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Tulsa Attorney John Richer in Bloomberg Law - Facebook's Robocall Win at Supreme Court Signals Limit on Claims

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The U.S. Supreme Court's narrow view of autodialers under federal anti-robocall law in a case involving unwanted texts from Facebook Inc. could shield other companies from expensive class actions over their contacts with consumers.

The decision is seen as a win for companies defending against a wave of lawsuits over robocalls. Companies including Home Depot Inc. and Quicken Loans LLC backed Facebook's argument in the case.

The robocall law addressed random or sequential dialing, a method that most businesses or other organizations contacting consumers don't use today. Instead, they often market to consumers using targeted lists, according to John Richer, a shareholder at law firm Hall Estill who specializes in the TCPA.

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