

**UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C.**

In the Matter of

**CERTAIN GABAPENTIN
IMMUNOASSAY KITS AND TEST
STRIPS, COMPONENTS THEREOF,
AND METHODS THEREFOR**

Inv. No. 337-TA-1239

NOTICE OF INSTITUTION OF INVESTIGATION

Institution of Investigation Pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 1337

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission

ACTION: Notice

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that a complaint was filed with the U.S. International Trade Commission on December 2, 2020, under section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, on behalf of ARK Diagnostics, Inc. of Fremont, California. A supplement to the complaint was filed on December 2, 2020 and an amended complaint was filed on December 23, 2020. The complaint, as amended, alleges violations of section 337 based upon the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain gabapentin immunoassay kits and test strips, components thereof, and methods therefor by reason of infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 8,828,665 (“the ’665 patent”) and U.S. Patent No. 10,203,345 (“the ’345 patent”). The complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists as required by the applicable Federal Statute.

The complainant requests that the Commission institute an investigation and, after the investigation, issue a limited exclusion order and cease and desist orders.

ADDRESSES: The complaint, except for any confidential information contained therein, may be viewed on the Commission’s electronic docket (EDIS) at <https://edis.usitc.gov>. For help accessing EDIS, please email EDIS3Help@usitc.gov. Hearing impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter can be obtained by contacting the Commission’s TDD terminal on (202) 205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at (202) 205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server at <https://www.usitc.gov>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Katherine Hiner, Office of Docket Services, U.S. International Trade Commission, telephone (202) 205-1802.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

AUTHORITY: The authority for institution of this investigation is contained in section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337, and in section 210.10 of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. 210.10 (2020).

SCOPE OF INVESTIGATION: Having considered the complaint, the U.S. International Trade Commission, on January 19, 2021, **ORDERED THAT** –

(1) Pursuant to subsection (b) of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, an investigation be instituted to determine whether there is a violation of subsection (a)(1)(B) of section 337 in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, or the sale within the United States after importation of certain products identified in paragraph (2) by reason of infringement of one or more of claims 1-3, 6, 7, 9, 14, 17, 18, 20, and 21 of the ’665 patent; and claims 1, 2, 7, 8, 11, 12, 19, 20, 26, and 27 of the ’345 patent; and whether an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337;

(2) Pursuant to section 210.10(b)(1) of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. 210.10(b)(1), the plain language description of the accused products or category of accused products, which defines the scope of the investigation, is “gabapentin immunoassays kits, gabapentin-specific test strips, multi-drug test kits and strips that test for gabapentin among other drugs, and components of such kits and test strips”;

(3) For the purpose of the investigation so instituted, the following are hereby named as parties upon which this notice of investigation shall be served:

(a) The complainant is:

ARK Diagnostics, Inc.
48089 Fremont Boulevard
Fremont, CA 94538

(b) The respondents are the following entities alleged to be in violation of section 337, and are the parties upon which the complaint is to be served:

Hangzhou AllTest Biotech Co., Ltd.
No. 550, Yin Hai Street
Hangzhou Economy and Technology Development Area
Hangzhou, China 210018

Shanghai Chemtron Biotech Co., Ltd.
No. 518, Qingdai Rd.
International Medical Park, Pudong 201318
Shanghai, China

Chemtron Biotech Co., Ltd.
9425 Brown Deer Road, Suite B
San Diego, CA 92121

Zhejiang Orient Gene Biotech Co., Ltd.
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Anji 313300, Huzhou
Zhejiang, China

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3818 Fuqua Street
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32 Rue Danton
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846 Wee Burn Street
Apt. E306
Sarasota, FL 34243

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AlcoPro, Inc.
2547 Sutherland Ave.
Knoxville, TN 37919

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12210 Rangeland Parkway
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1887 McFarland Parkway
Alpharetta, GA 30005

Transmetron, Inc.
1476 S. Major Street (50 East)
Salt Lake City, UT 84115

(4) For the investigation so instituted, the Chief Administrative Law Judge, U.S. International Trade Commission, shall designate the presiding Administrative Law Judge.

The Office of Unfair Import Investigations will not participate as a party in this investigation.

Responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation must be submitted by the named respondents in accordance with section 210.13 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. 210.13. Pursuant to 19 C.F.R. 201.16(e) and 210.13(a), as amended in 85 Fed. Reg. 15798 (March 19, 2020), such responses will be considered by the Commission if received not later than 20 days after the date of service by the complainant of the complaint and the notice of investigation. Extensions of time for submitting responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation will not be granted unless good cause therefor is shown.

Failure of a respondent to file a timely response to each allegation in the complaint and in this notice may be deemed to constitute a waiver of the right to appear and contest the allegations of the complaint and this notice, and to authorize the administrative law judge and the Commission, without further notice to the respondent, to find the facts to be as alleged in the complaint and this notice and to enter an initial determination and a final determination containing such findings, and may result in the issuance of an exclusion order or a cease and desist order or both directed against the respondent.

By order of the Commission.



Lisa R. Barton
Secretary to the Commission

Issued: January 19, 2021

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PUBLIC CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Lisa R. Barton, hereby certify that the attached **INSTITUTION OF INVESTIGATION** has been served upon the following parties as indicated, on **January 19, 2021**.



Lisa R. Barton, Secretary
U.S. International Trade Commission
500 E Street, SW, Room 112
Washington, DC 20436

Complainant:

ARK Diagnostics, Inc.
48089 Fremont Boulevard
Fremont, CA 94538

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On Behalf of Complainant:

Joshua Hartman, Esq.
ADDUCI, MASTRIANI & SCHAUMBERG LLP
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Embassy:

Embassy of China
3505 International Place, NW
Washington, DC 20008

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Washington, DC 20007

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U.S. Department of Justice
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U.S. Bureau of Customs and Border Protection
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Washington, DC 20229

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Elizabeth Kraus, Deputy Director
International Antitrust, Office of International Affairs
Federal Trade Commission
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Washington, DC 20580

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WASHINGTON, DC 20436

January 19, 2021

Joshua A Hartman
Adduci, Mastriani & Schaumberg L.L.P
1133 Connecticut Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20036

**Re: Certain Gabapentin Immunoassay Kits and Test Strips, Components Therof,
and Methods Therefor
Inv. No. 337-TA-1239**

Dear Joshua A Hartman:

This letter is to advise you that the U.S. International Trade Commission has instituted an investigation pursuant to section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1337). A copy of the Commission's notice of investigation is enclosed. Also enclosed is the Section 337 Mediation Program brochure. After reviewing the brochure, please sign and return the enclosed certification of receipt.

Sincerely,

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Lisa R. Barton
Secretary

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We are hereby serving you with a copy of the Complaint and the Notice of Investigation issued in this matter. Enclosed is a copy of the Code of Federal Regulations. Also enclosed is a the Section 337 Mediation Program brochure. After reviewing this brochure, please sign and return the enclosed certification of receipt.

Please note that the Notice requires a response to the allegations in the Complaint and the response must be received not later than twenty (20) days after the date of service of the Complaint. Failure to file a response may result in inferences being drawn against your interests.

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Houston, TX 77047

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Montlucon, 03100
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AlcoPro, Inc.
2547 Sutherland Ave.
Knoxville, TN 37919

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Mercedes Medical, LLC
12210 Rangeland Parkway
Lakewood Ranch, FL 34211

**Re: Certain Gabapentin Immunoassay Kits and Test Strips, Components Thereof, and Methods Therefor
Inv. No. 337-TA-1239**

Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is to advise you that the United States International Trade Commission has instituted an investigation pursuant to Section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1337). **Mercedes Medical, LLC** is a named respondent in this investigation.

We are hereby serving you with a copy of the Complaint and the Notice of Investigation issued in this matter. Enclosed is a copy of the Code of Federal Regulations. Also enclosed is a the Section 337 Mediation Program brochure. After reviewing this brochure, please sign and return the enclosed certification of receipt.

Please note that the Notice requires a response to the allegations in the Complaint and the response must be received not later than twenty (20) days after the date of service of the Complaint. Failure to file a response may result in inferences being drawn against your interests.

Sincerely,

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Lisa R. Barton
Secretary

Enclosures:

1. Complaint
2. Notice of Investigation
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4. Publication Regarding the Section 337 Mediation Program
5. Certification of Receipt of Mediation Materials



UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

January 19, 2021

Transmed Co., LLC
1887 McFarland Parkway
Alpharetta, GA 30005

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January 19, 2021

Transmetron, Inc.
1476 S. Major Street (50 East)
Salt Lake City, UT 84115

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

January 19, 2021

Embassy of the People's Republic of China
3505 International PI NW
Washington, DC 20008

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Pursuant to Commission Rule 210.11(a) (3), we are hereby serving you with a copy of the Complaint filed in this investigation together with a copy of the Commission's Notice of Investigation.

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

January 19, 2021

Embassy of France
4101 Reservoir Rd NW
Washington, DC 20007

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

January 19, 2021

Intellectual Property Rights Branch
Regulations and Rulings
Office of International Trade
U.S. Customs and Border Protection
90 K Street, NE, 10th floor
Washington, DC 20229-1177

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If you have any questions concerning this investigation, please contact the Commission Investigative Attorney whose name and telephone number appear in the enclosed Notice.

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

January 19, 2021

Lynda Marshall
International Section
Antitrust Division
U.S. Dept of Justice
450 5th Street NW, Room 11000
Washington, DC 20530

**Re: Certain Gabapentin Immunoassay Kits and Test Strips, Components Therof,
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Dear Ms. Marshall:

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

January 19, 2021

Elizabeth Kraus, Deputy Director
International Antitrust, Office of
International Affairs
Federal Trade Commission
600 Pennsylvania Avenue, Room 498
Washington, DC 20580

**Re: Certain Gabapentin Immunoassay Kits and Test Strips, Components Thereof,
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Dear Ms. Kraus:

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

January 19, 2021

Dale D. Berkley, Ph.D., J.D.
Office of the General Counsel, PHD, NIH Branch
National Institutes of Health
31 Center Drive
Bldg. 31, Rm. 47
Bethesda, MD 20892

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Dear Mr. Berkley:

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