

**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 RELATED TO THE
COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY**

File No. 210100

Nature and Scope of Investigation:

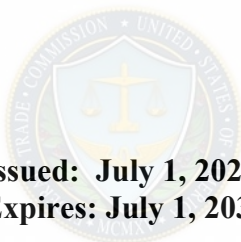
To investigate whether any persons, partnerships, or corporations have engaged or are engaging in unfair, deceptive, anticompetitive, collusive, coercive, predatory, exploitative, or exclusionary acts or practices in, or affecting commerce related to, the treatment, cure, prevention, mitigation, or diagnosis of COVID–19, or a government benefit associated with the COVID–19 public health emergency, 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 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 be used in connection with this investigation 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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April J. Tabor
Secretary