

INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Inv. No. 337-TA-512]

In the Matter of Certain Light-Emitting Diodes and Products Containing Same; Notice of Commission Final Determination of No Violation of Section 337 as to One Patent and Determination To Remand the Investigation as to Certain Other Patents

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the U.S. International Trade Commission has determined that there is no violation of 19 U.S.C. 1337 by Dominant Semiconductors Sdn. Bhd. ("Dominant") with regard to United States Patent No. 6,576,930 and that the Commission has determined to remand the investigation with respect to certain other patents to the presiding administrative law judge.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Wayne Herrington, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20436, telephone (202) 205-3090, or Michelle Walters, Esq., Office of the General Counsel, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20436, telephone (202) 708-5468. Copies of non-confidential documents filed in connection with this investigation are or will be available for inspection during official business hours (8:45 a.m. to 5:15 p.m.) in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20436, telephone (202) 205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its Internet server (<http://www.usitc.gov>). The public record for this investigation may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at <http://edis.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: The Commission instituted this investigation based on a complaint filed by Osram GmbH and Osram Opto Semiconductors GmbH, both of Germany (collectively, "Osram"). 69 FR 32609 (June 10, 2004). In the complaint, as supplemented and amended, Osram alleged violations of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale

within the United States after importation of certain light-emitting diodes and products containing the same by reason of infringement of various claims of United States Patent Nos. 6,066,861, 6,277,301, 6,613,247, 6,245,259, 6,592,780 (collectively, the "Particle Size Patents"), United States Patent No. 6,576,930 (the "'930 patent"), United States Patent Nos. 6,376,902, 6,469,321, 6,573,580 (collectively, the "Lead Frame Patents"), and United States Patent No. 6,716,673 (the "'673 patent").

On May 10, 2005, the presiding administrative law judge ("ALJ") issued his final initial determination ("ID") finding the sole remaining respondent Dominant in violation of section 337, but only with respect to the '673 patent. The ALJ concluded that the asserted claims of the Particle Size Patents are invalid for indefiniteness, that the '930 patent and the Lead Frame Patents are not infringed by Dominant's accused products, and that Osram does not meet the technical prong of the domestic industry requirement with respect to the '930 patent.

On June 24, 2005, the Commission determined to review the ALJ's findings and conclusions regarding the Particle Size Patents, the '930 patent, and the Lead Frame Patents. 70 FR 37431 (June 29, 2005). The Commission declined to review the ALJ's determination of violation of section 337 with respect to the '673 patent.

Having examined the record of this investigation, including the ALJ's final ID and the submissions of the parties, the Commission has (1) determined that the Particle Size Patents are not invalid for indefiniteness with respect to the phrase "mean grain diameter d_{50} " or the failure to specify the basis for calculating the "mean grain diameter d_{50} " and particle size distribution as number or volume, construed the asserted claims, and remanded this part of the investigation to the ALJ for the purpose of determining whether there is a violation of section 337; and (2) determined that there is no violation of section 337 with regard to the '930 patent. The Commission has extended the target date of the above-captioned investigation to December 12, 2005 and instructed the ALJ to make his determination on remand by October 11, 2005. The parties are invited to file comments on the ALJ's remand determination within five business days after service of the ALJ's determination and to file responses to the comments within five business days after service of the comments. The Commission has decided to defer addressing the issue of violation of the Lead Frame Patents, as

well as issues relating to remedy, public interest, and bonding, until after the ALJ issues his initial determination on remand regarding the Particle Size Patents.

Further, the Commission has determined to deny Osram's motion to admit the prosecution history of United States Application No. 10/616,783 into the record. The Commission, however, has determined to grant Dominant's motion for extension of time to submit its Response of Respondent Dominant Semiconductors Sdn. Bhd. to the Notice of Commission Determination to Review a Final Determination on Violation of Section 337.

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 section 210.45 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 210.45).

Issued: August 10, 2005.

By order of the Commission.

Marilyn R. Abbott,

Secretary to the Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Foreign Claims Settlement Commission

[F.C.S.C. Meeting Notice No. 4-05]

F.C.S.C. Meeting Notice No. 4-05; Sunshine Act

The Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, pursuant to its regulations (45 CFR part 405) and the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b), hereby gives notice in regard to the scheduling of meetings for the transaction of Commission business and other matters specified, as follows:

Date and Time: Thursday, August 25, 2005, at 10 a.m.

Subject Matter: Issuance of Proposed Decisions and Orders in claims against Albania.

Status: Open.

All meetings are held at the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, 600 E Street, NW., Washington, DC. Requests for information, or advance notices of intention to observe an open meeting, may be directed to: Administrative Officer, Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, 600 E Street, NW., Room

6002, Washington, DC 20579.
Telephone: (202) 616-6988.

Mauricio J. Tamargo,
Chairman

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Office of Justice Programs

[OJP (OJP)-1420]

Meeting of the Global Justice Information Sharing Initiative Federal Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Office of Justice Programs (OJP), Justice.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This is an announcement of a meeting of the Global Justice Information Sharing Initiative (Global) Federal Advisory Committee (GAC) to discuss the Global Initiative, as described at <http://www.it.ojp.gov/global>.

DATES: The meeting will take place on Thursday, October 20, 2005, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. e.t.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will take place at the Sheraton Crystal City Hotel, 1800 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202; phone: (703) 486-1111.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: J. Patrick McCreary, Global Designated Federal Employee (DFE), Bureau of Justice Assistance, Office of Justice Programs, 810 7th Street, Washington, DC 20531; phone: (202) 616-0532 (note: this is not a toll-free number); e-mail: James.P.McCreary@usdoj.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This meeting is open to the public. Due to security measures, however, members of the public who wish to attend this meeting must register with J. Patrick McCreary at the above address at least seven (7) days in advance of the meeting. Registrations will be accepted on a space available basis. Access to the meeting will not be allowed without registration. All attendees will be required to sign in at the meeting registration desk. Please bring photo identification and allow extra time prior to the meeting.

Anyone requiring special accommodations should notify J. Patrick McCreary at least seven (7) days in advance of the meeting.

Purpose

The GAC will act as the focal point to explore and recommend policies regarding national justice information

sharing issues in support of the Administration's justice priorities.

The GAC will support the development of justice information sharing concepts. It will advise the Attorney General, and the President (through the Attorney General); and local, state, tribal, and federal policymakers in the executive, legislative, and judicial branches. The GAC will also promote strategies for accomplishing justice information sharing capabilities.

Interested persons whose registrations have been accepted may be permitted to participate in the discussions at the discretion of the meeting chairman and with approval of the DFE.

J. Patrick McCreary,

Global DFE, Bureau of Justice Assistance, Office of Justice Programs.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Bureau of Labor Statistics

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a pre-clearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) is soliciting comments concerning the proposed revision of the "Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) Program." A copy of the proposed information collection request (ICR) can be obtained by contacting the individual listed below in the Addresses section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the Addresses section below on or before October 17, 2005.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to Amy A. Hobby, BLS Clearance Officer, Division of Management Systems, Bureau of

Labor Statistics, Room 4080, 2 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Washington, DC 20212, telephone number 202-691-7628 (This is not a toll free number.)

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Amy A. Hobby, BLS Clearance Officer, telephone number 202-691-7628. (See Addresses section.)

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

The BLS has been charged by Congress (29 U.S.C. Section 1 and 2) with the responsibility of collecting and publishing monthly information on employment, the average wage received, and the hours worked by area and industry. The process for developing residency-based employment and unemployment estimates is a cooperative Federal-State program which uses employment and unemployment inputs available in State Workforce Agencies.

The labor force estimates developed and issued in this program are used for economic analysis and as a tool in the implementation of Federal economic policy in such areas as employment and economic development under the Workforce Investment Act and the Public Works and Economic Development Act, among others.

The estimates also are used in economic analysis by public agencies and private industry, and for State and area funding allocations and eligibility determinations according to legal and administrative requirements. Implementation of current policy and legislative authorities could not be accomplished without collection of the data.

The reports and manual covered by this request are integral parts of the LAUS program insofar as they insure and/or measure the timeliness, quality, consistency, and adherence to program directions of the LAUS estimates and related research.

II. Current Action

The BLS is revising the information collection request that makes up the LAUS program. All aspects of the program are automated. All data are entered directly into BLS-provided systems.

The BLS, as part of its responsibility to develop concepts and methods by which States prepare estimates under the LAUS program, developed a manual for use by the States. The manual explains the conceptual framework for the State and area estimates of employment and unemployment, specifies the procedures to be used,