

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20436

In the Matter of

**CERTAIN L-LYSINE FEED PRODUCTS,
THEIR METHODS OF PRODUCTION
AND GENETIC CONSTRUCTS FOR
PRODUCTION**

Investigation No. 337-TA-571

**CLARIFICATION OF THE DEADLINE FOR THE COMMISSION TO DETERMINE
WHETHER TO REVIEW THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S FINAL INITIAL
DETERMINATION**

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that under the amendments to the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the U.S. International Trade Commission ("the Commission"), 19 CFR Part 210, effective August 6, 2008, the deadline for the Commission to determine whether to review the final initial determination ("final ID"), issued by the presiding administrative law judge ("ALJ") on July 31, 2008, in the above-captioned investigation is 60 days from the date of service of the final ID.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James Worth, Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 205-3065. 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 <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>. 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 May 31, 2006, based on a complaint filed by Ajinomoto Heartland LLC. 71 *Fed. Reg.* 43209 (May 31, 2006). 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 L-Lysine feed products, their methods of production and genetic constructs for production by reason of infringement of various claims of six United States patents. The complaint named five respondents.

On July 31, 2008, the ALJ issued his final initial determination, finding no violation of section 337.

Under the amendments to the Commission rules which became effective on August 6, 2008, the deadline for the Commission to determine whether to review the final ID is 60 days from the date of service of the final ID. *73 Fed. Reg.* 38316, 38325 (July 7, 2008). Therefore, the deadline for the Commission to determine whether to review the final ID is September 29, 2008.

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.

/s/
Marilyn R. Abbott
Secretary to the Commission

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