

wilderness recommendation to the President, who in turn may approve or revise the recommendation and then transmit the recommendation to Congress for consideration.

Dated: May 5, 2004.

Ernest Quintana,

Regional Director, Midwest Region.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice of Proposed Collection; Comment Request.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Ch. 35), the Commission intends to seek approval from the Office of Management and Budget to survey complainants who obtained exclusion orders that are currently in effect from the United States International Trade Commission following proceedings under 19 U.S.C. 1337. The survey will seek feedback on the effectiveness of the exclusion orders in stopping certain imports. Comments concerning the proposed information collection are requested in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.8(d).

DATES: To be assured of consideration, written comments must be received not later than sixty (60) days after publication of this notice.

ADDRESSES: Signed comments should be submitted to Marilyn R. Abbott, Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20436.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Copies of the proposed survey that the Commission will submit to the Office of Management and Budget for approval are posted on the Commission's Internet server at <http://www.usitc.gov> or may be obtained from Lynn I. Levine, Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20436, telephone, 202-205-2560.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Request for Comments

Comments are solicited as to: (1) Whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (3) the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) minimization of the burden of the proposed information collection on those who are to respond.

Summary of the Proposed Information Collection

In its Strategic Plan (available on the agency's Internet server at <http://www.usitc.gov>) the Commission set itself the goal of obtaining feedback on the effectiveness of its exclusion orders from complainants who obtained such orders under 19 U.S.C. 1337. The survey asks each firm responding to the survey to: (i) Evaluate whether the remedial exclusion order has prevented the importation of items covered by the order, (ii) if not, estimate what are the absolute value and effect in the United States market of such imports, and (iii) indicate what experience it has had in policing the exclusion order, particularly with respect to any investigatory efforts and any interactions with the U.S. Customs Service.

Responses to the survey are voluntary. The Commission estimates that the survey will require less than 1 hour to complete.

By order of the Commission.

Issued: August 30, 2004.

Marilyn R. Abbott,

Secretary to the Commission.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 731-TA-208 (Second Review)]

Barbed Wire and Barbless Wire Strand From Argentina Determination

On the basis of the record¹ developed in the subject five-year review, the United States International Trade Commission (Commission) determines, pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1675(c)) (the Act), that revocation of the antidumping duty order on barbed wire and barbless wire strand from Argentina would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of material injury to an

¹ The record is defined in sec. 207.2(f) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 207.2(f)).

industry in the United States within a reasonably foreseeable time.²

Background

The Commission instituted this review on April 1, 2004 (69 FR 17226), and determined on August 5, 2004, that it would conduct an expedited review (69 FR 47404). The Commission transmitted its determination in this review to the Secretary of Commerce on August 30, 2004. The views of the Commission are contained in USITC Publication 3718 (August 2004), entitled *Barbed Wire and Barbless Wire Strand From Argentina: Investigation No. 731-TA-208 (Second Review)*.

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By order of the Commission.

Marilyn R. Abbott,

Secretary to the Commission.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Inv. No. 337-TA-507]

In the Matter of Certain Medical Devices Used To Compact Inner Bone Tissue and Products Containing Same; Notice of Commission Decision Not To Review an Initial Determination Terminating the Investigation; Issuance of Consent Order

AGENCY: International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the U.S. International Trade Commission has determined not to review an initial determination ("ID") issued by the presiding administrative law judge ("ALJ") terminating the above-captioned investigation on the basis of a consent order.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Michael Liberman, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20436, telephone (202) 205-3115. Copies of the ALJ's ID and all other nonconfidential 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, SW., Washington, DC 20436, telephone (202) 205-2000. Hearing-impaired persons are advised that information on this matter

² Vice Chairman Deanna Tanner Okun and Commissioner Daniel R. Pearson dissenting.

can be obtained by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on (202) 205-1810. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its Internet server (<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>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Commission instituted this investigation on May 2, 2004, based on a complaint filed by complainant Kyphon Inc. of Sunnyvale, California. The respondents are Disc-O-Tech Medical Technologies, Ltd. of Herzliya, Israel, and Disc Orthopaedic Technologies, Inc. of Monroe Township, NJ. The complaint alleged violations of section 337 in the importation and sale of certain medical devices used to compact inner bone tissue and products containing same by reason of infringement of certain claims 1, 3, 7-9, 11, and 14 of U.S. Patent No. 4,969,888, claims 1, 3, 8-10, 12, and 15 of U.S. Patent 5,108,404, and claims 2, 17, 20, and 23-28 of U.S. Patent No. 6,248,110.

On August 5, 2004, the ALJ issued an ID (Order No. 13) granting in part respondents' motion to terminate the investigation and based on entry of a consent order proposed by respondents. No petitions for review of the ID were filed.

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 CFR 210.42).

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By order of the Commission.

Marilyn R. Abbott,

Secretary to the Commission.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Inv. No. 337-TA-524]

In the Matter of Certain Point of Sale Terminals and Components Thereof; 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 August 2, 2004, under section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19

U.S.C. 1337, on behalf of Verve LLC of Austin, Texas. Supplements to the complaint were filed on August 9, 19, and 23, 2004. 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 point of sale terminals and components thereof by reason of infringement of claims 1 and 2 of U.S. Patent No. 5,012,077. 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 exclusion order and permanent cease and desist orders.

ADDRESSES: The complaint and supplements, 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, SW., Room 112, Washington, DC 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 document information system (EDIS) at <http://edis.usitc.gov>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Juan Cockburn, Esq., Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, telephone (202) 205-2572.

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 CFR 210.10 (2003).

Scope Of Investigation

Having considered the complaint, the U.S. International Trade Commission, on August 30, 2004, *Ordered That*—

(1) Pursuant to subsection (b) of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, an investigation is 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 point of sale terminals and components thereof by reason of infringement of claims 1 or 2 of U.S. Patent No. 5,012,077; 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—Verve L.L.C., 8127 Mesa Drive, # B-206-67, Austin, TX 78759.

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

Thales e-Transactions, Inc., 53

Perimeter Center East, Suite 175,
Atlanta, GA 30346

Thales Group, 9, rue Elsa Triolet, Z. I.
des Gatines, BP 13, 78373, Plaisir
Cedex, France

CyberNet, USA, Inc., iPark Silicon
Valley, Suite 319, 3003 North First
Street, San Jose, CA 95134

CyberNet, Inc., 6th Floor, Sebang
Building, 708-8, Yoksamdong,
Kangnamku, Seoul, Korea

Lipman USA, Inc., 50 Gordon Drive,
Syosset, NY 11791

Lipman Electronic Engineering, Ltd., 11
Haamal Street, Park Afek, Rosh
Haayin, Israel 48092

Hypercom Corporation, 2851 W.
Kathleen Road, Phoenix, AZ 85053

VeriFone, Inc., One Northwinds Center,
Suite 500, 2475 Northwinds Parkway,
Alpharetta, GA 30004

Ingenico Corp. USA, 1003 Mansell
Road, Atlanta, GA 30076

Ingenico, 9, Quai de Dion Bouton, 92816
Puteaux Cedex, France

Trintech Inc., 15851 Dallas Parkway,
Suite 855, Addison, TX 75001

Trintech Group PLC, Trintech Building,
South County Business Park,
Leopardstown, Dublin 18, Ireland

(c) Juan Cockburn, Esq., Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW., Suite 401, Washington, DC 20436, who shall be the Commission investigative attorney, party to this investigation; and

(3) For the investigation so instituted, the Honorable Charles E. Bullock 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 CFR 210.13. Pursuant to