allow the buyer to resolve an inadvertent unauthorized use (43 CFR 2711.3–3(a)(5)) and would set aside the unused area to meet Santa Barbara County’s development/permitting requirements for open space. There is no public access. Arc Vineyards owns and controls the access to this public land parcel across its private land north and adjacent to the parcel.

The regulation at 43 CFR 2711.3–3(a)(5) authorizes the BLM to make direct sale of public lands when a competitive sale is not appropriate and the public interest would be best served by a direct sale. The BLM determined a direct sale will serve important public objectives by disposing of a parcel of isolated public land that the public cannot use or legally access and that the BLM cannot properly manage, and to resolve the inadvertent unauthorized use and occupancy of the land. The BLM prepared a mineral potential report dated October 25, 2011, concluding there are known mineral values in the land offered for sale. Therefore, the BLM will reserve the Federal mineral interest to the United States. Such minerals will be subject to the right to explore, prospect for, mine, and remove under applicable law and regulations.

On December 20, 2017, the above described parcel will be segregated from appropriation under the public land laws, including the mining laws, except the sale provisions of the FLPM Act. Until completion of the sale or termination of the segregation, the BLM will no longer accept land-use applications affecting the identified public lands, except applications for the amendment of previously filed right-of-way applications or existing authorizations to increase the term of the grants in accordance with 43 CFR 2807.15 and 2886.15. The segregation will terminate upon issuance of a patent, publication in the Federal Register of a termination of the segregation, or 2 years after the date of publication, whichever occurs first, unless extended by the BLM State Director in accordance with 43 CFR 2711.1–2(d) prior to the termination date. The BLM will also publish this Notice in the Santa Maria Times once a week for 3 consecutive weeks. The parcel will not be sold until at least 60 days after the date of publication of this Notice in the Federal Register.

Conveyance of the identified public land would be subject to valid existing rights of record and the following terms, conditions, and reservations:


2. A reservation of all minerals to the United States, and the right to prospect for, mine, and remove the minerals under applicable law and any regulations that the Secretary of the Interior may prescribe, including all necessary access and exit rights.

3. An appropriate indemnification clause protecting the United States from claims arising out of the patentee’s use, occupancy, or occupation on the patented land.

Detailed information, including NEPA documentation and all other documents associated with this sale, are available for review during the 45-day public comment period for this notice at the Bakersfield Field Office at the above address.

For a period until February 5, 2018, interested parties and the general public may submit in writing any comments concerning the land being considered for sale, including notification of any encumbrances or other claims relating to the identified land, to the Field Manager, BLM Bakersfield Field Office, at the above address. Email will also be accepted and should be sent to: BLM_CA_Bakersfield_Public_Comments@blm.gov with “Public Land Sale” inserted in the subject line. Comments, including names and street addresses or respondents, will be available for public review at the BLM Bakersfield Office at the above address.

Individual respondents may request confidentiality. Before including your address, telephone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, the BLM will make your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—publicly available at any time. While you can ask in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so. If you wish to have your name or address withheld from public disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comments. Any determination by the BLM to release or withhold the names and/or addresses of those who comment will be made on a case-by-case basis. Such requests will be honored to the extent allowed by law. The BLM will make available for public review, in their entirety, all comments submitted by businesses or organizations, including comments by individuals in their capacity as an official or representative of a business or organization.

The BLM California State Director or other authorized official of the Department of the Interior will review comments regarding the sale and may sustain, vacate, or modify this realty action in whole or in part. In the absence of timely filed objections, this realty action will become the final determination of the Department of the Interior.

(Authority: 43 CFR 2710 and 43 CFR 2711)

Danielle Chi,
Deputy State Director, Division of Resources.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 337–TA–1091]

Certain Color Intraoral Scanners and Related Hardware and Software; Institution of Investigation


ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that a complaint was filed with the U.S. International Trade Commission on November 14, 2017, under section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, concerning certain color intraoral scanners and related hardware and software by reason of infringement of one or more of U.S. Patent No. 8,363,228 ("the '228 patent"); U.S. Patent No. 8,451,456 ("the '456 patent"); U.S. Patent No. 8,675,207 ("the '207 patent"); U.S. Patent No. 9,101,433 ("the '433 patent"); U.S. Patent No. 9,419,931 ("the '931 patent"); and U.S. Patent No. 6,685,470 ("the '470 patent").

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, is available for inspection during official business hours (8:45 a.m. to 5:15 p.m.) in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Room 112, Washington, DC 20436, telephone 202–205–2148 (良).
(202) 205–2000. 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. The public record for this investigation may be viewed on the Commission’s electronic docket (EDIS) at https://edis.usitc.gov.


Scope of Investigation: Having considered the complaint, the U.S. International Trade Commission, on December 13, 2017, 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 color intraoral scanners and related hardware and software by reason of infringement of one or more of claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 18, 20, 21, and 26 of the ‘228 patent; claims 1–8 and 15–18 of the ‘456 patent; claims 1, 2, 4, and 15–21 of the ‘207 patent; claims 1, 4, 7, 10, 12, and 14 of the ‘433 patent; and claims 1–12 of the ‘931 patent; and claims 1–12 of the ‘470 patent, and whether an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337; and

(2) 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: Align Technology, Inc., 2820 Orchard Parkway, San Jose, CA 95134.

(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: 3Shape A/S, Holmens Kanal 7, 1060 Copenhagen K, Denmark. 3Shape, Inc., 10 Independence Boulevard, Suite 150, Warren, NJ 07059. (For the investigation so instituted, the Chief Administrative Law Judge, U.S. International Trade Commission, shall designate the presiding Administrative Law Judge, and the Chief Administrative Law Judge is authorized to consider whether to consolidate Inv. No. 337–TA–1091 with Inv. No. 337–TA–1090, and to consolidate them if he deems it appropriate.

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 CFR 210.13. Pursuant to 19 CFR 210.13(e) and 210.13(a), such responses will be considered by the Commission if received not later than 20 days after the date of service by the Commission 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.

Issued: December 14, 2017.

Lisa R. Barton,
Secretary to the Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Proposed Consent Decree Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

On December 14, 2017, the Department of Justice lodged a proposed Consent Decree with the United States District Court for the Northern District of New York in the lawsuit entitled...