NOTICE OF A COMMISSION DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN
INITIAL DETERMINATION GRANTING IN PART COMPLAINANTS’ MOTION FOR
SUMMARY DETERMINATION ON OWNERSHIP OF THE
ASSERTED PATENTS


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. 11) of the presiding
administrative law judge (“ALJ”) granting in part complainants’ motion for summary
determination on ownership of the asserted patents.

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telephone (202) 708-2310. 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
March 10, 2009 based on a complaint filed on February 3, 2009, by Avago Technologies Fiber
IP (Singapore) Pte. Ltd. of Singapore; Avago Technologies General IP (Singapore) Pte. Ltd. of
Singapore; and Avago Technologies Ltd. of San Jose, California (collectively “complainants”).
74 Fed. Reg. 10278-79 (March 10, 2009). The complaint, as 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 optoelectronic devices, components thereof, or products containing the same by reason of
infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 5,359,447 and 5,761,229. The complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337. The complaint names a single respondent, Emcore Corporation of Albuquerque, New Mexico.

On September 17, 2009, complainants moved for summary determination on a number of issues including ownership of the asserted patents. The Commission investigative attorney filed a response in support of the motion regarding ownership, and no other party opposed the motion on this issue.

The ALJ issued the subject ID on November 9, 2009, granting in part complainants’ motion for summary determination on ownership of the asserted patents. No party petitioned for review of the ID. The Commission has determined not to review the ID.


By order of the Commission.

/s/
Marilyn R. Abbott
Secretary to the Commission

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