

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 SENATE BILL 1758

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to contracts; prohibiting use or
8 connection to telephone line by automatic dialing or
9 announcing device except under certain circumstances;
10 specifying circumstances in which provisions not
applicable; providing that act shall not limited to
11 certain calls; providing for codification; and
12 providing an effective date.

13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 775b.8 of Title 15, unless there
16 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 A. A caller shall not use or connect to a telephone line an
18 automatic dialing or announcing device unless:

19 1. The subscriber has knowingly or voluntarily requested,
20 consented to, permitted or authorized receipt of the message; or

21 2. The message is immediately preceded by a live operator who
22 obtains the subscriber's consent before the message is delivered.

23 B. The provisions of this section shall not apply to:
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1 1. Messages from school districts to students, parents or
2 employees;

3 2. Messages to subscribers with whom the caller has a current
4 business or personal relationship;

5 3. Messages advising employees of work schedules;

6 4. Messages from a nonprofit tax-exempt charitable organization
7 sent solely for the purpose of soliciting voluntary donations of
8 clothing to benefit disabled United States military veterans and
9 containing no request for monetary donations or other solicitations
10 of any kind.

11 C. The provisions of this section shall not be limited to calls
12 made for commercial purposes, nor to persons whose names are on the
13 no-telemarketer-sales-call registry.

14 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2010.

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