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

In the Matter of

CERTAIN INK CARTRIDGES AND COMPONENTS THEREOF II

**Investigation No. 337-TA-1452** 

## NOTICE OF A COMMISSION DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN INITIAL DETERMINATION FINDING CERTAIN RESPONDENTS IN DEFAULT

**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 an initial determination ("ID") (Order No. 8) issued by the presiding administrative law judge ("ALJ") in the above-captioned investigation finding the following respondents to be in default: 1) Tatrix International China Co., Ltd. ("Tatrix International") of Guangdong, China; 2) Luozhi Trading Co., Ltd. ("Luozhi Trading") of Guanzhou, China; 3) Zhuhai Zhenyang Electronics Co., Ltd. ("Zhuhai Zhenyang Electronics"), Zhuhai Hengyunda Electronics Co., Ltd. ("Zhuhai Rongtaida Electronics Co., Ltd. ("Zhuhai Rongtaida Electronics"), Zhuhai Shi Wei Tai Electronics Co., Ltd. ("Zhuhai Shi Wei Tai Electronics"), Zhuhai Yixing Electronics Co., Ltd. ("Zhuhai Yixing Electronics"), and Zhuhai Bowang Technology Co., Ltd. ("Zhuhai Bowang Technology"), all of Zhuhai, China; 4) Mei Jin Technology HK Co., Ltd. ("Mei Jin Technology") of Hong Kong, China; 5) Mountain Peak, Inc. ("Mountain Peak") City of Industry, CA; and 6) Straightouttaink, LP ("Straightouttaink") of San Jose, CA (collectively, the "Defaulting Respondents").

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Paul Lall, Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 205-2043. Copies of non-confidential documents filed in connection with this investigation may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at <a href="https://edis.usitc.gov">https://edis.usitc.gov</a>. For help accessing EDIS, please email <a href="https://edis.usitc.gov">EDIS3Help@usitc.gov</a>. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its Internet server at <a href="https://www.usitc.gov">https://www.usitc.gov</a>. 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:** On June 17, 2025, the Commission instituted this investigation under section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337 ("section 337"), based on a complaint filed by Epson America, Inc. of Los Alamitos, CA; Epson Portland, Inc. of Hillsboro, OR; and Seiko Epson Corporation of Nagano, Japan (collectively

"Complainants"). 90 FR 25644-45 (June 17, 2025). The complaint, as supplemented, alleged violations of 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 ink cartridges and components thereof by reason of the infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 8,764,172; 9,370,934; 11,535,038; 12,240,248; and 12,240,249. *Id.* The Commission's notice of investigation named the following entities as respondents: the Defaulting Respondents; Dongguan Ocbestjet Digital Technology Co., Ltd. d/b/a Ocbestjet of Dongguan City, China; Ocbestjet Printer Consumables (HK) Co., Ltd. d/b/a Ocbestjet of Hong Kong, China; Shenzhen Hongxinyuan E-Commerce Co., Ltd. d/b/a Jianjai of Shenzhen, China; Shenzhen Kaizhen Technology Co., Ltd. d/b/a PayForLess of Shenzhen, China; Shangrao Shixuan E-Commerce Co., Ltd. d/b/a Inkgo of Shangrao, China; ZhuHai MeiJiAn Trading Co., Ltd. d/b/a HaloFox of Zhuhai, China; Qiong Wang d/b/a 7-Magic of Leizhou City, China; Shen Zhen Sailing Technology Limited d/b/a Triple-Color of Shenzhen, China; Zhuhai Shuofeng E-commerce Co., Ltd. d/b/a super-ink-club of Zhuhai, China. The Office of Unfair Import Investigations ("OUII") was also named as a party in this investigation. *Id*.

On September 3, 2025, the presiding ALJ ordered each of the Defaulting Respondents to show cause by September 12, 2025, as to why they should not be held in default for failing to respond to the complaint and notice of investigation. *See* Order No. 7 (Sept. 3, 2025). None of the Defaulting Respondents filed a response to the order to show cause.

On September 15, 2025, the ALJ issued the subject ID, pursuant to Commission Rule 210.16(a)(1) (19 CFR 210.16(a)(1)), finding each of the Defaulting Respondents to be in default for failure to respond to the complaint, notice of investigation, and order to show cause. The ID explained, "[s]ervice of the complaint and notice of investigation upon each of the Respondents was effected no later than June 12, 2025. Despite being served, the [Defaulting] Respondents have not answered the complaint and notice of investigation or entered any appearance." Order No. 8 at 1.

No petition for review of the subject ID was filed.

The Commission has determined not to review the subject ID. The following respondents are found to be in default: Tatrix International; Luozhi Trading; Zhuhai Zhenyang Electronics; Zhuhai Hengyunda Electronics; Zhuhai Rongtaida Electronics; Zhuhai Shi Wei Tai Electronics; Zhuhai Yixing Electronics; Zhuhai Bowang Technology; Mei Jin Technology; Mountain Peak; and Straightouttaink.

The Commission vote for this determination took place on November 17, 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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