UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS:

Lina M. Khan, Chair Rebecca Kelly Slaughter Alvaro M. Bedoya

- 3) An audible disclosure, including by telephone or streaming video, must be delivered in a volume, speed, and cadence sufficient for ordinary consumers to easily hear and understand it.
- 4) In any communication using an interactive electronic medium, such as the Internet or software, the disclosure must be unavoidable.
- 5) On a product label, the disclosure must be presented on the principal display panel.
- 6) The disclosure must use diction and syntax understandable to ordinary consumers and must appear in each language in which the representation that requires the disclosure appears.

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A. The cost of any of Respondent's goods or services, including any TurboTax product or service;

B. That consumers can only file their taxes online accurately if they use a paid TurboTax product or service;

C. That consumers can only claim a tax credit or deduction if they use a paid TurboTax product or service; and

D. Any other fact material to consumers concerning any good or service, such as: the total costs; any refund policy; any material restrictions, limitations, or conditions; or any material aspect of its performance, efficacy, nature, or central characteristics.

III.

Acknowledgments of the Order

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT Respondent obtain acknowledgments of receipt of this Order:

A. Respondent, within 10 days of the effective date of this Order, must submit to the Commission an acknowledgment of receipt of this Order sworn under penalty of perjury.

B. For 20 years after the issuance date of this Order, Respondent must deliver a copy of this Order to: (1) all principals, officers, directors, and LLC managers and members; (2) all employees having managerial responsibilities for conduct related to the subject matter of the Order and all agents and representatives who participate in conduct related to the subject matter of the Order; and (3) any business entity resulting from any change in structure as set forth in the Provision titled Compliance Report[s] and Notices. Delivery must occur within 10 days of the effective date of this Order for current personnel. For all others, delivery must occur before they assume their responsibilities.

C. From each individual or entity to which a Respondent delivered a copy of this Order, that Respondent must obtain, within 30 days, a signed and dated acknowledgment of receipt of this Order.

IV.

Compliance Reports and Notices

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT Respondent make timely submissions to the Commission:

A. One year after the issuance date of this Order, Respondent must submit a compliance report, sworn under penalty of perjury, in which Respondent must:

- 1) Identify the primary physical, postal, and email address and telephone number, as designated points of contact, which representatives of the Commission may use to communicate with Respondent;
- 2) Identify all of Respondent's businesses by all of their names, telephone numbers, and physical, postal, email, and Internet addresses;
- 3) Describe the activities of each business, including the goods and services offered, the means of advertising, marketing, and sales;
- 4) Describe in detail whether and how Respondent is in compliance with each Provision of this Order, including a discussion of all of the changes the Respondent made to comply with the Order; and
- 5) Provide a copy of each Acknowledgment of the Order obtained pursuant to this Order, unless previously submitted to the Commission.
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notice. Nothing in this Order limits the Commission's lawful use of compulsory process, pursuant to Sections 9 and 20 of the FTC Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 49, 57b-1.

VII.

Order Effective Date

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT the final and effective date of this Order is the 60th day after this Order is served. This Order will terminate 20 years from the date of its issuance (which date may be stated at the end of this Order, near the Commission's seal), or 20 years from the most recent date that the United States or the Commission files a complaint (with or without an accompanying settlement) in federal court alleging any violation of this Order, whichever comes later; provided, however, that the filing of such a complaint will not affect the duration of:

A. Any Provision in this Order that terminates in less than 20 years;

B. This Order if such complaint is filed after the Order has terminated pursuant to this Provision.

, that if such complaint is dismissed or a federal court rules that Respondent did not violate any provision of the Order, and the dismissal or ruling is either not appealed or upheld on appeal, then the Order will terminate according to this Provision as though the complaint had never been filed, except that the Order will not terminate between the date such complaint is filed and the later of the deadline for appealing such dismissal or ruling and the date such dismissal or ruling is upheld on appeal.

By the Commission.

April J. Tabor Secretary

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