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The second quarter saw significant enforcement and dealmaking in the life sciences space. The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) announced its attempt to block Amgen/Horizon, the first such challenge to a life science transaction since 2009, and issued a second request in Pfizer's proposed \$43 billion acquisition of Seagen. In contrast, however, several sizable deals announced and closed within the normal waiting period, while the status of others is unknown at the time of publication.

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