Requirements & Regulations

[ ] Dating and social referral services must comply with the Prepaid Entertainment Contract Act. For more information, contact the Ohio Attorney General’s Office at (877)-244-0515. The office is also on-line at http://www.ohioattorneygeneral.gov/ *Remember to check local government agencies*

[ ] If you are making telephone sales, you may need a certificate of registration from the Ohio Attorney General. You may also need a surety bond. *Remember to check local government agencies*

[ ] The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) regulates mail, telephone and Internet sales. If you have any questions about federal regulations, please call the FTC’s Cleveland Regional Office at (216) 263-3410. The FTC is also on-line at www.ftc.gov. *Remember to check local government agencies*

[ ] The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) also regulates telephone solicitations (especially fax transmissions and auto dialers). For more information, please contact the FCC at (888) 225-5322. The FCC is also on-line at www.fcc.gov. *Remember to check local government agencies*

For more help, contact your local Small Business Development Center (SBDC).

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