



Terrell McSweeney

Commissioner

Terrell McSweeney was sworn in as a Commissioner of the Federal Trade Commission on April 28, 2014, to a term that expires on September 25, 2017.

Prior to joining the Commission, McSweeney served as Chief Counsel for Competition Policy and Intergovernmental Relations for the U.S. Department of Justice Antitrust Division. She joined the Antitrust Division after serving as Deputy Assistant to the President and Domestic Policy

Advisor to the Vice President from January 2009 until February 2012, advising President Obama and Vice President Biden on policy in a variety of areas, including health care, innovation, intellectual property, energy, education, women’s rights, criminal justice and domestic violence.

McSweeney’s government service also includes her work as Senator Joe Biden’s Deputy Chief of Staff and Policy Director in the U.S. Senate, where she managed domestic and economic policy development and legislative initiatives, and as Counsel on the Senate Judiciary Committee, where she worked on issues such as criminal justice, innovation, women's rights, domestic violence, judicial nominations and immigration and civil rights. She also worked as an attorney at O'Melveny & Myers LLP.

McSweeney is a graduate of Harvard University and Georgetown University Law School.

SPEECHES, ARTICLES, AND STATEMENTS

[Keynote Remarks at NW Common Ground Conference – NW Common Ground Conference \(November 2014\)](#)

[Statement of Chairwoman Ramirez, Commissioner Brill, and Commissioner McSweeney - In the Matter of True Ultimate Standards Everywhere, Inc. \(TRUSTe\) \(November 2014\)](#)

[Remarks at the 2014 FOSI Annual Conference, “Redefining Online Safety” – Family Online Safety Institute Annual Conference, “Redefining Online Safety” \(November 2014\)](#)

[Remarks for the Identity Theft Resource Center – Identity Theft Resource Center's unveiling of survey of victims of identity theft, “Identity Theft: The Aftermath” \(October 2014\)](#)

[Remarks at the FTC Fraud Affects Every Community Workshop – FTC Fraud Affects Every Community Workshop \(October 2014\)](#)

[Protecting Children Online and On Mobile Keynote by Commissioner Terrell McSweeney -- CARU Annual Conference \(October 2014\)](#)

[Prepared Statement of the Federal Trade Commission On Cramming on Wireless Phone Bills: A Review of Consumer Protection Practices and Gaps – Before the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, United States Senate \(July 2014\)](#)