

- (2) Pursuant to section 210.10(b)(1) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 CFR 210.10(b)(1), the plain language description of the accused products or category of accused products, which defines the scope of the investigation, is "(a) semiconductor devices made by TSMC at the 65 nanometer (nm) and smaller technology nodes (e.g., 5–65 nm); (b) integrated circuits incorporating such semiconductor devices; and (c) consumer products containing the same, consisting of smartphones, and televisions";
- (3) Pursuant to Commission Rule 210.50(b)(1), 19 CFR 210.50(b)(1), the presiding administrative law judge shall take evidence or other information and hear arguments from the parties or other interested persons with respect to the public interest in this investigation, as appropriate, and provide the Commission with findings of fact and a recommended determination on this issue, which shall be limited to the statutory public interest factors set forth in 19 U.S.C. 1337(d)(1), (f)(1), (g)(1);
- (4) For the purpose of the investigation so instituted, the following are hereby named as parties upon which this notice of investigation shall be served:
- (a) The complainant is: Innovative Foundry Technologies LLC, 40 Pleasant Street, Suite 208, Portsmouth, NH 03801.
- (b) The respondents are the following entities alleged to be in violation of section 337, and are the parties upon which the complaint is to be served:

BBK Communication Technology Co., Ltd., No. 255, Bubugao Avenue, Wusha, Chang'an Town, Dongguan, Guangdong 523850, China.

Vivo Mobile Communication Co., Ltd., No. 283, Bubu High Avenue, Wusha, Chang'an Town, Dongguan, Guangdong 523850, China.

OnePlus Technology (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd., 18F Tairan Building, Block C, Tairan 8th Road, Chegongmiao, Futian District, Shenzhen, Guangdong 518040, China.

Guangdong OPPO Mobile Telecommunications Co., Ltd., No. 18, Wusha Haibin Road, Wusha, Chang'an Town, Dongguan, Guangdong 523850,

Hisense Electric Co., Ltd., Hisense Tower, 17 Donghaixi Road, Quingdao 266071, China.

Hisense USA Corporation, 7310 McGinnis Ferry Road, Suwanee, GA 30024.

Hisense USA Multimedia R & D Center Inc., 7310 McGinnis Ferry Road, Suwanee, GA 30024. TCL Corporation, No. 26, The Third Road, Zhongkai Avenue, Huizhou City, Guandong 516006, China.

TCL Communication, Inc., 25 Edelman, Suite 200, Irvine, CA 92618. TTE Technology, Inc. (d/b/a TCL America), 108 West 13th Street Wilmington, DE 19801.

TCT Mobile (US) Inc., 25 Edelman, Suite 200, Irvine, CA 92618.

VIZIO, Inc., 39 Tesla, Irvine, CA

MediaTek Inc., No. 1, Dusing Road 1, Hsinchu Science Park, Hsinchu City 30078, Taiwan.

MediaTek USA Inc., 2840 Junction Avenue, San Jose, CA 95134.

Mstar Semiconductor, Inc., 4F–1, No. 26, Tai-Yuan St., ChuPei City, Hsinchu Hsien 30288, Taiwan.

Qualcomm Incorporated, 5775 Morehouse Drive, San Diego, CA 92121. Qualcomm Technologies, Inc., 5775 Morehouse Drive, San Diego, CA 92121. Taiwan Semiconductor

Manufacturing Company Limited, 8, Li Hsin Road 6, Hsinchu Science Park, Hsinchu City 30078 Taiwan.

TSMC North America, 2851 Junction Avenue, San Jose, CA 95134.

TSMC Technology, Inc., 2851 Junction Avenue, San Jose, CA 95134.

(c) The Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Suite 401, Washington, DC 20436; and

(5) For the investigation so instituted, the Chief Administrative Law Judge, U.S. International Trade Commission, shall designate the presiding Administrative Law Judge.

Responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation must be submitted by the named respondents in accordance with section 210.13 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 CFR 210.13. Pursuant to 19 CFR 201.16(e) and 210.13(a), such responses will be considered by the Commission if received not later than 20 days after the date of service by the Commission of the complaint and the notice of investigation. Extensions of time for submitting responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation will not be granted unless good cause therefor is shown.

Failure of a respondent to file a timely response to each allegation in the complaint and in this notice may be deemed to constitute a waiver of the right to appear and contest the allegations of the complaint and this notice, and to authorize the administrative law judge and the Commission, without further notice to the respondent, to find the facts to be as alleged in the complaint and this notice and to enter an initial determination

and a final determination containing such findings, and may result in the issuance of an exclusion order or a cease and desist order or both directed against the respondent.

By order of the Commission. Issued: March 21, 2019.

#### Katherine M. Hiner,

Acting Secretary to the Commission. [FR Doc. 2019–06413 Filed 4–2–19; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7020–02–P

# INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 731–TA–1446 (Preliminary)]

Sodium Sulfate Anhydrous From Canada; Institution of Antidumping Duty Investigation and Scheduling of Preliminary Phase Investigation

**AGENCY:** United States International Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission hereby gives notice of the institution of an investigation and commencement of preliminary phase antidumping duty investigation No. 731-TA-1446 (Preliminary) pursuant to the Tariff Act of 1930 ("the Act") to determine whether there is a reasonable indication that an industry in the United States is materially injured or threatened with material injury, or the establishment of an industry in the United States is materially retarded, by reason of imports of sodium sulfate anhydrous from Canada, provided for in subheadings 2833.11.10 and 2833.11.50 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that are alleged to be sold in the United States at less than fair value. Unless the Department of Commerce ("Commerce") extends the time for initiation, the Commission must reach a preliminary determination in antidumping duty investigations in 45 days, or in this case by May 13, 2019. The Commission's views must be transmitted to Commerce within five business days thereafter, or by May 20, 2019.

**DATES:** March 28, 2019.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Keysha Martinez (202–205–2136), Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC 20436. Hearing-impaired persons can obtain information on this matter by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202–205–1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the

Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202–205–2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server (https://www.usitc.gov). The public record for this investigation may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at https://edis.usitc.gov.

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background.—This investigation is being instituted, pursuant to section 733(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1673b(a)), in response to a petition filed on March 28, 2019, by Cooper Natural Resources, Inc., Fort Worth, Texas; Elementis Global LLC, East Windsor, New Jersey; and Searles Valley Minerals, Inc., Overland Park, Kansas.

For further information concerning the conduct of this investigation and rules of general application, consult the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, part 201, subparts A and B (19 CFR part 201), and part 207, subparts A and B (19 CFR part 207).

Participation in the investigation and public service list.—Persons (other than petitioners) wishing to participate in the investigation as parties must file an entry of appearance with the Secretary to the Commission, as provided in sections 201.11 and 207.10 of the Commission's rules, not later than seven days after publication of this notice in the Federal Register. Industrial users and (if the merchandise under investigation is sold at the retail level) representative consumer organizations have the right to appear as parties in Commission antidumping duty investigations. The Secretary will prepare a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to this investigation upon the expiration of the period for filing entries of appearance.

Limited disclosure of business proprietary information (BPI) under an administrative protective order (APO) and BPI service list.—Pursuant to section 207.7(a) of the Commission's rules, the Secretary will make BPI gathered in this investigation available to authorized applicants representing interested parties (as defined in 19 U.S.C. 1677(9)) who are parties to the investigation under the APO issued in the investigation, provided that the application is made not later than seven days after the publication of this notice in the Federal Register. A separate service list will be maintained by the Secretary for those parties authorized to receive BPI under the APO.

Conference.—The Commission's Director of Investigations has scheduled

a conference in connection with this investigation for 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, April 18, 2019, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC. Requests to appear at the conference should be emailed to preliminary conferences@ usitc.gov (DO NOT FILE ON EDIS) on or before Tuesday, April 16, 2019. Parties in support of the imposition of antidumping duties in this investigation and parties in opposition to the imposition of such duties will each be collectively allocated one hour within which to make an oral presentation at the conference. A nonparty who has testimony that may aid the Commission's deliberations may request permission to present a short statement at the conference.

Written submissions.—As provided in sections 201.8 and 207.15 of the Commission's rules, any person may submit to the Commission on or before April 23, 2019, a written brief containing information and arguments pertinent to the subject matter of the investigation. Parties may file written testimony in connection with their presentation at the conference. All written submissions must conform with the provisions of section 201.8 of the Commission's rules; any submissions that contain BPI must also conform with the requirements of sections 201.6, 207.3, and 207.7 of the Commission's rules. The Commission's Handbook on E-Filing, available on the Commission's website at https://edis.usitc.gov, elaborates upon the Commission's rules with respect to electronic filing.

In accordance with sections 201.16(c) and 207.3 of the rules, each document filed by a party to the investigation must be served on all other parties to the investigation (as identified by either the public or BPI service list), and a certificate of service must be timely filed. The Secretary will not accept a document for filing without a certificate of service.

Authority: This investigation is being conducted under authority of title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930; this notice is published pursuant to section 207.12 of the Commission's rules.

By order of the Commission. Issued: March 29, 2019.

### Katherine Hiner,

 $Supervisory\ Attorney.$ 

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# INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Docket No. 1210-007]

#### Possible Modifications to the International Harmonized System Nomenclature

**AGENCY:** United States International Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** Request for proposals to amend the International Harmonized System tariff nomenclature.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission is requesting proposals from interested persons and agencies to amend the International Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (Harmonized System or HS) in connection with the Seventh Review Cycle of the World Customs Organization (WCO), with a view to keeping the Harmonized System current with changes in technology and trade patterns. The proposals will be reviewed by the Commission, U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP), and the U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census (Census), for potential submission by the U.S. Government to the WCO in Brussels, Belgium.

**DATES:** Suggested deadline for submissions: March 31, 2020.

This date allows adequate time for proposals to be considered for submission for the 2027 Harmonized System five-year revision cycle. Proposals must be submitted to the relevant committees of the WCO by no later than November 2022 to enable the WCO to approve all recommended amendments in June 2024. This timing will enable member countries to make such changes as are necessary in their national tariff schedules to meet the January 1, 2027 target date for implementation of amendments by countries using the HS.

ADDRESSES: All Commission offices are located in the United States International Trade Commission Building, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC. All written submissions should be addressed to the Secretary, United States International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC 20436. The public record for this collection of proposals may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at https://edis.usitc.gov.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Barbara Elkins, Office of Tariff Affairs and Trade Agreements (202–205–2253, fax 202–205–2616, barbara.elkins@ usitc.gov). The media should contact Margaret O'Laughlin, Office of External Affairs (202–205–1819,