

\*12 (Apr. 30, 2015), *aff'd*, *Organik Kimya, San. ve Tic. A.S. v. ITC*, 848 F.3d 994 (Fed. Cir. 2017) (“Organik Kimya’s challenge to the scope of an exclusion order is based on whether any and all trade secrets are unknown to the public and would be difficult to design around. These issues all go the merits, which Organik Kimya has waived by default.”). The present investigation is also distinct from *Certain Percussive Massage Devices*, cited by A-Hair, because there is no pending challenge or adjudication of any allegation in the complaint, such that the Commission would have any cause to refute Complainant’s allegations as to domestic industry. See *Certain Percussive Massage Devices*, Inv. No. 337-TA-1206, Comm’n Notice, 2021 WL 5514134 (Nov. 22, 2021).

When the conditions in section 337(g)(1)(A)–(E) (19 U.S.C. 1337(g)(1)(A)–(E)) have been satisfied, section 337(g)(1) and Commission Rule 210.16(c) (19 CFR 210.16(c)) direct the Commission, upon request, to issue a limited exclusion order or a cease and desist order or both against a respondent found in default, based on the allegations regarding a violation of section 337 in the complaint, which are presumed to be true, unless after consideration of the public interest factors in section 337(g)(1), it finds that such relief should not issue.<sup>1</sup>

Accordingly, having examined the record of this investigation, including the parties’ submissions on remedy, the public interest, and bonding, the Commission has determined pursuant to section 337(g)(1) (19 U.S.C. 1337(g)(1)) that the appropriate remedy in this investigation is: (1) an LEO prohibiting the unlicensed entry of certain infringing pre-stretched synthetic braiding hair and packaging therefor that are imported by or on behalf of Defaulting Respondents; and (2) CDOs against each of Defaulting Respondents. The Commission has determined that the public interest factors enumerated in subsection 337(g)(1) do not preclude the issuance of the LEO and CDOs.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> The Commission considers the notice of intent to default filed by respondents Zugoo, Crown Pacific, A-Hair, and Dae Do as an effective withdrawal of their answer to the complaint and notice of investigation. The Commission therefore finds that section 337(g)(1) applies to all of the Defaulting Respondents.

<sup>2</sup> Chair Karpel agrees with the majority that the Commission’s authority to issue the LEO and CDO with regard to Loc N is pursuant to section 337(g)(1) because the criteria in subsections 337(g)(1)(A)–(E) are satisfied with regard to Loc N, see Order No. 26 (Dec. 19, 2024), *unreviewed by Comm’n Notice* (Jan. 17, 2025), and the public interest factors do not preclude the issuance of those remedies. However, with respect to Zugoo, Crown Pacific, A-Hair, and Dae Do, Chair Karpel supports issuance of an LEO

The Commission has further determined that the bond during the period of Presidential review pursuant to section 337(j) (19 U.S.C. 1337(j)) shall be in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the entered value of the infringing articles.

The investigation is terminated.

The Commission’s vote for this determination took place on September 29, 2025.

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 part 210 of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR part 210).

By order of the Commission.

Issued: September 29, 2025.

**Lisa Barton,**

*Secretary to the Commission.*

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## JOINT BOARD FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF ACTUARIES

### Meeting of the Advisory Committee; Meeting

**AGENCY:** Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries.

**ACTION:** Notice of Federal Advisory Committee meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries gives notice of a closed teleconference meeting of the Advisory Committee on Actuarial Examinations.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on October 24, 2025, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (ET).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Elizabeth Van Osten, Designated Federal Officer, Advisory Committee on Actuarial Examinations, at (202) 317–3648 or [elizabeth.j.vanosten@irs.gov](mailto:elizabeth.j.vanosten@irs.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given that the Advisory Committee on Actuarial Examinations will hold a teleconference meeting on October 24, 2025, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (ET). The meeting will be closed to the public.

pursuant to sections 337(d)(1) and CDOs pursuant to 337(f)(1) because the criteria in subsections 337(g)(1)(A)–(E) are not met as to those respondents. She does not agree with the majority that the notice of intent to default filed by those respondents functions to withdraw their previously filed answer to the complaint and notice of investigation. She finds that the public interest factors in sections 337(d)(1) and (f)(1) do not preclude the LEO or CDOs with respect to Zugoo, Crown Pacific, A-Hair, and Dae Do.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss topics and questions that may be recommended for inclusion on future Joint Board examinations in actuarial mathematics, pension law and methodology referred to in 29 U.S.C. 1242(a)(1)(B).

A determination has been made as required by section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. 1009(d), that the subject of the meeting falls within the exception to the open meeting requirement set forth in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(9)(B), and that the public interest requires that such meeting be closed to public participation.

Dated: September 30, 2025.

**Thomas V. Curtin, Jr.,**

*Executive Director, Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Pistoia Alliance, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on August 6, 2025, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (the “Act”), Pistoia Alliance, Inc. filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act’s provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Tecniplast S.p.A, Buguggiate, ITALIAN REPUBLIC has joined as a party to this venture.

Also, International Institute for Quantum Drug Discovery (I–Q–D), College Park, MD has withdrawn as a party to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and Pistoia Alliance, Inc. intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On May 28, 2009, Pistoia Alliance, Inc. filed its original notification pursuant to section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on July 15, 2009 (74 FR 34364).