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Dear Department of Justice:

I have grave concerns that the proposed settlement in this case (U.S. vs. Apple, 12-cv-2826) is contrary to public policy. The settlement will have the effect of rewarding Amazon for its predatory pricing and numerous other anti-competitive practices, including but not limited to failure to charge and pay sales taxes. It will work to the detriment of bookstores, readers, writers, those who value the role of books in society. This settlement is a prime example of unintended consequences that will work against the very public policy it was intended to protect.

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