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## DO NOT CALL

The FTC has taken action against an operation that allegedly helped clients make illegal robocalls, phone numbers on the National Do Not Call Registry, and mask Caller ID information, in violation of the FTC's Telemarketing Sales Rule. According to the FTC's complaint, Sonkei Communications, Inc., Peter J. Turpel, and Joseph Turpel sold robocall services to telemarketers that offered credit card services, home security systems, and grant procurement programs. The defendants allegedly gave clients the means to hide their identity by transmitting inaccurate names on caller ID displays, like

