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

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| **In the Matter of**<br><br>**CERTAIN GLASS SUBSTRATES FOR LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAYS, PRODUCTS CONTAINING THE SAME, AND METHODS FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME** | **Investigation No. 337-TA-1433** |

# NOTICE OF A COMMISSION DECISION TO EXTEND THE TARGET DATE FOR COMPLETION OF THE INVESTIGATION

**AGENCY:** U.S. International Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that the U.S. International Trade Commission has determined to extend the target date for completion of the investigation to December 8, 2026.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Amanda P. 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 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:** On January 24, 2025, the Commission instituted this investigation based on a complaint, as supplemented, filed by Corning Incorporated ("Corning") of Corning, New York, alleging violations of section 337 of Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337 ("section 337"), due to the importation into the United States, sale for importation, or sale in the United States after importation of certain glass substrates for liquid crystal displays, products containing the same, and methods for manufacturing the same that allegedly infringe certain claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 8,627,684; 9,512,025; and 7,851,394 (collectively, "the Asserted Patents"). 90 FR 8140-41 (Jan. 24, 2025). The complaint, as supplemented, also alleges violations of section 337 based upon the importation and sale of certain glass substrates for liquid crystal displays, products containing the same, and methods for manufacturing the same by reason of misappropriation of certain trade secrets, the threat or effect of which is to destroy or substantially injure a domestic industry. *Id.* The complaint further alleges that a domestic industry exists. *Id.* The notice of investigation names the following respondents: LG Electronics U.S.A., Inc. of Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey ("LGE"); VIZIO, Inc. of Irvine, California ("VIZIO"); HKC Corporation Ltd. of Shenzhen City, Guangdong Province, China and HKC Overseas Ltd. of Hong Kong, China (collectively, "HKC"); Hisense USA Corporation of Suwanee, Georgia ("Hisense"); Caihong Display Devices Co., Ltd. of Xianyang City, China ("Caihong Display"); TCL China Star Optoelectronics, Technology Co., Ltd. of Shenzhen City, China ("CSOT"); TTE Technology, Inc., d/b/a TCL North America of Irvine, California ("TCL"); and Xianyang Caihong Optoelectronics,

Technology Co., Ltd. of Xianyang City, China ("CHOT"). The Office of Unfair Import Investigations ("OUII") is also named as a party to this investigation.

The Commission previously terminated the investigation as to the Asserted Patents due to withdrawal of the complaint with respect to their asserted claims, pursuant to Commission Rule 210.21(a)(1), 19 CFR 210.21(a)(1). Order No. 7 (Feb. 17, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm'n Notice (Feb. 26, 2025); Order No. 38 (July 1, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm'n Notice (July 14, 2025); Order No. 51 (Aug. 26, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm'n Notice (Sept. 22, 2025); Order No. 54 (Nov. 18, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm'n Notice (Dec. 5, 2025); Order No. 55 (Nov. 20, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm'n Notice (Dec. 15, 2025). The trade secrets remain at issue.

The Commission also terminated the investigation with respect to respondents HKC, VIZIO, and LGE, based on settlement agreements, pursuant to Commission Rule 210.21(b), 19 CFR 210.21(b). Order No. 44 (July 21, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm'n Notice (Aug. 14, 2025) (HKC); Order No. 52 (Sept. 9, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm'n Notice (Sept. 24, 2025) (VIZIO); Order No. 53 (Sept. 24, 2025), *unreviewed by* Comm'n Notice (Dec. 15, 2025) (LGE).

On February 10, 2026, the Commission affirmed an ID (Order No. 64) granting Corning's motion for summary determination that the remaining respondents have satisfied the importation requirement of section 337(a)(1)(A), (B). Order No. 64 (Jan. 9, 2026), *unreviewed by* Comm'n Notice (Feb. 10, 2026).

On April 20, 2026, the Commission affirmed an ID (Order No. 85) granting a joint motion filed by Corning and Hisense to partially terminate the investigation with respect to Hisense on the basis of a settlement agreement, pursuant to Commission Rule 210.21(b), 19 CFR 210.21(b). Order No. 85 (Mar. 25, 2026), *unreviewed by* Comm'n Notice (Apr. 20, 2026).

On July 23, 2026, the ALJ issued the subject ID, finding a violation of section 337 by each of Respondents Caihong Display, CHOT, CSOT, and TCL ("Respondents") by reason of misappropriation of certain trade secrets. On August 4, 2026, Respondents filed a petition for review. On the same date, Complainant and OUII filed contingent petitions for review. On August 12, 2026, each party filed responses to the other parties' petitions.

On August 6, 2026, the ALJ issued a Recommended Determination on remedy and bonding ("RD"). The RD recommends that, if the Commission finds a violation, it should issue a limited exclusion order of approximately 5 to 6 years. The RD also recommends that a cease and desist order issue as to Respondent TCL. The RD further recommends a bond rate of 9.8 percent, to be imposed during the period of Presidential review on imported articles subject to the limited exclusion order.

On September 8, 2025, Complainant filed a public interest submission pursuant to Commission Rule 210.50(a)(4). 19 C.F.R. § 210.50(a)(4). Respondents Caihong Display and CHOT also filed a joint public interest submission on that date. The Commission received three other public interest submissions pursuant to a Federal Register notice published after issuance of the RD. *See* 91 Fed. Reg. 51747 (Aug. 11, 2026). Those submissions were from the Coalition for a Prosperous America, the New American Industrial Alliance, and the National Association of Manufacturers. Subsequently, the Commission received four congressional letters regarding the public interest: (1) joint comments from Nicholas A. Langworthy, Joseph D. Morelle, Andy Barr, Gregory W. Meeks, Yvette D. Clarke, and Morgan McGarvey, all Members of Congress; (2) joint comments from Senators Charles E. Schumer and Kirsten Gillibrand; (3) comments from Senator Mitch McConnell; and (4) joint comments from Senators Mark R. Warner and Tim Kaine.

On September 21, 2026, the Commission determined to review the subject ID in part.[1] 91 Fed. Reg. 60642 (Sept. 24, 2026). Specifically, the Commission determined to review: (1) the FID's determination that CHOT and CSOT are in violation of section 337; (2) the ID's determination that relief is not barred by any statute of limitations; and (3) the ID's statements and findings that Corning did not take reasonable measures to maintain the secrecy of its trade secrets during the years that elapsed before Corning pursued any legal claim against Respondents. *Id.* at 60643. The Commission sought briefing from the parties on certain issues under review and from the parties, interested government agencies, and other interested parties on remedy, the public interest, and bonding. *Id.* The Commission determined not to review the remaining findings, conclusions, and supporting analysis in the subject ID. On October 5, 2026, the Commission received initial submissions from the parties. On October 13, 2026, the Commission received the parties' reply submissions.

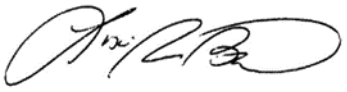
On November 16, 2026, Complainant filed a motion to terminate the investigation as to Respondents TCL and CSOT. On November 17, 2026, OUII filed a response to the motion.

The Commission has determined to extend the target date for completion of the investigation to December 8, 2026.

The Commission vote for this determination took place on November 19, 2026.

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

Issued: November 19, 2026

[1] Chairman Doyle would not have reviewed the FID and would only have requested briefing on remedy, bonding, and the public interest.