

Dear CBA Directors,

Let me urge you to refrain from attacking Indiana's Do Not Call bill. Think about your personal lives for a moment and reflect on your feelings about getting 4 to 6 calls an evening from telemarketers and solicitors. Or let's pretend you are working evening or night shifts and have sleep during the day but the phone starts ringing at 8am and rings all day long. How much do you value your privacy in your home?

Please applaud Indiana for its courage to protect the sanctity of your home, not attack it.

And as for the related subject of cell phone numbers access to businesses, please think about the same intrusion of privacy you would experience by having your cell phone accessible to anyone to call at any time during your day. The next step might be requiring us to display our phone numbers on our homes, vehicles and online session's identity.

Please put yourselves in the place of the consumer and consider the difference between being a free-will consumer and a reluctant pressured consumer.

Thank you for your time and please allow the Indiana consumers to have some control over their privacy in their homes. I hope more states have the courage to promote personal privacy over the almighty dollar.

Respectfully,

Bill Fischer