

# Attention FDA

0313 '00 MAY -4 AIO:55

It came to my attention that the FDA is being asked to take away my right to sign a medical waiver before purchasing a hearing aid. Instead I would be forced to have a medical exam or hearing test. Here's my views and/or experiences on several related questions?

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?

I had a hearing aid from a dealer in town. I had to have it serviced and wear it the next day to my young at daughters wedding. It didn't work, I spent the day deaf as I had no alternative aid. This has never happened with Exel. My hearing aid has always worked. I've had it. 4 years.

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 ...

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. My experience has proven to me regardless of the cost of the hearing aid, I've had problems with Exel. Only new aid they will be Exel.

Signed by: Olevis D. Jalocky

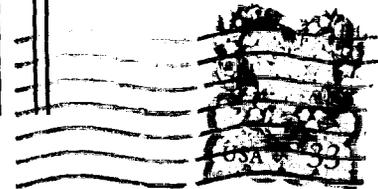
Date: 3/15/90

-272

C L

FROM

Olive D. Jalosky  
201 W. 6th St.  
Oil City, PA 16301



CHECK HERE IF NEW ADDRESS

# **EXCEL** Hearing Solutions

105 N First Street - FDA Survey  
PO Box 586  
DeKalb, IL 60115-0586

MAR 20 2000

