

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

In the Matter of

**CERTAIN HIGH-POTENCY
SWEETENERS, PROCESSES FOR
MAKING SAME, AND PRODUCTS
CONTAINING SAME**

Inv. No. 337-TA-1264

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 April 8, 2021, under section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, on behalf of Celanese International Corporation of Irving, Texas; Celanese (Malta) Company 2 Limited of Qormi, Malta; and Celanese Sales U.S. Ltd. of Irving, Texas. A supplement to the complaint was filed on April 22, 2021. The complaint, as supplemented, 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 high-potency sweeteners, processes for making same, and products containing same by reason of infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 10,023,546 (“the ’546 patent”); U.S. Patent No. 10,208,004 (“the ’004 patent”); U.S. Patent No. 10,590,098 (“the ’098 patent”); U.S. Patent No. 10,233,163 (“the ’163 patent”); and U.S. Patent No. 10,590,095 (“the ’095 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: Pathenia M. Proctor, The Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, telephone (202) 205-2560.

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 May 10, 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, 11-13, 15-18, 22, and 27 of the '546 patent; claims 1-5, 7-9, 11-13, 21-33, and 35-42 of the '004 patent; claims 1-5, 7-9, 11-12, 20-32, 34, and 36-38 of the '098 patent; claims 1, 4-5, 7-11, 13, 15-16, 18-19, and 22-37 of the '163 patent; and claims 1, 4-5, 7-11, 13, 15, 18-19, and 22-39 of the '095 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 "Jinhe Ace-K sweetener products and manufacture processes thereof";

(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 complainants are:

Celanese International Corporation
222 West Las Colinas Blvd, Suite 900N
Irving, Texas 75039

Celanese (Malta) Company 2 Limited
78 Mill street, Zone 5
Central Business District, Qormi
CBD 5090, Malta

Celanese Sales U.S. Ltd.
222 West Las Colinas Blvd, Suite 900N
Irving, Texas 75039

(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:

Anhui Jinhe Industrial Co., Ltd.
127 East Street, Lai'an County
Chuzhou City, Anhui 239200
People's Republic of China

Jinhe USA LLC
111 West Jackson Blvd., Suite 1350
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Agridient, Inc.
28580 Orchard Lake Road, Suite 205
Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334

Apura Ingredients Inc.
14168 Central Ave., Unit A
Chino, California 91710

Crossroad Ingredients
271 Route 46 West, Suite H206
Fairfield, New Jersey 07004

Hhoya USA Inc.
228 East 45th Street, Suite 9E
New York, New York 10017

Ingreedis US LLC
5 Chandler Court
Plainsboro, New Jersey 08536

NiuSource Inc.
14266 Euclid Ave.
Chino, California 91710

Prinova US LLC
6525 Muirfield Drive
Hanover Park, Illinois 60133

Prosweetz Ingredients Incorporated d/b/a Panasource Ingredients Inc.
98-A Mayfield Ave
Edison, New Jersey 08837

Suzhou-Chem Inc.
396 Washington Street, Suite 318
Wellesley, Massachusetts 02481

UMC Ingredients, LLC fka JRS International LLC
160 Chubb Avenue, Suite 206
Lyndhurst, New Jersey, 07071

c) The Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Suite 401, Washington, D.C. 20436; and

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

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: May 11, 2021

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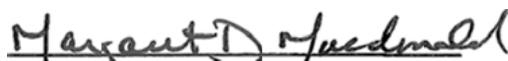
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**DESIGNATION OF OUII ATTORNEY
FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS**

The Office of Unfair Import Investigations (OUII) hereby designates Yoncha Kundupoglu, Esq. (202) 205-3323, Yoncha Kundupoglu@usitc.gov as OUII's lead attorney for service of process. Therefore, it is requested that all documents served by the Commission or filed by the parties in the above-referenced investigation be served upon this investigative attorney.

Respectfully submitted,



Margaret Macdonald, Director

OFFICE OF UNFAIR IMPORT INVESTIGATIONS
U.S. International Trade Commission
500 E Street, S.W., Suite 401
Washington, D.C. 20436
(202) 205-2576
(202) 205-2158 (facsimile)

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Certificate of Service – Page 1

PUBLIC CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Lisa R. Barton, hereby certify that the attached **INSTITUTION OF INVESTIGATION** has been served via EDIS upon the Commission Investigative Attorney, **Yoncha Kundupoglu**, and the following parties as indicated, on **May 11, 2021**.



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

Complainants:

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222 West Las Colinas Boulevard
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Irving, TX 75039

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On Behalf of Complainants:

Aaron Wainscoat, Esq.
DLA PIPER LLP (US)
2000 University Avenue
East Palo Alto, CA 94303
Email: Aaron.Wainscoat@us.dlapiper.com

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Respondents:

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Embassy:

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

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Government Agencies:

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

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Intellectual Property Rights Branch
Mint Annex Building
799 9th Street, NW, 7th floor
Washington, DC 20229

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Elizabeth Kraus, Deputy Director
International Antitrust, Office of International Affairs
Federal Trade Commission
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Office of the General Counsel, PHD, NIH Branch
National Institutes of Health
31 Center Drive
Bldg. 31, Rm. 47
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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

May 10, 2021

Aaron Wainscoat
2000 University Avenue
East Palo Alto, CA 94303-2250

**Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products
Containing Same Inv. No. 337-TA-1264**

Dear Aaron Wainscoat:

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

Enclosures:

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127 East Street, Lai'an County
Chuzhou City, Anhui, 239200
China

Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products Containing Same; Inv. No. 337-TA-1264

Dear Sir/Madam:

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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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May 10, 2021

Jinhe USA LLC
111 West Jackson Blvd Suite 1350
Chicago, IL 60604

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Dear Sir/Madam:

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28580 Orchard Lake Road Suite 205
Farmington Hills, MI 48334

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Dear Sir/Madam:

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Apura Ingredients Inc.
14168 Central Ave., Unit A
Chino, CA 91710

Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products Containing Same; Inv. No. 337-TA-1264

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). **Apura Ingredients Inc.** 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.

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Crossroad Ingredients
271 Route 46 West Suite H206
Fairfield, NJ 07004

Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products Containing Same; Inv. No. 337-TA-1264

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). **Crossroad Ingredients** is a named respondent in this investigation.

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Hhoya USA Inc.
228 East 45th Street Suite 9E

Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products Containing Same; Inv. No. 337-TA-1264

Dear Sir/Madam:

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NiuSource Inc.
14226 Euclid Ave
Chino, CA 91710

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Hanover Park, IL 60133

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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
3. Code of Federal Regulation
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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

May 10, 2021

Prosweetz Ingredients Incorporated d/b/a Panasource Ingredients Inc.
98-A Mayfield Ave
Edison, NJ 08837

**Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products
Containing Same; Inv. No. 337-TA-1264**

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). **Prosweetz Ingredients Incorporated d/b/a Panasource Ingredients Inc.** is a named respondent in this investigation.

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

May 10, 2021

Suzhou-Chem Inc.
396 Washington Street Suite 318
Wellesley, MA 02481

Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products Containing Same; Inv. No. 337-TA-1264

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). **Suzhou-Chem Inc.** is a named respondent in this investigation.

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

May 10, 2021

UMC Ingredients, LLC fka JRS International LLC
160 Chubb Avenue Suite 206
Lyndhurst, NJ 07071

**Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products
Containing Same; Inv. No. 337-TA-1264**

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). **UMC Ingredients, LLC fka JRS International LLC** is a named respondent in this investigation.

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

May 10, 2021

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

**Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products
Containing Same Inv. No. 337-TA-1264**

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). One or more of the parties named in the investigation is located in **China**.

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.

Sincerely,

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Lisa R. Barton
Secretary

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

May 10, 2021

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

**Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products
Containing Same Inv. No. 337-TA-1264**

Dear Ms. Marshall:

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). A copy of the Notice of Investigation is enclosed. Non-confidential copies of the Complaint and any supplements filed in the investigation will be provided upon request. Requests should be directed to Docket Services at (202) 205-1802.

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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Lisa R. Barton
Secretary

Enclosure:

1. Notice of Investigation



UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

May 10, 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

**Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products
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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

May 10, 2021

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

**Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products
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Dear Ms. Kraus:

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). A copy of the Notice of Investigation is enclosed. Non-confidential copies of the Complaint and any supplements filed in the investigation will be provided upon request. Requests should be directed to Docket Services at (202) 205-1802.

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20436

May 10, 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

**Re: Certain High-Potency Sweeteners, Processes for Making Same, and Products
Containing Same Inv. No. 337-TA-1264**

Dear Mr. Berkley:

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