

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C.

In The Matter Of

CERTAIN SILICON MICROPHONE
PACKAGES AND PRODUCTS
CONTAINING SAME

Inv. No. 337-TA-825

**ORDER NO. 19: INITIAL DETERMINATION EXTENDING TARGET DATE
BY EIGHT WEEKS**

(January 7, 2013)

Commission rules permit the extension of the target date for good cause. *See* 19 C.F.R. § 210.51(a) (“After the target date has been set, it can be modified by the administrative law judge for good cause shown before the investigation is certified to the Commission...”). “Any extension of the target date beyond 16 months, before the investigation is certified to the Commission, shall be by initial determination.” *Id.* There is Commission precedent for extending the target date. *See, e.g.*, “Notice Of Commission Determination Not To Review An Initial Determination Extending The Target For Completion Of The Investigation,” Inv. No. 337-TA-414 (September 17, 1999); “Notice Of A Decision Not To Review An Initial Determination Extending The Target Date For Completion Of The Investigation,” Inv. No. 337-TA-452 (October 9, 2001); “Notice Of Commission Determination Not To Review An Initial Determination Extending The Target Date For Completion Of The Investigation,” Inv. No. 337-TA-457 (January 8, 2002).

On March 5, 2012, I issued Order No. 3 setting the target date in this investigation to May 13, 2013, making the Initial Determination in this investigation due no later than January 11, 2013.

Since conducting the evidentiary hearing in 337-TA-825 at the beginning of October 2012, I issued a 465 page Initial Determination in investigation 337-TA-796 on October 24, 2012; conducted a hearing in 337-TA-830 from October 26, 2012 through November 2, 2012; conducted a pre-hearing conference in 337-TA-838 on December 7, 2012; and issued an Initial Determination on Remand in

investigation 337-TA-745 on December 18, 2012. Additionally, substantial time was spent drafting the Initial Determinations in investigations 337-TA-785 and 337-TA-808, although ultimately both investigations were terminated due to settlement. Further, I have an Initial Determination in investigation 337-TA-823 due to issue on January 10, 2012, one day before the Initial Determination is currently due in this investigation.

Accordingly, good cause exists to extend the target date in this investigation. I have chosen to extend the target date by eight weeks to provide the requisite time needed to finish drafting, editing, reviewing and finalizing the initial determination in this investigation while meeting the deadlines in my other investigations, notably a Markman Order that is scheduled to issue in investigation 337-TA-847 by February 21, 2013.

Accordingly, pursuant to Commission Rules 210.42(a)(1)(i) and 210.51(a) and for good cause, I am extending the target date in this investigation by eight weeks from May 13, 2013, to July 08, 2013. Pursuant to the new target date, the final initial determination on violation will be due no later than the close of business on March 8, 2013.

Pursuant to 19 C.F.R. § 210.42(h), this initial determination shall become the determination of the Commission unless a party files a petition for review of the initial determination pursuant to 19 C.F.R. § 210.43(a) or the Commission, pursuant to 19 C.F.R. § 210.44, orders on its own motion a review of the initial determination or certain issues herein.

SO ORDERED.



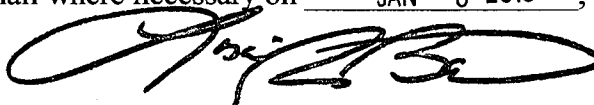
Thomas B. Pender
Administrative Law Judge

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Lisa R. Barton, hereby certify that the attached **ORDER NO. 19: INITIAL DETERMINATION** has been served upon, **The Office of Unfair Import Investigations** and the following parties via first class mail and air mail where necessary on JAN - 8 2013,



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