

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE



CASE NAME

In Re: Caremark Rx, Zinc, Express Scripts, Evernorth, Medco, Ascent, OptumRx, OptumRx Holdings, Emisar

FILE/DOCKET NUMBER

D09437

Pursuant to Section 4.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice, I (we) am (are) entering in the above proceeding the appearance of

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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES**

In the Matter of

Caremark Rx, LLC;

Zinc Health Services, LLC;

Express Scripts, Inc.;

Evernorth Health, Inc.;

Medco Health Services, Inc.;

Ascent Health Services LLC;

Docket No. 9437

OptumRx, Inc.;

OptumRx Holdings, LLC;

and

Emisar Pharma Services LLC.

Respondents.

STATEMENT OF GOOD STANDING PURSUANT TO 16 C.F.R. § 4.1

Pursuant to 16 C.F.R. § 4.1(d), I state that I am eligible to practice before the Commission as a member of the Bar of the District of Columbia (Bar No. 1722341). As requested by 16 C.F.R. § 4.1(d), I further state that I am a member of good standing within the legal profession.

Dated: January 8, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,

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