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**STATEMENT OF FCC CHAIRMAN AJIT PAI
*On Being Nominated to Serve a Second Term by the President***

WASHINGTON, March 7, 2017.—“I am deeply honored to have been nominated by President Trump to serve a second term on the Federal Communications Commission. If I am fortunate to be confirmed by the Senate, I will continue to work with my colleagues to connect all Americans with digital opportunity, foster innovation, protect consumers, promote public safety, and make the FCC more open and transparent to the American people.”

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