

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

**CERTAIN STORAGE CONTAINERS
AND TOOLBOXES, ORGANIZERS,
COMPONENT BOXES, AND COOLERS**

Investigation No. 337-TA-1409

**NOTICE OF A COMMISSION DETERMINATION TO EXTEND THE DATE FOR
DETERMINING WHETHER TO REVIEW A FINAL INITIAL DETERMINATION
AND THE TARGET DATE FOR COMPLETION OF THE INVESTIGATION**

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that in view of the shutdown of the Federal Government, the U.S. International Trade Commission has determined to extend the date for determining whether to review a final initial determination (“Final ID”) to January 15, 2026, and the target date for completion of the investigation to March 16, 2026.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sidney A. Rosenzweig, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 708-2532. Copies of non-confidential documents filed in connection with this investigation may be viewed on the Commission’s electronic docket (EDIS) at <https://edis.usitc.gov>. For help accessing EDIS, please email EDIS3Help@usitc.gov. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its Internet server at <https://www.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 July 19, 2024, based upon a complaint filed on behalf of Milwaukee Electric Tool Corporation of Brookfield, Wisconsin and Keter Home and Garden Products Ltd. of Israel (collectively, “Complainants”). 89 FR 58764-65 (July 19, 2024). The complaint, as supplemented, alleges violations of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337 (“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 storage containers and toolboxes, organizers, component boxes, and coolers by reason of infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 11,365,026; 11,794,952; and 11,952,167. The complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337. The Commission’s notice of investigation named as the respondent Klein Tools, Inc. (“Klein”) of Lincolnshire, Illinois. The

Office of Unfair Import Investigations is not a party to this investigation.

On August 1, 2025, the Chief Administrative Law Judge issued the Final ID, which finds a violation of section 337 as to each of the three asserted patents.

On August 15, 2025, Klein filed a petition for Commission review of the Final ID, and on August 25, 2025, Complainants filed a response.

On September 2, 2025, Complainants filed a public interest submission pursuant to 19 CFR 210.50(a)(4)(i).

Prior to the lapse in appropriations, the deadline for determining whether to review the Final ID was October 28, 2025, and the target date for completion of the investigation was December 1, 2025. In view of the shutdown of the Federal Government, the Commission has determined to extend the date for determining whether to review the Final ID to January 15, 2026, and to extend the target date for completion of the investigation to March 16, 2026,

The Commission vote for this determination took place on December 15, 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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Lisa R. Barton
Secretary to the Commission

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