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MUSIC PRODUCTIONS, INC.

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Tuesday, April 02, 2002

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

Dear Secretary:

I am the President of Stage Door Music Productions, Inc. a professional fundraiser for many law enforcement and fire associations.

I am writing to express opposition to the proposed National Do-Not-Call Registry. Our telemarketing provides a service for these organizations by raising the funds they need to stay involved in their communities. These organizations, that cannot do this marketing on an individual basis, rely on us to make calls on their behalf.

We do realize that it can be very annoying to get called by telemarketing companies, but please keep in mind that a simple "No thanks" or "We're not interested" is all it takes from the public. And, we do maintain our own list of those individuals or businesses that do not wish to be contacted within each community.

The proposed amendment will restrict the involvement that these associations provide while making no restrictions on the banking and telephone companies.

Please do not approve the National Do-Not-Call Registry.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert J. Donato".

Robert J. Donato, President  
Stage Door Music Productions, Inc.

RJD/pm