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Honorable Members of the Senate Committee on Judiciary,

Thank you for this opportunity to testify in support of SB 1587.

The uses and abuses of personal data have become major issues in our day, both in the public and the private spheres. This presents new challenges for protecting our rights to privacy, especially the rights expressed in the 4th amendment to the US Constitution. Private companies should not be sharing data about us that they have collected. And government and law enforcement should not seek such data except with a judicial order.

This bill, SB 1587, will strengthen the protection of our personal data. I encourage your Committee on Judiciary to move the bill to the Senate Floor with a recommendation that it be passed into law.

Thank you for reading my testimony in support of SB 1587.

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