UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS: Lina M. Khan, Chair Noah Joshua Phillips Rohit Chopra Rebecca Kelly Slaughter Christine S. Wilson

RESOLUTION DIRECTING USE OF COMPULSORY PROCESS REGARDING ACTS OR PRACTICES AFFECTING HEALTHCARE MARKETS

File No. P210100

Nature and Scope of Investigation:

To investigate whether any 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 related to healthcare markets, including those regarding pharmaceuticals, pharmacies, pharmacy benefit managers, medical devices, hospitals, or other healthcare facilities or services, 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; and to determine the appropriate action or remedy, including whether 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, including subpoenas and orders to file special reports, be used in connection with any inquiry within the nature and scope of this resolution for a period not to exceed ten years. 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.



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