

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

**CERTAIN RADIO FREQUENCY
IDENTIFICATION (“RFID”) PRODUCTS
AND COMPONENTS THEREOF**

Investigation No. 337-TA-979

**NOTICE OF COMMISSION DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN INITIAL
DETERMINATION EXTENDING THE TARGET DATE**

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. 45) extending the target date for completion of the investigation by three months to August 11, 2017.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Cathy Chen, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW, Washington, DC 20436, telephone (202) 205-2392. 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, SW, Washington, DC 20436, telephone (202) 205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its Internet server at <https://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 11, 2016, based on a complaint filed by Neology, Inc. of Poway, California. 81 FR 1205-06 (Jan. 11, 2016). 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 radio frequency identification products and components thereof by reason of infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 8,325,044; 7,119,664; and 8,587,436. The complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists as required by 19 U.S.C. § 1337(a)(2). The notice of

investigation named eight respondents. The Office of Unfair Import Investigations is a party in this investigation.

On January 10, 2017, the ALJ issued the subject ID (Order No. 45), extending the target date by three months from May 11, 2017 to August 11, 2017. The Order indicates that the initial determination on violation will be due no later than April 11, 2017. No petition for review was 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 Part 210 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. Part 210.

By order of the Commission.

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Lisa R. Barton
Secretary to the Commission

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