## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

## COMMISSIONERS: Lina M. Khan, Chair Rebecca Kelly Slaughter Alvaro M. Bedoya

## RESOLUTION DIRECTING USE OF COMPULSORY PROCESS IN A NON-PUBLIC INVESTIGATION OF PRODUCTS AND SERVICES THAT USE OR ARE PRODUCED USING ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE OR THAT PURPORT TO DETECT THE USE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

File No. 2323087

Nature and Scope of Investigation:

To determine whether unnamed persons, partnerships, corporations, or others have engaged or are engaging in unfair, deceptive, anticompetitive, collusive, coercive, predatory, exploitative, or exclusionary acts or practices in or affecting commerce relating to products and services that use or are produced using artificial intelligence, including but not limited to, machine-based systems that can, for a given set of defined objectives, make predictions, recommendations, or decisions influencing real or virtual environments, or that purport to use or detect the use of artificial intelligence, in violation of Section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act, 15 U.S.C. § 45, as amended, or any statutes or rules enforced by the Commission. The investigation is also to determine whether Commission action to obtain monetary relief would be in the public interest.

The Federal Trade Commission hereby resolves and directs that any and all compulsory processes available to it be used in connection with this investigation for a period not to exceed ten (10) years from the date of issuance of this resolution. The expiration of this ten-year period shall not limit or terminate the investigation or the legal effect of any compulsory process issued during the ten-year period. The Federal Trade Commission specifically authorizes the filing or continuation of actions to enforce any such compulsory process after the expiration of the ten-year period.

Authority to Conduct Investigation:

Sections 6, 9, 10, and 20 of the Federal Trade Commission Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 46, 49, 50, and 57b-1, as amended; and FTC Procedures and Rules of Practice, 16 C.F.R. § 1.1 *et seq.*, and supplements thereto.

By direction of the Commission.

April J. Tabor Secretary

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