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PRIVACY AND CIVIL LIBERTIES OVERSIGHT BOARD TO DISCUSS FISA SECTION 702 REPORT

WASHINGTON, DC – Members of the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board (PCLOB) will deliver remarks on Thursday, September 28th, at 1 p.m. ET regarding the release of the Board's 2023 *Report on the Surveillance Program Operated Pursuant to Section 702 of the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act* ("2023 PCLOB Report").

This event is open to the public. It will be held in the Horizon Ballroom at the Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center, which is located at 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue NW in Washington, DC.

Video of this event will be available at www.pclob.gov shortly after its conclusion.

Section 702 authorizes the government to target non-U.S. persons located outside the United States in order to collect foreign intelligence information.

The 2023 PCLOB Report, which updates the PCLOB's comprehensive 2014 report on Section 702, includes a history of the program, an extensive review and explanation of the program's operations and oversight, policy analysis, and recommendations made by the Board.

For further information, please contact Public and Legislative Affairs Officer Alan Silverleib at pao@pclob.gov. RSVPs are requested but not required for this event.

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The Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board is an independent agency within the Executive Branch established by the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007. The Board's mission is to ensure that the federal government's efforts to prevent terrorism are balanced with the need to protect privacy and civil liberties. The Board's current Members are Sharon Bradford Franklin, Chair, Edward W. Felten, Travis LeBlanc, Beth A. Williams, and Richard E. DiZinno.