

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

**In the Matter of**

**CERTAIN COUPLER DEVICES FOR  
POWER SUPPLY FACILITIES,  
COMPONENTS THEREOF, AND  
PRODUCTS CONTAINING SAME**

**Investigation No. 337-TA-590**

**NOTICE OF COMMISSION DECISION NOT TO REVIEW AN INITIAL  
DETERMINATION GRANTING A JOINT MOTION  
TERMINATING THE INVESTIGATION AS TO RESPONDENT SILENT POWER  
ELECTRONICS GMBH BASED UPON A SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT**

**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 an initial determination (“ID”) (Order No. 34) issued by the presiding administrative law judge (“ALJ”) terminating the investigation as to respondent Silent Power Electronics GmbH (“Silent Power”) based upon a settlement agreement between Silent Power and complainant Topower Computer Industrial Co., Ltd. (“Topower”).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Paul M. Bartkowski, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 708-5432. 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:** This investigation was instituted on January 19, 2007, based on a complaint filed by Topower. The complaint alleged 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 coupler devices for power supply facilities, components thereof, and products containing the same by reason of infringement of U.S. Patent No. 6,935,902.

On August 9, 2007, Topower and Silent Power filed a joint motion to terminate the investigation as to Silent Power on the basis of a settlement agreement. On August 20, 2007, the Commission investigative attorney filed a response in support of the motion. No other responses were filed.

On August 23, 2007, the ALJ issued the subject ID, granting the joint motion on the basis of the settlement agreement. No petitions for review were filed. The Commission has determined not to review the subject 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.

Marilyn R. Abbott  
Secretary to the Commission

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