

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

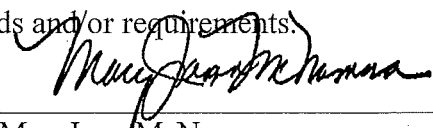
**CERTAIN LIGHT-EMITTING DIODE
PRODUCTS AND COMPONENTS
THEREOF**

Inv. No. 337-TA-947

**NOTICE REGARDING INITIAL DETERMINATION ON VIOLATION OF SECTION
337 AND RECOMMENDED DTERMINATION ON REMEDY AND BONDING**

(August 1, 2016)

On July 29, 2016, the Administrative Law Judge issued an initial determination on violation of Section 337 and recommended determination on remedy and bond in the above-referenced investigation. It is held that a violation of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 U.S.C. § 1337), has occurred in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, or the sale within the United States after importation of certain light-emitting diode products and components thereof, by reasons of infringement of certain asserted claims of U.S. Patent No. 7,976,187, U.S. Patent No. 8,766,298, U.S. Patent No. 8,596,819, and U.S. Patent No. 8,628,214. Additionally, it is held that a violation of Section 43(a) of the Lanham Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1125(a), as amended, and the federal common law of unfair competition, together with Section 337 of the Tariff Act as amended (19 U.S.C. § 1337), has occurred in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, or the sale within the United States after importation, of certain light-emitting diode products and components thereof, by reason of the false and misleading advertisement of certain products as bearing the ENERGY STAR® logo when they failed to meet ENERGY STAR® standards and/or requirements.



MaryJoan McNamara
Administrative Law Judge