FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580

## NOTICE OF APPEARANCE



CASE NAME	FILE/DOCKET NUMBER
The Kroger Company and Albertsons Companies, Inc.	DO9428

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

counsel supporting the complaint (Complete Items 1, 3, 4, and 5 below)

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

In the Matter of

The Kroger Company

and

Docket No. 9428

Albertsons Companies, Inc.

#### 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 (DC Bar No. 994846). 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: July 11, 2024

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 11th day of July 2024, I electronically filed the foregoing

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I also hereby certify that I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing public documents

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