

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION**

COMMISSIONERS: **Lina M. Khan, Chair**
 Rebecca Kelly Slaughter
 Alvaro M. Bedoya
 Melissa Holyoak
 Andrew Ferguson

In the Matter of

**Facebook, Inc.,
a corporation.**

Respondent.

DOCKET NO. C-4365

ORDER SCHEDULING ORAL ARGUMENT

On May 3, 2023, pursuant to Rule 3.72(b), the Commission issued an Order to Show Cause Why the Commission Should Not Modify the Order and Enter the Proposed New Order (“OTSC”). On April 1, 2024, Respondent Facebook, Inc. (now known as Meta Platforms, Inc., or “Meta”) submitted its response to the OTSC, raising a number of threshold legal issues regarding the show cause proceeding. To facilitate the resolution of these issues, the Commission directed Complaint Counsel to submit a reply to the legal questions raised in Meta’s response, excluding arguments with respect to remedy. Following Complaint Counsel’s submission of their reply, the Commission directed Meta to submit a further reply to Complaint Counsel’s reply. The Commission also stated that it expected to hold oral argument on the threshold legal issues and that it would set a date for the argument at a later time. Meta has now submitted its further reply.

The Commission has determined to conduct oral argument to address the threshold legal issues raised in Meta’s April 1, 2024 response, excluding arguments with respect to remedy, on Tuesday, November 12, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Hearing Room 532 of the Headquarters Building of the Federal Trade Commission, located at 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580. Each side will be allotted forty-five minutes to present its argument. Meta will have the opportunity to open the argument. Each side will be permitted to reserve time for rebuttal. If either side wishes to provide the Commission with a short written or electronic compilation of material to facilitate its presentation during the oral argument, any such compilation may contain only public information, and copies must be filed with the Secretary of

the Commission and provided to opposing counsel no later than November 5, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.

By the Commission.



SEAL:
ISSUED: September 24, 2024

April J. Tabor
Secretary