**Intellectual Property Practice Before the ITC: Overview and Current Trends**  
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**DESCRIPTION**

Section 337 (19 U.S.C. § 1337) is a trade statute that protects U.S. industries and the American public from a range of unfair acts relating to the importation of products into the United States. The statute is administered by the U.S. International Trade Commission (ITC), an independent, quasi-judicial executive branch agency.

Section 337 makes it unlawful, among other unfair acts, to import an article into the United States that infringes a valid and enforceable U.S. intellectual property right (IPR). A successful complainant is typically awarded an exclusion order blocking the importation of infringing goods. The ITC may also issue cease and desist orders, which prohibit respondents from distributing, advertising, or selling infringing articles in their U.S. inventory. These robust remedies, along with various other advantages of litigating before the ITC, have made Section 337 a powerful tool for U.S. IPR owners seeking to curtail unfair foreign competition.

This program will provide an overview of Section 337 and the ITC. In particular, the presenters will discuss the prima facie elements of a Section 337 violation, the inner-workings of the ITC, and current hot topics in Section 337 litigation. The presenters will also offer practical insights and suggestions for litigating before the ITC. The program is highly relevant to IP practitioners and is also applicable to international trade lawyers and commercial litigators.

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| 3:55 PM | Perspectives and Practice Tips on Litigating a Section 337 Case Panel Discussion | Kyle Elliott, Spencer Fane  
Adam Seitz, EriseLP  
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