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Erica Elliott Richardson was appointed by U.S. President Donald J. Trump to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC) as a Director in June 2017. Mrs. Richardson manages the Office of Public Affairs and the Office of Customer Education and Outreach, and advises the Agency's Chairman and Commissioners. Mrs. Richardson's government service includes almost a decade on Capitol Hill, working for the Republican Majority Leadership and senior leaders on the House Financial Services Committee through the 2008 financial crisis and subsequent Dodd-Frank financial services reform effort.

In the private sector, Mrs. Richardson has advised domestic and international clients on global public policy and communications in the United States, United Kingdom, European Union and emerging markets. Mrs. Richardson lives in both Washington, D.C., and London, U.K., with her husband, Matthew, and is currently pursuing a Doctor of Law and Policy at Northeastern University in Boston. She is a graduate of Auburn University with a Master of Arts degree in political communication and a Bachelor of Arts degree in public relations.