UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of **CERTAIN SECONDARY CYLINDRICAL BATTERIES, COMPONENTS THEREOF, AND PRODUCTS CONTAINING THE SAME**	**Investigation No. 337-TA-1518**

NOTICE OF A COMMISSION DETERMINATION NOT TO REVIEW AN INITIAL DETERMINATION SETTING A 19.5-MONTH 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 ("Commission") has determined not to review an initial determination ("ID") (Order No. 5) of the presiding administrative law judge ("ALJ") setting a 19.5-month target date for completion of the investigation of April 10, 2028.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Commission instituted this investigation on August 24, 2026, based on a complaint filed by LG Energy Solution Ltd. of Seoul, Korea and LG Energy Solution Arizona, Inc. of Queen Creek, Arizona. 91 FR 54764-765 (Aug. 24, 2026). 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, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain secondary cylindrical batteries, components thereof, and products containing the same by reason of the infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 8,420,257; U.S. Patent No, 11,749,866; U.S. Patent No. 12,412,924; U.S. Patent No. 12,412,965; and U.S. Patent No. 12,646,735. *Id.* The complaint, as supplemented, further alleges that an industry in the United States is in the process of being established. *Id.* The Commission's notice of investigation named as respondents: EVE Energy

Co., Ltd. of Guangdong, China; EVE Energy North America Corporation of Lewis Center, Ohio; EVE Energy US Holding LLC of Lake Forest, California; Robert Bosch GmbH of Gerlingen-Schillerhöhe, Germany; Robert Bosch Tool Corporation of Mount Prospect, Illinois; Koki Holdings Co., Ltd. of Toyko, Japan; Koki Holdings America Ltd. of Braselton, Georgia; Chervon (China) Trading Co., Ltd. of Nanjing, China; Nanjing Chervon Industry Co., Ltd. of Nanjing, China; and Chervon North America, Inc. of Naperville, Illinois. *Id*. The Office of Unfair Import Investigations is not participating in the investigation. *Id.*

On October 6, 2026, the ALJ issued the ID (Order No. 5) setting a 19.5-month target date of April 10, 2028, with any final initial determination to be due no later than December 10, 2027. No petitions for review of the ID were filed.

The Commission has determined not to review the subject ID. Accordingly, the target date for completion of the investigation is April 10, 2028, and the final initial determination is due on December 10, 2027.[1]

The Commission vote for this determination took place on November 5, 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

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[1] The Commission recognizes that this target date is necessitated by the current heavy case load. Such extended deadlines are regrettable and reflect the underlying need for additional Commission resources, including resources dedicated to section 337 investigations, both during ALJ proceedings and Commission review. The Commission is currently exploring how to address this need.