

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

**CERTAIN STARTER MOTORS AND
ALTERNATORS**

Investigation No. 337-TA-755

**NOTICE OF COMMISSION DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN INITIAL
DETERMINATION FINDING RESPONDENT AMERICAN AUTOMOTIVE PARTS,
INC. IN DEFAULT**

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. 51) finding respondent American Automotive Parts, Inc. of Niles, Illinois ("AAP") in default.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Megan M. Valentine, Esq., 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 <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 January 19, 2011, based on a complaint filed by Remy International, Inc. and Remy Technologies, L.L.C. both of Pendleton, Indiana. 76 *Fed. Reg.* 3158. 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 starter motors and alternators by reason of infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 5,105,114; 5,252,878; 5,268,605; 5,295,404; 5,307,700; 5,315,195; and 5,453,648. On May 13, 2011, the Commission determined not to review an ID granting Remy's motion to amend the complaint to add two additional respondents. Notice (May 13, 2011) (Order No. 14). The complaint, as amended, named ten respondents, including AAP. The Commission served

AAP with a copy of the complaint and notice of investigation on January 13, 2011.

On December 13, 2011, the ALJ issued Order No. 48 pursuant to section 210.16(a)(1) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 C.F.R. § 210.16(a)(1)), ordering respondent AAP to show cause by December 27, 2011, as to why it should not be found in default for failing to respond to the Complaint and Notice of Investigation. On December 30, 2011, the ALJ issued the subject ID, finding AAP in default for failing to respond to the order to show cause by the deadline. No petitions for review of the ID 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.

James R. Holbein
Secretary to the Commission

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