

Comments received via email Monday, July 25, 2005

RIN 1506 – AA 58 Interim Rule for the Jewelry Industry

Mr. William Langford
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RE: Docket No. RIN 1506-AA58 - Interim Rule for the Jewelry Industry

Dear Mr. Langford:

We are in support of the positions taken by the National Pawnbrokers Association (NPA) on the Interim Final Rule for the Jewelry Industry as published in June 2005. The pawn industry is highly regulated by state statute, city and/or county ordinance with additional reporting of all transactions to local law enforcement. The pawnbroker exception in the Rule, as well as the clarifications of coverage requested in the NPA's comment, will help the business environment by keeping the costs reasonable allowing the industry to focus on the important objectives of the Patriot Act.

Sincerely,

Mary Jackson
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