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Subject: RE:Proposed privacy Law

Thank you MICA and I fully support this bill. I have received a fair share of smses from various companies and phone call to my house telephone at night between 7.30 to 9.30 pm from housing agent enquiring whether I want to sell my house. They seem to know a lot about my house that's where I get worried. Also I do received at night in the house on my house telephone from Survey Company asking very personal questions which I always cut them off. It is about time we put a stop to this intrusion of privacy. I read with disgust and shock from the Newspaper last year that insurance company and banks share our details with others. What happen to our banking secrecy law and with more banks out sourcing to others to do it, there is a greater risk of our details failiing into the wrong hands. I am glad that the government is doing something about it and the good news is that Whatsapp will also be under this new act. It is better to act now before it goes out of hand and with companies only thinking about their profits ignoring the right of the receiving party. I fully agree that those who want to opt out must call the number provided later to register. I also have received a fair share of junk mails from companies, housing agents and developers which I immediately threw them away for recycle in the blue plastic bag. Thank you again for protecting our right to privacy.