

Comments to FTC on CAN-SPAM Act Rulemaking, Project No. R411008

First I want to praise the government effort on the "Do not call registry" because the number of unsolicited and unwanted phone calls I have received since October 1, 2003 has virtually been eliminated. My daughter was a telemarketer for a short period of time, but she was able to find other work and is a lot happier being a hostess at a restaurant than she was bothering people at dinnertime with an unwanted phone call. So I don't buy the argument that shutting down the telemarketing business or canning Spam is going to have some detrimental effect on the economy.

I also learned a little about Spam while doing some research an internet class I took at a local community college I learned how unsolicited faxes were dealt with in the early 1990s, and how effective legislation and enforcement was in solving problems with unsolicited faxes. It appears this legislation set a precedent that was successful, and that same kind of approach certainly was used in establishing and enforcing the do not call registry.

We now have the same opportunity with the Can-Spam bill—to protect millions of consumers from the junk e-mail they receive each day, at work and at home. I have attached a listing of the Spam that accumulated in my mail box over the Easter weekend. During the period from Friday afternoon until Monday morning I received over 225 unwanted e-mails. I have friends that received 5 times that number, and each Monday morning it is depressing and disgusting to have to sit at my computer and scan the subject lines and/or the sender names to see what should be deleted and what should be opened before I can get to work.

The 225 e-mails I received contained 20 on how to increase the size of my penis, 30 on medications and prescriptions, 7 that were definitely porn-related (to include how to link up with girls that thrive on creamy loads), 40 on refinancing or borrowing money, 70 that I could not determine from the subject line what they were about, 23 about where I could get Viagra, and others on diet and healthcare that I don't frankly have any interest in at all.

I just want to come to work, turn on my laptop, and get to work. And you can help me and millions of others to become more productive by taking the necessary action to can the Spam. At home, I just want to read the e-mail from friends and family and be free from Spam and the irritating and distractive pop-ups that continue to bombard me as I surf the net looking for bargains on car parts or electronics.



Brian Osborn
Burke, Virginia

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┌	✉			<u>Eulah</u>	A youthful and slim summer in 2004...start now
┌	✉			<u>Darin McGinnis</u>	My wife said I needed Via%gra I here! Thanx Guys!
┌	✉			<u>Stacy Guzman</u>	Strong Buy Alert: Weekly Membe Newsletter
┌	✉			<u>operations-dept</u>	Its true, Re-fi-nace your home at 3.25%
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┌	✉			<u>Kessler Paul</u>	RE: Tasks
┌	✉			<u>Florine Cooley</u>	Got Meds? We Got Everything ! Valum, Xanax No Prescription
┌	✉			<u>Linwood Hamm</u>	Our alerts make investors money
┌	✉			<u>Emery Grant</u>	Try Some Viag@ra! Hard as a Pol 15 minutes
┌	✉			<u>Sean McMullen</u>	Horse Girl Nymphy
┌	✉			<u>Mrs McIntyre</u>	Porn on Speed
┌	✉			<u>Lateraling D. Irving</u>	Bosborn, really low rates on medication around

┌	Ⓚ		<u>Joy Walters</u>	Re: Should Help
┌	Ⓚ		<u>Lakisha Kauffman</u>	Best rates- as low as 2.95%
		<u>Lessie Caldwell</u>	NoRisk SimpleForm	4/12/04 2:39 AM 4KB
┌	Ⓚ		<u>Dominick Moreland</u>	Great rates starting at 2.95%
┌	Ⓚ		<u>Angela Brandon</u>	>>Make a Fortune Traveling to E: Hot Spots!<<
┌	Ⓚ		<u>Jordan Gunn</u>	Promo Movers: Weekly Member Newsletter
┌	Ⓚ		<u>eojgx@yahoo.com</u>	
┌	Ⓚ		<u>Ellen Kiser</u>	Re: hide rubbery
┌	Ⓚ		<u>Curtis Weeks</u>	Research that specializes in the fas growth sectors mn
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┌	Ⓚ		<u>Kris Tristan</u>	E-a-rn 2x of Ur Current Salary W Our Degree Cert nonfatal
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┌	Ⓚ		<u>Elbert Branch</u>	Get paid to help others handle the Diabetes. Elbert Branch
┌	Ⓚ		<u>Iva H. Gardner</u>	(14)Penis enlargement(84)

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			<u>Foster Dill</u>	Its not too Late...to Save
			<u>Laurie Chase</u>	Surprise Invitation cegn tp b xjibd
			<u>Millicent Payton</u>	(609)It works or you don't pay(9)
<u>Janis Thacker</u>	Personal Medicati0ns	4/11/04 11:29 PM	2KB	
			<u>Rhoda Navarro</u>	bucharest
			<u>Stewart Boyd</u>	Surprise Invitation
			<u>Jenny D. Jackson</u>	(33)Pull more babes(763)
			<u>Virility NOW</u>	Get Back That Feeling
			<u>Annette P. McLeod</u>	Markets expected to open higher
			<u>Julie Ferguson</u>	(8)Are you hung like a horse?(554)
			<u>Lorie Collins</u>	(22)Guaranteed to boost size(435)
			<u>Natalia Goodson</u>	lowlowlow interestRates
			<u>Francesca Adriane</u>	Ur Own Degree Has Record In Universi-ty Database wharf
			<u>Rosario Stein</u>	Pharmacy with smart prices
			<u>243399@hotmail.com</u>	Microsoft Windows XP Profession OEM 243399
			<u>Emily Ferreira</u>	(230)Pull more babes(251)
			<u>Rosie Hathaway</u>	live laarge clotho patronage armpj

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7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>Alphonso Johnston</u>	Don't worry, just listen
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>Roadfeldt S</u>	NICTD Proposal
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>GetUOff</u>	Male Sex Toy
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>brooks leonhard</u>	Hb here is the Rx informati0n you re.requested
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7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>Perfect System</u>	Just 2 Referrals... Puts You In PROFIT!
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>My Drug Source</u>	Let us help you 3644
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>Thar M. Waldorf</u>	Bosborn, save on medication
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>Aron Smallwood</u>	I thought you might like this

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✓	✉	<u>wfmbk@hongkong.com</u>	crossbill
✓	✉	<u>Kathie Bower</u>	Important
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✓	✉	<u>Mabel Bernard</u>	Good stuff...
✓	✉	<u>Kelley Medrano</u>	Hey, check it out
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✓	✉	<u>Gil Valle</u>	hey girl
✓	✉	<u>Agnes Hollis</u>	Sildenafil Citrate Shipped Quickly
✓	✉	<u>Zeeb</u>	have any trouble with health ? we help you... more
✓	✉	<u>Yong Molina</u>	really low rates
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- ┌ Mrs Montalbo I have filled my hard drive with po
- ┌ bryce alexander Have you combined your monetar
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- ┌ Tod Stephenson Generic Viagr!a has become the
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7	☒	<u>Stacie Weston</u>	No need to cross the border for your Xanax! Canadian Generic Online Pharmacy	4/10/04 2:46 PM
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7	☒	<u>Antonio F. Connor</u>	Fw: Sat, 10 Apr 2004 15:47:32 -0600	4/10/04 2:31 PM
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<u>Tania Soto</u>	Check it out	4/9/04 5:48 PM	4KB		
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