

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

In the Matter of

**CERTAIN MAGNETIC TAPE  
CARTRIDGES AND COMPONENTS  
THEREOF**

**Investigation No. 337-TA-1058**

**NOTICE OF COMMISSION DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN INITIAL  
DETERMINATION GRANTING COMPLAINANTS' UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR  
PARTIAL TERMINATION BY WITHDRAWAL OF CLAIMS**

**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. 26) granting complainants' unopposed motion for partial termination by withdrawal of claims in the above-captioned investigation.

**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 (<https://www.usitc.gov>). The public record for this investigation may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at <https://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 June 1, 2017, based on a complaint filed by Sony Corporation and Sony Storage Media Solutions Corp., both of Tokyo Japan; Sony Storage Media Manufacturing Corp. of Miyagi, Japan; Sony DADC US Inc. of Terre Haute, Indiana; and Sony Latin America Inc. of Miami, Florida (collectively, "Sony"). 82 FR 2533-34 (June 1, 2017). The complaint alleges violations of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. § 1337 ("section 337"), in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain magnetic tape cartridges and components thereof by reason of infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 6,674,596 ("the '596 patent"); 6,979,501 ("the '501 patent"); and 7,029,774 ("the '774 patent"). The notice of investigation named as

respondents Fujifilm Holdings Corp. and Fujifilm Corp., both of Tokyo, Japan; Fujifilm Media Manufacturing Co., Ltd. of Kanagawa, Japan; Fujifilm Holdings America Corp. of Valhalla, New York; and Fujifilm Recording Media U.S.A., Inc. of Bedford, Massachusetts. (collectively, “Fujifilm”) *Id.* The Office of Unfair Import Investigations (“OUII”) also was named as a party to the investigation. *Id.*

On March 8, 2018, Sony moved pursuant to Commission Rule 210.21(a)(1) (19 CFR 210.21(a)(1)) for partial termination of the investigation as to the following asserted claims: claims 14-19 of the ’596 patent; claim 3 of the ’501 patent; and claims 2-4, 9, 11, 15, and 18-20 of the ’774 patent. The motion indicated that Fujifilm does not oppose the motion. On March 19, 2018, OUII filed a response supporting the motion.

On March 22, 2018, the presiding ALJ issued the subject ID, granting Sony’s motion. The ID finds that Sony’s motion complies with the requirements of Commission Rule 210.21(a)(1) (19 CFR 210.21(a)(1)) and that there are no extraordinary circumstances that would prevent the requested partial termination.

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 Part 210 of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR Part 210).

By order of the Commission.



Lisa R. Barton  
Secretary to the Commission

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