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Dissenting Statement of Commissioner Andrew N. Ferguson
Joined by Commissioner Melissa Holyoak
Regarding the Surveillance Pricing 6(b) Staff Research Summaries
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Less than six months after the Commission unanimously launched a Section 6(b) study into the practice of personalized pricing, the outgoing Democratic majority rushed out “research summaries” of what staff has gleaned from a couple months of production. It does so in order to issue another press release just before President Trump’s inauguration. Les1-1 (-2 (-0.002 Tw1n483 0(i)-

and “initial observations” for a Section 6(b) study are unprecedented.