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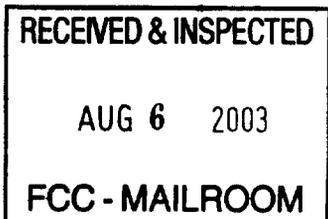
Dear FCC:

Please stay the rule regarding faxes between trade association and members and businesses and between agents and clients so that the wheels of commerce may run more smoothly. If one has to get permission to send a fax, it will make life very difficult for all of us and make transactions inefficient. Thank you for your attention and consideration in this matter.

John S. Pinto, Madison, Wisconsin

Sincerely,

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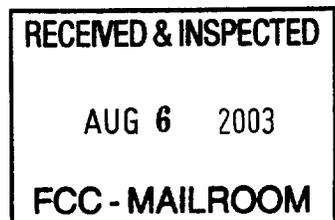
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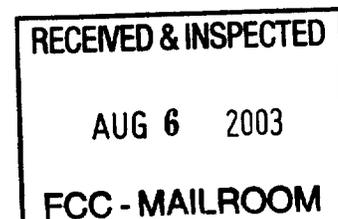
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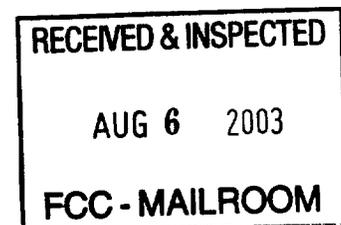
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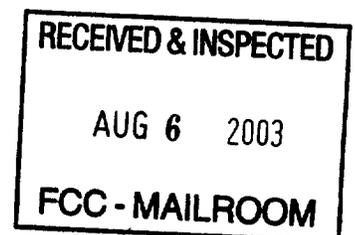
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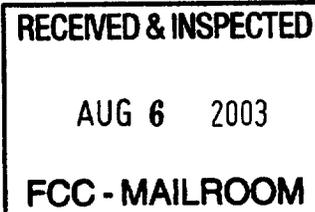
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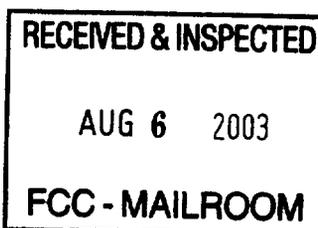
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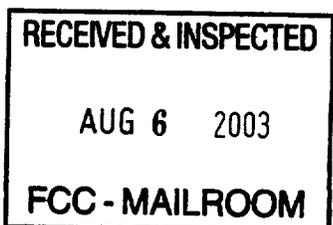
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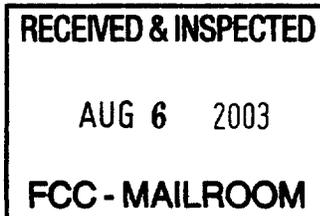
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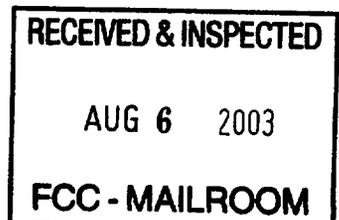
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Sincerely,

Michael McHone
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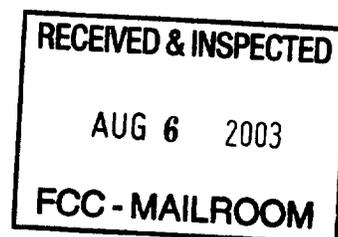
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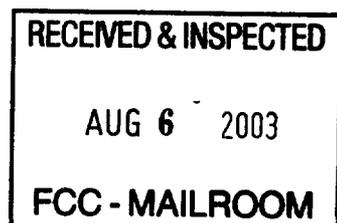
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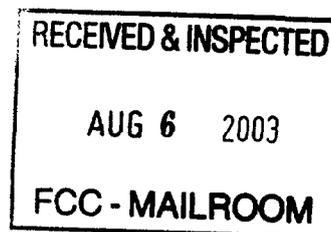
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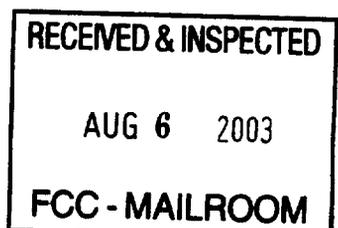
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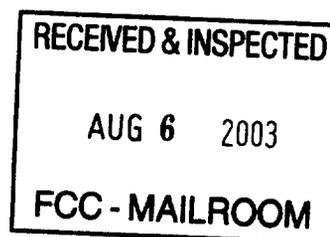
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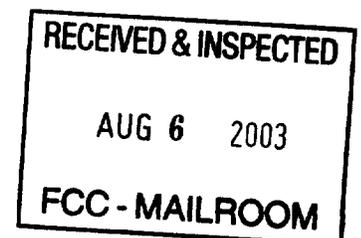
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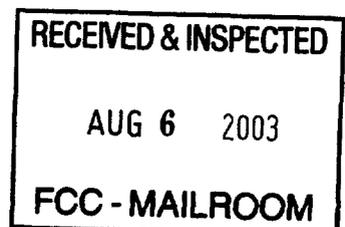
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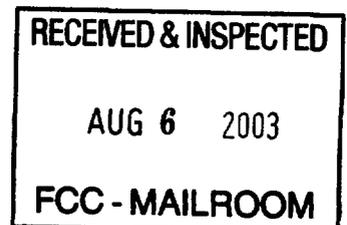
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I certainly understand wanting to put a stop to all forms of spam including phone and fax spam. However, not all unsolicited faxes or phone calls, are spam. Orally requested information is definitely not spam.

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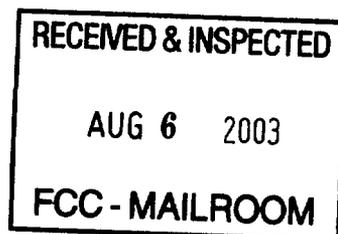
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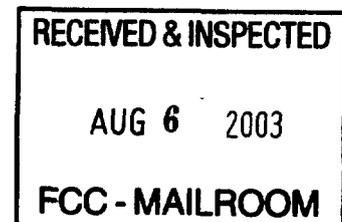
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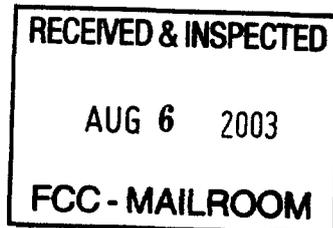
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