

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580



Office of the Secretary

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William S. Comanor
State of California

F. M. Scherer
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Re: In the Matter of Pfizer Inc. and Wyeth, Docket No. C-4267

Dear Dr. Comanor and Dr. Scherer:

Thank you for your comments regarding the proposed consent order accepted by the Federal Trade Commission for public comment in the above-captioned matter. Your comments indicate that you believe the merger will retard the rate of pharmaceutical innovation to the detriment of consumers.

As discussed in the Commission's statement, the Commission conducted a thorough investigation to determine whether the pr