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**Restaurant Law Center Applauds Supreme Court Decision  
on the Telephone Consumer Protection Act**

**Washington, D.C.** – Today, the Restaurant Law Center released the following statement on the Supreme Court’s unanimous decision in *Facebook v. Duguid* involving the Telephone Consumer Protection Act:

“Restaurants are delighted that the Supreme Court curbed Telephone Consumer Protection Act (TCPA) litigation abuse by preserving important provisions that allow essential text communications between restaurants and patrons,” said **Angelo Amador, Executive Director of the Restaurant Law Center**. “In today’s marketplace, restaurant patrons rely on text communications to make their customer experience convenient and safe. This ruling reinforces the distinction between legitimate restaurant communications and unwanted robocalls—reestablishing the proper scope of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act and encouraging legitimate communications with guests while putting the brakes on frivolous suits against restaurants. Ultimately, today’s ruling is a win for common sense.”

The Restaurant Law Center, the Retail Litigation Center, and the National Retail Federation filed an *amici curiae* brief in this case with co-drafting by Meredith Slawe and Michael McTigue Jr. of Cozen O’Connor—a Restaurant Law Center law firm partner—and Joseph Palmore and Samuel Goldstein of Morrison and Foster LLP.

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***About the Restaurant Law Center***

*The Restaurant Law Center is an independent 501(c)(6). The Center's goal is to promote pro-business laws and regulations that allow restaurants to continue growing, creating jobs and contributing to a robust American economy. The Center is the voice of America’s restaurants in the courtroom advancing the policy interests of the industry.*