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<TEXT> Dear FCC Commissioners:

I write to urge you to reject Mr. Paul D.S. Edwards' petition for clarification on whether a creditor may place autodialed and prerecorded message calls to a telephone number associated with wireless service if that number had been ported by the consumer from a number originally dedicated to a landline.

The FCC's January 4, 2008 declaratory ruling made clear that autodialed and prerecorded message calls to a wireless number are permissible where the subscriber gives prior express consent to be called, and the porting of a phone number from one place to another is a consumer decision that implies continued consent to be called at that number.

Mr. Edwards' petition represents an attempt to roll back the FCC's previous rulemaking, and I strongly urge the commission to reject it.

Sincerely,

Brent Rice