

**UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C.**

**In the Matter of**

**CERTAIN EXERCISE EQUIPMENT AND  
SUBASSEMBLIES THEREOF**

**Investigation No. 337-TA-1419**

**NOTICE OF A COMMISSION DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN  
INITIAL DETERMINATION TERMINATING THE INVESTIGATION AS TO  
CERTAIN CLAIMS BY REASON OF WITHDRAWAL OF THE COMPLAINT**

**AGENCY:** U.S. International Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that the U.S. International Trade Commission (“Commission”) has determined not to review an initial determination (“ID”) (Order No. 13) of the presiding administrative law judge (“ALJ”) granting an unopposed motion for partial termination of the investigation based on withdrawal of the complaint as to certain claims.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Edward S. Jou, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 205-3316. 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](mailto: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, telephone (202) 205-1810.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Commission instituted this investigation on September 27, 2024, based upon a complaint filed on behalf of Balanced Body, Inc. of Sacramento, California (“Complainant”). 89 FR 79306-07 (Sept. 27, 2024). The complaint, as supplemented, alleges violations of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337 (“section 337”), based upon the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain exercise equipment and subassemblies thereof by reason of infringement of one or more of claims 1-15, 19-21, and 23-26 of U.S. Patent No. 8,721,511 (“the ’511 patent”), the claim of U.S. Patent No. D659,205, and the claim of U.S. Patent No. D659,208. *See id.* The complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337. *See id.* at 79306. The Commission’s notice of investigation named as respondents: Guangzhou Oasis, LLC d/b/a trysauna.com of Boulder, Colorado; Ciga Pilates of Hong Kong; Shandong Tmax Machinery Technology Co., Ltd. of Dezhou City, China; Shandong VOG Sports Products Co., Ltd. of Dezhou City, China; Dezhou Bodi Fitness Equipment Co., Ltd. of Dezhou City, China; and

Suzhou Selfcipline Sports Goods Co., Ltd. of Suzhou, China. The Office of Unfair Import Investigations (“OUII”) is also a party to this investigation. *Id.* at 79307.

Respondent Ciga Pilates was terminated from the investigation based on withdrawal of the complaint. Order No. 9 (Feb. 11, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm’n Notice (Mar. 10, 2025). The remaining respondents were found in default. Order No. 11 (Mar. 10, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm’n Notice (Apr. 9, 2025).

On March 19, 2025, Complainant filed a motion pursuant to Commission Rule 210.21(a)(1) (19 CFR 210.21(a)(1)) to terminate the investigation in part based on withdrawal of the complaint with respect to claims 2-15, 20-21, and 23-26 of the ’511 patent. On March 21, 2025, OUII filed a statement in support of the motion.

On March 24, 2025, the ALJ issued the subject ID granting the motion. The ALJ found that the motion complied with the Commission’s rules and there are no extraordinary circumstances that warrant denying the motion. No petitions for review of the ID were filed.

The Commission has determined not to review the subject ID. The investigation is hereby terminated with respect to claims 2-15, 20-21, and 23-26 of the ’511 patent.

The Commission vote for this determination took place on April 16, 2025.

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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