

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

**CERTAIN FLASH-SPUN NONWOVEN
MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS
CONTAINING SAME**

Investigation No. 337-TA-1424

**NOTICE OF COMMISSION DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN INITIAL
DETERMINATION FINDING CERTAIN RESPONDENTS IN DEFAULT**

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 an initial determination (“ID”) (Order No. 46) of the presiding administrative law judge (“ALJ”) finding the following respondents in default based on failure to respond to the complaint and/or amended complaint and the notice of investigation (“NOI”) and failure to show cause why they should not be found in default: (1) Weifang Konzer Safety Protective Equipment Co., Ltd. (“Weifang Konzer”) of Anqiu, Shandong, China; (2) Hangzhou Several Sets of Electronic Commerce Co., Ltd. (“HZ Several Sets”) of Yuhang, Hangzhou, China; (3) Hangzhou Qiao Shell Digital Technology Co., Ltd. (“HZ Qiao Shell”) of Yuhang, Hangzhou, China; (4) Jiangsu Tubo New Material Co., Ltd. (“Jiangsu Tubo”) of Kunshan, Jiangsu, China; and (5) TOBO Group d/b/a Jiangsu Tubo (“TOBO Group”) of Shanghai, China (collectively, “the Defaulting Respondents”). Weifang Konzer, HZ Several Sets, HZ Qiao Shell, Jiangsu Tubo, and TOBO Group are in default in this investigation.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Richard P. Hadorn, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone (202) 205-3179. 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, telephone (202) 205-1810.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Commission instituted this investigation on November 21, 2024, based on a complaint filed by DuPont de Nemours, Inc., DuPont Safety & Construction, Inc., and DuPont Specialty Products USA, LLC (collectively, “DuPont”), all of

Wilmington, Delaware. 89 FR 92159-60 (Nov. 21, 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 on the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain flash-spun nonwoven materials and products containing same by reason of (i) misappropriation of trade secrets and wrongful use and exploitation of stolen confidential and proprietary information, the threat or effect of which is to destroy or substantially injure an industry in the United States, and (ii) infringement of U.S. Trademark Registration Nos. 817,194; 818,688; 818,737; and 7,370,316. *Id.* at 92159. The complaint further alleges that a domestic industry exists. *Id.*

The NOI, as amended, names the following respondents in addition to the Defaulting Respondents: (1) Dawnsens New-Materials (Xiamen) Co. Ltd. (formerly known as Xiamen Dangs New-Materials Co., Ltd.) of Xiamen, Fujian, China; Beijing Dangsheng Technology Co., Ltd. of Beijing, Beijing, China; and Xiamen Dangsheng Technology Co., Ltd. of Xiamen, Fujian, China (collectively, “the Dangs Respondents”); (2) Kingwills New Material Technology Co., Ltd. of Nantong, Jiangsu, China; Zhejiang Qingyun New Material Co., Ltd. of Jiaxing, Zhejiang, China; Jiangsu Qingyun New Materials Co., Ltd. AKA Jiangsu Kingwills New Materials Co., Ltd. of Nantong, Jiangsu, China; Shanghai Qingyun New Material Technology Co., Ltd. of Shanghai, Shanghai, China; and Kingwills International Ltd. of Kowloon, Hong Kong, China (collectively, “the Kingwills Respondents”); (3) Harbourpoint Innovations Inc. (“Harbourpoint”) of Raleigh, North Carolina; (4) Shenzhen Zhengming Science and Technology Co., Ltd. (“Shenzhen Zhengming”) of Huizhou, Guangdong, China; (5) Emedia Group. Inc. (“Emedia”) of Greenville, South Carolina; (6) endur-tec, LLC (“endur-tec”) of Anderson, South Carolina; (7) Zhenping County Weihe Commerce and Trade Co., Ltd. (“County Weihe”) of Zhenping, Nanyang, China; and (8) Impak Corporation (“Impak”) of Los Angeles, California. *Id.* at 92159-60. The Office of Unfair Import Investigations (“OUII”) is also named as a party to this investigation. *Id.* at 92160.

On February 21, 2025, the Commission terminated the investigation as to respondents Harbourpoint, Shenzhen Zhengming, Emedia, and endur-tec based on consent orders. Order Nos. 10 (Jan. 22, 2025) (as to Harbourpoint), 11 (Jan. 22, 2025) (as to Shenzhen Zhengming), 12 (Jan. 22, 2025) (as to Emedia and endur-tec), *all unreviewed by* Comm’n Notice (Feb. 21, 2025).

On May 13, 2025, the Commission terminated the investigation as to respondent County Weihe based on withdrawal of the complaint. Order No. 24 (Apr. 22, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm’n Notice (May 14, 2025).

On May 13, 2025, the Commission amended the complaint and NOI to (i) add allegations of trade secret misappropriation and wrongful use and exploitation of proprietary information against respondents Impak and Jiangsu Tubo, (ii) add TOBO Group as a new respondent, (iii) update the addresses for respondents Jiangsu Tubo and HZ Several Sets to reflect where service was effected, and (iv) make certain non-substantive amendments to the complaint. Order No. 25 (Apr. 22, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm’n Notice (May 14, 2025).

On August 28, 2025, the Commission terminated the investigation as to the Dangs Respondents based on consent orders. Order No. 36 (July 30, 2025), *unreviewed by Comm'n* Notice (Aug. 28, 2025).

On August 14, 2025, DuPont moved for an order directing the five Defaulting Respondents and Impak to show cause why they should not be found in default for failing to respond to the complaint and/or amended complaint and the NOI and requested an ID finding these respondents in default if they fail to show such cause. On August 25, 2025, the Kingwills Respondents filed a response stating that they do not oppose the motion. The following day, OUII filed a response in support of the motion. No other responses were filed.

On August 29, 2025, the ALJ issued Order No. 41 (i) finding that each Defaulting Respondent and Impak were served with the complaint and/or amended complaint and the NOI, yet did not file responses thereto or otherwise substantially participate in this investigation, and (ii) directing the Defaulting Respondents and Impak to show cause, no later than September 24, 2025, as to why they should not be found in default. Order No. 41 at 2-4 (Aug. 29, 2025). On September 19, 2025, Impak filed a response to Order No. 41. None of the Defaulting Respondents filed a response.

On September 29, 2025, the ALJ issued the subject ID (Order No. 46) finding the Defaulting Respondents in default, pursuant to Commission Rule 210.16 (19 CFR 210.16), for failing to respond to the complaint and/or amended complaint and the NOI and failing to show cause why they should not be found in default. Order No. 46 at 1-2. The ALJ declined to find Impak in default. *Id.* at 1 n.1. No petitions for review of the subject ID were filed.

The Commission has determined not to review the subject ID. The following five respondents are in default in this investigation: (1) Weifang Konzer; (2) HZ Several Sets; (3) HZ Qiao Shell; and (4) Jiangsu Tubo; and (5) TOBO Group.

The Commission vote for this determination took place on December 3, 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.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'L.R. Barton', enclosed within a thin black rectangular border.

Lisa R. Barton
Secretary to the Commission

Issued: December 3, 2025