Street SW., Washington, DC 20436. Comments may be submitted in paper form by mail or by hand delivery/ courier. Comments may also be submitted through the Electronic Docket Information System (EDIS) at http:// www.usitc.gov/secretary/edis.htm. All comments should reference the docket number MISC-042.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Copies of the proposed survey questionnaires that the Commission will submit to the Office of Management and Budget for approval are posted on the Commission’s Internet server at http:// pubapps2.usitc.gov/comments-misc-042 or may be obtained from Anne Goalwin, Acting Director, Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20436, telephone (202) 205–2560.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Request for Comments

Comments are solicited as to (1) Whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) minimization of the burden of the proposed information collection on those who are to respond.

Summary of the Proposed Information Collection

In its FY 2013 Performance Plan (available on the agency’s Internet server at http://www.usitc.gov/press_room/documents/budget_2013.pdf), the Commission set the goal of obtaining feedback on the effectiveness of its exclusion orders issued under 19 U.S.C. 1337. The proposed survey is directed to entities that have obtained an outstanding exclusion order, and asks each such entity that responds to the survey to: (i) Evaluate whether the exclusion order has prevented the importation of items covered by the order; (ii) if not, estimate what are the absolute value and effect in the United States market of such imports; and (iii) indicate what experience it has had in policing the exclusion order, particularly with respect to any investigatory efforts and any interactions with U.S. Customs and Border Protection. Responses to the survey are voluntary. The Commission intends to permit electronic submission of responses to the survey and estimates that the survey will require less than one hour to complete.

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Lisa R. Barton,
Acting Secretary to the Commission.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Docket No. 2949]

Certain Linear Actuators; Notice of Receipt of Complaint; Solicitation of Comments Relating to the Public Interest


ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the U.S. International Trade Commission has received a complaint entitled Certain Linear Actuators, DN 2949; the Commission is soliciting comments on any public interest issues raised by the complaint or complainant’s filing under section 210.8(b)(1) of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 210.8(b)).


Written submissions must be filed no later than by close of business, eight calendar days after the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register. There will be further opportunities for comment on the Commission’s TDD terminal on (202) 205–1810.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Commission has received a complaint and a submission pursuant to section 210.8(b) of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure filed on behalf of Okin America, Inc. and Dewert Okin GmbH on April 3, 2013. The complaint alleges violations of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (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 linear actuators. The complaint names as respondents Changzhou Kaidi Electrical Co. Ltd. of China and Kaidi LLC of MI.

Proposed respondents, other interested parties, and members of the public are invited to file comments, not to exceed five (5) pages in length, inclusive of attachments, on any public interest issues raised by the complaint or section 210.8(b) filing. Comments should address whether issuance of the relief specifically requested by the complainant in this investigation would affect the public health and welfare in the United States, competitive conditions in the United States economy, the production of like or directly competitive articles in the United States, or United States consumers.

In particular, the Commission is interested in comments that:

(i) Explain how the articles potentially subject to the requested remedial orders are used in the United States;

(ii) Identify any public health, safety, or welfare concerns in the United States relating to the requested remedial orders;

(iii) Identify like or directly competitive articles that complainant, its licensees, or third parties make in the United States which could replace the subject articles if they were to be excluded;

(iv) Indicate whether complainant, complainant’s licensees, and/or third party suppliers have the capacity to replace the volume of articles potentially subject to the requested exclusion order and/or a cease and desist order within a commercially reasonable time; and

(v) Explain how the requested remedial orders would impact United States consumers.

Written submissions must be filed no later than by close of business, eight calendar days after the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register. There will be further opportunities for comment on the

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1 Electronic Document Information System (EDIS): http://edis.usitc.gov
public interest after the issuance of any final initial determination in this investigation.

Persons filing written submissions must file the original document electronically on or before the deadlines stated above and submit 8 true paper copies to the Office of the Secretary by noon the next day pursuant to section 210.4(f) of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 210.4(f)). Submissions should refer to the docket number (“Docket No. 2949”) in a prominent place on the cover page and/or the first page. (See Handbook for Electronic Filing Procedures, Electronic Filing Procedures 4). Persons with questions regarding filing should contact the Secretary (202–205–2000). Any person desiring to submit a document to the Commission in confidence must request confidential treatment. All such requests should be directed to the Secretary to the Commission and must include a full statement of the reasons why the Commission should grant such treatment. All nonconfidential written submissions will be available for public inspection at the Office of the Secretary and on EDIS.5

This action is taken under the authority of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1337), and of sections 201.10 and 210.8(c) of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 201.1.0, 210.8(c)).

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Under the Clean Water Act

Notice is hereby given that on December 20, 2012, a proposed Consent Decree in United States v. Authority for the Port of The Americas, Civ. A. No. 12–09125. All comments must be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the publication date of this notice. Comments may be submitted either by email or by mail:

1 The Localities are the thirteen municipal and county governments that collect and convey wastewaters to the HRSD system for further conveyance and treatment at the HRSD sewage treatment plants.

2 The Localities are not parties to the consent decree and are not subject to the jurisdiction of the Court. It is anticipated that HRSD and the Localities will evaluate jointly the consolidation of the sewer systems, pumping stations, and other appurtenances, and that each Locality will need to elect to transfer assets to HRSD as part of any regionalization process.
