

Responses from leaders around the world on the cell-phone issues and solutions



from: AL GORE
US Vice President



from: GEORGE W. BUSH
Texas Governor - US President



from: JOHN McCAIN
US Senator



from:
MARY T. SMITH, DIRECTOR
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from:
KENNETH OLDEN, PH.D., DIRECTOR
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from:
OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER
OF CANADA



from:
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
OF FRANCE



from:
OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER
OF ENGLAND



from:
BUCKINGHAM PALACE - QUEEN
OF ENGLAND



from:
OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER
OF AUSTRALIA



THE VICE PRESIDENT
WASHINGTON

December 2, 1999

Dr. David Nghiem
President and Chief Executive Officer
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Dear Dr. Nghiem:

Thanks for taking the time to write and let me know about USA Wireless' recent measures to ensure quality service, performance, and consumer safety. I very much appreciate learning about the specific steps that your company is taking in this regard.

As you may know, your efforts parallel those of this Administration to streamline the way government operates and to improve telecommunications accessibility and service to our citizens. Your insights are valuable as we continue to work to implement the necessary reforms we have identified and those still to be developed. I hope you will not hesitate to pass along any additional ideas, suggestions, or comments that you might have along those lines.

Again, thanks for your commitment to excellence.

Sincerely,

Al Gore

AG/rar



STATE OF TEXAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

GEORGE W. BUSH
GOVERNOR

March 15, 2000

David Nghiem, Ph.D.
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Dear Dr. Nghiem:

Thank you for your letter and copies of your correspondence with federal officials concerning wireless telephone safety. I appreciate the work that went into preparing this information.

I have given the material to my staff for review.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "George W. Bush".

GEORGE W. BUSH

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cc: Policy, Telecommunications

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November 19, 1998

Dr. David Nghiem
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Dear Dr. Nghiem:

Thank you for your inquiry regarding possible health risks associated with the use of cellular telephones. I appreciate the opportunity to be of assistance, and I regret that I was unable to respond sooner.

I have contacted the Federal Communications Commission about USA Wireless' research on your behalf. I have asked for a prompt response to be sent directly to you.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any further questions or comments.

Sincerely,



JOHN McCAIN
Chairman



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
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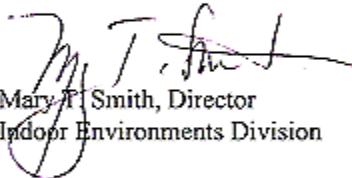
David Nghiem, Ph.D.
President & CEO
USA Wireless, Inc.

Dear Dr. Nghiem:

Your letter to President Clinton, dated September 3, 1999, concerning the need for more government supported research to study the radiation emission from cellular phones and their potential health effects was forwarded to the Environmental Protection Agency for response. The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) share the responsibility to protect the public from the radiation emitted by cellular telephones. Therefore, we are forwarding your letter to both the FDA and FCC with our request that they respond to your concern.

Thank you for your concern with the protection of public health and the environment.

Sincerely,



Mary T. Smith, Director
Indoor Environments Division

cc: Elizabeth D. Jacobson, FDA
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November 30, 1999

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Dear Dr. Nghiem:

Thank you for the background information you provided in your letter of November 1, 1999. The NIEHS is very interested in providing sound, hypothesis-driven research on the potential health risks from exposure to radio-frequency fields. We are currently involved in the design and interpretation of a number of studies with the European Union and may be directly supporting other studies here in the United States. Only through high-quality research will this issue be clarified to the satisfaction of both the public and stakeholders. Your background material will be very useful in developing a structure for our research program.

Sincerely yours,

Kenneth Olden, Ph.D.
Director

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Prime Minister



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July 23, 1998

Dr. David Nghiem
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Dear Dr. Nghiem:

On behalf of the Prime Minister, I would like to thank you for your correspondence of July 15 regarding the electromagnetic fields emitted by cellular phones.

You may be assured that your remarks have been carefully reviewed. A copy of your correspondence has been forwarded to the Honourable John Manley, Minister of Industry. I am certain that the Minister will appreciate being made aware of your comments and will want to give them every consideration.

Yours sincerely,

Catherine Addison
Special Assistant
Correspondence

Canada

PRÉSIDENCE
DE LA
RÉPUBLIQUE

Paris, le **24 NOV. 1999**

Le Chef de Cabinet

SCP/CdO/M066057

Monsieur le Président Directeur Général,

Votre lettre et la documentation qui l'accompagnait sont bien parvenues à Monsieur le Président de la République française, qui m'a confié le soin de vous remercier de votre démarche.

Soyez assuré qu'il a été pris connaissance de vos observations et de vos suggestions que je n'ai pas manqué de transmettre au Secrétaire d'Etat à l'Industrie, mieux à même de vous répondre.

Veillez agréer, Monsieur le Président Directeur Général, l'expression de mes sentiments les meilleurs.



Annie LHERITIER



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From the Assistant Private Secretary

13 December 1998

Dear Dr Nghiem,

The Prime Minister has asked me to thank you for your letter of 2 December with which you enclosed a copy of your letter to Mr W.E. Kennard, Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Janice Richards".

MRS JANICE RICHARDS

Dr David Nghiem



BUCKINGHAM PALACE

11th August, 1998.

Dear Professor Nghiem,

The Queen has asked me to thank you for your extensive letter of 5th August on the dangers of over use of cellular telephones. It was thoughtful of you to write as you did, but Her Majesty does not require any further information or demonstration of your measurement procedures.

Yours sincerely,

MRS. DEBORAH BEAN
Senior Correspondence Officer

Professor David Nghiem



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10 January 2000

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Dear Dr Nghiem

Thank you for your correspondence of 11 November 1999 to the Prime Minister regarding cell-phone radiation and interference issues. I apologise for the delay in replying.

The Prime Minister has asked that letters addressing matters which are the particular responsibility of another Minister, be referred to that Minister for closer attention. Your comments have been noted and referred to the Minister for Communications, Information Technology and the Arts, Senator the Hon Richard Alston who has portfolio responsibility for this matter.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Steve Pring', written over a light blue horizontal line.

Steve Pring
Ministerial Officer