

Attention FDA

0333 '00 MAY -4 110:58

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1. Should I be forced to have a medical exam and/or hearing test before purchasing a hearing aid? If so, should the FDA pay for the exam?

Some years ago I had a hearing test which indicated an already perceived hearing loss. Based on that I have subsequently ordered hearing aids by mail and have signed a waiver each time.

2. Some people are physically unable to drive to a doctor or hearing specialist, or have had bad experiences they don't want to repeat. For instance ...

My wife has purchased a hearing aid (very similar to the one I purchased by mail) from a local audiologist at a price nearly double mine. I would not go back to that type of "service".

3. Should the FDA take away my Constitutional Right, affirmed by the Supreme Court, to decide for myself my medical exams and treatment?

I see no justification for requiring a physical exam prior to a mail order purchase of a hearing aid. It is enough of an intajection of unnecessary authority to require a waiver.

4. Should I be allowed to purchase hearing aids by mail as I choose?

Most certainly.

Signed by:

Preston I. Carnes

Date:

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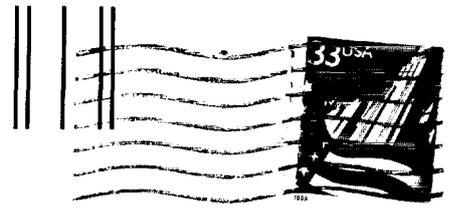
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no

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no

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Yes

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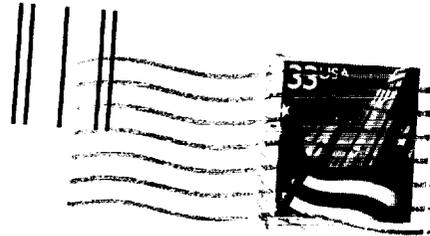
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No

IF Forced The FDA Should Pay
Plus Taxi Fare To and back

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I had a Canal Aid Like President Regan wore = PUT in the wrong ear

Simply so I would have to purchase another Aid,
I only order behind The Ear so I can switch where I want

3. Should the FDA take away my Constitutional Right, affirmed by the Supreme Court, to decide for myself my medical exams and treatment?

No

4. Should I be allowed to purchase hearing aids by mail as I choose?

Yes

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