UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

CERTAIN COUPLER DEVICES FOR POWER SUPPLY FACILITIES, COMPONENTS THEREOF, AND PRODUCTS CONTAINING SAME

Inv. No. 337-TA-590

NOTICE OF INVESTIGATION

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission

ACTION: Institution of investigation pursuant to 19 U.S.C. § 1337

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that a complaint was filed with the U.S. International Trade Commission on December 13, 2006, under section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. § 1337, on behalf of Topower Computer Industrial, Co., Ltd. of Taiwan. A letter supplementing the Complaint was filed on January 9, 2007. The complaint, as supplemented, alleges violations of section 337 in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain coupler devices for power supply facilities, components thereof, and products containing same by reason of infringement of U.S. Patent No. 6,935,902. The complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337.

The complainant requests that the Commission institute an investigation and, after the investigation, issue a permanent general exclusion order and permanent cease and desist orders.

ADDRESSES: The complaint and supplement, except for any confidential information contained therein, are available for inspection during official business hours (8:45 a.m. to 5:15 p.m.) in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Room 112, Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone 202-205-2000. Hearing impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter can be obtained by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202-205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202-205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server at http://www.usitc.gov. The public record for this investigation may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at http://edis.usitc.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Anne Goalwin, Esq., Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, telephone (202) 205-2574.

AUTHORITY: The authority for institution of this investigation is contained in section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, and in section 210.10 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. § 210.10 (2006).

SCOPE OF INVESTIGATION: Having considered the complaint, the U.S. International Trade Commission, on January 10, 2007, ORDERED THAT –

- (1) Pursuant to subsection (b) of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, an investigation be instituted to determine whether there is a violation of subsection (a)(1)(B) of section 337 in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, or the sale within the United States after importation of certain coupler devices for power supply facilities, components thereof, and products containing same by reason of infringement of one or more of claims 1-14 of U.S. Patent No. 6,935,902, and whether an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337;
- (2) For the purpose of the investigation so instituted, the following are hereby named as parties upon which this notice of investigation shall be served:
 - (a) The complainant is –

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Pao Chiao Road
Xindian City, Taipei Hsien
Taiwan

(b) The respondents are the following entities alleged to be in violation of section 337, and are the parties upon which the complaint is to be served:

Xion/Axpertec Inc. 201 Lemon Creek Drive No. B Walnut, CA 91789

Thermaltake Technology, Inc. USA 525 Parriott Place City of Industry, CA 91745

Thermaltake Technology Co., Ltd., Taiwan 8F., No. 27, Lane 155, Sec. 3
Peishen Rd., Saen Keng
Hsiang, Taipei Hsien
Taiwan

Aspire/Apevia Int'l Corp. 21490 Ferrero Pkwy. City of Industry, CA 91789

MGE Company, USA 18235 Valley Boulevard City of Industry, CA 91744

Raidcom Technology Inc., Corporation 15339 E. Don Julian Rd. City of Industry, CA 91745

Codegen Technology Co., Ltd. 581 Yorbita Road City of Industry, CA 91748

Leadman Electronic Co., Ltd. 891 S. Azusa Ave. B-6 City of Industry, CA 91748

Hipro Electronics Co., Ltd. 19937 Harrison Avenue City of Industry, CA 91789

Cooler Master Inc., USA 1951 S. Parco Av. Unit A Ontario, CA 91761

Cooler Master Co., Ltd., Taiwan 9F, No. 782, Chung-Cheng Rd., Chung-Ho City, Taipei Hsien Taiwan

Broadway Com Corp. 18715 E. Harrison Avenue City of Industry, CA 91789

JPAC Computer, Inc. 14422 Valley Blvd. City of Industry, CA 91746 Silent Power Electronics, GmbH Mühlenstr. 123 41352 Korschenbroich Germany

Linkworld Electronics Corporation 670 Endeavor Circle Brea, CA 92821

Acbel Polytech Inc. 251 Dominion Dr., Suite 103 Morrisville, NC 27560

HEC Group, Compucase Enterprise, USA 16720 Chestnut Street, Unit C City of Industry, CA 91748

HEC Group, Compucase Enterprise, Taiwan No. 225, Lane 54, An-Ho Rd Sec. 2, Tainan Taiwan

Atrix Inc. 9680 Flair Drive El Monte, CA 91731

ASYS 19941 Harrison Avenue City of Industry, CA 91789

Logisys Computer Inc. 1962 West Holt Avenue Pomona, CA 91768

Best Buy Enterprise Services, Inc. B6 7601 Penn Avenue South Richfield, MN 55423

Sunbeam Company 15339 Don Julian Rd. City of Industry, CA 91745 Sirtec International Co., Ltd. 2430 N. Glassell St., #F Orange, CA 92865

Enhance Electronics 13100 Alondra Boulevard, Unit 106 Cerritos, CA 90701

Super Flower Computer Inc. 7 Fl. No. 649-1, Chung-Cheng Rd. Hsinchuang City, Taipei Hsien Taiwan

Taiwan Youngyear Electronics Co., Ltd. 113, Lin Sen Rd., Taoyuan Taiwan

Sun Pro Electronics Co., Ltd. No. 46, Luwei Village, Sanzing Industrial Area, Quingxi Town, Dongguan City Guangdon Province China

Unitek Electronics Co., Ltd. HuiMingSheng Industrial Zone, FuYong Town, BaoAn, Shen Zhen China

Shenzhen Chi Yuan Industrial Co., Ltd. Hang-Jia Industrial Park Xue-Xiang Village Bu-Ji Town Shenzhen Guangdong 518129 China

- (c) The Commission investigative attorney, party to this investigation, is Anne Goalwin, Esq., Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Room 401-R, Washington, D.C. 20436; and
- (3) For the investigation so instituted, the Honorable Robert L. Barton, Jr. is designated as the presiding administrative law judge.

Responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation must be submitted by the named respondents in accordance with section 210.13 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. § 210.13. Pursuant to 19 C.F.R. §§ 201.16(d) and 210.13(a), such responses will be considered by the Commission if received not later than 20 days after the date of service by the Commission of the complaint and the notice of investigation. Extensions of time for submitting responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation will not be granted unless good cause therefor is shown.

Failure of a respondent to file a timely response to each allegation in the complaint and in this notice may be deemed to constitute a waiver of the right to appear and contest the allegations of the complaint and this notice, and to authorize the administrative law judge and the Commission, without further notice to the respondent, to find the facts to be as alleged in the complaint and this notice and to enter an initial determination and a final determination containing such findings, and may result in the issuance of a limited exclusion order or cease and desist order or both directed against the respondent.

By order of the Commission.

/s/ Marilyn R. Abbott Secretary to the Commission

Issued: January 11, 2007