

Secretary

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20436

March 25, 2008

The Honorable Henry M. Paulson, Jr. Secretary of the Treasury 1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20220

Re: Seizure and Forfeiture Order

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Please find attached the seizure and forfeiture order issued by the U.S. International Trade Commission pursuant to 19 U.S.C. § 1337(i) with respect to importations of articles covered by the Commission general exclusion order and/or the limited exclusion order issued in October 2007 at the conclusion of its investigation in <u>Certain Ink Cartridges and Component Parts Thereof</u>, Inv. No. 337-TA-565. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact us.

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Attachments

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cc:

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For complainants in Inv. No. 337-TA-565:

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UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION Washington, DC

In the Matter of

Investigation No. 337-TA-565

CERTAIN INK CARTRIDGES AND COMPONENT PARTS THEREOF

SEIZURE AND FORFEITURE ORDER

The U.S. Bureau of Customs and Border Protection ("Customs") has informed the Commission that (i) the owner, importer or consignee (or the agent of such person) of certain ink cartridges and component parts thereof covered by a general exclusion order and/or a limited exclusion order attempted to import the articles into the United States; (ii) Customs denied entry of the articles into the United States by reason of a final exclusion order; and (iii) upon such denial of entry, the Secretary of the Treasury provided the owner, importer, or consignee of the articles (or the agent of such person) with written notice of the aforesaid exclusion orders and the fact that seizure and forfeiture would result from any further attempt to import the article into the United States. The Commission having determined, based on these and other documents provided by Customs, that the issuance of a seizure and forfeiture order concerning the article would be appropriate pursuant to section 337(i) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. § 1337(i)), it is hereby ORDERED:

1. Ink Cartridges and Component Parts Thereof that are imported in violation of the general exclusion order and/or the limited exclusion order issued in the above-captioned investigation are to be seized and forfeited to the United States, if imported by the following firm: Mextec DBA Mipo America, 3100 NW 72 Ave #106, Miami, FL 33122.

2 The Secretary shall serve copies of this order on the Secretary of the Treasury; U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Washington, D.C.; U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Miami, Florida 33122; the firm listed in paragraph 1 above; and counsel for the complainant in Inv. No. 337-TA-565.

For the Commission.

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