

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

**CERTAIN MULTIPLE MODE
OUTDOOR GRILLS AND PARTS
THEREOF**

Investigation No. 337-TA-895

**NOTICE OF THE COMMISSION'S DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN
INITIAL DETERMINATION WITHDRAWING CERTAIN PATENTS**

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. 50) granting Complainants' motion to withdraw the complaint as to U.S. Design Patent Nos. D660,646 ("the '646 patent") and D662,773 ("the '773 patent").

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Amanda Pitcher Fisherow, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 205-2737. 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 26, 2013, based on a complaint filed on behalf of A&J Manufacturing, LLC of St. Simons, Georgia and A&J Manufacturing, Inc. of Green Cove Springs, Florida (collectively "Complainants"). 78 *Fed. Reg.* 59373 (Sept. 26, 2013). The complaint alleged violations of Section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. § 1337, in the sale for importation, importation, or sale within the United States after importation of certain multiple mode outdoor grills and parts thereof by reason of infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 8,381,712,

the '646 patent, and the '773 patent. The Commission's notice of investigation, as amended, named several respondents.

On July 2, 2014, Complainants filed a motion for partial termination of the investigation based on the withdrawal of the complaint as to the claims for infringement of the '646 patent and the '773 patent. The Office of Unfair Import Investigations filed a response supporting the motion. No other responses were filed.

On July 14, 2014, the ALJ granted the motion for partial termination. The ALJ noted that Complainants represented that there were no agreements, written or oral, express or implied between the parties concerning the subject matter of the investigation other than settlement and license agreements submitted with motions to terminate certain respondents. The ALJ stated that he is not aware of any extraordinary circumstances that would preclude granting the motion. The ALJ further found that partial termination of the investigation is in the public interest, as public and private resources will be conserved. No petitions for review were filed.

The Commission has determined not to review the subject 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', written in a cursive style.

Lisa R. Barton
Secretary to the Commission

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