

ALA Denounces Amazon, Macmillan in Response to Congressional Inquiry on Competition in Digital Markets

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WASHINGTON, D.C.— Current practices by content publishers and distributors in digital markets limit libraries' ability to deliver core services, according to a [new report](#) publicly released today by the American Library Association (ALA). Submitted in response to an inquiry from the U.S. House of Representatives Committee on the Judiciary Subcommittee on Antitrust, Commercial and Administrative Law, ALA's report underscores practices by companies like Amazon and Macmillan Publishers that threaten Americans' right to read what and how they choose and imperil other fundamental First Amendment freedoms. The report urges lawmakers to curb anti-competitive practices of digital market actors.

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