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

In the Matter of

CERTAIN ELECTRONIC DEVICES, INCLUDING HANDHELD WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS DEVICES

Investigation No. 337-TA-667 Investigation No. 337-TA-673

NOTICE OF COMMISSION DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN INITIAL DETERMINATION TERMINATING THE INVESTIGATION AS TO RESPONDENTS RESEARCH IN MOTION CORP. AND RESEARCH IN MOTION LTD.

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. 46C) in consolidated Inv. Nos. 337-TA-667 and 337-TA-673, *Certain Electronic Devices Including Handheld Wireless Communications Devices*, granting a motion to terminate the investigation as to Research In Motion Corp. and Research In Motion Ltd. on the basis of a settlement agreement.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Megan M. Valentine, Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 708-2301. 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 <u>http://www.usitc.gov</u>. The public record for this investigation may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at <u>http://edis.usitc.gov</u>. 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 Inv. No. 337-TA-667 ("the 667 Investigation") on January 23, 2009, based on a complaint filed by Saxon Innovation, LLC of Tyler, Texas ("Saxon"). 74 *Fed. Reg.* 4231. The complaint, as amended and supplemented, alleges violations of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 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 electronic devices, including handheld wireless communications devices, by reason of infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 5,235,635 ("the '635 patent"); 5,530,597 ("the '597 patent"); and 5,608,873 ("the '873 patent"). The complaint further alleges the existence of a domestic industry related to each patent. The Commission's

notice of investigation named various respondents, including Research In Motion Ltd. of Waterloo, Ontario and Research In Motion Corp. of Irving, Texas (collectively "RIM").

The Commission instituted Inv. No. 337-TA-673 ("the 673 Investigation") on March 31, 2009, based on a complaint filed by Saxon. 74 *Fed. Reg.* 14578-9. The complaint, as amended and supplemented, alleges violations of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 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 electronic devices, including handheld wireless communications devices by reason of infringement of certain claims of the '635 patent, the '597 patent, and the '873 patent. The complaint further alleges the existence of a domestic industry related to each patent. The Commission's notice of investigation named as respondents Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. of Seoul, Korea; Samsung Electronics America, Inc. of Ridgefield Park, New Jersey; and Samsung Telecommunications America, LLP of Richardson, Texas.

On April 23, 2009, the ALJ issued Order No. 28 in the 667 Investigation and Order No. 8 in the 673 investigation, consolidating the investigations. On May 13, 2009, the Commission determined not to review this consolidation.

On September 25, 2009 Saxon and RIM jointly moved to terminate the investigation as to RIM based upon a settlement agreement. On September 30, 2009, the Commission investigative attorney responded that she did not oppose the motion. On October 1, 2009, the ALJ issued the subject ID, granting the joint motion to terminate the investigation as to RIM. No petitions for review were filed.

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.

/s/ Marilyn R. Abbott Secretary to the Commission

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