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

In the Matter of

Optical Disk Controller Chips and Chipsets and Products Containing Same, Including DVD Players and PC Optical Storage Devices II Investigation No. 337-TA-523

In the Matter of

Investigation No. 337-TA-527

Digital Image Storage and Retrieval Devices

NOTICE OF A COMMISSION DECISION TO TEMPORARILY REASSIGN CERTAIN SECTION 337 INVESTIGATIONS IN VIEW OF THE RETIREMENT OF THE PRESIDING ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the U.S. International Trade Commission has determined to temporarily reassign the above-captioned investigations under section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. § 1337, to Administrative Law Judge Sidney Harris in view of the retirement of the current presiding administrative law judge.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jean H. Jackson, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone 202-205-3104. Copies of all nonconfidential documents filed in connection with these investigations 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. Hearing-impaired persons are advised that information on this matter 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 these investigations may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at *http://edis.usitc.gov*.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Administrative Law Judge Delbert R. Terrill retired from the Commission effective January 3, 2005. In view of his retirement, the above-captioned cases have been temporarily assigned to Administrative Law Judge Sidney Harris. The Commission expects to reassign these cases to a new administrative law judge after he enters on duty in February 2005.

By order of the Commission.

Marilyn R. Abbott Secretary to the Commission

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