

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

**CERTAIN PROTECTIVE CASES AND
COMPONENTS THEREOF**

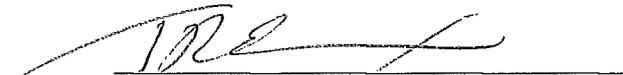
Inv. No. 337-TA-780

**NOTICE REGARDING INITIAL DETERMINATION ON VIOLATION OF SECTION
337 AND RECOMMENDED DETERMINATION ON REMEDY AND BONDING**

(June 29, 2012)

On this date, the ALJ issued an initial determination on violation of Section 337 and recommended determination on remedy and bond in the above-referenced investigation. It is held that a violation of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. § 1337, has occurred in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, or the sale within the United States after importation of certain protective cases and components thereof by reason of infringement of U.S. Patent Nos. D600,908; D617,784; D615,536; D617,785; D634,741; D636,386 patent; one or more of claims 1, 5-7, 13, 15, 17, 19-21, 23, 25, 27, 28, 30-32, 37, 38, 42, and 44 of U.S. Patent No. 7,933,122; U.S. Trademark Registrations 3,788,534; 3,788,535; 3,623,789; and 3,795,187 for each of the respondents who have defaulted in this investigation – Anbess Electronics Co., Ltd.; Guangzhou Evotech Industry Co., Ltd.; Hoffco Brands, Inc. d/b/a Celltronix; Hong Kong HJJ Co., Ltd.; Sinatech Industrial Co., Ltd.; Suntel Global Investment Ltd.; Trait Technology (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd.; Papaya Holdings Ltd.; Quanyun Electronics Co., Ltd.; Topter Technology Co., Ltd.; Cellet Products; TheCaseSpace, MegaWatts, Hypercel

Corporation d/b/a Naztech Technologies; Shenzhen Star & Way Trade Co., Ltd.; SmileCase; TheCaseInpoint.com; and National Cellular. The ALJ finds that a violation of Section 337 has occurred with respect the Griffin Survivor for the iPad 2 and the Griffin Explorer for the iPhone 4 imported by respondent Griffin Technology, Inc., but not with respect to the other accused cases by Griffin Technology, Inc.



Theodore R. Essex
Administrative Law Judge