

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

**CERTAIN PLAYARDS AND
STROLLERS**

Investigation No. 337-TA-1288

**NOTICE OF A COMMISSION DETERMINATION TO EXTEND THE DUE DATE FOR
DETERMINING WHETHER TO REVIEW THE FINAL INITIAL DETERMINATION**

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the U.S. International Trade Commission (“Commission”) has determined to extend the due date for determining whether to review the final initial determination (“ID”) of the presiding administrative law judge (“ALJ”), from June 1, 2023, to July 6, 2023.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ben Richards, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202)708-5453. 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 by publication in the Federal Register on December 27, 2021. 86 FR 73318 (Dec. 27, 2021). The complainants are Graco Children’s Products Inc., of Atlanta, GA (“Graco”) and Wonderland Nurserygoods Co., Ltd. of Taipei, Taiwan (“Wonderland”). Graco and Wonderland’s complaint, as supplemented, alleged 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, or the sale within the United States after importation of certain playards and strollers by reason of infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 9,706,855 (“the ’855 patent”); 9,414,694 (“the ’694 patent”); RE43,919 (“the ’919 patent”); and 6,979,017 (“the ’017 patent”). *Id.* The complaint further alleged that a domestic industry exists. *Id.* The Commission’s notice of investigation named as respondents Baby Trend, Inc. of Fontana, CA; Dongguan Golden Prosper Baby Products Co., Ltd., of Guangdong, China; Sichuan Hobbies Baby Products Co., Ltd., of Sichuan, China; and

Anhui Chile Baby Products Co., Ltd. of Anhui Province, China. *Id.* The Office of Unfair Import Investigations is not participating in the investigation. *Id.*

On March 31, 2023, the ALJ issued the final ID in this investigation. The ID found that a violation of section 337 has occurred based on the respondents' importation and sale of products that infringe certain claims of the '855 patent and the '694 patent. By contrast, the ID found that no violation has occurred in connection with the '919 patent. The '017 patent was terminated from the investigation. Order No. 7 (Mar. 7, 2022), *unreviewed by Comm'n Notice* (Apr. 1, 2022).

The parties filed petitions for review of the ID on April 14, 2023, and responses thereto on April 24, 2023.

The Commission has determined to extend the due date for determining whether to review the final ID, from June 1, 2023, to July 6, 2023.

The Commission vote for this determination took place on June 1, 2023.

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.



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Secretary to the Commission

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