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COMMISSIONER SAM BRITTON
MISSISSIPPI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
SOUTHERN DISTRICT

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Public Service Commissioners to Hold Press Conferences

[JACKSON, MISS]- Mississippi Public Service Commissioners Brandon Presley, Cecil Brown and Sam Britton will hold press conferences across the state throughout the month of July to discuss the addition of cell phones to the Mississippi No-Call Program.

Beginning July 1, 2016, Mississippi consumers will be able to register their cell phone numbers in addition to their residential phone numbers to the Mississippi No Call List in writing, over the telephone, or via the PSC website. During the various press conferences, Public Service Commissioners Presley, Brown and Britton will be available to answer any questions about registration and other general information regarding the Mississippi No Call Program.

The press conference schedule will be as follows:

July 1-Tupelo Mall at Barnes Crossing, 1001 Barnes Crossing Road @10:30 a.m.

July 5-Jackson Woolfolk State Building, 501 N. West Street. @10:30 a.m.

July 7-Biloxi Biloxi Welcome Center, 1050 Beach Blvd @1 p.m.

"We are committed to protecting the privacy of Mississippians and the enforcement of the No-Call list is paramount to that effort. Because many Mississippians use their cell phones as their only communication device, I am proud that we are now able to extend this program to protect them."

"The Mississippi No Call Program is a great way to start reducing those unwanted phone calls from telemarketers" Southern District Commissioner Sam Britton said. "We encourage consumers to register for the program by utilizing the various resources the Public Service Commission has available."

For more information, please contact: 601-961-5470

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“Allowing Mississippians to register their cellphones on the state No Call List is a great benefit to consumers who are frustrated with receiving unwanted solicitation calls on their mobile phones. The opportunity to cut down on these bothersome calls and fine those callers who do not comply with the law is something that the Public Service Commission intends to fully pursue,” said Commissioner Cecil Brown, Central District Commissioner.

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