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

In the Matter of

CERTAIN AEROSOL FIRE EXTINGUISHING TECHNOLOGY, COMPONENTS THEREOF, AND PRODUCTS CONTAINING SAME

**Investigation No. 337-TA-1395** 

## NOTICE OF A COMMISSION DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN INITIAL DETERMINATION, AS AMENDED, SETTING THE TARGET DATE

**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. 3), as amended by Order No. 6, setting the target date for completion of the above-captioned investigation to October 13, 2025.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Cathy Chen, Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone 202-205-2392. 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="mailto:EDIS3Help@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: The Commission instituted this investigation on April 1, 2024, based on a complaint filed on behalf of Nano Fire LLC and Defender Safety, LLC, both of Plainview, New York. 89 FR 22454 (Apr. 1, 2024). The complaint, as supplemented, alleges violations of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337, in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, or the sale within the United States after importation of certain aerosol fire extinguishing technology, components thereof, and products containing same by reason of the infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 8,865,014 and 9,199,108. *Id.* The complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists as required by the applicable Federal Statute. *Id.* 

The Commission's notice of investigation names Halma Plc of the United Kingdom; Halma Holdings LLC of Summit, New Jersey; FirePro Systems, Ltd. of Cyprus; Hochicki America Corporation of Buena Park, California as respondents. *Id.* at 22455. The Office of Unfair Import Investigations is also a party in this investigation. *Id.* 

On April 8, 2024, the ALJ issued the subject ID (Order No. 3) setting the target date for completion of the investigation to June 13, 2025, and the deadline for issuing the final ID on violation to October 13, 2025. On April 19, 2024, the ALJ issued an amended ID (Order No. 6) correcting the target date to October 13, 2025 and the deadline for the final ID to June 13, 2025. No petitions for review were filed.

The Commission has determined not to review the subject ID as amended. The target date for completion of the investigation is set to October 13, 2025..

The Commission vote for this determination took place on May 7, 2024.

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.

Lisa R. Barton

Secretary to the Commission

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