

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

CERTAIN IP CAMERA SYSTEMS
INCLUDING VIDEO DOORBELLS
AND COMPONENTS THEREOF

Inv. No. 337-TA-1242

ORDER NO. 2: GROUND RULES

(January 26, 2021)

The conduct of this investigation before the Administrative Law Judge shall be governed by the Commission Rules and the Ground Rules attached hereto.

SO ORDERED.

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Dee Lord
Administrative Law Judge

GROUND RULES FOR SECTION 337 INVESTIGATION

These Ground Rules supplement the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. Parts 201 and 210 ("Commission Rules"), in order to aid the Administrative Law Judge in the orderly conduct of the section 337 investigation pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 U.S.C. § 556(c).

Failure to comply with these Ground Rules may result in rejection of a submission, with or without leave to re-file.

Certain of these Ground Rules (*e.g.*, Ground Rules 4.11, Ground Rule 5, and Appendix B) only apply to U.S. patent-based investigations pursuant to section 337(a)(1)(B). In the case of an investigation based upon unfair methods of competition and unfair acts pursuant to section 337(a)(1)(A) or a registered copyright, registered trademark, or registered mask work pursuant to section 337(a)(1)(B), (C) or (D), additional Ground Rules may govern. In addition, in a case involving an early initial determination pursuant to Commission Rule 210.10(b)(3) or a motion for temporary relief pursuant to section 337(e), additional Ground Rules may also govern.

In case of any conflict between these Ground Rules and any subsequent order issued by the Administrative Law Judge or the Commission in this Investigation, the subsequent order shall control.

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