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


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. 58) extending the target date for completion of the above-captioned investigation to February 27, 2023.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Cathy Chen, Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone 202-205-2392. Copies of non-confidential documents filed in connection with this investigation may be viewed on the Commission’s electronic docket (EDIS) at https://edis.usitc.gov. For help accessing EDIS, please email EDIS3Help@usitc.gov. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its Internet server at https://www.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 August 18, 2021, based on a complaint filed on behalf of Masimo Corporation and Cercacor Laboratories, Inc., both of Irvine, CA. 86 FR 46275 (Aug. 18, 2021). The complaint, as amended, alleges violations of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337, based upon the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain light-based physiological measurement devices and components thereof by reason of infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 10,912,501; 10,912,502; 10,945,648; 10,687,745; and 7,761,127. Id. The amended complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists and/or is in the process of being established as required by the applicable Federal Statute. Id. The notice of investigation named Apple Inc. of Cupertino, CA as a respondent. Id. at 46276. The Office of Unfair Import Investigations is not participating in this investigation. Id.
On September 12, 2022, the ALJ issued the subject ID (Order No. 58) extending the target date by six weeks to February 27, 2023. Based on this target date, the deadline for issuing the final ID is October 27, 2022. The ID states that good cause exists to extend the target date because of the complexity of this investigation, the consideration of numerous post-hearing motions in this investigation, and the ALJ’s obligations in other investigations. See Order No. 58 at 1-2. No petitions for review were filed.

The Commission has determined not to review the subject ID. The target date is now February 27, 2023.

The Commission vote for this determination took place on October 3, 2022.


By order of the Commission.

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Acting Secretary to the Commission

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