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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20580

Statement of the Commission
In the Matter of Alimentation Couche-Tard and CrossAmerica Partners, LP
Docket No. C-4635, File No. 181-0227
July 6, 2020

Today, the Commission takes \$3.5 million in civil penalties from Alimentation Couche-Tard Inc. and its former affiliate CrossAmerica Partners to settle allegations that the parties violated a Commission order. Commission orders carry the force of law. When the Commission requires divestiture of assets by a date certain, that deadline is not a suggestion. When the Commission mandates that parties maintain divestiture assets, those assets must be fully maintained. And when the Commission requires accurate and detailed compliance reports, inaccurate and incomplete reports will not suffice. Most importantly, the Commission will not permit parties to profit from order violations of any kind, including late divestitures. We will vigorously pursue and penalize such conduct. Today's settlement sends a strong message to the public: the Commission takes its orders seriously, and parties should too.