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**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 CFR 210.10 (2024).

*Scope of Investigation:* Having considered the complaint, the U.S. International Trade Commission, on January 21, 2025 *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 and 5 of the '581 patent; claims 1, 2, 6, and 8–10 of the '562 patent; claims 1 and 3–5 of the '299 patent; claims 1–5 of the '150 patent; claims 1–3 of the '626 patent; and claims 1–5 and 8 of the '310 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 CFR 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 “composite intermediate bulk containers”;

(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:

Schütz Container Systems, Inc., 200 Aspen Hill Rd., North Branch, NJ 08876–5950  
Protechna S.A., Avenue De La Gare 14, CH–1701 Fribourg, Switzerland

(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:  
Shandong Jinshan Jieyuan Container Co., Ltd., 69 Hengyuan Road, Dantu

Industrial Park, Zhengjiang City, Jiangsu Province, China, 212000  
Zibo Jieli Plastic Pipe Manufacture Co. Ltd., No. 6, Qingtian Road, Qilu Chemical Industrial Park, Zibo City, Shandong Province, China, 255410  
Shanghai Sakura Plastic Products Co., Ltd., (d/b/a Shanghai Yinghua Plastic Products Co., LTD), No. 1353, Maixin Highway, Xinqiao Town, Songjiang District, Shanghai, China, 201600  
Hebei Shijiheng Plastics, Co., Ltd., No. 5 Torch Avenue, Sino-Europe Industrial Park of Hebei, Province, Zhongjie Huanghua City, China, 061100

(c) The Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Suite 401, Washington, DC 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 CFR 210.13. Pursuant to 19 CFR 201.16(e) and 210.13(a), as amended in 85 FR 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 complainants 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: January 21, 2025.

**Susan Orndoff,**

*Supervisory Attorney.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

**Antitrust Division**

**Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Rust Foundation**

Notice is hereby given that, on October 25, 2024, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (“the Act”), Rust Foundation has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Open Source Science B.V., Breda, NETHERLANDS; PROMOTIC, Lomé, TOGOLESE REPUBLIC; and Student Research and Development dba CodeDay, Seattle, WA, have been added as parties to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and Rust Foundation intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On April 14, 2022, Rust Foundation filed its original notification pursuant to section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on May 13, 2022 (87 FR 29384).

The last notification was filed with the Department on August 12, 2024. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on October 11, 2024 (89 FR 82634).

**Suzanne Morris,**

*Deputy Director Civil Enforcement Operations, Antitrust Division.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

**Antitrust Division**

**Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—America's DataHub Consortium**

Notice is hereby given that, on June 28, 2024, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (“the Act”), America's DataHub Consortium (“ADC”) has filed written

notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, ADACEN FEDERAL LLC, Albuquerque, NM; AT Worthy Technology, Fairfax, VA; Brightquery, Inc., Irvine, CA; Careplots, Inc., Malvern, PA; CAS a division of American Chemical Society, Columbus, OH; Data Point LLC, Orange, NJ; Data Products LLC, Chicago, IL; Generative Medical, Inc., Palo Alto, CA; K8R Applications, Inc. dba Future Perfect Engineering, Seattle, WA; Node.Digital, Leesburg, VA; Omnicom Consulting Group, Inc., Tarrytown, NY; Polaron Technologies, Inc., Miamisburg, OH; Prism Lab at Cornell University, Ithaca, NY; and Vistra Communications LLC, Lutz, FL, have been added as parties to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and ADC intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On November 11, 2021, ADC filed its original notification pursuant to section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on December 22, 2021 (86 FR 72628).

The last notification was filed with the Department on April 4, 2024. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on June 21, 2024 (89 FR 52092).

**Suzanne Morris,**  
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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Open Grid Alliance, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on October 11, 2024, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Open Grid Alliance, Inc. ("OGA") has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing

changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Deutsche Telekom AG, Bonn, GERMANY, has withdrawn as a party to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and OGA intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On March 31, 2022, OGA filed its original notification pursuant to section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on May 12, 2022 (87 FR 29180).

The last notification was filed with the Department on November 16, 2023. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on February 6, 2024 (89 FR 8246). A corrected notice was filed on March 8, 2024 (89 FR 16799).

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—The Open Group, L.L.C.

Notice is hereby given that, on November 4, 2024, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), The Open Group, L.L.C. ("TOG") has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Aeronix Technologies Group, LLC, Melbourne, FL; Afuzion Incorporated, Sedona, AZ; Banco de los Trabajadores, Guatemala City, GUATEMALA; Barkman Enterprises, Inc., Fayetteville, GA; Booz Allen Hamilton, Linthicum, MD; Clarity Cyber, LLC, Linthicum, MD; Corning Optical Communications, Rf LLC, Glendale, AZ; D&I Associates Limited, Kingston Upon Thames,

UNITED KINGDOM; GIRD Systems, Inc., Cincinnati, OH; HCL America Inc., Santa Clara, CA; Horizon56 A/S, Kongens Lyngby, DENMARK; Impac Exploration Services Inc, Weatherford, OK; NABORS Industries, Inc., Houston, TX; NETGEOMETRY SDN. BHD., Selangor, MALAYSIA; Picogrid, Inc., El Segundo, CA; Precise Systems, Lexington Park, MD; R V College of Engineering, Bengaluru, INDIA; Reflex Instruments Asia, Pacific Pty Ltd, Balcatta, AUSTRALIA; ReStream Solutions, Inc., Fort Worth, TX; Space Micro, Inc., San Diego, CA; StarAgile Consulting Private Limited, Bengaluru, INDIA; Systematic, Inc., Centreville, VA; Technology Advanced Group, Inc., Ashburn, VA; Torque Technical Computer Training (Pty) Ltd, Johannesburg, SOUTH AFRICA; Trigon Cyber, Inc., Huntsville, AL; V2X, Inc., McLean, VA; and Validere Technologies, Inc. Toronto, CANADA, have been added as parties to this venture.

Also, Ball Aerospace, Boulder, CO; Boomi, Chesterbrook, PA; ClearBlade, Inc., Austin, TX; Cloudwick Technologies, Inc., Newark, CA; CS Communication & Systems, Inc., East Hartford, CT; Delta Information Systems, Horsham, PA; Dunstan Thomas Consulting, Ltd., Portsmouth, UNITED KINGDOM; Eturnti Business Design, Bangalore, INDIA; Growth Continue Training, Abidjan, REPUBLIC OF CÔTE D'IVOIRE; Herley Industries, Inc., Lancaster, PA; Hiller Measurements, Inc., Austin, TX; Information Services Group, Inc., Stamford, CT; INPEX Corporation, Tokyo, JAPAN; Institute for Development and Research in Banking Technology (IDRBT), Hyderabad, INDIA; Kansas Geological Survey, Lawrence, KS; Kyoto University, Kyoto, JAPAN; Naonworks Co. Ltd., Seoul, REPUBLIC OF KOREA; National Institute for Smart Government, Hyderabad, INDIA; Numberline Security, LLC, Lexington, MA; Pro Well Plan as, Bergen, NORWAY; Project Canary, PBC, Denver, CO; Rogerson Kratos, Irvine, CA; Saison Information Systems Co., Ltd., Tokyo, JAPAN; Selman & Associates, Ltd., Midland, TX; Teradata Corporation, London, UNITED KINGDOM; The UK Offshore Energies Association Limited, London, UNITED KINGDOM; Two Ravens Consulting, Calgary, CANADA; University of Dayton Research Institute, Dayton, OH; University of Ottawa, Ottawa, CANADA; Valmet Automation Oy, Vespoo, REPUBLIC OF FINLAND; Ventum Consulting Foshan Ltd, Beijing, PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA; and