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As a result of a lapse in appropriations, the Department of Commerce was closed on October 1, 2025, and resumed operations on November 13, 2025. During the shutdown, Enforcement and Compliance received a total of 8,535 documents in ACCESS and to date, we are still reviewing and releasing these documents. Normally, ACCESS makes a business proprietary document available to Administrative Protective Order (APO)-authorized lead attorneys for 14 days after it is filed in ACCESS. Because the 14-day period has lapsed for many documents, we are making them available now for download for a limited time period.

Specifically, beginning today, December 5, 2025, Enforcement and Compliance will make available to APO-authorized lead attorneys, business proprietary documents filed to ACCESS from September 25, 2025 through November 25, 2025. These documents will be available for download through December 24, 2025. Please note that the affected documents continue to be released on an ongoing basis and you will be notified of their availability through the business proprietary release digest email notifications. Business proprietary documents filed after November 25, 2025 will be available for the normal 14-day period.

Please use the normal procedures for downloading business proprietary documents. If you encounter technical difficulties, contact the ACCESS Help Desk at access@trade.gov or 202-482-3150.

Thank you,

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