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Official Statement for the Record
To the House Small Business Committee

Ladies and Gentlemen,

To accompany my witness testimony, I am officially submitting this written statement for the Congressional record on the Corporate Transparency Act Beneficial Ownership Information (“CTA BOI”) rule and its damage to individual rights and small businesses across America, in hopes that you will lead the charge to quickly and swiftly overturn it.

In addition to my own words below, I have included in the pages that follow statements from more than 440 small business owners and supporters from across the United States, all sharing their point of view on why this unfair and unconstitutional rule should be immediately repealed.

These statements were submitted to me both directly via email and through a form on my website over a couple-week period in April 2024. I am submitting them with the permission of those who have taken the time to submit, and I am submitting them “as is”; that is, I have not made any corrections to their main text, even for spelling or grammar. I have, in some cases, aligned the spacing for visibility and taken out notes or additions that were not intended as part of a letter submission.

A few of the letters are addressed to or reference me directly, knowing that I was representing their voice, and I have left that in their statements if submitted that way.

A handful of these statements include people who have submitted separately for each of their multiple businesses. A handful also include co-owners of businesses who submitted their statements separately.

These 440+ statements represent bi-partisan small business concerns from states across the nation. They include businesses small and tiny. They represent farms, wellness companies, professional services firms like consultants and accountants, funeral homes, foodservice companies, information technology, dentists, taxidermy, genome sequencing, landscapers, masonry and so much more. They represent a variety of demographics, including age ranges, sexes and backgrounds.

You will note a theme of struggling and frustration throughout them. Some of the submissions are frankly downright nasty, but I chose to leave them in, because I think you need to understand the pulse of how so many small business owners across America are feeling right now, after dealing with many government-imposed or government-enabled challenges.

I have taken reasonable measures to ensure that these are real submissions, but I do not personally know most of the submitters and cannot personally vouch for them, other than taking reasonable measures to ensure they represented real small businesses.

It has been an incredibly tough four years for small businesses, and instead of the government removing barriers and supporting small businesses, it feels like the government is doing exactly the opposite. The small business owners are angry and frustrated.

I have traveled to Washington D.C. on my own time and own dime, using up two workdays for the back-and-forth travel and testimony, as well as countless hours to educate small businesses about the rule, as

well as compile and review these statements. I did this on behalf of America's small businesses because this is incredibly important, and small business owners deserve a voice to fight on their behalf while many struggle to just keep their businesses afloat.

In addition to the damage to individual rights, the CTA BOI rule is having a massive impact on forming and maintaining small businesses. I have corresponded with numerous individuals who are choosing not to start a new business specifically because of this rule and the fact they do not want more government intrusion in their lives.

I also have had dozens of small business owners tell me that they are considering dissolving their LLCs to become sole proprietors without an entity specifically in response to this rule. This will expose these entrepreneurs to more liabilities and other issues because they are trying to escape being targeted.

This cannot be how we treat entrepreneurs. Being a small business owner is fraught with challenges. The government should be doing everything possible to uplift small businesses and remove barriers that interfere with their success.

This is bad for the economy and small business morale. And it is unjust.

In addition to what is written in the following pages, I have received queries from volunteers in housing associations (HOAs) and other associations. Because these associations are often entities that need to file with their secretary of state, they are also being impacted by this rule.

The president of one such housing association wrote, "We as board member and officers of our community associations such as Home Owners [sic] Associations, condominium and cooperative very well can be sent to jail, fined or both by forgetting to register under this act. We volunteer our time operating our community associations and should not be subject to this act."

Government overreach and unconstitutional violations of privacy-- treating small businesses differently than big businesses-- penalties that could make small business owners criminals and send them to jail for non-compliance-- none of this makes sense, nor does the premise of this data collection.

The stated premise is that this database is going to help with money laundering and cartel activities. Common sense dictates that it is highly unlikely that those who would engage in such cartel or money laundering activities would be forthcoming with the information FinCEN is seeking. That means all the rule accomplishes is penalizing small businesses and infringing on Americans' rights.

Please see the following pages for the submissions from the small business owners and others lending their voice against the CTA BOI rule.

We all urge to immediately, on a bi-partisan basis, overturn the powers given to FinCEN and the CTA BOI rule.

Thank you.



Carol J.S. Roth
Small business expert and small business owner

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By Carol Roth; Small Business Expert and Small Business Owner

April 30, 2024

I'm Carol Roth, a small business expert and a small business owner myself.

On behalf of small businesses across the United States, I am asking that you, our bi-partisan advocates for small business, immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information rule passed by Congress which unfairly targets American small businesses.

The Constitution of the United States protects the natural rights of all Americans, including against federal government overreach. While preventing financial crimes is a worthwhile endeavor, your methods cannot do so in a way that infringes upon Americans' natural rights or assumes that they are guilty without due process.

Asking small businesses and their owners to report sensitive, personal information and identification to an organization involved in monitoring financial crimes unfortunately does just that.

It is not only an invasion of privacy, but it also creates additional burdens and challenges for small business owners. And, once again, by exempting big businesses from this reporting rule, it specifically and unfairly targets and penalizes small business owners with a different standard and set of rules.

Small businesses overall are not shell companies—they are the backbone of the economy.

If FinCEN has concerns about money laundering, cartel activity or otherwise, they should be using the courts to receive information on those specific cases and entities.

I imagine you would agree that it is highly unlikely that those who would engage in such cartel or money laundering activities would be forthcoming with the information FinCEN is seeking.

Given that, the rule is ineffective (that is, cartels and money launderers won't be swayed to participate), while also unconstitutionally penalizing law-abiding Americans and infringing on their rights.

If there's a concern about foreign entities, then the rule should focus on them exclusively.

Moreover, the penalties, which include significant financial and criminal penalties, including jail time, are egregious.

Plus, the rule exposes small business owners to fraud and privacy violations. In fact, the very first alert on the FinCEN BOI landing page, right in the center of the website, is an alert about fraudulent information solicitation attempts from third parties.

Creating this type of database, in addition to the privacy violations from hackers and unsavory parties, also creates concerns for abuse internally. FinCEN itself has come under fire for its alleged unjustified data usage.

In a time when small business owners have been brutalized by unfair, slanted COVID mandates and their after-effects, such as labor shortages and supply chain interruptions, historic inflation and other challenges, the last thing they need is more administrative burden, both in the original reporting and remembering that any time a piece of data changes they need to provide an update or face jail time.

I personally have had dozens of small business owners tell me that they are considering dissolving their LLCs- to become sole proprietors without an entity- specifically in response to this rule. This will expose these entrepreneurs to more liabilities and other issues because they are trying to escape being targeted.

This cannot be how we treat entrepreneurs. Being a small business owner is fraught with challenges. The government should be doing everything possible to uplift small businesses and remove barriers that interfere with their success.

Instead, with the powers granted to FinCEN and this rule, Congress has added another barrier and is treating small businesses like criminal masterminds.

The ends absolutely do not justify the means here. But the most important piece is the rule's unconstitutionality.

A federal district court in Alabama has already found the CTA BOI rule directed at small business reporting to be unconstitutional.

Unfortunately, based on the ruling's scope, FinCEN is choosing to ignore this for everyone but the plaintiffs in that case- a peculiar outcome.

If it is unconstitutional, it is unconstitutional- period- and should be immediately shut down.

FinCEN has many tools at their disposal and a court system to help their efforts on financial crimes. They should use those tools and not harm a good portion of America's more than 33 million small businesses and their owners in the process.

Good intentions don't always produce good outcomes, and this is a perfect example.

Congress put this in motion and needs to be the one to fix it.

Again, I respectfully ask you to work with your counterparts in the Senate to have Congress immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and the CTA BOI rule.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

The pages that follow showcase statements submitted from nearly 450 small business owners voicing their concerns and convictions against the CTA BOI rule.

David M. Stiles
Redmoon Associates LLC
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I'm David Stiles, the Managing Member of Redmoon Associates LLC, a modest, single-member consultancy founded in 2023 after I retired in 2022. I currently have one client, but plan to grow my business.

However, if CTA BOI goes into effect, I will close my doors rather than expose myself to the asymmetrical risks of exposure of personal information and the potential to be prosecuted if the government deems I have completed my documents incorrectly. Given the complexities and ambiguities of the CTA BOI rule, I view the risks and consequences of running afoul of compliance to be unacceptably high. Engaging professional help to complete the required documentation would turn my consultancy into a money loser.

I urge you to overturn the CTA BOI rule to restore the Constitutionally guaranteed right of protection from unreasonable search and seizure, the rights to privacy of those affected, and the removal of a rule of highly questionable effectiveness that tilts the playing field in favor of large businesses. Further, it is at best wildly optimistic to think that the criminals who are the ostensible targets of CTA BOI would change behaviors and comply with the rule.

I think it is important for the government to know what it will be losing should CTA BOI become effective and I shut down. My client is under contract to the US government to develop small-scale production of an advanced material essential to the performance of a bleeding edge weapons system. Russia has already deployed a version of the system. China is believed to have its own version. Officially, the United States has not deployed a system, in part because we do not have an adequate supply of the material. I have experience producing this material and I am supporting my client's efforts. There are perhaps six people in the world with similar knowledge, and I am one of perhaps two who are available to help my client. To be sure, technologists could overcome some or all of the hurdles standing in the way of reliable production, but it would take time, perhaps two to three years. Do we have that kind of time available to us in an arms race?

Moreover, my client, who is receiving funding from the U. S. Government under a Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant, will also be subject to CTA BOI, and funds that were budgeted to addressing critical technical and national security challenges will instead need to be diverted to CTA BOI compliance. How many similar situations do you think exist in our economy?

Just as it is a privilege to contribute in some way to our national security, so too is it an unacceptable risk to expose my family and me to the threats posed by the CTA BOI rule. And the answer is not a carve-out to exempt some people. The answer is to overturn the CTA BOI rule to remove the threats to all small businesses affected by CTA BOI. I urgently implore you to do so.

Thank you.

Respectfully,

David M. Stiles
Managing Member
Redmoon Associates LLC

Eric Carlson

To whom it may concern,

My name is Eric Carlson and I am a equine veterinarian/owner in Kansas. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

I find it interesting that big business's are exempt from this. I wonder how many kick backs/Perks you have received to do this! Small business's are the backbone of the United States, and this ruling would make it harder to operate a business. The potential of becoming a criminal or paying major fines for not complying with giving sensitive information is ridiculous. I see how secure the US government is with peoples information let alone being used inappropriately by the government. I will give my information when Congress gives all their information to the American people that includes how much is made with insider trading, lobbyists, foreign governments, military-industrial complex, etc making politicians millionaires.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Eric Carlson DVM, DACVS
Heartland Equine Hospital

Jackie Klunk

Hello,

I am Jackie Klunk, a 62-year-old homemaker, and I have a small business, a sole proprietorship with no employees beside myself, and if I am subjected to the CTA BOI rule passed by Congress, it will required me to close shop and forget about trying to build a larger business.

I have no store front, just a web site and sales on the Etsy site. It is artistic outlet, selling hand sculpted Santas and chalkware Santas poured in antique chocolate molds.

This business is operated specifically for the purpose of augmenting our income at a time when my spouse is trying to get ready for retirement (he is a 70-year-old construction equipment operator who is still working because of fear of an uncertain economy).

I have no budget for advertisement, and any expenses for the business come out of my small income. I make less than \$10,000 a year, often much less, but the income helps us with expenses and extras, such as contributing to the care of my elderly parents with things like wheelchair ramps and walk-in showers.

We pay all taxes required for this entity, but any further regulations imposed on this effort will kill any chance for adding to the business, or maintaining it as a necessary supplement to our retirement income. This is an untenable burden on those of us who are just squeaking by in this increasingly uncertain financial environment. Please stop this small-business killer.

Thank you,

Jackie Klunk

Robert Bailey
Bailey Drywall & Supply Inc.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys.

It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I am tired of having the Federal and State Governments trying to regulate my small business out of existence, and now protecting big business at our expense. Please get a clue before you put us all out of business. Thank you for consideration of this plea for help.

Robert Bailey

Leon Barker
Milagros USA LLC

I am a CPA and do consulting for multiple small businesses as well as provide bookkeeping, payroll, and tax compliance services to dozens of small companies. Most of these are well below \$300k annual revenues and yet spend the bulk of their money on labor employing middle/low income workers. The insane amount of controls that these businesses are required to deal with is mind boggling. I have one client that we have been trying to get a tax withholding number for the state of Maryland for over a year. Every state has its own multitude of rules, laws, and requirements. Just payroll processing for a small company of maybe 50 employees located in 10 states requires expertise the experts do not have. Rules regarding what must be shown on a paystub, how much PTO, Sick, Vacation, Disability, registration, Overtime rules, etc. Then you have property tax rules in every location and income tax allocation rules on top of licensing. My point is that I am amazed that anyone even bothers to try to create a business due to the absolutely complex environment we have. The system is nuts and stifles creativity and entrepreneurship. In all of these situations though the most a business owner faces is possible fines/penalties and interest imposed or a late fee. These are economic incentives to get compliance correct, but now this new law would create such draconian punishments as jail time, and penalties/fines that are ridiculous for not updating a change of address timely. How can it be that this registry is so much more important to targeting the drug cartels and yet we do nothing to stem the flow of drugs across the boarder. This is a regulation intended to punish business owners and stifle entrepreneurship.

Caprice Dittmar

I am a single 61 year old self employed American. I have two businesses. I have a LLC for my rental properties. I own 4 properties. I have been a dog and house sitter for over 35 years. The more regulations that the government puts on me the harder it is for me to continue my work. It's currently hard enough to keep and find great tenants. I am fortunate that I do have long term tenants but every time I have an opening, it is very stressful. It is very clear that capitalism works best with less government. Please do not make me register my two business.

Thank you for your time

Caprice Dittmar
Zanesville Ohio 43701

David Cochran

With the help of an attorney, I painstakingly followed all of the requirements and IRS rules, to set up this LLC as an entity to self direct the investments of my own retirement funds. I am already following an absurd amount of regulations pertaining to not only the setting up of the entity, but the related banking and investment accounts. All of this requires a federal ID, a certificate of formation from my state, as well as a detailed operating agreement. This is all overseen by Directed Trust Company, the custodian, and the rules and regulations that they are required to follow, as well as those I am required to follow, I am sure, are more than enough to ensure against the criminality that this unconstitutional new law is worried about.

I am just a guy in a t-shirt trying to make a living and provide for, and protect the assets of my family and our future, by using the legal means already provided for in our current laws. That should be enough.

Respectfully,

David Cochran

Wasabi Investments LLC

Tom Hilgers

Hello,

My name is Tom Hilgers, and I serve as the Secretary-Treasurer of the Lions Club of West Salem, Oregon, a 501c4 non-profit service organization. I am writing to express my concerns regarding the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information (CTA BOI) rule.

The CTA BOI rule, passed by Congress, unfairly targets small businesses and violates our rights to privacy and being presumed innocent until proven guilty. FinCEN should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence, to target criminals, not imposing unconstitutional laws that create privacy issues, asking us to report personal and sensitive information that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing our businesses, and those of millions of others, at risk.

The rule's stated purpose is to prevent financial crimes, such as money laundering and cartel activity. However, it is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information to FinCEN. So, the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the reporting requirement. This is unfair to small businesses and can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident.

The members of service clubs like mine give of their time to help those in need in our communities and to make our communities more livable. We comply with the laws governing our fundraising projects, and 100% of the money we raise from our communities is returned to the community to improve life there. Legislation like this goes way beyond its expressed purpose and accomplishes nothing more than burdening the very people you are supposed to be protecting.

Therefore, I urge Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, and unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Tom Hilgers
Secretary-Treasurer
Lions Club of West Salem, Oregon

Lee Bass
C LEE BASS III DDS PA

Please do not all the new FINCEN regulations to take effect for small businesses. As a small business owner of a Dental Practice, I am responsible for providing for not only my family, but all my employees rely on their jobs with me to help provide for their families. I already provide Health Insurance, 401(k) and a generous holiday/vacation schedule. Adding more regulatory things to have to keep up with, will add to the already 50+ hours a week I put into running business for patient care and paperwork, taxes, etc.

Small businesses should have less requirements to have to keep up with and more freedom to conduct business, grow the business, keep our existing employees and even hire more employees that in turn will fuel an even better economy.

Stephanie Piko
Snapper Lane, LLC
Ramview, LLC
6053 S Eagle St
Centennial, CO 80016

I am Stephanie Piko, and I have two (2) small businesses that are in property management. I am asking that you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information (CTA BOI) rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small business. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, requiring us to report personal sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and millions of others at risk. Individuals create LLC's for small businesses to PROTECT their assets and information, not to place them at further risk.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as money laundering and cartel activity. It is very unlikely that anyone who is engaging in such unlawful activity would comply with the requirements. Law-abiding small business owners will be subject to yet another undue burden, that has substantial penalty and personal consequence, while big business remain exempt.

As the Mayor of the City of Centennial Colorado, I find this to be incredibly offensive to our small business owners who we have tried to support and strengthen, especially since COVID. As a city, we have developed numerous programs to assist entrepreneurs in creating successful businesses. This is one additional step of personal risk and disclosure that will intimidate individuals and prevent them from starting the small businesses that we rely on in our community.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly and unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you,

Stephanie Piko
Snapper Lane, LLC
Ramview, LLC

Jason Bleak

Members of Congress.

I am a simple small business owner, understand honesty and understand working with clients and employees.

We offer our employees full coverage health insurance at no cost to them and cover their entire family. The wage and retirement package for our employees are among the highest in our market. We do this because we value our employees, we understand their lives and challenges, we make efforts to ensure their time is compensated in a manner that provides them opportunity for a life comparable to that of the company ownership.

All of this is becoming more difficult which is a result of the dishonesty that exists in our government. The continual addition of rules, oversight, excessive spending, and disregard for the constitution. Each time I hear representatives from Washington say ""The American People"", followed by some agenda that is clearly not anything we the people want or need, my skin crawls.

One such example is the new oversight given to the treasury department, the ""Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information"" or CTABOI. This new act is being touted as a method to stop money laundering while in reality it is simply an additional burden on small business owners.

Why congress thinks passing another oppressive and burdensome regulation on small business owners will solve some problem of the ""American People"" is a clear example of how out of touch they are with the American People.

This act will cause additional expense to small businesses, unfairly exempts larger businesses, and will make potential criminals out of law abiding and productive American citizens simply because they don't file or improperly file on this new regulation.

Where is the ""help"" to the ""American People"" in this new oversight?

Organizations that are criminal in nature will not abide this ruling, there are already ample legal avenues for the government to pursue against criminal behavior which do not involve empowering a new arm of regulation. Stop this immediately.

If you want to help the ""American People"" you will return to the Constitution and the Bill of Rights and ensure those items are not trampled upon, you would further utilize the checks and balances afforded the government to provide oversight of itself, you would stop executive actions, and you would pass a budget that strengthens the dollar locally and globally, rather than adding additional regulation to small businesses which will hurt some, devastate others, all while helping none.

Repeal this act now!!

Jason Bleak. Small Business Owner since 1996. Employing American People. Providing quality to the community and our clients.

Sean Lilly

Such an unconstitutional law that is unfair in targeting small business owners such as myself.

I play by the rules, work ridiculous amount of hours to provide for my wife and 6 kids, pay taxes, register with the state each year, pay sales taxes, keep up with the books to make sure everything is accounted for properly. Occasionally try to take family somewhere fun while constantly worrying about the money I'm NOT making while doing so. This is just one more thing that I'm going to have to remember to keep up with and, for what? So that big brother can have my info in yet another database that they can use at their discretion? Money laundering? I wish I had the money to be able to to launder it. As soon as it comes in, it's gone. I can't grow the business by buying land/larger shop due to interest rates, I can't get ahead because of constant taxes/ biz fees. And I have done nothing wrong. If they want my information to investigate me, don't they need probable cause?

I have an associates in criminal justice-don't remember all of it, but this seems like quite the overreach. Hell, to be honest, my states "annual report" is nothing more than another way for the state to get an extra \$203 out of me-all I plug in is my name, verify address, etc. what am I reporting? Government is just going to nickel and dime me to death while I work like crazy to afford the grocery bill that they've screwed me on. Pay taxes so that we can send billions to other countries who don't have our best interest at heart. Pay taxes while illegal immigrants are given all kinds of benefits. I'm sick of it..utterly sick of it. I'm ok with working hard, being the sole provider, and paying my fair share..but the government, my government, needs to find something better to do than to put yet another unnecessary burden on innocent people. I'd love to know...what is the supposed benefit of this law? Because if I have to report something...why?

Thank you for what you're doing! Truly appreciate it.

-Sean Lilly
S&S Woodworking and Handyman Services, LLC
Raleigh, North Carolina

Greg Esz
ESZ HOLDINGS LLC

I'm land owner and have a small business that is a house rental. I own a single rental property through an Inheritance.

The second piece of property is on a river. Both are in this LLC to protect my house and personal assets from lawsuits. I was informed that failure to sign up for this shall result in a fine. This is just another overreach.

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Thank you.

Gregory Robert Esz, Esz Holdings LLC

KJHC

K J Hughes Consulting LLC

April 12, 2024

Dear Members of the US House of Representatives Small Business Committee:

My name is Kathy Hughes and I'm a Texas-based healthcare consultant. I've been a consultant for the past 10 years and have been an incorporated entity since November 2019. My business is just me working from a home office providing services to all types of healthcare entities across the US.

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Thank you.

Kathy J. Hughes
Owner/President
K J Hughes Consulting LLC

Jason Kubicki

My name is Jason Kubicki, my wife and I have a small business that services other small business' technology needs.

Over the years we have noticed the increase in rules and regulations for such small entities like ours. With the demands of technology and assisting other SMB owners on top of all the red tape, taxes and fees that we must endure it appears we are becoming a vessel for the government to not only take more of our very hard earned money but also to demand more personal information from us.

The SMB climate in the US is already un-American but this CTA BOI smacks of tyranny and directly violates my right as an American citizen. Furthermore it is worth noting that while we watch congress diminish our rights we see congress men and women become wealthier and wealthier, creating rules that cost SMBs more money and time while creating loopholes, making stock trades and working corporate deals that line their own pockets. This is not only unconscionable it is wrong.

Therefore I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

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I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Respectfully,

Jason Kubicki

The Signal Company

Paul Lawrence

I own and operate a small business that locates underground potable water pipe leaks. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty.

I love my country and I work hard to put food on the table. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

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Thank you.

Paul Lawrence / Reliant Specialized Services

Andrea Adamson
All About Values
eBay Seller

I'm Andrea Adamson and have a small business that has a store on eBay.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Thank you.
Andrea Adamson
All About Values

Rick Wargo

Compliance 4 Credit Unions LLC or C4CU is a credit union service organization that specializes in regulatory compliance support for credit unions. I am the Chief Operating Officer of the company. It is owned by three credit unions. Our functions also include regulatory advocacy. When FinCEN proposed regulations to implement the Corporate Transparency Act, we assisted our credit union clients with comment letters opposing the proposed regulation. We recap the reasons for our opposition here.

First, the CTA was buried in the defense authorization bill. It is doubtful that members of Congress knew of the CTA provisions. That said it is beyond ironic that many members of Congress claim to support small business but imposed an insane compliance burden on small business. It is well beyond time for Congress to stop the huge budget and defense bills and understand what is included.

Treasury and FinCEN spin CTA as a necessary tool to combat money laundering and terrorist finance. An additional rationale is that European anti money laundering agencies have tools similar to CTA, the reporting by small business of beneficial ownership information. There is ample evidence to indicate that FinCEN is overwhelmed with the data it currently has available from Suspicious Activity Reports and Currency Transaction Reports. Under CTA, FinCEN is going to create another database including millions of bytes of data regarding the ownership structure of small businesses. How does it remotely make sense to conclude that a gigantic database revealing the ownership structure of small retail stores, plumbers, HVAC vendors, auto dealers, and other business will be effective against money laundering and terrorist finance?

The CTA exempts publicly traded companies and other large concerns. Why? What makes a publicly traded company any more immune to money laundering and terrorist finance than small business. The CTA is an inappropriate burden on commerce and should be repealed.

The CTA and FinCEN's regulation state that the information of small businesses will be kept confidential. This is a joke from the jump. Simply examine the laundry list of agencies and concerns to whom FinCEN can disclose small business information. The proposed privacy protections are a sieve.

The CTA puts small business at odds with credit unions when seeking to obtain financial services. To access small business information from FinCEN's BOI database, a credit union must get written consent from the business. This is not informed or voluntary consent. The credit union cannot provide services unless it is sure of the identity of the account owner as required by its Bank Secrecy Act compliance program. The business knows or understands it must agree to allow its credit union to get the information from the FinCEN database or it will not get the necessary services. In its final regulation, FinCEN ignored this valid concern.

Finally, law enforcement has an abundance of tools to combat money laundering and terrorism finance. At the heart of it, law enforcement can obtain a warrant for any information it wants upon a showing of probable cause. Let's leave our civil right in tact. It is well past time to pump the brakes on CTA and the entire USA Patriot Act. We support law enforcement and C4CU's client credit unions have cooperated with law enforcement to break up money laundering schemes. The CTA goes too far.

Rick Wargo, COO JD/LLM Compliance 4 Credit Unions LLC

Karina Armenta Meza
Psychicgoddess1

I'm Karina Armenta and have a small business that does Psychic Readings that has helped thousands of people.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Karina Armenta Meza/ Psychicgoddess1

Jake Poinier

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Jake Poinier, and I am a self-employed writer, editor, and ghostwriter. My primary business for providing services is Boomvang Creative Group LLC, and I operate another business, More Cowbell Books LLC, for book publishing.

I have to admit I was shocked when I first read about the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress. I believe that it unfairly targets American small businesses like mine and I am asking you to immediately overturn it.

I jumped through all the requisite hoops with the Arizona Corporation Commission when creating these two entities, including the expense of hiring a law firm to make sure the paperwork was done properly. As a result, I object to the rule on two points: 1) the violation of my privacy rights and 2) my right to be presumed innocent until proven guilty. In regard to the former, I do not agree with the requirement to report personal, sensitive information and identification into yet another database that would be a goldmine for hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. As to the latter, FinCEN has proven itself perfectly capable of finding and prosecuting criminals using the existing tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

At its heart, this rule doesn't even make logical sense. Are we really supposed to believe that people who are willing to commit serious financial crimes such as money laundering and cartel activities are going to provide accurate information to FinCEN--or is it more likely that they have ways to game the proposed system or otherwise avoid detection?

Finally, it is appalling that this rule can turn law-abiding small businesses into criminals for failing to comply, even by accident. Jail time and financial penalties for not submitting paperwork correctly, or not updating it when there's a change? This seems like entrapment.

Small businesses are an important contributor to the US economy, and yet all we get is more red tape and government overreach thrown in our way, whether it's this CTA rule, or the PRO Act, or the new US Department of Labor rules creating more problems for us and our clients. (Meanwhile, it's darkly humorous that big businesses arbitrarily get exempted from the rule.)

Enough.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly and unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Jake Poinier
Boomvang Creative Group LLC

Phyllis Battle
Pre Construction Services, Inc.

This business is a cost consulting business for construction projects of many types, both in the private sector and public monies.

My husband and I are business owners. My accountant informed me of this new regulation and requirement to file a FinCIN report under the guise of corporate transparency, and that I should ask my lawyer to fill it out for us, because they do not have a tax attorney. Since we own several entities, we would have to file several reports. Good Attorneys are too busy to fill out these forms.

Please overturn the (CTA BOI) Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information rule, which is invasive, expensive, and also unfairly targets American small businesses. The federal government already has our information because we file taxes every year and pre-pay our estimated taxes.

If this law/rule stands, WHO WILL HAVE ACCESS TO OUR PERSONAL AND PRIVATE INFORMATION?

Small business owners are the Law compliers, not the criminal law breakers. Do you really think the criminal element will fill out this form for you? This is not a transparent effort to find criminals as you say, but is an effort to make criminals, when you need one, out of people who may not agree with your current bureaucrat philosophies of right and wrong.

Small businesses are the very fabric of society that pay taxes, create jobs, provide legitimate services to our citizens, give birth to innovation, build dreams into reality, and also creates a safe and free society. Small business owners risk everything to work for themselves in a legitimate way, make the sacrifices needed to succeed, give opportunities to those work for them, and have such success that ripples through society lifting all those around them up economically. We are not in business to fill out forms, and bow down to a tyrannical government who wants to decide who and what are beneficial to them and their purposes. Mostly small business owners want to be left alone because they are busy working.

Small business owners are legitimate risk takers, not law breakers. Don't turn us into law breakers for Not filling out a form for you. Don't fine us and put us in prison for Not doing something that you have suddenly decided we need to do, because you say you are trying to protect society from bad actors. You already have plenty of criminal entities who can do this. We are innocent until Proven Guilty, and you are making us Guilty first, until we can prove ourselves Innocent.

Please overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule immediately. Please overturn any other unconstitutional laws/rules that affect small business owners.

Thank you, Phyllis Battle, Pre Construction Services, Inc.

Desiree Shaffer
Shaffer Cabinet Works, Inc.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty.

Small businesses have enough struggles, especially after surviving Covid. We do not need the additional burden of filing additional requirements and possibly having to hire lawyers to help us. This takes time, energy, and money from our business of producing commercial cabinetry. We already have to pay and file payroll taxes, workers' comp insurance, file personal and business tax returns, pay property tax, not to mention pay our employees and build and install commercial cabinetry.

This regulation seems to be targeting small businesses, which are the lifeblood of our communities. Please take regulations off of small businesses, don't keep piling more on us.

I am a corporate officer and employee of our family-owned business. As secretary, I am the one who will have to deal with this. (My husband is the owner).

Jonathan Asbell
Realplaces
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jonathan@realplaces.io

I'm Jonathan Asbell and have a small business that does two estate investing.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Jonathan Asbell @ Realplaces

Shawn Helton
Got Gutters

My name is Shawn Helton and I have ran my own businesses or been self employed almost entirely since i graduated from high school. My latest business is gutters, and my only business that ive ever had an LLC on.

My wife went to college and the military and has 2 degrees but hasn't yet had to get a job and was always able to stay home with our two boys.

I payed off 150k dollars in student loan debt have never went to college myself.

Now after 20 years of marriage i wanted to build our forever home. We bought property got surveys done, not cheap, got our print drawn also not cheap, and by the time that was done the 2020 election had happened and prices had changed. The cost of the materials for the house we had drawn went up 100k dollars. I thought, no big deal, i had saved two thirds of the money over 20 year, owed my property, i had already paid off all our debt and have an 820 credit score, ill just get a loan.

Well guess what, no one will give me a loan. The reason being 2 years work of tax records say i don't make enough, to which i replied how do you think i payed off all my other debts that has given me this nearly perfect credit score, and im told time and time agin it doesn't matter. Now someone that makes bad money decisions and has as low as a 580 credit score can get a loan if there tax records show they make enough.

If the federal government can needs more information about my money that i earn busting my but, then they should show all Americans that they themselves can make better decisions with the money they demand from us.

FinCEN is nothing but a way to knock small business men and women back down to get there foot better positioned on our throats. If the members on this panel were good enough with money to ,PAY attention, they would realize how great this country works when you remove restrictions on small business Americans and let the country grow from within.

Its funny how this administration talks of taxing the rich which everyone should know only raises prices bc the already pay the lions share of tax in this country so they will just raise the price on the goods and services they provide and maintain there earnings. So it hurts the small businesses when you try that and then finCEN only applies to small businesses bc you don't want to expose the public and private partnerships that line many government officials pockets.

You really want to fix things in America give loan opportunities to those who have proven they deserve it, kinda like what the credit score was ment for, allow small businesses to grow i to large businesses bc its the large businesses that can help relieve strains on everyday Americans by being competitive and bringing prices down so the average guy like me can get ahead in life.

This country is backwards right now and unless we start to correct our path soon there's very little hope for prosperity for the average man anymore. Create a flat tax, prosecute the laws that are already on the books, set term limits for all government officials, and let Americans be Americans, FREE! You can start this process today, but i won't hold my breath and wait for you to make a good decision.

Jeffrey Morgan
e-volve Information Technology Services, LLC

I am writing to voice my objections to the implementation of the Corporate Transparency Act Beneficial Ownership Information rule.

First of all, the government already knows about my business because I file tax returns with local, state and federal government. My incorporation papers, filed with the PA Secretary of State already disclose ownership information. Based on this alone, The CTA BOI is an unnecessary regulatory burden that no business should have to suffer, especially micro businesses with only a few employees.

Moreover, you are likely to make criminals out of a large part of the small business community. How do you expect businesses to find out about it if they aren't news hounds like I am?

Frankly, this is the kind of bureaucratic overreach we have come to expect from federal agencies. Congress would likely NEVER pass this directly as a law!

It seems unlikely that criminals will voluntarily provide accurate ownership information to FinCEN so the stated reason for the regulation is invalid. Only legitimate businesses who know about it will comply. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. A suspicious person might think that the regulation is intentionally designed to criminalize small business owners and discourage their existence in addition to creating yet another federal database of PII that is likely to be breached or used against American citizens.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Morgan

Rebecca Schwanke
Talarik LLC

I'm an American small business owner. My partner and I develop sporting good products, but we're still a very small family-owned business. Please consider immediately overturning the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress. I truly feel that this new program unfairly targets American small businesses like mine and allows for too much freedom with my personal and corporate information. What happened to using the court system to get information if a crime is suspected?

The CTA provides Treasury with a unique degree of access to BOI, making the information available to any Treasury officer or employee (1) whose official duties require BOI inspection or disclosure or (2) for tax administration. This rule is a clear violation of American citizen rights to privacy. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

Our LLC designation is supposed to protect our members, yet now we will be the target of government overreach.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners.

BIG BUSINESSES are EXEMPT from the rule reporting requirement. Seriously? Who thought this was a good idea?

Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Case in point, many of us never heard of this when it was a proposed rule, so now we are left reading of regulatory oversight most still don't know about.

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It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. This Administration seems to discount the vital services and products we are responsible for.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Rebecca Schwanke
Talarik LLC

John Dudley

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To whom it may concern,

My name is John Dudley and I run and manage a few small businesses that provide home improvement services for homeowners (roofing, siding, windows, doors, painting and countertop fabrication) as well as several LLCs that hold rental real estate.

I am writing to express my deep concern regarding the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information (CTA BOI) rule recently enacted by Congress. This rule unfairly singles out American small businesses and encroaches upon our rights to privacy and presumption of innocence.

The CTA BOI rule imposes undue burdens on small business owners like myself by requiring the disclosure of personal and sensitive information that could potentially be exploited by malicious actors. This not only violates our constitutional rights but also exposes us to significant risks, including identity theft and fraud.

Furthermore, the rationale behind the rule—to combat financial crimes such as money laundering and cartel activity—is flawed. It is improbable that individuals engaged in such illicit activities would willingly comply with reporting requirements. Instead, this rule disproportionately burdens law-abiding small business owners while exempting larger corporations.

As pillars of the US economy, small businesses play a crucial role in driving economic growth and fostering innovation. Yet, it often feels like we are at a disadvantage compared to larger corporations, with governmental regulations tipping the scales against us.

I urge Congress to take immediate action to repeal the powers granted to the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network (FinCEN) and overturn the CTA BOI rule. It is imperative that further regulations are enacted in a manner that does not unfairly target American small business owners.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.



Sincerely,

John Dudley

Divine Stoneworks LLC

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Congress I appeal to you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership information.

As a small business owner of Diesel mechanic shop for 15 years. I am being unfairly targeted by CTA rule. I am a hard worker tax payer.

I violates the Constitution as well as my right to privacy. Why are you punishing small businesses? We are the back bone of America. My family depends on me to support them. I am not a criminal why is congress treating us like criminals? What happened to innocent until proven guilty? This bill unfairly target small businesses.

The CTA BOI is no different than an ankle monitor for a felon. We are just trying to survive I do not have extra money to spend to hire an attorney or CPA to help me fill out all this paperwork so I do not go to prison! I can not even find a CPA in my area willing to help me with the this new rulings paperwork. Why are we being punished because we are a small business? This is yet another example of the government picking winners & losers and punishing the little guy. Is that what the founding fathers intended for the USA? I respectfully ask that you please immediately overturn the powers given to FinCen. and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any other further rules that unfairly ,unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you,
Nick Bowlin
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Susan Blount

WHATEVER HAPPENED TO ""INNOCENT UNTIL PROVEN GUILTY?"" OR ""probable cause"" or that ""police conduct searches, seizures, and arrests pursuant to a lawfully executed search warrant""?

How can they promote this as beneficial with a straight face?... Beneficial for who? It's not enough that our company pays \$85 dollars a year just to tell the government we are still here.

It's not enough that we have been in business for over 50 years and have never been delinquent in paying our taxes, nor has there ever been any investigation into the integrity of our company. There is not even a hint of any illicit activity within our company.

This filing requirement and the outrageous potential for fines and imprisonment are a huge insult to business owners like us who love our country, value honesty and integrity, operate our business according to Christian principles, and have tried to cooperate with intrusive, burdensome rules handed down by government bureaucracy.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses and violates our Constitutional rights on many levels.

Sincerely,
Susan Blount
Partner Owner

Angela Prince

I am a small business owner and have served the local community for 20+ years as a mental health provider. I have no employees - only a part time office help who also cleans my office. I am in high demand and booked up - at times having to turn clients away, and often have a waiting list. Our neighborhood and country needs the small business owners who are the backbone of our communities and provide much needed services.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others. My email and SS# were recently obtained during the AT&T cyber attack which has been a nightmare to attempt to defend and protect my personal info.

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

Angela Prince

Dr. Jan Bedell
President Brain Sprints
President The Parachute Effect

I have been a small business owner for 30 plus years. Even stayed afloat during Covid. I added a farm business three years ago and started another business a year ago. All these government regulations take time away from my ability to be productive. I plan to have more employees but when you have to spent time and resources with all this regulations some of whom you don't even know exists, it makes expansion very difficult!!

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Dr. Jan Bedell
President Brain Sprints
President The Parachute Effect

Nancy Merrill

I am Nancy Merrill and own a travel agency that I run by myself.

This new FinCen rule is one I do not understand and feel as if small businesses are being targeted unfairly.

If the reason this law was created was to go after cartels who money launder, why not already use the laws on the books to go after criminals. The only money laundering i do is when i forget to take the change out of my pockets before i wash them.

It seems that every small business is a criminal to the US Government. I already work 12-17 hours day and don't need to worry about filing reports with the Treasury Dept or even if I am doing it correctly.

The IRS already has all of my Financials and business information, why do I need to duplicate it?

If the Treasury is so worried about money laundering why exempt any business? Shouldn't this law make every business owner file this report. It seems like the federal government has been going after small independent business owners and independent contractors.

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Sincerely

Nancy Merrill

Owner

Time 2 Fly Away Travel, LLC

Bill Atwell

I'm Bill Atwell and have a small business that sells and supports software for manufacturing operations.

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Bill Atwell
1802 N. radcliffe Way
Eagle ID 83616

Jennifer Garner
Garnerist LLC
Denver, CO
Jen@garnerist.com
Www.garnerist.com

I'm Jen Garner and have a small business conducting community engagement and market research services for the public sector.

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A few months ago, my CPA alerted me to this new rule. When I clicked the link to comply, I was astonished and angered by the level of detail I will be required to provide. It will take me hours to compile the information and I am resentful that I am being treated like a criminal. I work hard, trying to make ends meet, caring for my elderly, trying to be a good wife and friend, mentoring other women, and participating in my church.

Yet my own government wants to add me to a database and monitor my data as though I were a thief or a scam artist. I pay my taxes, and I vote. I never take the easier softer way, or ask for a handout.

This is a slap in the face. You should be ashamed of yourselves for letting this advance so far in the rule making process.

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Jen Garner, Garnerist LLC
Located in Denver, CO

Christine Bobbett
Accounting 1909, Inc.

Complying with the CTA cost my small business \$588.50 in legal fees plus my time to learn about the Act and gather information my attorney needed. I have to work 9+ billable hours to recoup that cost. I'm already feeling the strain due to groceries and other every day costs that have sky rocketed due to inflation.

Randall Ping

My name is Randall Ping and my small business, Maple Knook Farms LLC has been in this family for 3 generations now. The CTA is against everything my Father, who fought WW2 in the South Pacific, stood for in this country. We are constantly regulated, taxed and ruled by people who have no idea what we do or what it takes to run a successful farm. From the Waters of the US, fertilizer cost, fuel cost, feed cost. All to meet a regulation, not a better product. This increase the cost of all goods, IE: inflation!!

Asking me to report to the Criminal Division of the IRS with very personnel information is against what this Country was built upon. I am innocent until proven guilty or at least accused of a crime. NO longer, now you want to have me in the system because of the size of my business. Large companies are exempt, how convenient. Keep this up and farmers will just feed ourselves and leave everyone on their own. You'll get hungry very quick and ask why there's no food on the shelves!

As I write this, I have sent an additional 10K to the Federal Government in taxes. We did our normal withholding, but the Feds just want more. The worst part is you waste it. When I think what my money would have done to help the economy through investing, building or saving, it makes me angry how you waste it.

In closing, STOP trying to help and get out of our way! We can feed the world more efficient, with less environmental impact without your ""help"".

Joseph Austin
Austin's Mini Excavating
80 Sutphin Drive
Julian WV 25529
austinsminiexcavating@frontier.com

I'm Joseph Austin and have a small business that does small scale excavation work for people who cannot afford large companies.

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Thank you.
Joseph Austin
Austin's Mini Excavating

James M. Blackmon
Banana Jack Murphy Productions LLC

I'm James Blackmon, aka Banana Jack Murphy. I am the owner of Banana Jack Murphy Productions. My company assists other small businesses in advertising, marketing and promotion of their goods and services. We currently own and operate WLSQ AM 1240/W294Cw 106.7 FM. We also provide audio and video services for our advertisers/clients.

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Big companies are exempt. Small businesses like mine are not. That's not fair...and NO, I'm not advocating for large corporations to comply with this latest example of government overreach either.

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James M Blackmon/Banana Jack Murphy
Banana Jack Murphy Productions LLC

Brian McGovern

My wife runs the blossom shop(TBS). We have a c-corp that owns the TBS building.

I also own a law firm organized as a PC with two lawyers and a secretary and part time bookkeeper.

We have an LLC that owns the law firm's building.

First, TBS already have done some survey a few times in the last few years that the internet says is required. That survey asks for sales, costs, employee pay etc. All information I feel is confidential and proprietary.

Now this CTABOI is just more unnecessary intrusion. Though it may take a short time to complete its a pain in the neck. There are dozens of little things we have to do that are a pain solely due to government every month.

But my real objection is the invasion of my privacy and the absolute distrust I have for the purpose and use of this new law. Whatever the government is saying its purpose is a pretext. And even if "they" have good intentions now "they" won't later. This has been proven over and over. The justice system has been ruined and tainted in just the last several years and it too cannot be trusted to fairly deal with violators. The penalties are punitive which in itself indicates an ulterior motive and just like Obamacare, the exemptions or waivers are handed out as favors/grift.

Frankly, it wouldn't surprise me if this entire law was to a) get a listing of gun dealers but the constitution requires an "equal" net, b) identify other activities that liberals do not like such as faith initiatives, and c) give those new IRS agents a lead list for audits.

Brian McGovern

Robert Austin
RW'S Remodding and Home Improvements LLC
Austrobe16@gmail.com

I'm Robert Austin and have a small business that does Residential Home repair.

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Kim Azbell, Easley Family Farms LLC

Suzette Lopez

I'm Suzette Lopez and have had a small graphic design business called Parrot Fish Studio since 2001. We have managed to survive over the years due to our resiliency and fiscal responsibility through great recessions and a global pandemic that severely impacted my business.

It's a struggle just to keep the business moving efficiently and effectively but when more and more regulations are stacked up on us, it just makes the business of running a business even more of a burden. My business has sustained my family not only through economic turmoil but also through personal health battles.

I am a 2x survivor of a very aggressive cancer and while some take time off to go through treatments and to heal, I had to work. I had no other options. With 2 kids entering college and a husband who had also gone through his own battle with cancer, we were financially strapped and I had to do everything I could to keep my business afloat and to pray that it thrived. I had a mobile office that I brought with me through 9-hour chemo sessions. I did it because I truly love my business and it has given me the flexibility to raise a family and be very present in their lives every step of the way.

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Ann Brooks

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Ann Brooks Ballard/ Ballard Family LLC, Willow Pond Farm LLC, Rural Rental Residences LLC

Edward Banz

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Edward Banz
Aries Automation

Curtis Barnes

I'm Curtis Barnes and have a small business that repairs and restores clocks.

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John Lachenmayr

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Directly from the Fincen website: Alert: FinCEN has learned of fraudulent attempts to solicit information from individuals and entities who may be subject to reporting requirements under the Corporate Transparency Act.

Meanwhile, because of fraud I have to go through extra steps just to pay payroll taxes. Plus the additional burdens from EPA, DOT, OSHA, Fish and wildlife and state agencies.

Please, let the American small business do their thing. Congress needs to spend their time making and adhering to a budget.

Thank You
John Lachenmayr

Craig Bartschi

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Craig Bartschi Idaho Springs Water Co.

Kyle Batisch

I'm Kyle Batisch and have a small business that does custom jewelry.

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Thank you.

Kyle Batisch KT Diamond Jewelers

Denise Duncan

My Name is Denise Duncan. I have a small business in Pomona, California.

In addition to my trash bill increasing 158%, insurances up 22%, gas doubling in price, twenty dollar an hour minimum wage for fast food workers (which will drive all wages up), we, small business owners are required to register as criminals under this outrageous law. We will face huge fines and jail time?? Seriously?!

Do you know what the average small business owner earns? It's less than \$70,000 per year. We are treated and looked upon as dirt bag, greedy, dishonest employers, who exploit, mistreat, enslave and under pay our employees. We are viewed as liars, cheats and thieves. Every single rule and regulation some delusional elected or appointed official can possibly concoct to extort more money from us you've managed to actually concoct.

I will shut my business down before complying with any more of this nonsense. Oh. And. By the way. Fun fact. Small business is the largest employer in the nation. It's not multinational corporations, or the Amazons, Costcos and Walmarts scattered throughout the country. It's little guys like me in huge numbers across this great nation. Small business is the nucleus of the country.

I'm tired of the tyrannical overreach of government. I'm tired of nameless faceless bureaucrats who've never run a lemon aid stand much less a small business dictating how I must run mine. But what I am seriously tired of are career government workers (many of whom have never worked in the private sector) concocting laws and regulations that sound perfectly sensible to you but when applied in the real world aren't tenable.

Now??! NOW!! We are being required to prove we aren't criminal cartel members laundering money?? ARE YOU KIDDING ME?!?!?

Our state and federal governments are utterly out of control. YOU are the real problem. YOU guys are the actual crooks. You make millions through insider trading, backdoor deals, non for profits that launder your money. Are you going to draft legislation making it illegal for members to stock trade while in office? How about all the favors, jobs, positions, contracts you hand out like candy to your friends, family members and big fat donors. How about all the favors, jobs, positions and contracts YOU get in return for your conflict of interest "business" dealings.

Lastly, allow me take this opportunity to remind you that YOU WORK FOR US!!! WE! ARE YOUR EMPLOYER! NOT the other way around! You, yes YOU are the real money laundering criminal cartel members!!!

Respectfully,

Denise H. Duncan

Amanda Bauer
ALeeB Creative LLC
amanda@aleebcreative.com
Aurora Colorado

I'm Amanda Bauer and have a small business that focuses on quilt pattern design and custom long arm quilting. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.
Amanda Bauer
ALeeB Creative

Ralph Edwards
Workable Design

I am Ralph Edwards, my business is Workable Design. I provide clients with architectural design work in order to obtain building permits, the first step in a construction project. Construction projects fuel the economy. I struggle to survive in this economy as it is. Inflation and the rising interest rates created by the Biden administration have really hurt the construction business. The last thing I need is another regulation to burden an already over regulated business environment.

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I have been providing good service to my community for over 30 years now, this kind of overreach will be pushing me to retirement. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you,
Ralph Edwards
Workable Design

Bryan Beatty
EBW Financial Planning
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I'm Bryan Beatty and have a small business that does financial planning and investment advice.

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Thank you.

Bryan Beatty
EBW Financial Planning

George Beavin

Wilkie Detailing Services, LLC

I'm George Beavin and have a small business that provides fabrication drawings for steel fabricators.

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George T. Beavin

Wilkie Detailing Services, LLC

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I'm Karl Beckstrand and have a small business that publishes multicultural books.

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Thank you.
Karl Beckstrand/Premio Publishing

Tom Judge

My name is Tom Judge and I have a small business that provides public accounting services for small businesses. Half of our business is advising on tax return preparation. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

We work with about 2,000 taxpayers and many have small LLCs. None of these people are aware of having to file the BOI. Further, these LLCs may not even be active anymore. Some were created to hold property; some were created for a small hobby type of business. The penalties are outrageous and create yet another program to comply with when businesses are already overwhelmed with the current reporting. When someone sets up an LLC or small business they must register with their secretary of state. The state has the information which you can use to determine who is the owner. If you need to verify some of this information then work with the state and not create more burden for small business owners.

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Thank you. Tom Judge, CPA

Anne Beneville

I'm Anne Beneville and have a small business that does Pilates & barre classes.

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Thank you. Anne Beneville, Better Bodies Pilates LLC

Steven Bull
Trans-Americas Holdings, LLC.

We are a small, mom and pop, real estate investment company and property management firm that operates over two dozen single family rental homes in northern Alabama. We provide safe, clean, and very well maintained affordable housing to our tenants who we greatly appreciate and, in turn, most have stayed with us for many years as they recognize our excellent care for them. In short, we are providing a much-needed service (i.e. affordable, well maintained housing) that only the private sector can efficiently and effectively provide. The motto on our business cards is ""Quality Rentals for Quality Tenants.""

With this as context, we are respectfully asking that Congress immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information (CTA BOI) rule. For asset protection reasons, and to operate as a formal company providing a critical service to the American public, our corporate structure includes many LLC's that hold our various real estate holdings.

Under the new CTA BOI rule, we will be swamped with additional, time-consuming, administrative duties.

As we handle all of the administrative and financial aspects of our business, we are already spending literally hundreds of hours each year just to properly prepare our business and personal tax returns. And now, one more administrative (and costly - because time is money!) headache! We understand that this new CTA BOI rule is being applied because of concerns of money laundering and/or terrorism. Logically, we do not believe that any criminal element that would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information to FinCEN. In summary, only law abiding and productive U.S. citizens will be negatively impacted by this new rule.

Small business is the life blood of the successful American economy - the most successful the world has ever seen. Please let it do the business that only it can do cost effectively and without further obstacles and needless cost. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Jax Edwards,
Jaxes Books & Accounting Corporation, operating in central Utah,
jax@jaxesbooks.com,
<https://jaxesfinancial.com>,

I'm Jax Edwards and have a small business doing accounting for other small businesses. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

I make a living by helping entrepreneurs navigate the red tape of starting a business and staying compliant with accounting standards, legal expectations, tax laws, and state regulations. While the new CTA BOI rule is a windfall for accountants like me who can charge even more to navigate the increasingly complex and penalty-ridden red tape, the dozens of business owners that I have taught about the CTA BOI are terrified of this new regulation. This massive new barrier of regulation stifles the ability of technically experienced and sophisticated entrepreneurs who merely do not have funds, experience, or time to navigate the red-tape without the help of experts like me who have dedicated years to the study and practice of starting businesses.

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Thank you. Jax Edwards.

Richard Beretta

R J B Building Inc.

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rjbbuilding@yahoo.com

I'm Richard Beretta and have a small business that does General Contracting.

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Thank you.
Richard J Beretta
R J B Building Inc.

Allyson Burns

My name is Allyson Burns, 66 years old, sole member of my LLC and semi-retired. I am a bookkeeper for one CEO for three of his companies producing financials each month. My company generates \$54K annually for its services, which does not cover my personal and business expenses. I do not understand why, under severe penalties, I have to comply with the federal government when they already have all my info - through my tax returns. In my opinion, this is dictatorial behavior and severe over reach by the government and I object and protest. I also vote.

Sharon Bethke

I'm Sharon Bethke and have a small business that does commercial and residential general contracting.

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Thank you.

Sharon Bethke/Renovate SD

Patrick Casaday
Rock Run Enterprises LLC

I started this business with my father in 2010 to capitalize on the regional energy boom with the Marcellus Shale. My father and I have been in the natural gas industry for a combined 60 years and have seen the ever increasing burden of regulation compliance. The amount of permitting, reporting, licensing, and general compliance that individuals and businesses have to put up with is absolutely detrimental to the economic and energy freedom of Americans.

The area in which we operate is dominated by small business owners of all kinds of services. We have to fight an ever increasing and never ending battle to maintain our existence. By adding more reporting rules and compliance issues, the government is increasing costs and decreasing our ability to operate.

Please enforce existing laws before making more RULES to comply with.

Thank you for understanding our burden.

Amanda Blackburn

I'm Amanda Blackburn, and have a small business that does flooring and cabinet installation.

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Amanda Blackburn
Blackburns Interiors

Trish Corlew
Hip Homeschool Moms and Homeschool Travel Adventures

I've been an entrepreneur for decades. Before leaving corporate America to homeschool my children, I owned an IT staffing company and placed VPs at Walmart and other Fortune 500 companies. I have never seen an environment so anti-small business and it is getting very overwhelming for us to keep up, let alone comply, with all the government requirements to be in business.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule, which Congress passed and unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Hip Homeschool Moms and Homeschool Travel Adventures

Fred Dalton

I have had it dealing with the idiots in Washington. After 35 years in business, they have systemically destroyed small business people but have always backed large corporations mainly because of campaign donations. I'm sick of all of them, especially the Democrats but the Republicans aren't much better.

Most of Congress members have never managed a business. Most couldn't get a real job because they are clueless. I have a saying. Do you know what an inspector is? I failed contractor! That's what Congress is. They have failed in the real world so they've gone to Washington to tell us how to live. Here's a thought, TERM LIMITS! The general public doesn't need you and doesn't want you. Good God, just shut the hell up Congress and get out of our lives.

Fred Dalton
Capitol Renovations LLC

Robyn Blaschak

Robyn Blaschak Consulting, LLC

www.robyn.blaschak.com

I'm Robyn Blaschak and have a small business that does business consulting, bookkeeping & notary services.

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Thank you.

Robyn Blaschak, President/Owner
Robyn Blaschak Consulting LLC.

Erik Eastham
Eastham Law Offices

As an attorney who establishes and counsels many small businesses, I have discovered nearly all my clients are unaware of the requirements FINCEN imposes. The businesses that do, are all accounting firms. I have clients that have chosen to retire and close their business years early rather than comply and none of the accounting firms are willing to assist a business client with the filing; they refer the client to an attorney. Additionally, the rules require the filer (including an attorney or anyone assisting with the filing) to also file with FINCEN, this results. Finally, the fact that FINCEN will not require plaintiffs in *National Small Business United v Yellen* but still require all other small businesses to file is unprecedented! Its illogical to admit unconstitutional for plaintiffs and not in all non plaintiff small businesses.

Joyce Blue
Empowering You Life Enhancement Coaching LLC
empoweringyoulec@gmail.com

I'm Joyce Blue and have a small business that does Women's Empowerment and Money Relationship Coaching.

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Thank you.

Joyce Blue/ Empowering You Life Enhancement Coaching LLC

Isabel Hogue
The Hogue Company LLC
4320 N Monolith Ct, West Lafayette, IN 47906

I am Isabel Hogue, a small business owner. I work from my home selling Medicare Health Insurance Plans. I began my business, operating as a sole proprietor, in 2008.

I ask you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The CTA BOI rule is clearly unconstitutional. It violates my

- Constitutional rights to privacy
- Constitutional right to the presumption of innocence until proven guilty.

The rule puts me and every other small business at significant risk by:

1. requiring us to report personal sensitive information that can be used by hackers and criminals.
2. requiring me to report personally identifying information that can be used by hackers and criminals.
3. setting me up for HIPAA violations in the event of a data breach. HIPAA violations present an enormous liability to my business and to me personally because I am being required to give data to a third party (a government agency) over which I have absolutely no control.

It is frustrating to realize that my decision to protect my sole proprietor business by recently setting up a Single Owner LLC has made me the target of government surveillance and overreach.

If FinCEN really and truly wants to target criminals, then they can use the existing Constitutional means provided through the court system. Government surveillance actions and data collection should not be universally required, but rather, should be selective, court authorized, and based on hard evidence of criminal activity.

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Isabel Hogue, Owner
The Hogue Company LLC

Miranda Boclair

Aeon Wellness Naturopathic Medicine

5005 200th St SW, Ste B, Lynwood WA 98036

I'm Miranda Boclair and have a small business that does primary medical care.

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Miranda Boclair

Aeon Wellness Naturopathic Medicine, Owner

Scott Boles
Well Seasoned Kitchens LLC DBA: Yabos Tacos
scott@yabostacos.com
www.myabos.com

I'm Scott and have a small business in the restaurant business. I feel like we are low hanging fruit to all legislators since Covid. We were told to close our restaurants because of the spread of disease while big box stores and grocery stores that could hold a hundred times more people than our small restaurant were able to stay open to the public and made profits I could only dream of, while I lost more than half a million dollars and closed two of my locations.

Again in this case you're targeting the little guys that are already killing ourselves to try to make a living on a margin that is becoming more and more unachievable due to severe inflation and unreasonable wages we are forced to pay our employees currently.

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Thank you.

Jared Bonner
Crossmark Realty Inc.
www.crossmarkrealty.com

I'm a proud American (US) citizen and have a small business that specializes in Real Estate. I also have several other small businesses - a collection of several LLC's and one S corp.

I am asking you, our government representatives, to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights (and the rights of millions of Americans) to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

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Ted Bowlds
Innovative Perspectives, LLC
Gainesville, VA

I'm Ted Bowlds and have a small business that does aerospace consulting.

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Thank you.

Ted F Bowlds
Innovative Perspectives

Jean Braziel
Statewide Drilling, Inc.

I am Jean Braziel and have a small business that does Water well systems. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you. Jean Braziel Statewide Drilling, Inc.

Victor Ciardi
Ciardi Sheep Company

I am looking to expand my Small Ranch and Training Business and starting a LLC but this is not helping no small business only big businesses , who would be more inclined to launder money for Rich Cartel Bosses as they could hide it much easier then small businesses

This is so unconstitutional it must be stopped in its tracks, And is definitely an overreach of government.

Amy Brotherman
My Three Readers
amy@mythreereaders.com

I'm Amy Brotherman, and have a small business that creates and sells digital and printable phonics activities to teachers and parents of young beginning readers. I began my company in the margins of my day to help pay for my youngest adopted special needs son's therapies, doctor's appointments, and special schooling. Over time it has become a profitable, thriving business.

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Amy Brotherman
My Three Readers
shop.mythreereaders.com

Todd Hess

I am Todd Hess and have a small business that does Consulting Engineering. I am asking that you immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency act's BOI rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to be presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence! The CtaBOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report PERSONAL, SENSITIVE INFORMATION and I.D. that can be used by hackers, fraudsters, and criminals, placing my business and millions of other small businesses at risk. This IS GOVERNMENT OVERREACH and ENDOSCOPIClike! We just want to be left alone and do business as we are LISCENCED TO DO!

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unconstitutionally target AMERICAN SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS.

Thank You,

Todd Hess V.P.

HESS ENGINEERING Calvert City, KY

Brandon Brown

Spokane Spas Inc.

I'm Brandon Brown and have a small business that does hot tub sales and repair.

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Thank you.

Brandon D. Brown Spokane Spas Inc.

Shannon Hill
Ozark welding and repair

I strongly disagree with this bill, I work 12 - 14 hours per day to make sure my people have a job, I have went without myself to make sure my people have a paycheck. So this is just one more hoop a small business has to jump through to be in regulation. Why is it that only small businesses has to file these, why not large ones as well???? Seems almost like we are picked on and singled out. If you need or want to contact me please feel free. Thank you

John Brozovsky
2017 Centre Ave LLC
BrozovskyJohn@gmail.com

I'm John Brozovsky and have a small business that owns and rents one piece of real property and does no other business.

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Lettie Bryant
Pro Environmental Services

I'm Lettie Bryant and have a small business that does Fire and Water Restoration.

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Lettie Bryant
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Dr. Kevin Burkman

My name is Dr Kevin Burkman, I am a true American dream. I failed the 2nd and 6th grade, ended up in the same grade as my younger brother. I was in special education till I dropped out in the 10th grade. I joined Job Corps, got my GED, joined the military got my bachelors, masters and doctorate and served 24 years...retiring as a O-3. I am now the proud owner of Burmerican Nation LLC, we make metal products knives, hand rails sculptures etc, and rehab classic cars. I teach recovering alcoholic and drug addicts with this company. I pocket NO MONEY.

This is a gross over reach of the Federal Government. This new rule is a presumption of and or prevention in a potential violation of a crime that may be commuted like money laundering. Intent to start a company and a launder money of which is a small percentage of the cohort. So we are going to make everyone suffer for the few. That means the government is implying all small business have potential intent. All of which violates several tenants of the Constitution, does it not? To say this rule is to root out and prevent money laundering would not think it to be more reasonable to look at LLC that are off shore registered with-out assets or a physical footprint. A great example that you may not be aware of, however the Biden crime family that meets the definition for a Reco violation.

My small business I use to fund and pay for mentoring and training alcoholic and drug addiction here in Appalachia. Why, because no one else will. It's a big business and nonprofit money sucking machine. If I take Fed money I am then held to your stupid DEI requirements and I would rather spend my time more wisely. I don't do this for fame or fortune. I'm disgusted by the majority of the lack of character and moral values that do not exist with in your halls.

Let me be Frank here, you have a group of snoots that sit up on the hill. That dictate to the outer fringe and tell us what we should or should not do. You have a member that was having an affair with a Chinese spy, you have openly antisemitic members and openly racist members, you have self-serving members that are there to enrich themselves. Yet you don't expel any of them or hold them accountable., because you selfishly self regulate, several of your members on the ethics committees including the chair, are buying stock using insider trading.! You have open prosecution of a political opponent, you have a formers Secretary of State commit treason and involved in gun running. You don't control the purse nor even try to define the lines between the government's branches. What I wrote here is really how the people see you. In you pious buildings up on the hill, selfish and looking down on us. Nothing happening and no one ever going to be held accountable. No one going to jail or charged with a real crime. Nothing changing.

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Brian Burris
Michiana Cabinetworks

This is insanity. You're trying to make criminals out of honest business people. Enough is enough and we will not take it any longer. Many of us pay an exorbitant amount in taxes every year in the last thing we need, nor will we accept this further overreach.

State-Licensed Electrician
[submitted with just initials]

The reason i am writing is because most states that require a skilled tradesperson to hold a professional state contractors license (ex licensed plumber, licensed electrician) are required to set up a registered business in their name. Many states like mine dont have any other state journeyman test, there is only a contractors exam. So, for many professional skilled trades employees, in order to get state licensed, they are required to open an llc/s corp/c corp etc, although they do not even use this "business" license, but only carry the license as employees who have passed rigorous testing(a benchmark). This new ruling would be unfair to people who have a professional license (akin to achieving a degree in the white collar professions) who are merely wishing to excel at their craft by studying and passing masters exams. These people are masters in their crafts. It is bad enough that they are forced to setup businesses they do not use, now they have one more level of red tape and bureacracy to attend to just because they chosr to excel in their field.

Tom Calabrese

Hello -I'm Tom Calabrese and have a small business that does hydrogeological consulting for clients in Oregon, Washington, and California. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule that unfairly targets American small businesses. T

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Tari Carlson
TARI L. CARLSON, P.A.

I'm Tari Carlson and have a small business that does Real Estate sales. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Tari Carlson/TARI L. CARLSON, P.A.

Melinda Golden
Golden Organix LLC

I'm working so hard to keep my family in food.

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How is this only targeting small businesses?

Not larger corporations? Why?

Please stop this.

Melinda Golden

Donna Carroll
Pet's Best Friend

I'm Donna Carroll and have a small business that does Dog walking & Pet Sitting. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you. Donna Carroll/Pet's Best Friend

Mike Chase
Chase Enterprises, Inc.

I'm Mike Chase and have a small business that does Trucking/Owner/Operator. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Jennifer Chinchilla,
GESCO, Inc.,
711 4th Street,
Beaver Falls, PA 15010.

I'm Jennifer Chinchilla, and I am part of a 3 generation small business that does repair and maintenance for the steel industry.

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Thank you.
Jennifer Chinchilla,
GESCO, Inc.

Jonathan Ford

My name is Jonathan Ford, and I am the owner of Richmond Digital Color, Inc., an S-corporation founded in 1998.

As in so many other cases, my government is treating me like a criminal instead of the actual criminals.

Respectfully, congress should immediately overturn the CTA BOI rule, another example of gross government overreach, designed to punish the good guys.

Thank you.
Jonathan Ford

Michael Christiansen
President of Christiansen Wealth Management, LLC

I am Michael Christiansen of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho and have a small business that does investment management and financial planning for families.

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Sincerely,
Michael Christiansen, President of Christiansen Wealth Management, LLC

Michael Hyde
All About Water

The CTA BOI is an unconstitutional 'rule' created by the executive branch, with the power of punishment that can only (legally) be legislated by congress. It is the tip of the spear being thrust into the side of the American economy. This is ultimately designed to eliminate small businesses and allow them to be gobbled up by large 'stakeholder' businesses. The architects of this program want to end Capitalism, and they know that small businesses are the engine of Capitalism.

This is exactly what happened to the small banks after congress 'regulated' the banking industry. What caused the disappearance of the 'Black Wall Street'? They were 'regulated' out of existence by a corrupt congress at the behest of the large banks that did not want to 'compete'. Even Xi Jinping 'decentralized' his banking (reference: Richard Werner interview) and created 500 smaller regional banks once he understood the role that small bank lending has on money creation.

Centralization is the death and decay of industry and our economy. Small business capitalism is the source of innovation and prosperity. Without small business capitalism, the remaining large 'stakeholder' business become soul-less bureaucrats with no accountability and no motivation to improve or innovate. As evidence, I present the health care industry. Delivery and pricing has not improved in the last 10 years.

There were very intelligent, motivated and committed people in the Soviet Union who tried without success to make a centralized economy work. Even China has realized that allowing some (albeit limited) form of 'entrepreneurial' business ownership is the only way to prevent bureaucratic strangulation of all industrial activity. And still, their system does not reward risk-takers, so no one will take risks. All new technology must be 'appropriated' from other countries where creative efforts (and the failure that is part of that risk) is encouraged.

American capitalism has been the engine of technological advancement for well over a century. The everyday lives of each and every person in the entire world is better because of innovations that began here in this country. Do not allow ideologues to push us backwards in time as they attempt to destroy capitalism. America can and should be moving forward to improve health and life for humanity.

Earl Clark
Lightup Discount Tobacco & Glass

I'm Earl Clark and have a small business in the vape industry.

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Thank you.

Earl Clark ""Lightup Discount Tobacco & Glass""

Richard K Clark, PA

I'm self-employed and have a small business that does Home Watches & handyman services.

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Thank you.

Richard K Clark/Richard K Clark, PA

Norman D Clough
Coastal General Construction Inc.
731 Main St Ogunquit ME 03907
coastalgeneral.com

I'm Norman Clough and have a small business that does general contracting.

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Norman Clough Coastal General Construction Inc.

Barry Cohen
AdLab Media Communications LLC

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Craig Collins, Waves of Life LLC

I'm Craig Collins and have a small business that does Network Marketing in the Health and Wellness field. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Craig Collins/ Waves of Life LLC

Jane Conboy;
Bonnie Vale Inc/Twin Tier Fire & Safety Services;
14180 State Route 267 Montrose PA 18801;

I'm Jane Conboy and my husband and I have a small business that does maintenance/repairs on emergency apparatus and sell fire trucks.

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Thank you.
Jane Conboy, Bonnie Vale Inc/Twin Tier Fire and Safety Services

Allen K. Dameron, Dameron & Assoc., LLC

I'm Allen Dameron and have a small business that does personal training.

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Thank you,
Allen K. Dameron, Dameron & Assoc., LLC

Fred Francis
Xenirad LLC

I am a one person business. I do all the work, make all of my product, do all of my own billing, I have no staff.

My business is profitable but I am not large enough to employ staff to keep track of regulations such as this. I understand that you are trying to prevent money laundering but I do not believe that tracking every small business is the right way to do it. I respectfully request that you do not automatically assume that every small business such as mine is guilty of a crime.

Diana Davis
HD Barn and Farm and Two girls and a Tractor

I'm Diana Davis and have a small business that does hauling and delivery of items such as dirt, rocks, mulch as well as light tractor work grading driveways, removing brush and other small tractor work. Not only is our work rewarding we are serving our community by providing fair prices for quality work.

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Respectfully, Diana Davis
HD Barn and Farm and Two girls and a Tractor

Torrey Dawley
Sandpaper Studio, LLC
sandpaperstudio.com

My name is Torrey Dawley, and I own a small business that has provided design and brand strategy since 2006.

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Torrey Dawley
Sandpaper Studio, LLC

Laurens DeBirk
ClearStream Environmental, Inc.

I'm Laurens DeBirk and have a small business that designs and build equipment for water and wastewater treatment plants.

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Jerry DeHart
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Terry Demers
Spray Foam Technologies, Inc.
terry@sprayfoaminsulate.com, sprayfoaminsulate.com

I'm Terry Demers and have a small business that does spray foam insulation.

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Ryan Denke

I'm Ryan Denke and I operate a single member professional LLC for my real estate sales (I'm a Realtor).

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Jeff Dennis LED Concepts USA, President

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Timothy DePalma
TJD Holdings, LLC

I'm Timothy DePalma and have a small business that rents office space to a dental practice. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Leon Desourdy
Coast Company Flooring

I'm Leon Desourdy and have a small business that does flooring contractor.

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Thank you.
Leon Desourdy
Coast Company Flooring.

John Devine
Fit Defense Martial Arts LLC (dba, Boise Studio of Self Defense)
BSSD83709@gmail.com

I have a small business that trains kids and adults in self-defense and karate.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. There is no constitutional right to collect data 'just in case'. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The criminals are not hard to find and DO NOT COMPLY with laws such as this. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners like me, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

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John Devine
Owner, Boise Studio of Self Defense

Suni Devitt CCRA

I'm Suni Devitt - I have a small real estate business and pay my taxes every year.

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Suni Devitt CCRA

Christopher Nakis

My name is Christopher Nakis and I am a 1983 graduate of the Rochester Institute of Technology in Photographic Illustration. Since graduating I have been an entrepreneur, having owned numerous small businesses over the past 40 years. Below is a brief history of my years as a small business owner:

-In 1986, I opened an auto repair business called Nakis Autocare, Inc. (which was an S Corp). This was a business which I owned with my brother and father until I handed the business over to my brother in 1998. The business did close in 2005.

-In 1997, I started a film production company (Whitetail Images, LLC). In 2000, I produced one film titled 'Afterimage' starring John Mellencamp and Lois Fletcher (which is currently streaming on Amazon Prime).

-In 2005, I opened a restaurant with my brother-in-law called Dogtown, Inc., which is firmly established as a local Rochester, New York favorite. Unfortunately, my business partner/brother-in-law, covertly stole the business and I felt I had to leave (from a business I worked so hard to help establish) because I could no longer deal with someone so unethical. There are many details surrounding the circumstances of the Dogtown situation but suffice it to say, my brother-in-law revealed himself, through this process, to be nothing but another typical left-winger.

I am currently employed at a local food distribution company called A&G Meats. This is the first time in over 20 years that I have not been a business owner myself and am working for another company. I've been planning on trying to open a new small business using my photographic skills for an idea for a business, but after listening to you and Glenn Beck regarding the new treasury rules which will be implemented, I am not sure I want to go down that road.

While I do not necessarily have the appetite to remain an employee (because the work I do now is hard and the hours are difficult) I have bills to pay and will continue to work for this company. Clearly, this is how an uncontrolled government with its various agencies stymie the creativity of the individual, who is trying to explore and develop new ideas for commerce. It is discouraging and leaves individuals with few options.

I hope this information might be of some use in your upcoming testimony before congress. I do thank you for your time.

All my best to you and thank you for your part in this fight.
Christopher Nakis

Marcella Dias
5 mile creek natural farms

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Dale Dixon

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Dale Dixon
Dale Dixon Media

J Kyle Dougherty, President
Dougherty Insurance Agency, Inc.
2420 Main St.
Stratford, CT 06615
kyle@doughertyinsurance.com

I'm J Kyle Dougherty of Dougherty Insurance and have a small insurance agency.

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Kyle Dougherty, CIC

Richard Eddy
Home Sweet Homecare, Inc.

I'm Richard Eddy and I have a small business that does non medical in home care for seniors.

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Ronald E. Edwards
Veritas Consulting & Construction Group, LLC.

I'm Ron Edwards, and have a small business that does General Contracting. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Ronald E. Edwards, Veritas Consulting & Construction Group, LLC.

Joseph E. Ellis II
JOE'S RESTORATION & COLLISION LLC
jrcllc07@gmail.com

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Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. I have also spoke to other small business owners in my small community that have no idea that this even exists. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

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Thank you.

Joseph E. Ellis II

Manager of JOE'S RESTORATION & COLLISION LLC"

John S Ellsworth,
Western Trucking LLC,
123 East 820 South
Santaquin, Utah 84655

I'm writin in, and have a small business that does trucking locally.

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Thank you.
Western Trucking LLC

David Fansler
Good Works Wood Shop LLC

I am a small business operator. I make and sell decorative art wood objects for sale to the public. I created an LLC to provide myself some liability protection in the event something goes wrong. Your proposed requirements of unnecessary hoop jumping and registration of this small retirement business is outrageous and I object to it.

If this goes into effect I will just simply dissolve the LLC and more than likely operate as a sole proprietor.
Or just simply shut it down

Guy Ewald

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Guy Ewald FAF Developments

Lynn Charles Ewald, President
Fair Acres Stock Farms, Inc.

I'm owner/operator and have a small business that does agricultural production.

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Lynn Charles Ewald, President
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Sherry Faber
Bad Pony Investments, LLC

Please overturn the CT act. Small businesses are struggling and to have another entity to sign up is more time not spent keeping our businesses afloat.

Hannah Fader
Maria's Properties llc
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I'm Hannah Fader and have a small business that does Property management.

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Hannah Fader
Maria's Properties llc

Randall Fatica
Pack'n On The Pounds LLC

After graduating from High School, I enrolled into an Institute to become a mechanic and graduated with almost a perfect 100%. I lined up a job to work on Harley-Davidsons and then the stock market crash of 2008 hit....

now what..

Got my pilot license. Enrolled into a four year college to become a pilot in the majors. Half-way into my college career the hours to reach my new venture raised substantially, so much so I had to make the hardest decision to end further progression. To continue without foresight would have left me with a lifelong struggle as a flight instructor trying to gain THOSE kinds of hours and not everyone can afford to walk through the door for pilot training. I would have been broke.... Then broke even more as a regional..

now what...

Switched my Major to Air Traffic Control; I believed I could salvage my years of aviation there. As I expected I excelled TREMENDOUSLY so much so that my grades and performance almost equaled a 4.0. My professor was a retired Tower and Tracon controller from Pittsburg and he would say to the whole simulator room (full of students): ""I'll put Randy against anyone - My money is on him"" and ""You're ability to strictly adhere to these standards is amazing""..

So what happened....

Ever since switching to ATC the FAA came out with a Biographical Assessment Test which you had to pass to become a controller and be sent to Oklahoma. I failed that test for 7 years until I was now too old to become a controller.. I would receive a message each time saying ""This test was created by scientists and we have determined you do not have the mental aptitude to excel in this field."" (followed by a Red exclamation).

Come to find out the HR department at the FAA designed this Biographical Assessment Test to be rigged..... The people in the HR department would hand out the answers to certain individuals to gain perfect certainty of passing and being sent to Oklahoma. Oh, and there is a direct quote you can find from this HR department online: ""We determined that it was too WHITE in this field""

I was completely robbed....

Now what.....

Enrolled into a Truck driving school, graduated Top Gun and with ALL HONORS including extraordinary skill. Landed my first job with a mega carrier, went off to train for a few weeks, then covid broke out. They assigned me to my first truck that had NOT been sanitized so I got sick and I MEAN SICK. HR department called me and said ""save your strength, hang in there""... Then they fired me... I continued to be sick for half a year and the other half dealing with lingering symptoms that made it hard to balance to walk and remember things.

Now what.....

Worked up the courage to see if I could land another truck driving job; I did and drove for a year and parted ways due to the company demanding I take unsafe equipment on public roadways. They retaliated by taking my truck with my personal belongings in it, wouldn't tell me where my things were, and most of it was stolen. Including a very expensive rain suit top my Dad bought me.

NOW WHAT.....

My parents started having enough of this unfairness so with their angelic help and all of my money, I started the now current venture: Single Member LLC - Owner Operator...With Inflation so high a \$50,000 truck cost me \$118,000. Truck payment a month \$2395.40 and insurance \$1100 = \$3495.40 just for that... not to mention all the

regulatory expenses, tolls, scale tickets, tools, oil changes, grease jobs, tires, OMG there's so much more and fuel was almost \$6 a Gal....

What now.....

Carol, please, if you receive this... I'm nearing 40 years old, living with my parents, and I can't even afford clothing let alone food. How does one comprehend this cruel treatment, this torment, this manslaughter of one's life.. How could a person who has been robbed of a life possibly launder money!? I barely have cloths to launder! My parents feed me! I suffer excruciating depression, anxiety, my eyes twitch so bad I can't open them sometimes. I'm not the criminal, this system is, this is evil!

This really is too much pain to handle..

Here is my contribution to the pile of letters and added ammunition to have your back as you state the case.

Steven Feldman
The Kipling Feldman, LLC dba Huntington Learning Center Holland, OH
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I'm Steven Feldman and have a small business that does tutoring.

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Steven Feldman
The Kipling Feldman, LLC

Phillip Fienen
MPAC Aviation Services LLC

My name is Phillip Fienen, I am the owner of a small business that does Aviation repairs management consulting. I am a Service Connected disabled Marine. I served my country honorably and swore to uphold and defend the constitution of the United States. Now I find myself intentionally being forced into servitude to the country that I was willing to die for.

I have spent the last week and a half trying to complete the 2023 Annual Integrated Economic Survey which has been a huge burden on me and my business. It has stopped me from being able to continue trying to grow my business in the name of doing my civic duty and I still have hours of work to do to complete this ""census"" form that requires me to reveal all details of my business, all of which is clearly available on my tax forms to the government.

Now I am told that I must comply with the CTA/BOI/Fincen requirements that Congress passed which once again will cause me hours of compliance work instead of growing my business and employing more Americans. ENOUGH IS ENOUGH

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Thank you.
Phillip D. Fienen
AMERICAN VETERAN trying to make a living and create jobs
Owner of MPAC Aviation Services LLC

Nicole Fischer
Hearing-Empowered Learning Pathways, LLC

I'm Nicole Fischer and have a small business that does helps teach children with hearing loss and deafness.

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Nicole Fischer
Hearing-Empowered Learning Pathways, LLC

Maryann Fitzpatrick
Its For The Birds Inc

My name is Maryann Fitzpatrick and I closed my retail pet bird business three years ago. I kept the boarding portion of my business out of my home as a convenience to my former customers, as nobody else in my area provides this service for parrots.

I'm 68 years old, and this remnant of my business nets less than \$25,000/year. How could I possibly be a threat for money laundering?

I ask you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. This is a violation of my right to privacy and presumes I am guilty until proven innocent. It also forces me to give out personal information that could then be vulnerable to hacking.

While large businesses (which would have a much easier time hiding money) are exempt, you are unfairly targeting the little guy. And anyone willing to commit these crimes is unlikely to submit accurate information to FinCEN. Therefore, only the law-abiding small business owners are likely to comply. And the burdensome penalties associated with non-compliance would make us into criminals if we fail to comply even accidentally. Why would you feel the need to threaten someone like me, a senior citizen trying to augment her retirement, with jail terms and crushing fines if I forget to make a minor update to my contact information?

Please, just leave us alone to do our thing, providing needed goods and services to our communities, and remaining contributing members of society.

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Thank you,
Maryann Fitzpatrick
Its For The Birds Inc

Sandy Flom
Sandy Flom LLC & Financial Solutions MN LLC

I'm Sandy Flom and have two small businesses that does Public Accountant and a Financial Planning business.

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Sandy Flom,
Sandy Flom LLC & Financial Solutions MN LLC

Pat Folan
TBS Safety, Inc
8019 Kettig Square
Daphne, AL 36526
<http://www.tbssafety.com>

I'm Pat Folan and have a small business that does safety and compliance in the maritime sector.

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My business exists because big government decided that towing vessels must be inspected and certificated by the USCG. This law, 46 CFR Subchapter M, has destroyed the entrepreneurial spirit in the tugboat industry. It is now almost impossible for a tug captain to buy a tug and go into business because the law has cost the industry so much to comply.

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If you still feel the need to vote on something, then vote on term limits.

Thank you.
Pat Folan
CEO
TBS Safety, Inc

Darrin and Kim French
French Country Farms, LLC

I'm Kim French and have a small business that does weddings and events at our event venue.

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Darrin and Kim French
French Country Farms, LLC

Jo Frisenda
Vantaggio Hair

My name is Jo Frisenda owner and operator of Vantaggio Hair. Vantaggio Hair is my barber shop which consists of one chair and one sink. It is an 11'x8' room and I am the only one that works there.

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Thank you.
Jo Frisenda / Vantaggio Hair

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SALT LAKE CITY UT 84124

I'm Christine Garcia and have a small business that does Real Estate .

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Thank you.

Christine Garcia-GARCIA REALTY LLC

Marissa Garcia-DePalma

I'm Marissa Garcia-DePalma and have a small business that does provides dental care.

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Marissa Garcia-DePalma
DePalma Family Dentistry

Annette Gilman

I am Annette Gilman, my husband and I own a floorcovering business. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information (CTA BOI) rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Small businesses make up the backbone of our great country. We help fuel the economy, providing products and services vital to keeping the economic activity moving and generating employment for ourselves and others in our community. Yet the government always seems to favor big businesses. The CTA BOI rule is just one example of our government tipping the scales in favor of big business.

It is a challenge and, at the same time, a privilege to be a small business owner. We ask to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American Small business owners.

Thank you,

Annette Gilman

Gilman Floors

Michael Glaubig,
Synergic Consulting LLC,

I'm Michael Glaubig and have a small business that does IT Consulting.

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Michael Arthur Glaubig,
Synergic Consulting LLC

Chris Glazier (Information Specialists)

I'm Chris Glazier the owner and operator a small business that does IT consulting work for clients in Northeast Ohio.

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Thank you.

Chris Glazier Information Specialists

Amy Gomme
Stonehorse Ranch

My name is Amy Gomme. I run a vacation rental with my family to help pay for the upkeep of our family farm so we can retain it for future generations to enjoy. We have always obeyed by the laws of this country but agree wholeheartedly that this law is against the constitution. We were never given a choice or were allowed to vote it into law. Carol is right in that this is just going to target law abiding business owners. Criminals will always find a way around this. Also, why are non for Profits and big businesses not a part of this?

Betty Hackney-Biddle RN, BSN, CCRA

I'm Betty Hackney-Biddle RN, BSN, CCRA and have a small business that does Clinical Research Consulting.

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Betty Hackney-Biddle,
President, Hackney-Biddle, Inc.

Darin Hadley

I'm Darin Hadley and have a small business that does concrete subcontract work.

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DARIN HADLEY, NRC CONCRETE

Peyton Haffnerand

I'm Peyton Haffnerand have a small business that does Agronomy work.

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Thank you,

Peyton Haffner

James Halaka, Omega Leaf CBD, LLC

My name is James Halaka, the owner of Omega Leaf CBD, LLC- which is a small business of online retail CBD products.

My wife and I are members of this multi-member LLC, with no other employees.

We are about as small of a "small business" as you can find.

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James Halaka, owner of Omega Leaf CBD, LLC.

Tyrone Hale
Starlitellc

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David Hamill
1313 Enterprises LLC dba Superior On-Site Services
PO Box 339, Middleburg FL 32050. www.superior-onsiteservices.com

I'm an owner/managing member and have a small business that does blind, shade and shutter repairs. I also sell the same if I can't repair them.

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Joe Hansen

To Whom It May Concern,

My name is Joe Hansen, President of a small creative agency in Reno, Nevada called Hansen Creative, Inc.

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Thank you.

Joe Hansen

President

Hansen Creative, Inc.

T Hardey
TAWH Corporation

I'm a 74 year old widow, and have a small business that deters Canada Geese. I am just trying to keep a roof over my head!

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Thank you. Terry Hardey, President / Owner TAWH Corporation

Scott Hardin
Republic Candle Company, LLC

Please, for all sanity, PLEASE quit trying to kill small business! As a small business owner, I feel like the government is my greatest enemy. Between regulations and taxes, it is almost as if one cannot succeed.

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Thank you. Scott Hardin, Owner - Republic Candle Company, LLC

Charles Harte

I'm Charles Harte and have a small business that does sales/marketing promoting US manufacturing.

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Charles Harte; Proficient Sourcing LLC.

Robert A. Hastings
Repco Reps, LLC
1715 Gale St.
Englewood, FL 34223
www.repcoile.com

I'm an entrepreneur and have a small business that does representation for hard surface materials.

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I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, and unconstitutionally target American small business owners. We did not vote for these decision makers. It is unlikely they have owned or operated a small business and have a genuine comprehension of the inordinate amount of time spent complying with government requirements. And now, to be proposed as possible members of a class of criminals is just too much and needs to be stopped immediately. I am saddened to think we are in such low esteem by government employees that are supposed to be working 'for' our benefit and not against America's hard working citizens.

Please immediately revoke all FinCen authority regarding the CTA BOI rule.

Thank you.
Robert A. Hastings, Repco Reps, LLC

Wade L. Hastings
Liberty Floors & Shades, LLC
12321 Mandarin Meadows Dive E.
Jacksonville, FL 32223
WadeLibertyFloor@aol.com

I'm Wade Hastings and I have a small flooring business.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Thank you.
Wade L. Hastings
Liberty Floors & Shades, LLC

Terri Heck

I'm Terri Heck and have a VERY small business that does Chiropractic Wellness.

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Being a small business owner is a challenge. I have a very niche market, normalizing the integrity of the nervous system, which barely makes enough money to be worth the time and considerable effort that is made to help patients live healthier lives. I get no sick days, no vacation, no retirement plan, no insurance plan, unlike people who don't operate a business.

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Please do not make it even more difficult for small businesses to make it.

Thank you.

Terri Heck, DC

In Sync Tonal Chiropractic, PC

Eric Hemphill
K&E Lawn Care

I'm Eric Hemphill and have a small business that does Lawn care.

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Thomas A. Hilgers

Philco & Associates Inc.

I'm the Office Manager at a small business that is a manufacturers' representative and distributor to the manufactured housing and recreational vehicle industry in the Pacific Northwest. We distribute construction materials to manufacturers of mobile homes and RV's in Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Northern California, British Columbia and Alberta.

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Office Manager

Philco & Associates Inc.

Landan Hinson
Movers by the Lake

Hi Carol, I am small business owner that is very concerned about FINCEN requirements. As a small business owner, I have been gearing up to transition my moving company over to a LLC. In light of these new requirements, I am now very concerned about doing so. Im not sure I even want to deal with another big headache like this considering that I believe I am currently exempt from having to file. In addition, it seems like unnecessary risk for my company. It's very disheartening that there's yet another big-government regulation hindering the growth of my business. Thank you for taking concerns like mine to Congress and speaking on our behalf. It means more to me than I can express.

Jennifer Hoag
JJHoagLLC
Jennyhoag@gmail.com

I'm Jennifer Hoag and have a small business that does personal assistant duties for individuals .

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Michael Horn
President / Owner Brice's Sandhill Farm
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I'm Michael Horn, the President / Owner of Brice's Sandhill Farm. I own a small business that raises Registered Texas Longhorns and manages our small family farm. I am a disabled veteran and upon retirement from the United States Navy, I wanted to continue to work and provide for my community. I felt like the best way to do that was to create an LLC to turn my passion for Longhorns and local family farms into a business for me and my family.

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Thank you.

Michael Horn, President/Owner Brice's Sandhill Farm, LLC

Angela Hroncich- Angi's Bookkeeping, Inc

I'm Angela Hroncich- Angi's Bookkeeping, Inc. and have a small business that provides bookkeeping services.

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Angela Hroncich- Angi's Bookkeeping, Inc.

Josh Huber
Ashored Quality Irrigation

I've only this year started my business. I'm taking risks and busting my ass. I already work 4 months of the year to pay federal taxes. File endless paper work. Maintain certain credentials to be able to continue working and I'm tired of it. Leave me the hell alone!

Scott & Kathy Ikier
Ike's Ranch, LLC
169 Titus LN
McCall, ID

I'm Scott Ikier, my wife Kathy and I operate a small ranch business in West Central Idaho. We are a registered breeder for our Lowline Angus cattle where we sell both Fullblood and Purebred breeding stock and beef, raise broiler chickens and have a flock of laying hens. Additionally, we operate a temporary food tent during the Summer at our local Farmer's Market and several local festivals.

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Thank you.

Michael Jessup owner of Michael W Jessup Painting.

Edward Johnson

I'm Edward Johnson and have a small business that does Video Production Services.

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Edward Johnson/Dragon Slayer Productions, LLC

Shawna Johnson
Honest Engine
Honestenginesales.com Honestenginemanager@gmail.com

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Shawna Johnson/Honest Engine

Katie Jones

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Thank you.

Katie Jones/PC EMT

Steven Jones
RiverCity Industries

Small Business are fed up and over tasked just let us do our job. I can't tell you how hard it is today to keep 50 employees and 250 Customers happy. More Taxes and more regulations will just Choke us down even further.

Please help us to make America Great Again!!!

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Steven Jones
RiverCity Industries
President

Cynthia Kelly
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I'm Cynthia Kelly and have a small business that provides mental health counseling. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Cynthia Kelly

Okay Fine Counseling

Waylan R Kelso,
Warrior First Benefits,
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I'm Waylan Kelso and have a small business that helps our military veterans obtain better healthcare.

Let me start by saying that I was a previously unemployed veteran who started this business to help improve the lives of my fellow veterans and their families here in America.

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Thank you.

Waylan R Kelso, Warrior First Benefits

Terrell Kennard

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Terrell Kennard

Better Than New Toner

Martin Kenny

My name is Martin Kenny and have a small business that does cares for horses soundness needs!

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Thank you for your immediate consideration on my behalf! Regards, Martin Kenny Owner/ Operator of sole proprietorship DBA Horses In Symmetry

Adam Kerchner

I am Adam Kerchner and have a small business that does various services.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Adam Kerchner / Kerchner Services, LLC

Justin Kirby

I'm Justin Kirby and have a small business that does water meter changeouts and is a small parts supplier for water utilities.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty, and adds to my workload. It's one more separate place where I could lose my livelihood if I forget to report or make a mistake. We're a small company. I do all the paperwork and cannot yet afford to hire someone to ensure our compliance. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

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Mid Cimarron Investments, LLC

Cheri Kluesener

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I'm Cheri Kluesener and have a small vending machine business that does. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Cheri Kluesener, Owner, Blingo LLC

Virginia Kramer

I'm Virginia Kramer and had a small fitness center (up until we were closed via Covid lockdowns in 2020)

Even though I am no longer in business, I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

Being a small business is difficult enough, especially in today's economy, but this Act takes government interference to the next level! The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Virginia Kramer, former owner of Thrive Wellness, LLC, Grants Pass, OR 97527

William Lambert
Dream Events LLC
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Northampton, PA 18067
610-261-3330
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I'm the owner of Dream Events and my small business helps couples plan their wedding and other important life events .

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Thank you.

William Lambert
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Michael T Lami
Pristine Property of the West LLC
Mike@PristineProperty.net

I'm a Principal Broker of a small business that includes several LLCs working in the real estate industry.

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Michael T. Lami/ Pristine Property of the West LLC

Ron Landrum
Red Mound Ranch

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Alex A. LaRoche
Moser Jewel Company
518 State Route 57
Phillipsburg, NJ 08865

I'm Alex A. LaRoche and have a small business that manufactures critical industrial components for various Defense Contractors.

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David Lawrence
Northern Peaks LLC
dba Garage Experts of Lake City
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I'm David Lawrence and I have a small business that does Epoxy coatings and garage storage solutions.

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Thank you.

David Lawrence

Northern Peaks LLC

Samuel Legard

I'm Samuel Legard and have a small business that does Retail Medical Supplies.

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Samuel Legard
Bridges Medical Supplies

Dr. Bridget Lehmann, NMD

I'm Bridget Lehmann, NMD and have a small business that does Naturopathic Medicine, nutrition coaching and personal training . I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Dr. Bridget Lehmann, NMD (BridgetRae, LLC/Optiva Naturopathic)

Ryan Lerwill
MIR Corp

I'm Ryan and have a small business that is in real estate. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Ryan Lerwill
MIR Corp

Reagan Lewis
Lewis Security and Electric LLC

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty, not to mention that it will turn thousands of people into criminals. This is targeting small businesses while big business and special government related entities are not.

Please overturn this unnecessary overreach. The government is supposed to protect our rights, not trample on them.

Thank you,

Reagan Lewis

Joseph Long

Joseph Long with Newton's Inc. I am a third generation owner in a 100 year old business my grandparents started in 1924. One of my daughter's is the fourth generation and trying her best to keep our hardware business afloat.

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Thank you,

Greg Lundeen

President

Window Pro, Inc.

Underwood, MN

Jeffrey D. Madden
JD Madden Transportation Svc
PO Box 246
Conneaut Lake PA 16316

April 12, 2024

I'm Jeffrey Madden and have a small business that does transportation brokering.

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John Michael Mallory

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John Michael Mallory

John M Mallory Insurance

Jonathan David Maman
Country Gate Productions
11401 Commonwealth Dr #204
Rockville, MD 20852

I'm a digital artist and have a small business that sells stock photography.

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Thank you.

Jonathan David Maman

Country Gate Productions, LLC

Jonathan David Maman
Accounting and Bookkeeping Specialists, Inc
15400 Calhoun Dr Suite 125
Rockville, MD 20855
maman-cpa.com

I'm a CPA and have a small business that offers accounting and taxation services.

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Maman CPA
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James Manzo

I'm James Manzo and have a small business that rents a single family home to a single mother with twin girls.

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James Manzo Co-owner of J@ M Rental

April 9, 2024
Joshua Marklowitz - President
MJM Associates, Inc.
8100 S Akron St Ste 308 • Centennial • CO • 80112
jmarklowitz@mjmassoc.com 303.790.7000 ext 218 mjmassoc.com

I'm Josh Marklowitz, President of our company. We have a small business that represents HVACR & Plumbing Manufacturers to wholesale distributors in nine states around the Rocky Mountains.

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Bobby Mason
Miss Carla's Barbeque Sauce, LLC
Www.misscarlasbarbequesauce.com

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Thank you.

Bobby Mason

Miss Carla's Barbeque Sauce, LLC

Gina McCalister
Mulberry Jeans Accents
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Newburgh IN

I am a woman owned small business. I have worked my rear end off for 20 years in the retail business, which is not for wimps. I have owned this business under several presidents now , also under a lot of challenges ...Covid recessions, personal illness.

I do not need the government to add to my plate . In my experience, the government gets involved iit cost me more money, takes more effort and screws it up. Thanks but no thanks I don't need your help.

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Charles David McCarrick/Micro-Ant

Kirk McDonald II

I am a small business owner. I am the managing partner of an LLC.

We are a small seasonal campground.

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Kirk McDonald II

Lazy Loon Campground

Michael J. McHugh
President
Premier Production Service, LLC
835 Jefferson Heights Ave.
Jefferson, LA 70121

I'm Michael McHugh and I have a small business that sells goods and services to the motion picture and television production business in Louisiana.

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Michael J. McHugh
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Doug McIntosh

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Doug McIntosh, owner

Harvest Ridge Organics, LLC

Lewiston, Idaho

Monika McKeeand

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Monika McKee, CEO

MBI Business Services Inc

William McKibben

I'm William McKibben and have a small business that does Agricultural consulting. I am 72 years old and have been consulting for over 45 years.

I am afraid to quit due the terrible direction in which the country is heading. The continual burden placed on small business from regulations and taxes is definitely taking the fun out of being a business owner forcing me into retirement.

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Thank you.

William McKibben/ Soil Tech Inc.

Kent Miller,
RSM Management Ltd,
PO Box 331 Berlin Ohio 44610.

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Kent Miller

Mark S. Mills
GCS, LLC (Government Contracting Services, LLC)
1360 HWY 6and50
Loma, Colorado, 81524

I'm the owner of GCS LLC and have a small business that does construction contracting for the government and commercial business's.

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Mark S. Mills

President

GCS, LLC

Tom Mills
Tree Pro

I'm Tom Mills and have a small business that does manufacture tree protectors from recycled plastic.

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Thank you.

Tom Mills
Tree Pro

Carrie Mitchell

I am Carrie Mitchell and I am co-owner of a sub-S Corp small family restaurant and food truck company. We have been in business since 2013 and we currently run 2 food trucks and one food hall location. Our family also runs 2 vacation rentals, which are LLC's. We employ and pay taxes on 19 employees.

We play by the rules. We pay our taxes on time. We have attorneys and accountants that help us keep up with the myriad of local, state and federal laws, permits and licenses. So, when the FinCEN regulation was introduced to us through an attorney, I began gathering driver's licenses and addresses. When I had all of the information gathered and in front of me, I realized that I was getting ready to submit the personal information of 6 members of my family to an arm of the federal government that fights criminality. This shook me. And it made me angry.

From my stance, this regulation's focus is on a problem that I find hard to believe is a problem. And until someone proves to me why this regulation targets only small American businesses I remain opposed to its existence.

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Thank you.

Carrie Mitchell

Sarah Mitchum
Virtual Transaction Coordinating, LLC
www.easysvtc.com

I'm Sarah Mitchum, and have a small business that does contracted transaction coordination work for real estate agents.

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Thank you.

Sarah Mitchum / Virtual Transaction Coordinating, LLC

I'm Terry Moench

Terry Moench and have a small business that does Retail Meats. We manufacture smoked sausage, fabricate, marinate, fresh cut Beef, Pork and Poultry. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTABOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to be presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCen wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US Court System, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudster. There by placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The Stated Reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN anyway. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they surely, would not care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because Big Businesses' are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we do not comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the US economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity and create employment for ourselves and others, in my case, myself, my wife and 23 people working for my business and therefore their families. Yet, the US Government always seems to favor Big Businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a privilege and also a challenge to be a small business owner. We just would like to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of our local and US Economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American Small Business Owners. Thank You.

Respectfully yours, Terry Moench/TM Moody's Quality Meats LLC.

Mick Moore
Professional Cleaning Services

I started my business with \$50 in 1986. I wake up every morning with my income at ZERO! SO I have to go out and Create my income for the family. It's difficult enough just paying our taxes every month and year, so you want to further burden us with more regulation!?! All of you must be OUT OF YOUR COLLECTIVE MINDS! We need LESS regulation, not more! I'm DEMANDING you STOP CTABOI! NOW!

Mick Moore

Greg Moran

I'm Greg Moran and I have a small business that does live music entertainment. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

-Greg Moran, Big Bad Stache

This is not right and not fair. Stop it with the oversight and control.

Mike Morehouse
Home Tech Assessments, Inc.,

I'm Mike Morehouse and have a small business that does well and drain field inspection and design. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Michael Morehouse / Home Tech Assessments, Inc. / Ann Arbor, MI 48108

Rick Morral

My name is Rick Morral. My brother, Terry and I are partners in a LLC. Our business was started by our dad, Thomas C Morral SR with his wife, my mom, Carol in June of 1964, age 26, 2 kids with one on the way. My old man started Morral Farm Supply with not enough money to make change for the customers he was hoping for.

Dad, ole' Tom, as he would say, passed away in July 2016. He was 78. The day he passed he was with my brother at a livestock sale at a county fair helping the kids with projects.

We were told that an LLC was best option for tax purposes, as my brother and I had inherited the business.

This business is our life, since Dad's death we have been blessed enough to expand our operations, mostly because our dad had the SENSE to know to be frugal, watch the grain markets.

Morral Farm Supply provides quality goods and services; helping the community as best we can. We help feed people thru agricultural feeds, growing livestock, maintaining horses, growing gardens.

If we didn't stand at this moment, it would be injustice to my mom and dad. I believe this is my hill to die on. No, No, NO...the business has enough agencies to answer to , FDA, USDA, PA Dept of Ag.

Just a side note, we are located in Bedford County, PA. Within a 120 mile radius of the Washington DC and Baltimore mess.

God bless your work, and I would be more than happy to stand behind you in your testimony to our weak knee legislators.

Ricky L Morral Morral Farm Supply LLC

Michael Mortrud, Coastal Financial, Inc.,

I'm Michael Mortrud and have a small business that does mortgage lending. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Michael Mortrud/Coastal Financial, Inc.

Scott E. Moser, Moser Funeral & Cremation Service
3501 11th Avenue, Evans, Colorado 80620
www.moserfuneralservice.com

My name is Scott Moser and I have a small business that provides funeral services to the public.

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Thank you,

Scott E. Moser

Moser Funeral & Cremation Service

Tim Murphy
Brothers Masonry LLC and Brothers Ventures LLC
brothers_masonry@yahoo.com,brothers-masonry.com

I'm Tim Murphy and have a small business that does Masonry services and home restoration. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Brothers Masonry LLC and Brothers Ventures LLC

Kris Nelson
III Oaks video production
Jones, OK

I'm founded III Oaks video right out of college over 30 years ago.

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I am not a criminal. I have honestly operated my business for over 30 years. I have been audited once and have absolutely NOTHING to hide. Early this year I was in my accountants office looking at an ENTIRE wall of books and bookshelves of laws. I'm no expert but it appears to me that "you've got it covered".

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Kris Nelson, III Oaks

Felicia Netti

Yetty's Pizza. & Pasta,LLC

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feliciayettys@gmail.com

www.yettys.com

I'm a restaurant owner of 43 years, purchased in 1891 and have a small business that has been serving the Mohawk valley proudly since 1952 (the year the restaurant opened originally)

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Felicia Netti owner operator

Yetty's Pizza & Pasta ,LLC

Tammie Neville

To Whom It Should Concern:

The regulation on small business is already out of control. I am asking you to overturn the CTA BOI rule. Fincen can do its job and work hard just like we do to get the job done.

We have barely enough people to get our work done on a day to day basis despite working 7 days a week! It is crazy to think our elected officials would hinder and inflict harm on the economy further and require small businesses who have been struggling since Covid (due to crazy laws and rules inflicted upon us). Enough is enough. Stop going against the American entrepreneur. It is becoming blatantly obvious you do not want us to succeed. Who will clothe and feed you when you smother us all!

Sincerely

Tammie Neville

Small business owner
6F Livestock LLC

John Niemann

Plumbum Casting Co.

I'm John Niemann and have a small business that does metal casting.

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John Niemann / Plumbum Casting Co.

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Rent~A~Copter LLC.

I'm John Niemann and have a small business that does helicopter flight training.

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John Niemann / Rent~A~Copter LLC.

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Heat Sink Inc.

I'm John Niemann and have a small business that does commercial heating and air conditioning.

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Thank you.

John Niemann / Heat Sink Inc.

Bill Nieters

I have a small business that employs my son in law, daughter, myself and one more person. We are having a hard time and the longer the Biden policies are in place the harder things are getting. Higher interest rates, depressed economy, I'm 64 years old and having to work to be able to make payroll for the others.

The FINCEN requirements are ridiculous. The government can already figure out who owns what and who is sending money to terrorists etc. The fincen law wants our data to be able to spy on our financial business and especially with this current tyrannical administration I don't want anything to do with them.

We are considering closing down at this point and the fincen is the final straw.

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Bill Nieters

Brian Nordland

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Brian Nordland, Aaron Nordland
Wildlife Designs Taxidermy Studio

RAY NORTON
RAY NORTON TIRE & AUTO CENTER
2606 BEMISS ROAD, VALDOSTA, GA 31602

I'm Ray Norton and have a small business that does retail sales for auto repair, tires, and truck accessories.

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Thank you.

RAY NORTON

RAY NORTON TIRE & AUTO

Paul O'Neill
O'Neill Arborist & Associates, Inc
3 Curtis Dr.
Hendersonville, NC 28739

I'm Paul O'Neill and have a small business that provides tree health care and consulting services.

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Paul O'Neill

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Steven Oleksiak
Steven Oleksiak Flooring Installer

I'm Steven Oleksiak and have a small business that does flooring installation and other handyman jobs.

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Steven Oleksiak

Owner at Steven Oleksiak Flooring Installer

Tony Oliverio

I'm Tony Oliverio and have a small business that owns and leases commercial real estate.

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Anthony Oliverio

ADO Enterprises LLC

Wanda Oprica
Sunlit Property Services
sunlitpropertyservices@gmail.com
Sidney, MT

I'm Wanda Oprica and have a small business that does property services.

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Wanda Oprica

Sunlit Property Services

Christopher Osmun
Premier Photography, Inc.
616-784-9750
premierphoto@att.net

I'm Christopher Osmun and have a small business that does School and Youth Sports Photography.

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President
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Bill Owens

I'm Bill Owens and have a small business that does Custom countertops for residential and multifamily homes

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Bill J Owens, President, The Top Shop, Inc.

Peter Passaretti

In the words of POTUS Ronald Reagan "In this present crisis, government is not the solution to our problem; government is the problem."

I am Peter Passaretti and have a small business that does ecommerce.

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Thank you.

Peter Passaretti
P-Squared Services, LLC.

Chris Paulus
PAULUS WELL DRILLING, INC.

I am a small business owner that drills and services water wells for light industry, small farms and residential use.

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Thank you,

Chris Paulus

President/Owner of Paulus Well Drilling, Inc.

Christopher Pedigo
Legacy Trans LLC

I am not a king time business owner but may soon be out-of business if Congress intends to further fight against us law abiding members of this country. We will not comply with Tyranny.

Rick Pence
Rlak, LLC.

I object to forced registration of my personal LLC business with any entity in the federal government. freedom of honest small businesses must prevail. The Cartels will not be registering so why should I have to? Thank you.

Gary A Perkinson

All Creation Landscapes

Office@allcreation.net, allcreation.net

I'm Gary A Perkinson and have a small business that does commercial and residential landscape design and installation. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Gary A Perkinson, All Creation Landscapes

Frank Pezzulo, Turning Point Tool LLC, 135 Dodge Street Rochester, NY 14606,

I'm Frank Pezzulo and have a small business that does manufacturing of plastic injection molds.

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Thank you.

Frank Pezzulo, Turning Point Tool LLC

Michele Pfaff

My name is Michele and my husband Alan Pfaff has a small business. He is a carpenter and works very hard and long hours.

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Thank you.

Mark Pledger

I'm Mark Pledger and have a small business that does work on General Aviation Aircraft.

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Mark Pledger
Flite Electronics Inc.

Brandon Pope
Clear View Holdings, LLC

I am Brandon and I have a small business that engages in e-commerce retail sales.

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Brandon Pope

Clear View Holdings, LLC

James Powell/ Exceptional Dentistry

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information (CTA BOI) rule passed by Congress.

Not only does it violate my constitutional rights but puts an unfair burden on me and my limited resources.

The penalties for non compliance are extreme and detrimental to me and my business.

I am doing so much work for the government without any compensation that I don't need anymore.

Also you act as if I am making money from mistakes from over-sites by fining me.

It's hard to be profitable in today's inflationary environment yet the government wants to fine me at every turn if I forget to do something the government requires.

You are requiring too much. I need time to treat patients and not spending it doing paper work and filling out forms. This is unfairly targeting small businesses that have limited resources.

I am asking Congress respectfully to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCen and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any other rule that violates the constitutional rights of small business owners. Thank you.

James Powell/ Exceptional Dentistry

John Radvansky, Juniors Automotive & Truck Accessories, Inc., 245 Freeport Rd, Creighton, PA 15030,

My name is John Radvansky and have a small business that does auto repair and sells truck/car accessories. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

John Radvansky, Juniors Automotive & Truck Accessories, Inc.

Dustin Randall

I'm Dustin Randall and I own the business represented by the web site CertifiedAmerican.us. Our entire focus is to make it easier for Americans to find and purchase US made products. Our goal is to improve the economics of American cities where manufacturing is still taking place.

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Creating an LLC is supposed to provide me with protections against issues and concerns that come with trying to increase the purchase of American made products. My business is a direct effort against the goals of our economic adversaries. Should this system be accessed by state actors of those adversaries, or those sympathetic to their goals, it would certainly provide enough information to directly attack my personal information and assets.

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I have spent hundreds of hours completing quarterly reporting managing sales tax payments in almost every state. We don't need more government oversight! We need decreased requirements and increased opportunities for growth that allow us to hire additional workers and continue to improve economies near us or our vendors. Many of the vendors we work with are also small business owners. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress, on behalf of my family and the other small businesses we work with, to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you and best regards,

Dustin Randall
Founder and Managing Member
Certified American LLC

James Ray
James Ray Landscaping LLC

I'm James Ray and have a small business that does landscaping. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Seth Reichenbach
RDL Dental Lab and Milling Ctr. LLC
RDLdesign@yahoo.com located in Sarasota, FL

I'm Seth Reichenbach and have a small business that does Dental Restorations.

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Thank you.

Seth Reichenbach

RDL Dental Lab and Milling Ctr. LLC

Keith Rich

I'm Keith Rich and have a small business that does HVAC.

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Keith Rich

Jordan Heating and Air Conditioning LLC

Adam Richards
1up Amusements

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Valerie Roberts

I'm Valerie Roberts, and have a small business that does hair, beards & nails.

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Thank you.

apPIERances barbering & salon

Brian Saha,
Pinconning Cheese Co.,
topprobrian@hotmail.com,
www.pinconningcheese.com,
PO Box 926,
Pinconning, MI 48650.

I'm Brian Saha and have a small business that does gourmet foods, wholesale and retail. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.
Brian Saha, Pinconning Cheese Co.

Alan Schalk

Tierra del sol Automotive

2031 1st ST

Alamogordo, NM 88310

I'm Alan Schalk and have a small business that does automotive repair and service. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Alan Schalk

Tierra del sol Automotive

Nicholas Scheel
Untamed Construction LLC

I'm Nicholas Scheel and have a small business engaged in design-build remodeling in Spokane Valley, Washington.

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Nicholas R. Scheel; Owner
Untamed Construction LLC

Nick Scheel
DFS/NRS LLC

I'm Nicholas Scheel and have a small business holding company in Spokane Valley, Washington.

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Thank you.

Nicholas R. Scheel; Partner
DFS/NRS LLC

Shannon Schlotter
JSS Truckn, LLC.
Missrudy69@gmail.com

I'm small business owner and have a small business owner of single truck operation.

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Shannon Schlotter

Stevan Sedwick

I'm Stevan Sedwick and have a small business that both remodels and rents houses.

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Stevan Sedwick, Steadie Properties, LLC

Craig Sevde

I'm Craig Sevde and have a small business that does apparel branding.

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Craig Sevde

Blue Anchor USA, LLC

Megan Shaw
Just Call Me Insane

I am a small business owner - currently on my own, which means a lot of paperwork is my responsibility. Adding this extra filing system does nothing but put more strain on me, give me more senseless work to do, and take away precious time that could be used running my business from speaking to customers, advertising, or working on new product.

It is difficult for smaller businesses to keep up with the increasing demand of systems to register for, as we do not have the flexibility to just hire someone to help compared to large corporations. Not to mention the amount of conflicting information out there that requires a new business to even start can turn an innocent entrepreneur into what you would consider a criminal, should this form not be filled out. This would absolutely prevent many from starting their own business, which can be both damaging to a family who could rely on that income, or the community, which always thrives best when small business exists.

Please reconsider this, as it does more harm than good.

John Shearer

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John Shearer

JT Shearer Construction & Excavating, LLC

Joe W. Shelton

I am Joe W. Shelton who owns Golden Eagle Drilling Corp. I own this small business and drill household use water wells. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information rule passed by the Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Respectfully,

Joe W. Shelton

Golden Eagle Drilling Corp.

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Terry Sheppard

I'm Terry Sheppard and have a small business that does Generator sales and repairs.

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Terry H. Sheppard,

Piedmont Generator and Equipment Co. Inc

D. Steven and P. Tony Shoemaker
Sticky Rice LC

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Donald Silberbauer

My Name is Donald Silberbauer and my company's name is Model Memories. I have a small LLC business that does manufacturing for the hobby industry - website modelmemories.com.

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Thank you.

Donald Silberbauer - owner

Model Memories, LLC

David F. Simpson, DO
The Primer Pocket, LLC
POB 7
39 Birdtail Creek Road
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I'm Dave Simpson and have a small business that does gunsmithing and sells shooting related equipment.

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David F. Simpson, DO

Linda Skapura

Sandy Key Condo 524

Pensacola, Florida

I'm Linda Skapura and my husband and I have a small business of short term rentals. Our expenses to run a business are far and plenty. We have an attorney that we must pay, a CPA and then there are the federal, state and local filings that are required just to stay in business. This is in addition to the fed, state and local taxes on top of insurance and maintenance of the unit. It is hard just to break even. We are not wealthy people. We are just trying to supplement our retirement. Presently the IRS and state IRS already have access to our business reporting. There really isn't any need to go further.

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William Skees
F@QS, L.L.C.

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All of us business owners have already registered our business entities within our respective states. This is a redundant exercise and a waste of time for people already taxed with not enough hours in the day.

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Erin Smith
Cultivating Connections Travel Planners
www.cultivatingconnectionstravelplanners.com
P O Box 1686
Noble, OK 73068

I'm Erin Smith and have a small business that provides leisure travel services to my community.

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Erin Smith/Cultivating Connections Travel Planners

Robert W. Smith

I'm Robert W. Smith and I have a small business that that is a retail store in Columbus, OH.

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Robert W Smith

Woodcraft of Columbus

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Scott Smith dba Cimarron Sunrise RV & Camping at 56895 S Highway 48 Terlton OK 74081.

I am in the process of opening my first business, an RV park, by investing all of my retirement into this project. In addition to my retirement, I am taking out a loan that is about 5 years of my gross income putting me at maximum SSA benefits.

I am demanding that you immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. IF I WANT TO BE TREATED AS A CRIMINAL, I'LL CONTACT THE IRS (ANOTHER AREA YOU NEED TO FIX). If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

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Scott Smith

Cimarron Sunrise RV Resort LLC

Tyler Smith

I'm Tyler Smith and I have a small business that does managed cyber security and cyber insurance for small and medium sized business and we also host websites.

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Thank you.

Tyler Smith, Partner, Co-founder,

Dark Rhiino Security Inc.

Kimberly Ann Smylie

I am Kimberly Ann Smylie, CVT email k_smylie@yahoo.com, phone number 3073512714 owner of Advanced Animal Care, LLC - a S-Corp at 930 Brownfield Road Douglas, Wyoming 82633 work number 3073581125 www.advancedanimalcarecenter.com. I'm a co-owner of stated business and have a small business that provides veterinary care and supplies.

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Thank you.

Kimberly Ann Smylie, CVT co-owner Advanced Animal Care, LLC

Michael Dean Smylie

I am Michael Dean Smylie, DVM email deansmylie@yahoo.com, phone number 3073510238 owner of Advanced Animal Care, LLC - a S-Corp at 930 Brownfield Road Douglas, Wyoming 82633 work number 3073581125 www.advancedanimalcarecenter.com. I'm a co-owner of stated business and have a small business that provides veterinary care and supplies.

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Brian T. Snyder

I'm Brian T. Snyder, President and co-owner of Architectural Concrete Solutions, Inc. We are an S-Corp that continues to struggle thru taxes, regulations and every stumbling block laid down by external forces to take care of 19 families represented by our company. With each passing year, there are more and more hoops to jump thru and stumbling blocks that make it more and more difficult for small business to survive. I feel like we are entering into a real life version of The Hunger Games. As long as we feed the Capitol, we are useful. However, the Capitol does not reciprocate towards the people. We are being crushed by the government by way of taxes and regulations.

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Thank you,

Brian T. Snyder, President / Owner

Architectural Concrete Solutions, Inc.

Sherri Southwell
StinkClean.com

I have a small business that does odor removal.

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Thank you.

Sherri Southwell, Owner StinkClean.com

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Bellmore, NY 11710
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April 9, 2024

Gentleman:

I'm the owner of a small management consulting firm located in the NYC Metropolitan area.

The Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress is another example of over-reach and under-thought by our elected leaders.

Since I am a small business, you feel that my privacy doesn't matter, in your guise for stopping money laundering. This misguided effort, on top of all the other laws, rules and policies of our tax, banking and law enforcement community just makes zero sense.

Let's not forget that this is directed at small businesses, not larger companies.

The definition of a criminal or criminal act is a person who does not follow the law. Do you really think someone money laundering is going to either a) comply or b) give you a truthful response?

The system FINCEN has created to capture the data puts my information at risk. I am already a victim of the hack of the U.S. Office of Personnel Management (OPM) a few years back. If the US Government, banks, AT&T, a myriad of Insurance Companies can be hacked, why would I believe that FINCEN is immune.

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Thank you.

Wayne Spivak

President

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Tom Sporich

I'm Tom Sporich and have a small business (Triangle Adhesives) that does sells industrial adhesives. I am a one-man operation.

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Thank you.

Jakob Sprinkle
Tiny Blessings Preschool

To start and run a small business in this country is probably the hardest thing that anyone will do in their life. There are so many requirements that you have to meet and forms to fill out so that you are doing it the right way and none of this is taught to you, all of it has to be self taught through your own research. Small businesses are hit the hardest by this because all of this administrative work has to be done by the owner because they cannot afford to hire someone to do it for them. So on top of running a business and trying to keep it profitable, you are required to jump through all of these hoops setup by the government just so they will allow you to run your business. Not to mention how much of the top line revenue goes directly to taxes and is basically stolen because of how this money is mismanaged and corruptly spent. The number of things that we have to do to prove that we are not committing crimes in a "free country" is out of hand and has to stop.

Glen A. St. Clair

Ladies and Gentlemen,

We are a family owned wedding and event center. All of our information is already available to the government as we are an LLC with Federally supplied Federal Employee Identification number.

We file Federal and State income taxes. Our employees file State and Federal income taxes. We have been in business for 15 years.

However if we miss this particular deadline we become a criminal. In my opinion if your intent is to go after money laundering and Cartels, then let's use hard evidence to do so. We respectfully ask that you overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership information and any other rules that unfairly and unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you ,

Glen A. St. Clair

Ranch of the Saints LLC.

Autumn Stan
Shaw Farms, LLC
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My name is Autumn Stan, and have a small business selling grass-fed beef, and humanely raised pork and chicken. My father, sister, and I began this business together two years ago in order to provide ourselves and our community with healthy meat options. We are a very small business, but pour our hearts into caring for our animals and providing the best quality meat we can.

I am appalled to hear of this new rule passed by Congress which requires us to file unnecessary paperwork, and the penalties for failing to file are beyond absurd. We run our small business in our spare time, in between working jobs off the farm, homeschooling our children, and maintaining our households. This requirement is onerous, and oversteps our right to privacy and our right to be presumed innocent until proven guilty.

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Thank you.

Autumn Stan

Shaw Farms, LLC

Wayne Starn,
Starn Technologies Inc.
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Mount Airy NC 27030

I'm Wayne Starn and have a small business that does IT and information services.

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Starn Technologies Inc.

Derek Stephens

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Derek Stephens FIXXER Automotive LLC

Dennis Stewart

My name is Dennis Stewart. I am the founder and majority owner of Centric Corporation, Inc incorporated as an S-Corp in the State of Idaho. I opened my business in January 2001 and have worked in it and on it for 23+ years. It has survived several economic downturns and has finally grown to the point that I have three employees beside myself. We build electric power monitoring systems for commercial/industrial applications. Our primary market now is designing and installing power monitoring in large data centers.

I have watched politicians for years, including my own senator and congressmen tell how they love small business. I have concluded that these statements are just political clap-trap because it is clear that the federal government and virtually all of our elected representatives hate small business and want to do everything they can to kill all of them.

I saw it happen in Covid when small businesses were targeted while big businesses continued to operate at full speed. Now I see it once again with the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress. Corporate Concealment Act to Kill Small Business.

I know that none of you know how hard it is to start and keep a small business operating. The failure rate for small business is incredible. I have beat the odds but the federal government, aided by a congress that wants nothing to do with small business except for taxation and votes seems determined to make it as difficult as possible to create and run a small business. The excuse for this rule is incredible. You want to identify money laundering. Well why don't to try looking in your own house first. Members of congress become rich while serving while people like me are trying to survive and make payroll. I, like virtually all small business owners, don't have time to play money games, we are too busy meeting customer needs and making payroll.

This act passed by congress over a presidential veto is just one more example of how out of touch you all are. This kind of rule just throws fuel on the fire for those of us who no longer trust that government cares about the people they are supposed to serve. If you keep this up long enough you will totally destroy small business and with it the greatest economic story the world has ever known. Small business is the real capitalism. Big business is the adulterated counterfeit that is now joining the fascist concept of public-private partnerships that will ruin our country.

If you really care about small business this is your chance to demonstrate it. Eliminate these new rules that penalize small business and leave us alone to serve our customers and our employees. We don't need or want your help. We just want you to stay out of the way and keep the federal bureaucracy at bay and out of the way.

Thank you

Dennis Stewart

Chief Executive Officer\Majority Owner

Aaron of Northern Steel buildings and construction, aaron@northernsteel.net,

I am small business that does construction work.

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Aaron Stoker

Daniel Strang

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Quality Handyman Solutions

Kenneth Sunday

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Kenneth Sunday

Structural Applicators, Inc.

PS. I'm sick of all government overreach on my connotational rights.

Jodi Sunderman
Venn Market Strategies
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I'm Jodi Sunderman and have a small business that does brand marketing. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Venn Market Strategies

Brian Suter

I'm Brian Suter and have a small business that only does two residential rentals.

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I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like my LLC and being a target of government overreach.

I chose this LLC entity simply for insurance purposes to protect myself from zealous laws suits which are unfortunately too common these days. These new rules will break the veil of protection my LLC offers me as a flow-through LLC. LLCs are the only way to take full advantage of the tax codes while limiting my personal exposure from the LLCs I manage.

The new rules also offer no protection from any internet hackers that is now afforded by state-to-state registration laws that govern and protect LLCs from unwanted usage of any such information discovered to ONLY be used through legal due processes during litigation through the court system.

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Thank you.

Ridgehouse on West Park, LLC. - Sole Manager - Brian Suter., Friday, April 12, 2024

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Hart Pest Control

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I'm Tracy Swain and have a small business that does Pest Control.

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Julia Taylor, CPA

As a Certified Public Accountant, I wanted to state my concerns on the requirements of reporting FinCEN's Beneficial Ownership Information because of the impact to the small business community.

Many small business owners only see their CPA once maybe twice a year. I learn that they have formed an LLC, LLP, Corporation or S Corporation many times a year or more after the formation of these types of entities.

This time line could be past the filing dates to FinCEN which immediately could result in steep civil and criminal penalties.

Because of these steep civil and criminal penalties, I am considering not filing these BOI reports because I cannot afford these penalties, either monetary fines or prison time. This could force my clients to either seek others who will file these reports only to be charged high fees or worse, being hit by scammers out there that will take advantage of the business owners.

These scammers will be long gone by the time its discovered there is a problem, and then the spiral of civil and criminal charges will began and take innocent small business owners liable for these charges.

This information for the filing is private and is prime target for scammers. There is also the confusion on the court cases related to NSBA v. Yellen. Because of the confusion of why one entity can be exempt from the filing because of being unconstitutional, why isn't it the same for all the other entities.

This is very confusing to small business owners who are just trying to do the right thing and make a living at the same time.

This reporting unfairly targets American small businesses by violating their rights to privacy and by presuming innocence until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

Thank you - Julia Taylor, CPA

Lex Taylor III
LMTJ Estate, LLC
Lexmtaylor@yahoo.com

I'm Lex Taylor and have a small business that does manages a couple mortgages owned by my deceased father for the benefit of myself and four siblings.

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Thank you.

Lex Taylor for LMTJ Estate, LLC

Glenn Thore
Vice President of Thore Unlimited, LLC

I'm a vice president and have a small business that does exercise online training.

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Your Hidden Refunds

41 W Hwy 14; Spearfish, SD 57783

Richard Stephan Toman

I'm Richard Stephan Toman and have a small business that does sculpture and specialty woodworking. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? As an artist I am having a hard enough time trying to make my way against the tsunami of competition from cheap foreign junk: I don't need to be hamstrung any further by my own government. Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Richard Stephan Toman

Kris Upson
Sage River Massage

Government over reach, keep out of my small business. Government, go after real criminals that brake the laws over and over.

Elizabeth Van Valkenburgh
Tax Maam LLC

I am a small business that provides bookkeeping and tax preparation for other small businesses. I am past retirement age and this is how I supplement my SS benefits. I'm not building an empire, just supplementing.

I had an extremely successful IT career for 40 years, laid off twice during the recession and having a small business that affords me the necessary work and income to survive is what now keeps me active.

With bookkeeping and tax preparation, I have a greater knowledge and responsibility of confidentiality for my clients and when I first became aware of the BOI I was shocked as well as annoyed.

It was clear to me that this was government overreach, pure and simple. The IRS already has much of this data requested and there is no clear need for another department to collect this much data.

FinCen has a shady history and hasn't proven itself to be in agreement with the needs/wants of its citizens. Too many others (including foreign countries) can ask for this data without informing anyone that they're subject of an investigation. We've already seen other entities mis-use and falsely accuse our citizens of criminal acts without proof (FISA Court, anyone?) and I have no confidence that this data will be protected against data breach, bribery or simple acts of self-interest.

I am so angry that data is currently being collected and will never be deleted regardless of congressional or court action. A federal district court found the entire scheme to be unconstitutional and yet somehow only against the particular plaintiffs. I have no understanding how that works only for those plaintiffs. I was under the impression that there is only one Constitution and it only provides a few authorities for the federal government and this is not one of them.

Our banking institutions have the knowledge, experience and data to create suspicious activity reports already. Even this has been misused wherein a certain US family's SARs were ignored and no one cared. Having a database that can easily be enhanced and increased to target specific owners and individuals will surely be done (with my 40 years experience, I could have that all scoped out by tonight and I presume that has already been done). I say all this without even having to address the outrageous fines attached to the failure of keeping records updated.

State BMVs (DMVs) have regulations that require informing them of new address within 10 days in my state, but there's no such enforcement nor outrageous fines for not doing so.

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Gaylon Van Winkle

Sacramento Mountain Print Works, LLC

SMPrintworks@gmail.com /

My husband and I have a small business that does screen printing and embroidery locally, in Otero County.

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Gaylon Van Winkle

Sacramento Mountain Print Works, LLC

Stephen Vogel

Strowger inc, Paradise by the sea llc, 2011 LLC, 2012 LLC, 2013 LLC, etc

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I have numerous small businesses, mostly asset protection LLC s for rental properties but also more active companies too. Narcissists at city, county, state and federal level have passed so many pointless regulations that it is impossible to keep track of them all. In order to own a business you must first be willing to break some uncountable laws.

We have too much government. It's time for massive federal layoffs.

Linda Wade
Wade Renovations Inc

I'm Linda Wade and have a small business that does construction.

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Thank you,
Linda Wade

Barbara J. Wallace

My name is Barbara J. Wallace and I am the owner of Corporate Concepts Etcetera, LLC. Email: babsbiz92@gmail.com, web address: www.corporateconceptsetc.com.

I started my business September 2, 1992 and have a small business that sells gifts, awards, floral design, staging and whatever else the imagine create for corporations and small businesses.

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Thank you. Barbara J. Wallace, Corporate Concepts Etcetera, LLC.

Kyle Warmington

I am sick and tired of being treated as the potential criminal in this nation. Spend more of your time going after actual criminals instead of thinking of new ways to burden small businesses across this nation. This new interest in having us register again with your IRS is absurd. You already have our information, you already receive a ridiculously complicated Tax Return costing me enough money to have to pay a bookkeeper, accountant and assistant to make sure we follow all your stupid rules and guidelines. Stop wasting our time and money and do your freaking jobs to take care of our nation's security, infrastructure and enforcing our CURRENT LAWS instead of chasing after business people that are employing the people of this nation!

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Small Business Owner and ANGRY CITIZEN!
Pakmail

Dr. Adriana Warne, DNP, FNP-C
The Mama Coach - Adriana Warne PLLC
adriana.warne@themamacoach.com, adriana-warne.themamacoach.com,
Mesa, AZ

I'm Dr. Adriana Warne and have a small business that does provides holistic mobile medical care and prenatal/postpartum/CPR educational services.

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Dr. Adriana Warne, DNP, FNP-C, The Mama Coach - Adriana Warne PLLC

Daniel Wayman

Members of Congress,,

I own my own business. I am working like hell to just repair the damage done to my business by onerous government restrictions during the Covid time.

This new law will do absolutely nothing to curb illicit activity, but will merely put an additional and quite unnecessary burden on me as I try to provide for my family. Anyone who thinks that criminals will pay attention to this law or any law is so stupid that they surely must be in Congress.

Please prove my above statement wrong and get rid of this moronic and useless legislation.

Regards,

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Owner, Selkirk Solutions, LLC

Gregory J Beretta

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Gregory J Beretta President

Beretta Bros. & Associates, Inc.

Casey Peltier

I'm Casey Peltier and have a small business that does Real Estate.

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Casey Peltier

Peltier Properties

Daniel Peltier

The Peltier Company

Hi,

I'm Daniel Peltier and have small businesses that do roofing, real estate and other real estate based businesses and rentals.

The above name is just one of our family owned businesses that will be negatively impacted by this ludicrous overreach of the government.

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The Peltier Company

Ronald N. Quinn

I am Ronald N. Quinn, an officer and part owner of a Sub-S/LLC business, engaged in energy development and production. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress. It unfairly targets American S-Corp and LLC businesses.

The CTA BOI rule has been deemed by court proceedings to be unconstitutional. The rule violates rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN's desire is to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule creates massive privacy issues, requiring companies to report personal confidential information and identification documents that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of innocent citizens at risk.

The reason asserted for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is incredibly naive for anyone to believe that an individual engaging in such unlawful acts would comply with the CTA BOI rule and voluntarily submit accurate information to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to legitimate, law-abiding businesses, but it exposes businesses and individuals to criminal prosecution without evidence or justification, even if violations are inadvertent. Law-abiding business owners should not be threatened with jail time and financial penalties. S-Corp and LLC businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. At the very least, the CTA BOI rule should be suspended until court proceedings on its constitutionality have been fully adjudicated and resolved through the U.S. Supreme Court. Thank you.

/s/ Ronald N. Quinn

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Jo Everitt

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I'm Jo Everitt and have an LLC.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement.

Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys.

It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Jo Everitt, Managing Member Collinsville LLC

Karyn Lefebvre

Cassatt Enterprises, LLC

I am a partner/owner of Cassatt Enterprises, LLC and have established a small business in August 2023 that has a goal of real estate investment; however, we have had no business activity to date.

We became aware of the CTA in January 2024 which demands registry with FinCEN by 01/2025 or face egregious penalties.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. I am acutely aware as a retired Federal Agent that FinCEN (Financial Crimes Enforcement Network) only exists as a suspect list and tool for Federal investigations to target money laundering and terrorism. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on probable cause and evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. More importantly, this reporting requirement essentially puts every small business owner in a suspect database that will be shared with 145 other countries who are members of Financial Intelligence Units, <https://egmontgroup.org/about/financial-intelligence-units/>. The information will also be available to local, state and other law enforcement, whether or not there is suspicion of a crime. The Department of Treasury will have access for any reason. No one should have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even if by accident. For example, if a business entity fails to forward change of address or other minor details to FinCEN they are subject to draconian penalties. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners in violation of the First, Fourth and Fifth Amendments of the United States Constitution. Thank you.

Cassatt Enterprises, LLC

Mary Kelly

I'm Mary Kelly and have a small business, Smart Bug Corporation, that sells small listening devices with multiple channels to school districts and interpreters.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act Beneficial Ownership Information Act rule that unfairly targets small businesses like mine.

The rule violates my right to privacy and being presumed innocent until proven guilty.

These rules are given to us in the name of protecting everyone from fraud and money laundering the same way banks are now requiring more and more information from us in order to do business.

I recently tried to setup a new system of invoicing and receiving payment using CHASEBank. They were requiring so much information from us on each of our five owners that they even wanted a copy of one of the owners social security card. This was to prevent fraud and money laundering. The owner refused to give it so we were denied the service.

We then turned to use the authorize.net system, not a CHASE system. When we started to receive payments from our customers, we were required to send CHASE COPIES OF OUR INVOICES before they would release money to us.

Of course we were told it was to prevent fraud and money laundering.

This phrase is being used more and more as an excuse to get more information from us and to require more and more paperwork from us. This has got to stop. It is sucking money and time out of our business for the only reason that other people are criminals so they need to be extra tough on law abiding people and companies, perhaps making criminals out of us in the process.

They actually think that by putting all these restrictions on us it is going to prevent fraudsters and money launderers from figuring another way to do their transactions - or not lie to you or figure a legal way to cover up their ownership.

This is unfair to small businesses and can make a criminal out of me if I don't comply or forget to comply - which would then again suck more money and time out of my business - again making a criminal out of me.

I respectfully ask congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, and unconstitutionally target small businesses.

Thank you

Mary Kelly

Daniela Liscio
Parthenon Equipment Finance LLC
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<https://parthenonstrategy.com>

My name is Daniela Liscio and I am the owner of Parthenon Equipment Finance LLC, an equipment finance and growth strategy consulting business helping other small businesses grow in an overly complex and burdensome regulatory environment.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should use the tools of our US court system once they have hard evidence of criminal wrongdoing.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal and sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my person and my business – and that of millions of others – at risk.

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. There is about a 0% chance that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws.

Since big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement, and since no one actually expects criminals to willingly report as contemplated by the CTA BOI, the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners.

This is government overreach with no reasonable basis. With this rule, it seems Congress is more interested in turning law-abiding small businesses into criminals – rather than direct their attention to actual crime that threatens all of us.

Small businesses are the backbone of the US economy. Anyone who runs a business knows it is one of the hardest things to do, involving significant risk, toil and sacrifice. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Why does the US government consistently favor big business? The CTA BOI rule is just the latest example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys, crushing the spirit of small business.

That is not what you were elected to do.

Let us be the vital and vibrant part of the US economy that you know we are. Destroying this vibrancy is what will destroy America. At its heart, this is a country of entrepreneurial fire the likes of which the rest of the world does not compare.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Daniela Liscio

Parthenon Equipment Finance LLC

Mandi Kuidlan

IET Corporation

ietcorp.us

I'm Mandi Kuidlan and have a small business that does Low Voltage Telecommunications, Security and Audio Visual.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

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The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement.

Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys.

It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Mandi Kuidlan

Darya Tyshlek, StratCraft Inc (and also soon to be Go Go Grow Show LLC)

Contact: dasha@strat-craft.com

Dear Congress and Government Representatives. I am the owner of two small business. StratCraft assists new ventures in medical and pharmaceutical technologies with their go-to-market strategy and the Go Go Grow Show is a podcast and agency helping B2B companies with their sales and marketing.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business, my customer's businesses, and that of millions of others at risk.

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. America's economy depends on small businesses and the reason this country has such a thriving business environment is precisely because in the past the bureaucratic requirements for opening a business were minimal and easy for any creative engineer or plumbing specialist to meet. Starting and running a small business is REALLY HARD WORK and small businesses are the powerhouses of innovation and productivity for our entire nation. Yet, the US government is now creating more red tape and punishing the small company while also tipping the scale in favor of the big corporations.

It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Darya Tyshlek, President of StratCraft.

Sharmen Kimbrough
LiveFound, inc
Raleigh, Wake County, NC
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I'm Sharmen Kimbrough and have a small business S-Corp that provides relational health coaching/consultation for people in high-profile, high-conflict relationships.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses like mine.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence, not setting up a system to catch the people who DO abide by a rule of law.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement.

Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? I really do want to know.

Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys.

It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Sharmen Kimbrough, LiveFound, inc.

Jan Horwood
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I'm Jan Horwood and have a small business within which I provide tax preparation and accounting services. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Janice S Horwood, CPA; JSH & Company, CPA, LLC.

Andrew Saunders

I'm Andrew and have a small business that is not yet an entity. I'm just getting started, but this bill will make it difficult for me to grow and expand into an entity.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement.

Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

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It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Andrew Saunders
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I'm Mark Ehrhard and have a small business that does large format printing.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.
Mark Ehrhard, Atlanta Digital Graphics

Robert Hunt

I'm Bob Hunt and have a small business that does apartment rentals. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Robert Hunt/ The Greens Apartments LLC

Michael Pankratz
April 16, 2024

Dear Members of Congress:

I am starting a new business that will grow healthy produce to help service food deserts and feed the hungry in our local community. I recently learned about HR2513, which was passed by Congress back in 2019 and went into effect on January 1st, 2024. I am asking you to immediately overturn this Corporate Transparency Act Beneficial Ownership Information (CTA BOI) rule that places an additional burden on the 30+ million American small businesses who are the economic backbone of this great nation.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but also creates privacy issues. This appears to be a registry of small business owners which will contain an extensive amount of information that will be collected into a centralized database under the government's "stewardship". I see two problems with this: 1) It will be an irresistible goldmine of information for hackers, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. And I have zero confidence that the government can keep this information secure. It will only be a matter of time before this repository is compromised and made available on the dark web. 2) As the government continues to build private-public partnerships with large corporations and continues to go to war against small independent businesses in agriculture and other sectors, it could easily abuse the detailed information found in this database.

The stated reason for this rule is to prevent financial crimes. However, it is unlikely that any individual who engages in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about any new rules and laws. In addition, since there is a carve-out for big businesses in this rule, the only people who are reporting are law-abiding small business owners.

This rule could make honest hard-working citizens into criminals if we fail to comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? We shouldn't have to choose between the protection of an LLC business entity and being the target of government overreach.

It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. And with that, I respectfully appeal to Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly and unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you,
Michael Pankratz
Grateful Steward Farm, LLC
Kansas

Jeff & Tracey Wakeen

MEMO: Corporate Transparency Act
TO: Carol Roth
DATE: April 16th 2024

Carol,

We own several businesses. Not only does the CTA violate my constitutional rights in particular the 4th and 5th Amendment but this will be incredibly time consuming and burdensome to update either new business information or change information. All of this under the assumption that the pizza shop down the street is money laundering.

Are there any stats on this? Or is this just a way to continually have our bank accounts audited and potentially seized for our voting record or views.

This is yet another attack on small business!

Thank you in advance for standing up to this unconstitutional act!

Jeff & Tracey Wakeen
Founders, Go Big Small Biz Network

Dustin Zaun

I'm the owner of A-1 Heating & Air ND. I own a small business that does installation, service and maintenance of heating and air equipment.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Leo Carling
Cost & Schedule Analysis
Bentonville VA 22610

I'm a retired U.S. Navy Officer and a small business owner. My company assists U.S. Government agencies with ship construction / repair planning and contract administration.

I request you immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, it creates privacy issues, asking small business owners to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. As a result, the only people reporting to FinCEN will be law-abiding small business owners.

Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but failing to file will turn small business owners into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others.

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Sincerely,
Leo Carling
LCDR (USN, ret)

Bronson Tucker
Tucker Transportation, Inc
office@tuckertransportationinc.com
970-565-049

I'm Bronson Tucker and have a small business that does trucking.

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The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

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Bronson Tucker
Owner
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Ryan Arnsperger

It took me a while to find out how to spell fincin. When I finally got to the website. I filled out one form than another then itntook.me back to the first form I filled out and I had to fill it out again. Then then another. Then it took me back to the first form I filled out and I filled it out for the third time. This went on and on. Finally I went to the help page. It gave me an email address to send my questions. I sent my questions, never got a response back.

Ryan Arnsperger
Screen jack llc

Stacey S. Rubenking
Southwest Mechanical Management Inc.
6145 W 59th Ave Arvada CO 80003
sruben66@aol.com

I'm Stacey Rubenking and have a small business that does commercial heating and air conditioning work.

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Southwest Mechanical Management Inc. In business since 1986!

Belynda Wicks

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I'm sick of the government over reach...I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you
Belynda Wicks/Bama Exhaust

Joe Murphy
Murphy Tomatoes
San Antonio, TX

I'm Joe Murphy and have a small business that provides tomatoes wholesale to schools, food service companies, etc. I am asking you to overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small business. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty.

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Thank you, Joe Murphy/Murphy Tomatoes

Janalee Martinez

JBM Consulting LLC
jana@jbmconsultingllc.com

I'm Janalee Martinez and have a small business that does business consulting, accounting, and tax work for small businesses in my local area and across the country.

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Thank you.

Janalee Martinez
JBM Consulting LLC

Larry Squires

My name is Larry Squires and I run a meat cutting business called Battleridge Custom Cutting and email is 1100cutter@gmail.com. Please overturn the cta boi rule passed by congress. This is a great invasion on our privacy and we have neither the time, money or desire to comply with more government intrusion. Let us run our companies as we see fit and quit putting undue burdens on us as just a means of more government control. Thank you.

Jay E. Burch
Knots Promotions, LLC
JayBurch@KnotsAboutWine.com
8 McCormick Drive
Landenberg, Pa 19350

My name is Jay Burch and I have a small business that does promotions and marketing.

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Jay E. Burch, President
Knots Promotions, LLC

Tony Knight
Knights International
1000 Lake St. Louis Blvd., suite 23
Lake St. Louis, MO 63367
IronworksUS.com

I'm Tony Knight and have a small business that sells plumbing supply parts to distributors in the US.

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Tony Knight
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Shannon L May

I'm Shannon L May and have a small business that does accounting, tax preparation, business consulting, etc.

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Thank you. Shannon L May, Member/Manager of The Consulting Den LLC

Michael Parker,
L&M Fabrication LLC,
Huger Sc 29450

I'm Michael Parker and have a small business that does Mobile Welding.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Michael Parker / L&M Fabrication LLC

Terry Witt

my opinion is that we are being forced to list our business on a government site that already knows who we are, what we do and how much money we make.

They know this from our accountants and from our taxes that we pay.

It is like gun control, just get on the list, so we can control you more, but we know where to find you, when we want you.

Our company was not notified by the Government entity to do this, buut we found out by word of mouth, hoping that we never found out about it at all. My account said that he could not help at all on any questions, and if I need help to consult a lawyer to get it filled out.

This is extra expense on our company, for info they already have visibility of. I do not need another entity, that I have to keep track of, in order to operate a business in the USA.

Not saying it is unfair, but it is not needed, with the oversight from the business community, that are already in place.

Thanks fro allowing me to express my opinion.

Shari Becker
PER-FIL Industries Inc.
407 Adams St
Riverside, NJ 08075
www.per-fil.com
Tel: 856-461-5700

PER-FIL Industries manufactures Auger Filling Equipment. We are a small family business founded in 1974 trying to survive this disastrous economy made worse by burdensome regulations and tax policy. You always hear that we don't make anything in America anymore, well PER-FIL does! Proudly providing jobs and high quality machinery for 50 years.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,
Shari Becker
President
PER-FIL Industries, Inc.
shari@per-fil.com

Daniel Hoepfner
Grace Manufacturing, Inc.
Warsaw, Indiana 46581
www.grace-mfg.com

I'm Daniel and have a small business that does metal and plastics fabricating.

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Daniel Hoepfner
Grace Manufacturing, Inc.

R. Michael Ulrich
Cape Cod Associates Real Estate
mike@capecodare.com.

I'm Mike Ulrich and have a small business that does real estate transactions.

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Michael Ulrich. Broker Cape Cod Associates Real Estate

Sam Brown

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Sam Brown-DLB Hauling.

Shirley Kelly LaBrecque

Arches Psychiatric Services, PLLC

<https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/psychiatrists/arches-psychiatric-services-llc-amesbury-ma/425196>

I'm a psychiatric nurse practitioner and have a small business that does medication management and therapy for clients struggling with their mental health.

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Thank you.

Shirley Kelly LaBrecque, PMHNP-BC
Arches Psychiatric Services, PLLC

Kristi Wilbert

I'm Kristi Wilbert and have a small business that provides real estate sales research.

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Thank you.
KMW Enterprises LLC

Ralene Barton

I'm Ralene Barton and have a small business that sells antiques.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Ralene Barton, Capital City Antique Mall

Jason Rasch

My name is Jason Rasch and I have a small Real Estate business.

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Thank you.
Jason Rasch
CBH 171 LLC

Timothy Rex Parks

My name is Timothy Rex Parks, I own and operate Parks Woodworks LLC, a small business providing services to a multi-billion-dollar industry here in North Carolina. I am considering leaving my career and employees because of the amount of extra work I have to do to maintain good standings with the Government. The Government that is supposed to be working for ME.

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The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

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Thank you,
Timothy Rex Parks
Parks WoodWorks LLC

Steven D. Schlager
Steven D. Schlager, CPA, PC

I'm a CPA and have a small business that provides accounting and consulting services to small businesses.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corporations and being a target of government overreach.

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Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

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It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

Based on what I see in my business and the many small businesses that I serve, the small business community is overwhelmed with unnecessary compliance and regulations.

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Thank you.

Steven D. Schlager, President
Steven D. Schlager, CPA, PC

Michael S. Hicks
Clipper Pacific Studios, LLC
www.clipperpacific.com, michael@clipperpacific.com

I'm Michael Sean and have a small business that does digital media motion picture production.

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Thank you.
Michael Sean Hicks
Clipper Pacific Studios, LLC.

Angela Wilsford

I am an owner operator in the trucking industry and have an LLC that I am the sole participant in. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Angela Wilsford
Something Witty LLC

Evan & Rosa Wright,
Wright's Hardware,
wrights.hardware.chiloquin@gmail.com

We are a small business located 40 miles from the nearest big box store. We provide our small community with a friendly, home-town, local option for hardware and home-goods.

Our store is fairly recently new to us, but since 1926 when it was built it has been and continues to be an integral contributor to the lives of our customers and visitors. And, it has provided an employment option for a few of our local best.

We are asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates our rights to privacy (see the 4th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States) and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty (see the 5th Amendment to the United States Constitution). If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing our business and that of millions of others at risk. We shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties for not abiding by an unconstitutional rule? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys and no doubt for themselves. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. A privilege granted all LAW-ABIDING citizens. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. And frankly, this is the kind of rule that makes us wonder if there are ANY honest, constitutional representatives OF THE PEOPLE left in Congress. We respectfully ask Congress, the voice of the people, to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly and unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Sincerely,
Evan & Rosa Wright
Wright's Hardware

Todd Lehner
Lehner Properties LLC

I'm Todd Lehner and have a small business that does real estate owning, investment, and rental.

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Todd Lehner / Lehner Properties LLC

Kaylen Lehner

I'm Kaylen Lehner and have a small business that does insurance.

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Thank you. Kaylen Lehner / Lehner Insurance Agency, Inc.

Todd Lehner
Round Town Outdoors LLC

I'm Todd Lehner and have a small business that does real estate leasing and sub-leasing. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Todd Lehner / Round Town Outdoors LLC

Todd Lehner

I'm Todd Lehner and have a small business that does dog training. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Todd Lehner / Montana Bird Dog Company

Shelli Nyland

I'm Shelli Nyland and have a small business that does laser engraving.

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Shelli Nyland, Cut to the Core

Joanne Sorrentino

My conviction on this subject are very simply stated in this sentence:

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

I am Joanne Sorrentino, Esq., and had a small law office. I had no employees; I ran the office myself. I retired from the practice of law in December 2023. In my practice I collected fees in which were in excess of \$1,000.

For liability purposes the LLC has not dissolved at this point; but will be dissolved in the future. Although the LLC remains open it is not active.

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Shelby Wilder

I'm Shelby Wilder, and have a small bakery and deli in rural North Carolina.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence NOT targeting innocent small business owners with too much on their plate already.

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Thank you.

Devin Cox

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Thank you,

Devin Cox
Applied Composite Materials, LLC

Daniel Loomis

JD Trucking Disposal & Recycling LLC

I'm Dan Loomis and have a small business that provides disposal and recycling services.

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Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

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It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Daniel Loomis/JD Trucking Disposal & Recycling LLC

Crystal Osterkamp
OzarkLife Vending

Just started this business this year, and find out I'm a criminal if I don't register. Why should I it's none of the government business.

Jee Thao
Jee Papeterie, LLC
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Paris, AR 72855
www.JeePapeterie.com

I'm Jee Thao and have a small business that does stationery designs.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

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Thank you.

Jee Thao
Jee Papeterie, LLC

Gabriel Miller

Hello, I am Gabriel Miller and my wife and I are in the business of breeding horses in Oregon.

I am kindly requesting you to overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress which unfairly targets American small businesses and is an all-out assault on my family's freedom within the American system of governance. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence and nothing less. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. When we began this business, I never would have expected our biggest threat to be our own government but that is now the case.

Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy, without which the American system will fail almost immediately. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big corporations. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Gabriel Miller (Dark Horse Friesians)

Marla Turner-Lowers
Turner Transport

I'm Marla Turner-Lowers, and I have a small business that does airport shuttle transportation in West Central MN.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information (CTA BOI) rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of my LLC and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the US economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet the US government always seems to favor big business is just another example of the US government tipping the scales in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner, but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly and unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Marla Turner-Lowers
Turner Transport

Justy White

My name is Justy White and have a small business that provides destination beach wedding services.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We want the government to return to its vision statement of ""securing the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity."" Endless new requirements to report to the government creates an unnecessary heavy burden on the backs of small business owners.

The current administration continues to make decisions that are hurting small businesses. Adding another unconstitutional, over-reaching demand onto a small business such as ours is creating discouragement in regards to continuing to operate as a small business owner in this government culture. The red tape of government bureaucracy is overwhelming.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.
Justy White/ owner
Royal Beach Weddings

Richard Nymeyer
Focal Point Metal Fab
Focalpointmetalfab@sbcglobal.net
17354 Teunis Drive
Spring Lake, MI 49456

I'm Richard Nymeyer and have a small business that does metal fabrication.

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Thank you. Richard Nymeyer / Focal Point Metal Fab

Jason Leiter
South Vegas Handyman LLC
www.SouthVegasHandyman.com

I own a small business that does handyman and repair work. My business is run completely and solely by myself.

I work hard everyday to make enough money to support my family and pay my taxes. I never get vacations and barely ever get a weekend off. I am being crushed into non-existence by over regulation and over taxation; but I still wake up everyday to go to work and provide a good service to my clients. I am NOT a criminal; I have never been arrested or sent to jail and I do not have a criminal record. But somehow, I am being singled out along with other micro-businesses as if I am already guilty of fraud, money laundering, etc.

This is completely unconstitutional and against fairness, equality, and equity.

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I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Jason Leiter
South Vegas Handyman LLC

Brenda Hill
Piedmont Trim & Finish, LLC
116 Lowes Foods Dr., Ste 121
Lewisville, NC 27023

My name is Brenda Hill and I have a small construction company that does renovations for people in our local community.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Thank you.

Brenda Hill, Owner
Piedmont Trim & Finish, LLC

Michael D. Amick
Amick Sound, Inc.
Rapid City, SD

I'm the President/General Manager and have a small business that does Low Voltage Contracting.

I am DEMANDING that you immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule TRAITOROUSLY passed by Congress over a Presidential VETO that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on actual hard evidence (Unlike the evidence they usually use).

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, DEMANDING us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. What a JOKE! It is extremely unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. (Why is this? They have the financial wherewithal to do this kind of crime.)

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We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I DEMAND that Congress immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Michael D. Amick
Amick Sound, Inc.

Richard Schmidt
Cow Creek Endeavors,LLC
113 Ernst Rd
Boerne, TX 78006
830-534-4450

I'm Richard Schmidt and have a small business that does Game Processing, Taxidermy and Retail.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Thank you.

Richard Anthony Schmidt
Cow Creek Endeavors,LLC

Alan Baker

I'm Alan Baker and have a small business that does self storage rentals.

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Thank you. Alan F Baker/AB Mini Storage's LLC

Christine Jones

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you. Christine Jones/Ataly Inc. Vice President

Doug Linder.
DRMoldSolutions.com;
doug@drmoldsolutions.com;
3675 91st Ave N, Pinellas Park, FL 33782

I'm Doug Linder, and I have a small business that does Mold Assessments in central west Florida. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Doug Linder, DR Mold Solutions

Jameson Kohn

I am asking, demanding that you overturn CTA. As a small business owner, we are struggling, adding more garbage and punishment is absolutely ridiculous. Look at what you have done and are doing to our country and economy. You've destroyed it, our budget is completely out of control. You are all traitors. Get rid of CTA BOI rule.

Jameson Kohn
JK Forest Products
Thorne Bay, AK

Larry Anderson
Not Just Wood LLC
www.notjustwoodllc.com
notjustwoodllc@gmail.com

I'm Larry Anderson, a retired teacher, and a small business owner who does custom woodworking.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like my LLC and being a target of government overreach.

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It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of our hometowns and the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Larry Anderson
Not Just Wood LLC

Joshua Fisher

My wife & I have a small business that does rentals & home investments.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses such as mine.

The rule violates our rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN & the government want to target criminals, there are legal procedures & tools in place, based on hard evidence, that assists with this.

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I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Joshua Fisher, Southern End Investments LLC

Cortley Fisher

My husband & I have a small business that does auto repair.

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Thank you.

Cortley Fisher, Gore Service & Repair LLC

Dr. Richard Casey
The Sequencing Center Inc.
thesequencingcenter.com

I'm Dr. Richard Casey and have a small business that does human genome sequencing.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Debra Dean

I'm Debra Dean and have a small business that does apartment rentals and does not take cash transactions.

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Thank you.
Debra Dean
Ethny Properties, Inc.
d/b/a Country Hill Apartments

Tracy Richardson

I'm Tracy Richardson and have a small business that does education of cardiopulmonary resuscitation and first aid, Mountain CPR, LLC.

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Thank you. Tracy Richardson dba Mountain CPR, LLC.

James Isenhour
Sab Sab Thai Kitchen Express
ike621@yahoo.com

I'm James Isenhour and have a small business that is the dream of my wife that I met while serving in the military. She left her home country of Thailand and immigrated to the United States. After I retired from the military we started a small business to sell Thai food.

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TinaMarie Donaldson/ Owner
donaldsontina99@gmail.com
Stillhouse Hollow Lake Marina/ LLC
4596 Simmons Rd, Belton, TX 76513
<https://www.stillhousehollowlake.com>

I'm a small business owner of a Marina in Central Texas.

We are already struggling due to the lack of rain, water levels and extreme winds, let alone having more requirements.

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Thank you.

TinaMarie Donaldson/ Stillhouse Hollow Lake Marina

Edward Wisniewski

I'm Edward Wisniewski and formed my software development company in January 2024.

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Thank you,

Edward Wisniewski
Cherry Island Software, LLC

Corey Shumard
RAD Studios
rad.studios.nm@gmail.com // <https://www.radstudios.co/>

I'm Corey Shumard and have a small business that provides dance instruction to the youth in our community.

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Thank you.

Corey Shumard
Owner
RAD Studios

Machelle Peterson

I am Machelle Peterson of Mountain Midwifery & Women's Health I'm a nurse Midwife and have a small business that cares for women throughout their life span and infants to 4 weeks of age.

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Thank you,
Machelle Peterson CNM
Mountain Midwifery & Women's Health LLC

Colleen Heinze
To Whom in May Concern,

My name is Colleen Heinze, and I am seeking to build the first midwife owned birth center on Long Island, NY.

We are half way through the process and the red tape has been incredibly difficult to navigate and as already cost me over a year of time, 10s of thousands of dollars out of pocket, and an incalculable amount of money due to the delays in completing the work and being able to open our door. These new laws are only going to make things worse for me than they already are.

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Sincerely,
Colleen Heinze, MSN, CNM, WHNP
Gaia Midwives, PLLC (Owner, Clinical Director, Midwife)

Gerald Laliberte

I am an aspiring business owner wanting to start in a few months. The CTA BOI rule is intrusive, unconstitutional and flat out none of your business. It's just one more hurdle to overcome. If this is for money laundering why are all the companies that have the means of laundering money exempt?

Sincerely Gerald Laliberte

Mary Goeldel

I'm Mary, and have a small business that does digital quilt patterns.

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Mary Goeldel
MittenMade in Michigan LLC

Tamara Dees

Open Minds, LLC

tamara@openmindshealingandrecovery.com
<https://openmindshealingandrecovery.com/>

I'm Tamara Dees and have a small business that does outpatient mental health counseling.

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Tamara Dees, Open Minds, LLC

Brody Reagan

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BKR Welding LLC

Cheryl L. Large
Aspect Design, LLC
Medford, OR 97501
aslectdesignllc@yahoo.com

I am a semi-retired woman and have a small business that provides architectural design and drafting services.

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Cheryl L. Large
Aspect Design, LLC

Benjamin Rayner

Raynershine1 LLC
Raynershine2 LLC

I'm Benjamin Rayner and I have a small business that is a residential rental property. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

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Thank you.

Benjamin Rayner
Raynershine1 LLC
Raynershine2 LLC

April 15, 2024

Jennifer Oliver O'Connell
As the Girl Turns Inc.
jenniferoo@asthegirlturns.com
asthegirlturns.com

I am an investigative journalist, writer, reinvention coach, and E-RYT 500 Yoga professional and I own a small business that does all of the above as well as consulting, political analysis, and public speaking.

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The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, it creates privacy issues. It is asking me to report my personal, sensitive information and identification that could easily be used by hackers and fraudsters. This places my business, and that of millions of others, at risk.

The choice of a business entity is to protect my family and maintain a shield between my personal and my business affairs. I should not have to choose between those protections resident in an LLC or S-Corp and being the target of government overreach.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement.

Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the U.S. government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys.

It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the U.S. economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Jennifer Oliver O'Connell
Writer. Reinvention Coach.
ERYT-500 Yoga Workshop Innovator
As the Girl Turns Inc.
asthegirlturns.com

John Pierce

I'm John Pierce and have a small business that offers independent mobile welding services. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

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All we are doing is providing for our families. It is difficult enough as it is given the state of the economy and not to mention the amount of red tape that is required for small businesses to be law abiding. We all have FEINs, general liability insurance, workers comp, contractors licenses, etc. and anything else required by our local and state municipalities. Why stifle us more? Why make it more difficult for us to simply provide for our families and those we employ?

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Thank you. John Daniel Pierce/Pierce's Welding Solutions

Betty Sutherland

I, Betty Sutherland, own a very small business with 2 partners, I used to be an LLC, but due to this VIOLATION of my privacy and the requirement for me to report to the Gov every time I move, Changed my business to a General partnership so I do not have to report to my state or my Federal Gov.

This is no different than what the Jews had to do in Nazi Germany when they had to show papers if anyone asked for them. This is a total violation of my Freedoms and the Constitution.

I am not a CRIMANAL. I will NOT REPORT EVERY DETAIL ABOUT MYSELF TO THE FINANCIAL CRIMES NETWORK.

I have a very small business that employs 3 people and we have NO DEBT. I have an 832 Credit score. I just barley make enough to support myself and my 2 partners.

We DONT EVEN HAVE ENOUGH MONEY TO LAUNDER!!!

But the BIG GUYS on the block get exempt from this new law because you KNOW that the BIG GUY and his son are already laundering money.

It is pretty dang obvious that all the money you are printing and sending to Ukraine is being laundered, and I can only imagine how many politicians are filling their pockets. But they don't have to report to FINCEN!!

I will not comply with this Insanelly unfair law. The Laws of this country are supposed to be equal justice for ALL! But you people in Washington don't follow them at all. And your just making it harder and harder for all of us to make a modest living in America any more. And I just lost all my protection that an LLC offered against anyone who wants to sue me because I had to switch to a General Partnership. This is Treason to our country. Your not here to protect America anymore. You took an Oath to protect this country, and you violate that oath every day. This is a horrific law for the small businesses of America. And you know it.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's BOI rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. It violates my rights to privacy and being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCen wants to target criminals, they should begin with tools of ourUS court system, based on hard evidence and probably cause. Your placing my sensitive information at risk of being used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and millions of others at risk.

I should not have to choose between the protection of a business entity like LLC or S Corp and being a target of Government overreach.

Betty Sutherland
Sutherland Diesel Performance

Kevin Barkley
Outdoor Extreme Clean

Let us be apart of Making America Great Again by putting people to work, we need to stop the attack on small business keep your hands out of our pockets.

Thomas Bennett
Tom's Extreme Pizzeria LLC

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am Thomas Bennett, owner of a restaurant, serving food.

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Thank you.

JOE HAACK
PIONEER LANES LLC
PO BOX 432
PLATTEVILLE WISCONSIN 53818
608 349 6631
PIONEERBOWLING.COM

I'm Joe Haack and have a small business that is a family entertainmentcenter aka Bowling Center.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Joe Haack
PIONEER LANES LLC
Platteville WI
608 558 9785

Cynthia Fuller
Fuller Oil Co. Inc.
fulleroil@sbcglobal.net

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My husband and I own a small business that supply fuel to the farms and schools in our area. we also have a convenience store and only have 3 employees, we are asking and pleading. Please this CTABOI rule only targets the small business people who will be doing everything not to break the law and the ones they are claiming to be after won't report anyway. They are not afraid of breaking rules and laws. Once again this is another target to shut down small business people giving the big guys all the variance because they don't have to do this we cannot afford to hire some one just to keep up with all the paperwork and reporting. Many of these businesses that are paying the illegals cash are not going to report them. so why penalize those of us who are doing right.

It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a Great Privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital part of the U.S. Economy.

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Thank you

Cynthia Fuller
Fuller Oil Co. Inc

James Arthur

I'm James Arthur and have a small business that does Wastewater Treatment. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

James Arthur
Blue Tail Services

DAVID DENNEN
PRESIDENT
WIRED EQUIPMENT INC.
DECATUR TEXAS, USA

I'm 56 and have a small business that rents out hydraulic equipment.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Thank you.

DAVID ALLEN DENNEN
PRESIDENT
WIRED EQUIPMENT INC.

Jumana Gammoh
Lakewood 76 Auto Repair Inc

We are struggling to make ends meet. We are drowning in debt and everyday seems like the last day we are going to stay in business. The high taxes, fees, licensing and permits on top of insurance, payroll and payroll taxes and other expenses seem to be there for one reason only and that is to prevent people from making money and to all become slave to the government.

Alan Burkhart

I'm Alan Burkhart and have a small business that does Asset Management.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Alan D. Burkhart, Manager, Samarium Holdings, LLC

Shawn and Rebecca McKee
Intelligent Concepts, LLC
becky@shawnmckee.com
www.itcharleston.com

We are Shawn and Rebecca McKee and have a small business that provides information technology services. We are asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. This rule violates our rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing our business and that of millions of others at risk.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is highly unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily and willingly give accurate information to FinCEN. Criminals routinely break laws, that's what makes them criminals. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Therefore, this overreaching mandate only punishes the law-abiding small business owners.

People who have never owned a business are unable to understand the ongoing challenges that small businesses continually face. Small business is the backbone of capitalism in our country. Our government should be working to make it easier for small business owners to succeed, not more difficult. We respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and, furthermore, any future rules that unfairly and unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Congress is elected to be by and for the people. Please never forget that.

Thank you,

Shawn and Rebecca McKee
Intelligent Concepts, LLC

Pete Deschaine

I'm Pete Deschaine and have a small business that does class 8 Trucking.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. This shortcut tactic of broadcasting regulation over an entire segment of industry to then look for criminal activity within the base, instead of doing proper investigation from traditional and constitutional police work, is becoming more prevalent in government. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Pete Deschaine/Pete Deschaine Trucking LLC

Thayne Wheeler

I'm Thayne Wheeler and have a small business that designs graphics for apparel.

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Thayne Wheeler, Canal Zone®

Jeri Whiteside

Hello, I am Jeri Whiteside, a small business owner for 39 years in Loveland, Colorado. My husband and I have a retail boot and clothing store that provides work clothing and boots to farmers, construction workers and factory workers in the area. We have been in business for 39 years and currently our two daughters are also involved in running the business. We have 11 employees not including ourselves.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to be presumed innocent until proven guilty. I believe this is government overreach. Only law abiding small business owners will be reporting. This is an additional amount of paperwork that we are forced to submit or we are threatened with large fines and jail time.

I respectfully ask that rule be overturned due to it being unfair and unconstitutionally targeting small business owners rights.

Thank-you,
Jeri Whiteside Vanderbilt's No 7 Inc, dba Whitesides Boots

Mark Whittemore
Texas Mushroom Company
Bandera, Texas
mark@txmushroom.com

I'm Mark Whittemore and have a small business that does commercial mushroom farming. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Mark Whittemore

TEXAS MUSHROOM COMPANY

Susan Wilde
All Points Travel
215 E 4th Avenue
Milbank SD 57252

I'm Susan Wilde and have a small business that does retail travel sales.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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Thank you.

Susan Wilde
All Points Travel

Gene Escoe

Escoe Services LLC (now closed)

I wanted to share my small business owner. I had a mowing business. I closed last May after Biden flooded the market with illegal mowing crews. It drove prices too low to make a profit if you are a US citizen who pays their taxes and have the required insurance.

I am still being required to fill out these forms for the government. I sent in a comment that the business was closed. They responded by saying I still had to continue to respond to their forms and complete them or be arrested. Btw, many of the questions on the forms are way too intrusive.

Gene Escoe

Francis Wilkins
Wilkins Signs, LLC

My business is literally a Mom and Pop shop. The two employees are myself and my wife of 41 years. We abide by all local, state, and federal laws, and don't need any more red tape or jail threats for my unintentional failure to comply with your invasion of my privacy.

Please overturn overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information rule.

Respectfully,

Francis Wilkins

Ben Williams
BRW Enterprises

I currently am a very small start up, retail sales of sporting goods, LLC. If this goes into effect I will be dissolving my LLC and will no longer be selling to my customer base. I'm not understanding why the many many ridiculous regulations that are demanded of small business owners who are trying to make a living and are regulated out of business. INSANE!!!

Carmin Williams
Carmin Wharton International LLC
Website: www.carminwharton.com
Address: 650 Ponce De Leon Ave, NE, Atlanta, GA 30309

I'm Carmin Williams and have a small business that offers business and life coaching to women 50 plus.

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Thank you.

Carmin Williams/Carmin Wharton International LLC

Daniel Wise
Daniel Wise LLC

We need less Small Biz restrictions and requirements, not more. Get out of our way.

Rick Wrightson

I'm Rick Wrightson and have a small business that does software development. We have been in business since 1998. Our customers include Kodak, Apple, Fuji Film, Philips Medical who license our IP for use in their products, as well as individuals who buy our stand-alone product online.

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Rick Wrightson, CEO

Gear Software, Inc

Roy H. Wubker, Jr.

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SYSTEMS RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Roy H. Wubker, Jr.

President, Chief Executive Officer

Anthony Rufo

I'm Tony Rufo and have a small business that does construction & development. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Anthony M. Rufo AMR Construction, Inc

Dwight Kopp
Forgotten Mountain, LLC

forgottenmountain.com / <https://forgottenmountainllc.etsy.com>

I'm Dwight Kopp and own a small business that does precision wood manufacturing.

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Dwight Kopp, Owner
Forgotten Mountain, LLC

Shelly Wall

I am the sole member of a small CPA Firm in TX. I work with small business owners in several industries within Texas. Every single day, I assist owners in traversing the restrictions, regulations, filing requirements, and other burdens of organizing, recordkeeping, operating, reporting, and closing down small businesses.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule is not only unconstitutional and risks mine and my clients' privacy but is also a burden to law abiding small businesses while not doing anything to protect against the crimes it is supposedly trying to identify and prevent.

As a CPA, I was originally informed – for fear of performing the unlicensed practice of law – that I was not permitted to assist my clients with this new rule. Most CPAs know their small business clients just as well as the owners do. They're an integral part of the business – that's our profession's role as trusted advisors. Even though this restriction has KIND OF been reduced, this new rule is still open-ended and subjective enough to have professional liability insurance companies fearful of covering our advisements. This rule is anything but a "simple necessity" to allow the rooting out of criminals. How is this not a burden to law-abiding small business?

In addition to this burden on small business owners, this rule violates our right of being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. At the absolute least, why is the Federal Government not working with the States when there's evidence of wrongdoing? After all, we are state-created entities who register with our Secretaries of State and follow their reporting rules.

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Why are those who follow the rules being targeted with yet another burden when they've done nothing but follow the rules from the beginning? You will have law-abiding citizens registering in the database; however, those who are being targeted as the cause of this legislation will remain uncompliant. How does this help FinCEN or the United States?

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I feel the CTA BOI rule is not only unduly burdensome and unconstitutional, but also creates privacy issues. Asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters places my business and that of millions of others at risk. As a former Government Civilian Air Force Auditor, I am well aware of the risk of Federal Database breaches – and it truly scares me to put my information out there for yet another compromise. Up until now, the

information being requested has been split into different databases – now, hackers will only need to breach THIS database to get the information at one time.

I shouldn't have to choose (or advise my clients on choosing) between the protections of an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. These legal entities are there to provide legal protections for small business owners – they are not there to make a small business owner a presumed criminal or subject to less restrictive privacy.

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Thank you.
Shelly Wall, CPA, CGMA
Shelly Wall CPA PLLC
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Jennifer Hawes

I'm Jennifer Hawes and have a small business that is a medical spa, where I am the single patient provider for reconstructive scar procedures, weight loss And health programs, as well as minimally invasive (non-surgical) procedures.

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Thank you. jennifer hawes/oasis Medaesthetics

Tom Benkovich

I'm Tom Benkovich and have a small business that does management of financial planning office.

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Tom Benkovich/Thomas F Benkovich LLC

William Heim
E Z Lock & Key

I'm William Heim and have a small business that does locksmithing.

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We already have a ton of paperwork and filing that needs to be done at all levels, adding this requirement just adds more to keep track of, and is a duplication of information provided to many agencies to conduct business.

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Kimberly Havens
Big deals for me LLC,
6848 Heather
Moor Trail, Hillsboro, Ohio 45133,
rockyforklakeboatrental.com, rockyforklakeboatrental@gmail.com

I'm Kim Havens and have a small business that does Boat rental and resell.

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Thank you.
Kimberly Havens/Big Deals for Me LLC

Angie Tew

I am Angie Tew writing on behalf of my mother who is 95. She and my dad worked so hard all of their lives. My dad was a WWII veteran who passed away 2 years ago at the age of 95 and he was still working!!! They own several commercial buildings. I do not believe that the government has any right to do what they are trying to do with the CTA BOI rule. I am writing in hopes of protecting what is rightfully hers in her retirement years.

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Angie Tew
in behalf of Joan K. Tew
Tew Members 1 LLC

Craig Hooper

I'm Criag Hooper and I have a small business that holds farm land. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

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Thank you. Greg Moll owner of Save Our Seniors, a handy man service,
gregmoll@gmail.com

Javier Jasminoy

April 19, 2024

To the members of Congress:

My name is Javier Jasminoy and I own a small insurance agency.

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Thank you..

Sincerely,

Javier Jasminoy
Principal
Valor Insurance Agency, LLC

Michelle Sullivan

Dear Sir or Madam,

My name is Michelle Sullivan and have a small professional consulting business providing expertise in medical products, assisting larger companies that require specific expertise and/or temporary support to ensure their ability to provide safe, effective, and high quality products to improve and save the lives.

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Michelle Sullivan
SMD Consulting, LLC

Mr. Adrian Halterlein, RLA
Halterlein Design and Consulting, LLC
Adrian@HDC-DesignLLC.com
www.HDC-DesignLLC.com

I'm Adrian Halterlein and have a small business that does civil site design and consulting for residential and commercial properties in southwestern Pennsylvania.

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Thank you,
Mr. Adrian Halterlein, RLA
Halterlein Design and Consulting, LLC

Jon Nelson

I'm Jon Nelson and have a small business that does Software Engineering for other Small Businesses.

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Jonathan Nelson
Symbiotic Labs

Todd Cooper

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Terry Todd Cooper----YHWH Electric Service Inc.

W. Peter Schubert

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I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach.

David Moore
Moore & More Plumbing, LLC.
PO Box 1117
Dripping Springs, TX 78620

I'm David Moore and have a small business that offers residential plumbing repairs.

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Thank you.

David Moore
Moore & More Plumbing, LLC

Louis Cares
Sheldon Company, Inc
3000 Breton Rd SE
Kentwood, MI. 49512
louie@sheldondrycleaners.com

I'm Louis Cares, and have a small business that does dry cleaning and shirt laundry.

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Thank you.

Louis Cares/Sheldon Company, Inc

Jason Leach
RCD Engineering Incorporated
www.rcdengineering.com

I'm 41 and have taken over a small family business that manufactures aftermarket race car parts utilizing domestic materials and outsourced labor.

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Thank you.

Jason Nicholas Leach
Owner/President RCD Engineering Incorporated

Richard Gilson
Rich Gilson Consulting

I'm Richard Gilson and have a small business that does consulting and services in the computer and various other industries.

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Thank you.

Richard Gilson
Rich Gilson Consulting

Alaina Hathaway

My name is Alaina Hathaway, and my partners and I have a small business that does general contracting, excavation, septic tank installs, land clearing, along with other construction-minded business.

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Thank you.

Alaina Hathaway, Owner/Business Manager; No Boundaries Services LLC

Randolph Keefer
Energy Products & Technologies, Inc
433 Peach Orchard Road
McConnellsburg, Pa 17233

To: US Congress

I'm Randolph Keefer and have a small business that is a small machine shop

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Sincerely,
Randolph Keefer
Energy Products & Technologies, Inc.

Gary George
Gary Stevens Plumbing

Since 2020 my yearly income has dropped about 50% while expenditures materials, utilities, insurance, etc. have increased in the last 3.5 years endlessly.

Inflation has not helped the American public at all!

The loss of customers due to the increase in pricing for items and labor will inevitably drive away all customers because they can no longer afford my services.

Now all I can afford is groceries and fuel, now living week to week barely making enough to cover my current mortgage and monthly bills!

What Numbskull in Government believes the American people have the ability to fund more senseless regulation by another bureaucratic body of US Treasury!

Taxation is how you folks pay for your pet projects!

How do you expect to keep paying this current government over spending if you exact more regulation on the very people who pay the bills?

I most likely will have to close my business in the near future. I can't keep raising prices if there are no more customers to service.

Thanks to Carol Roth for allowing us, the American Small Business Owners a forum to be heard in a meaningful way.

Jennifer Miller
Creative Animation Studios, LLC
Creativeanimation.com
11011 S. Brush Creek Road
Perkins, OK 74059
918-258-5665

I'm Jennifer Miller and have a small business that does Architectural 3D Virtual Tours, among other things.

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Jennifer Miller, Owner
Creative Animation Studios, LLC

Jacob Skelton
Grace Property Management SD, LLC
P.O. Box 576
Vermillion, SD, 57069
P: 605-624-2904
E: jacobnskelton@gmail.com

I'm Jacob Skelton and have a small business that does property management.

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Jacob Skelton / Grace Property Management SD, LLC

Mark Cunningham
Cunningham's Automotive Repair
mark@cunninghamsautomotive.com
610-847-6006
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Mark Cunningham
Cunningham's Automotive Repair

Jeffrey Wellek

My name is Jeffrey Wellek and have a many small businesses and other investment related limited liability companies.

The largest of my true operating companies does approximately \$3 million in revenue and has approximately 15 employees.

I have 5 other entities of which 5 are strictly investment entities with a maximum of 5 owners.

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In addition to the above, the fact that I have chosen to use a corporate like structure for joint investments should not subject me to these filing requirements.

Thank you.

Jeffrey A. Wellek
NJB Advisors, LLC;
NJB Investments, LLC;
Highland Park Bicycle Store, LLC;
ZG Cyclery, LL; DNJ, LLC;
Four Guys Capital, LLC

Phil Gallup,
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2906 lake ave.,
Fort Wayne, IN 46805

I'm Phil Gallup and I have a small business that does rental property management. I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Phillip C. Gallup, PKG Properties LLC.

Marianne Schweers

I'm Marianne Schweers and have a vertically integrated agribusiness. We grow, harvest, process, package and market pistachio nuts. I'm asking you to overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information rule passed by Congress in 2021 that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. FinCEN already has the tools of the US court system to target criminals.

The CTA BOI rule is unconstitutional. It provides personal information that can be hacked and places my business at risk. This is a pure example of government overreach!

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as money laundering and cartel activity. Do you honestly think that the criminals are going to provide you with accurate information? That means the only people reporting accurately to FinCen are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule!

Small businesses are the backbone of this country. And you are threatening us with jail time and financial penalties if we don't comply to your rules.

I respectfully ask you to overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rules that are unconstitutional!

Marianne Schweers
Heart of the Desert Pistachios & Wines
7288 Hwy 54 70
Alamogordo, NM 88310

Raymond Miller
RESCO Electrical Service LLC

I am an electrician and I own my own business.

This new rule makes no sense to me especially because my wife also owns her own business, which is an accounting firm and she is exempt from this rule. How is that possible?

Of all companies that would be able to launder money, I would think an accounting firm would be scrutinized over an electrician.

Not that I want my wife to have to comply, I don't, and I'm glad she doesn't have too.

Accountants are many times involved in not just bookkeeping, but also payroll and tax filings. Many Accountants don't even do the books, but many do, some do taxes, some don't.

My point is Accountants have a special ability to look at someone's books and create a story, they also can help facilitate the things that our government wants to go after. So how are accounting firms exempt?

Either way, I honestly don't care if this is overturned or not. BECAUSE I WILL NOT UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES COMPLY WITH THIS, EVER! THE GOVERNMENT WILL HAVE TO KILL ME, I WILL NOT PAY FINES AND I WILL NOT GO TO PRISON. THEY WILL HAVE TO KILL ME. GIVE ME LIBERTY OR GIVE ME DEATH.

Lorne Rosand

I'm Lorne Rosand and have a small business that does Minnesota permit to carry training.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.
Centurion Solutions LLC
- Lorne Rosand
- Owner

Randy Asburry
Cross View Woodworks, LLC
St. Louis, Missouri

My name is Randy Asburry and my small business makes wood furnishings.

I respectfully ask you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

This misguided rule violates my constitutional rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should use the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but it also creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters. Such a rule only places my business and that of millions of others at risk.

I should not have to choose between the protection of a business entity, such as an LLC or S-Corp, and being a target of government overreach.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. Certainly no individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN would be law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement.

Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Why should we be presumed guilty simply for operating our small businesses?

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It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly and unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Randy Asburry
Cross View Woodworks

John Wetzel
John Wetzel Services LLC

I'm John and have a small business that does Handyman Services.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The Declaration of Independence, the Constitution, and the Bill of Rights are based on the idea we all have certain fundamental rights that the government are created to protect. Seems to be the government and most of the servants elected have shifted away from our prime written law and rule. To unnecessary and arbitrarily write laws, that convolute the rights or purpose of the original intent.

Debate and deliberation have degraded. Writing bills with trojan horses such as healthcare and adding more into a bill that does not pertain to that specific bill. Passing a bill without debate and deliberation within such limited amount of time for the bill to be understood for it to pass on merit or just cause. I fear we are moving away from our founding principles. I believe the cause is poor and weak leadership in all levels of our system, power, and greed of self-gain. By giving up principles, truth, and our rights. I urge each member to revisit WHY you are serving. How often does a law need to be amended or a new one written, seriously? Is a current law or rule not being followed? Enforce the law to those who break them and the citizens who follow the law. What are the unintended consequences? A well debated law is prime, principled, and not convoluted. It stands the test of time. Few if no amendment will occur will both sides working through and testing the merit of the work you perform.

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Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. I have spoken to many LLC owners about this unconstitutional rule, and most do not believe me. I hear most often "I will find out when I get a letter saying I broke the law." Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

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It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.
John Wetzel/Wetzel Services LLC

Tim Ballard
Ballard Signs LLC
ballardsigns@gmail.com

I'm Tim Ballard and have a small business that makes signs.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence.

The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

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It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.

Tim Ballard, Ballard Signs LLC

Renee Pinette

I'm Renee Pinette and am 50% owner of Classic Imports, Inc., a small S-Corp business, which does mechanical repairs on import cars.

We have been in business for about 35 years. My partner and I also have a business, LaGrande Properties, LLC, which owns property and leases one of the buildings to Classic Imports and other buildings to business and private entities, as well as leasing indoor storage spots for cars primarily during the winter months.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses.

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The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk.

I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like my S-Corp and LLC businesses and being a target of government overreach.

The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement.

Not only is this rule unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties?

Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys.

Any additional reporting required by a small business eats into our already tight budgets to cover the costs of reporting. Our break-even point for year ending 2023 increased by 12% over what it was for year ending 2022! How can we keep the rising cost to do business at a minimum with the rising inflation poking a big hole in our finances, let alone the cost of any additional reports required by this rule.

It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy.

I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners. Thank you.

Dr. Jeffrey S. Dombrowski

I am Dr. Jeffrey S. Dombrowski and have a small business that does Oral and Maxillofacial surgery.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional (as ruled previously by the Alabama Supreme Court earlier this year), but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Also, the added burden of more regulations is more onerous and adds one more issue that could result in an accidental problem or issue that a law abiding American and businessman may fall into due to the fact that he may be more concerned about other issues and regulations in running their business. Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left working our craft, providing a service for others and our community, and to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally (see Alabama Supreme Court ruling) target American small business owners. Thank you.

Dr. Jeffrey S. Dombrowski/ Jeffrey S. Dombrowski MD, DDS PLLC

Mike Niemeyer

My name is Mike Niemeyer and I have a small business that does residential construction and land development.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you. Mike Niemeyer, Niemeyer construction Inc.

Ed Weaver
Advantage Copying & Printing, LLC
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I'm Ed Weaver and have a small business that does custom printing & signage.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the Corporate Transparency Act's Beneficial Ownership Information ("CTA BOI") rule passed by Congress that unfairly targets American small businesses. The rule violates my rights to privacy and to being presumed innocent until proven guilty. If FinCEN wants to target criminals, they should be using the tools of our US court system, based on hard evidence. The CTA BOI rule is not only unconstitutional, but creates privacy issues, asking us to report personal, sensitive information and identification that could be used by hackers and fraudsters, placing my business and that of millions of others at risk. I shouldn't have to choose between the protection of a business entity like an LLC or S-Corp and being a target of government overreach. The stated reason for the rule is to prevent financial crimes, such as those committed via money laundering and cartel activity. It is unlikely that any individual who would engage in such unlawful acts would voluntarily give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. If financial criminals are willing to break the laws at such a level, they would hardly care about additional rules and laws. That means the only people reporting to FinCEN are law-abiding small business owners, because big businesses are exempt from the rule reporting requirement. Not only is this unfair to small businesses, but it also can turn us into criminals if we don't comply, even by accident. Why should law-abiding small business owners be threatened with jail time and financial penalties? Small businesses make up the backbone of the United States economy. We provide vital goods and services, generate significant economic activity, and create employment for ourselves and others. Yet, the US government always seems to favor big businesses, and the CTA BOI rule is just another example of the government tipping the scale in favor of the big guys. It is a challenge to be a small business owner but also a privilege. We just want to be left to be a vital and vibrant part of the US economy. I respectfully ask Congress to immediately overturn the powers given to FinCEN and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any further rules that unfairly, unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Thank you.
Ed Weaver
Advantage Copying & Printing, LLC

Scott Grover
CJR Homes LLC

I started investing in rental property as a hedge on inflation and diversify the retirement plan. I chose to focus on low income rentals because I prefer to be part of the solution to solve problems like what so hard about low income property management. What I've found at every turn is government creating headwinds for tenants and landlords alike.

I only have 3 rental properties, so it's kind of like a side job while I still work full time. But while I keep looking for ways to protect and grow wealth while improving my community the government continues to find ways to make it difficult.

Julie Wurzelbacher
Gray The Florist

We are small business owners, and am asking you to immediately overturn CTA BOI. We believe this unfairly targets American small businesses. We believe this rule is unconstitutional and creates privacy issues. Total goverment overreach!!!! Once again the small business gets screwed. We're sick of it!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Congress needs to overturn the powers given to FinCen and revoke the CTA BOI rule and any other rules that unfairly and unconstitutionally target American small business owners.

Gray The Florist

Connie Woolsey

My name is Connie Woolsey and my daughter and I own Raptor King Investments, a small commercial rental property in a small college town in Texas.

I am asking you to immediately overturn the CTA BOI rule passed that unfairly targets small businesses in America.

CTA BOI violates my 4th amendment right to privacy and presumed innocence until proven guilty. Targeting criminals should be addressed by the courts. It is NOT MY JOB to police our country and laws. This should be done by law enforcement using HARD EVIDENCE.

CTA BOI is unconstitutional and creates privacy issues requiring business owners to report personal, sensitive information and identification that hackers could easily access, which of course places me at risk.

There is NO GOOD REASON for me to have to choose between protecting my business and being the target of government overreach.

Congress stated the reason for the rule is preventing financial crimes. Like money laundering and cartel business. I find it highly unlikely that any person that would engage in such activities would give accurate information willingly to FinCEN. They are already criminals, which means they don't care about laws. Ergo, the only ones reporting would be law-abiding small business owners because you EXEMPTED big businesses.

This is so unjust. You even put us at risk of becoming a criminal if we make a mistake reporting. Jail time? Fines?

Small business is the backbone of the US economy. And yet, the government always seems to make things easy for big business, i.e. CTA BOI.

I respectfully request Congress overturn the powers given to FinCEN, and revoke the CTA BOI rule, and any further rules that unfairly and unconstitutionally target small business owners in America.

Respectfully,

Connie Woolsey, Majority Partner

Raptorking Investments, LLC