

# No-Call App debuts to report telemarketers

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Mississippians who are tired of annoying telemarketer calls and want to fight back have a new weapon in their arsenal. The Public Service Commission recently unveiled their "MS No-Call" App for smart phone users. The app will allow Mississippians to register their landline and cell phones on the Mississippi No Call List and file complaints against illegal callers directly from their phone and at no cost to them.

"We want to empower people by placing a tool literally in their hands to help us get at these predatory telemarketers. This free app was a long time coming, and I know it will revolutionize the way we track down the lawbreakers and shut their call operations down," Chairman Brandon Presley said.

The Commission began development of the app last year to create a faster, up-to-date way to sign up and file complaints, insisting that it be free to all customers to use. "MS No-Call" is available for both Apple and Android devices.



Consumers can download the app in the Apple App Store or Google Play by searching "MS No Call" and instantly be connected to the No Call Database. For more information about Mississippi's No Call Law, visit [www.psc.state.ms.us](http://www.psc.state.ms.us) or call 1-800-637-7722.

### How to file a complaint from a smartphone:

- Depending on your device, open the App Store or Google Play and search for the FREE "MS No Call" App.
- On the home screen of the app, select "File a complaint."
- Enter your registered number the first time. The app will save your number for future complaints.
- Enter the telemarketer's telephone number, and let us know if they contacted you via phone call or text message.
- Enter the date and time of the communication and select "Next."
- Answer the questions on the next page, and tell us what the caller was trying to sell you.
- Submit your complaint.

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