

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

### **Initiation of 4-Year Review Process**

#### **Where should I submit my request to continue the action if I represent a domestic industry that benefited from both the July 6, 2018 (List 1) and August 23, 2018 (List 2) Section 301 actions?**

Representatives of a domestic industry which benefits from both of the trade actions under Section 301, as modified, should submit two separate requests for continuation using the portal corresponding to each trade action at <https://comments.ustr.gov/s/> according to the schedule found in the Federal Register Notice and provided below.

**For the July 6, 2018 trade action**, the web portal at <https://comments.ustr.gov/s/> will open for requests to continue the action on May 7, 2022, and close at 11:59 pm on July 5, 2022.

**For the August 23, 2018 trade action**, the web portal at <https://comments.ustr.gov/s/> will open for requests to continue the action on June 24, 2022, and close at 11:59 pm on August 22, 2022.

#### **Where should I submit my request to continue the action if I represent a domestic industry that benefited from the List 3 and/or List 4A modifications?**

Representatives should submit continuation requests under the portals established for both trade actions at <https://comments.ustr.gov/s/> according to the schedule above and found in the Federal Register.

#### **How do I submit Business Confidential Information?**

If a representative of a domestic industry which benefits from an action wishes to receive Business Confidential treatment for its request to continue the action, contact USTR at (202) 395-5725.

#### **Can an interested person submit a comment in opposition of the continuation of Section 301 trade actions?**

USTR is following the procedure mandated by the 4-year review statute. Under the statutory process, the first step is for USTR to notify representatives of domestic industries which benefit from the trade actions of the opportunity to request continuation of the actions. Should USTR receive such a request, USTR will announce the continuation of the action(s), and undertake a review of the action. In this second phase of the review, any interested person may provide their views, including with respect to whether duties should be maintained at the conclusion of the review process.

**Who should I contact if I have additional questions?**

For additional questions, contact USTR at (202) 395-5725.

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