## UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

**Investigation No. 337-TA-608** 

**CERTAIN NITRILE GLOVES** 

**AND** 

In the Matter of

CERTAIN NITRILE RUBBER GLOVES

**Investigation No. 337-TA-612** 

NOTICE OF COMMISSION DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN INITIAL DETERMINATION TERMINATING THE INVESTIGATION WITH RESPECT TO RESPONDENT DELTA MEDICAL SUPPLY GROUP, INC. ON THE BASIS OF A SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

**AGENCY**: U.S. International Trade Commission.

**ACTION**: Notice.

**SUMMARY**: Notice is hereby given that the U.S. International Trade Commission has determined not to review the presiding administrative law judge's ("ALJ") initial determination ("ID") (Order No. 41) granting the joint motion of complainant Tillotson Corporation ("Tillotson") and respondent Delta Medical Supply Group, Inc. ("Delta Medical Supply") to terminate the investigation with respect to Delta Medical Supply based on a settlement agreement.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**: Michelle Walters, Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 708-5468. Copies of non-confidential documents filed in connection with this investigation are or will be 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., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its Internet server at <a href="http://www.usitc.gov">http://www.usitc.gov</a>. The public record for this investigation may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket

(EDIS) at *http://edis.usitc.gov*. Hearing-impaired persons are advised that information on this matter can be obtained by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on (202) 205-1810.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**: The Commission instituted this investigation on July 6, 2007, based on a complaint filed by Tillotson. The complaint alleges violations of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. § 1337) in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain nitrile gloves by reason of infringement of United States Patent No. Re. 35,616. The complaint names Delta Medical Supply, along with thirty others, as the proposed respondents.

On November 8, 2007, Tillotson and Delta Medical Supply filed a joint motion pursuant to Commission Rule 210.21(b) (19 C.F.R. § 210.21(b)) to terminate Delta Medical Supply from the investigation on the basis of a settlement agreement. The Commission investigative attorney supported the motion.

On November 27, 2007, the ALJ issued the subject ID granting the motion to terminate the investigation with regard to Delta Medical Supply. The ALJ found that the motion complied with the requirements of Commission Rule 210.21 (19 C.F.R. § 210.21). The ALJ also concluded that, pursuant to Commission Rule 210.50(b)(2) (19 C.F.R. § 210.50(b)(2)), there is no evidence that termination of this investigation will prejudice the public interest. Accordingly, the ALJ terminated the investigation with respect to Delta Medical Supply. No petitions for review of this ID were filed.

Having examined the record of this investigation, the Commission has determined not to review the ID.

The authority for the Commission's determination is contained in section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 U.S.C. § 1337), and in section 210.42 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 C.F.R. § 210.42).

By order of the Commission.

Marilyn R. Abbott Secretary to the Commission

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