

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

**In the Matter of**

**CERTAIN POINT-TO-POINT NETWORK  
COMMUNICATION DEVICES AND PRODUCTS  
CONTAINING THE SAME**

**Investigation No. 337-TA-892**

**NOTICE OF COMMISSION DECISION NOT TO REVIEW AN  
INITIAL DETERMINATION TERMINATING THE INVESTIGATION WITH  
RESPECT TO THE SONY RESPONDENTS**

**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 the presiding administrative law judge's ("ALJ") initial determination ("ID") (Order No. 34) terminating the investigation with respect to the Sony respondents.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Robert Needham, Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 708-5468. Copies of non-confidential documents filed in connection with this investigation are or will be available for inspection during official business hours (8:45 a.m. to 5:15 p.m.) in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its Internet server at <http://www.usitc.gov>. The public record for this investigation may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at <http://edis.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 September 9, 2013, based on a complaint filed by Straight Path IP Group, Inc., of Glen Allen, Virginia ("Straight Path"). 78 *Fed. Reg.* 55096 (Sept. 9, 2013). The complaint alleged violations of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended 19 U.S.C. § 1337, by reason of the infringement of certain claims from three United States Patents. The notice of institution named twenty-two respondents, including Sony Corporation of Tokyo, Japan; Sony Computer Entertainment America Inc. of Foster City, California; Sony Computer Entertainment America LLC of Foster City, California; Sony Corporation of America of New York, New York; Sony Electronics Inc. of San Diego, California; Sony Mobile Communications AB of Lund, Sweden;

Sony Mobile Communications (USA) Inc. of Research Triangle Park, North Carolina; and Sony Ericsson Mobile Communications (USA) Inc. of Atlanta, Georgia.

On September 20, 2013, Straight Path filed an unopposed motion to amend the Complaint and Notice of Investigation to remove references to Sony Computer Entertainment America Inc. and Sony Ericsson Mobile Communications (USA) Inc. The motion was granted. Order No. 2 (Sept. 23, 2013), *not reviewed*, Nov. 4, 2013.

On April 25, 2014, complainant Straight Path, and respondents Sony Corporation, Sony Computer Entertainment America LLC, Sony Corporation of America, Sony Electronics Inc., Sony Mobile Communications Inc., Sony Mobile Communications AB, and Sony Mobile Communications (USA) Inc. (collectively, “the remaining Sony Respondents”) jointly moved to terminate the investigation with respect to the remaining Sony Respondents on the basis of a settlement agreement. On May 1, 2014, the ALJ found that the motion complied with the Commission’s rules, and issued the subject initial determination (“ID”) granting the motion.

No petitions for review of the ID were filed. The Commission has determined not to review the ID.

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 C.F.R. Part 210).

By order of the Commission.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lisa R. Barton', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Lisa R. Barton  
Secretary to the Commission

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