**STATEMENT OF  
CHAIRMAN AJIT PAI**

Re: *Report to Congress Regarding the Open-Market Reorganization for the Betterment of International Telecommunications Act (ORBIT Act)*, IB Docket No. 17-50.

There’s no need to reinvent the wheel. I’ve said it before, time[[1]](#footnote-1) and again[[2]](#footnote-2) and again[[3]](#footnote-3) and again.[[4]](#footnote-4)

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