



## The Role of the Federal Government in Funeral Home Regulations

What you need to know.

1. The Federal Trade Commission monitors complaints against funeral homes.

2. State laws cannot overrule the federal Funeral Rule.

3. The Federal Trade Commission investigates complaints against Funeral Homes.

4. Complaints against funeral homes are prosecuted in federal courts.

5. The Federal Trade Commission can and will take small funeral

homes to court and state funeral commissions to course.

For example: In 2007 the Federal Trade Commission settled an AntiTrust case against the State of Missouri Funeral Commission.

See more at <http://www.ftc.gov/opa/2007/03/missouriboard.shtm>



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