2007.

Sincerely,

Jeff Cronin