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Notice of Investigation

On May 5, 2010, the Office of the Secretary issued a Notice announcing Inv. No. 332-TA-514, *China: Intellectual Property Infringement, Indigenous Innovation Policies, and Frameworks for Measuring the Effects on the U.S. Economy*. The investigation follows receipt of a request for two reports from the United States Senate Committee on Finance. The first report will describe the principal types of reported IPR infringement in China, describe China's indigenous innovation policies, and outline analytical frameworks for determining the quantitative effects of the infringement and indigenous innovation policies on the U.S. economy as a whole and on sectors of the U.S. economy, including lost U.S. jobs. This first report is to be delivered by November 19, 2010. The second report, to be delivered by May 2, 2011, describes the size and scope of reported IPR infringement in China, a quantitative analysis of the impact of reported IPR infringement in China on the U.S. economy and U.S. jobs and on the potential effects on sales, profits, royalties, and license fees of U.S. firms globally, and actual, potential, and reported effects of China's indigenous innovation policies on the U.S. economy and U.S. jobs, and quantifies these effects, to the extent feasible. The Commission scheduled a public hearing in connection with investigations relating to both reports for June 15, 2010.