

invalidity finding of the '294 patent; (3) whether the only asserted claim of the '508 patent, claim 1, is limited to using a single mask to etch both the gate contact and doped GaN layer based on the '508 patent's description of the "present invention," as well as whether the claim steps must be performed in the order recited; and (4) whether EPC's "total operating expenditures" identified on page 129 of the ID includes foreign manufacturing expenses for the domestic industry products. *Id.*

On September 23, 2023, the parties filed initial submissions in response to the Commission's request for briefing. On September 30, 2023, the parties filed reply submissions.

Upon review of the parties' submissions, the ID, the RD, evidence of record, and public interest filings, the Commission has determined that Respondents violated section 337 by reason of importation and sale of articles that infringe asserted claims 2 and 3 of the '294 patent and to issue remedial orders. The Commission has determined to clarify the ID's statements on jurisdiction and standing as noted in the accompanying Commission Opinion. The Commission has determined to adopt OUII's construction of the claim term "compensated GaN layer" recited in claim 1 of the '294 patent as its plain and ordinary meaning and, as explained in the Commission opinion, finds that adoption of OUII's construction does not alter the ID's findings on infringement, invalidity, and technical prong of domestic industry, which the Commission affirms. For the '508 patent, the Commission affirms the ID's finding of no violation for the reasons provided in the ID.

For remedy, the Commission has determined to issue a limited exclusion order prohibiting further importation of infringing products and cease and desist orders against Respondents. The Commission has determined that the public interest factors do not counsel against issuing remedial orders. The Commission has determined that a bond in the amount of five percent (5%) of entered value for covered articles is required for covered products imported or sold during the period of Presidential review.

The Commission vote for this determination took place on November 7, 2024.

The authority for the Commission's determination is contained in section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1337), and in Part 210 of the Commission's Rules of

Practice and Procedure (19 CFR part 210).

By order of the Commission.

Issued: November 7, 2024.

**Lisa Barton,**

*Secretary to the Commission.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

**Notice of Lodging of Proposed Consent Decree Under the Clean Water Act**

On November 7, 2024, the Department of Justice lodged a proposed Consent Decree with the United States District Court for the District of Arizona in the lawsuit entitled *United States v. Denali Water Solutions, LLC*, Civil Action No. 2:24-cv-03084.

The United States filed this lawsuit under the Clean Water Act. The United States' complaint seeks injunctive relief and civil penalties for violations of the regulations that govern land application of sewage sludge (or "biosolids") from the defendant's operations in Arizona and California. The consent decree requires the defendant to perform injunctive relief if they land apply sewage sludge in those two states, and to pay a \$610,000 civil penalty.

The publication of this notice opens a period for public comment on the Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, and should refer to *United States v. Denali Water Solutions, LLC*, D.J. Ref. No. 90-5-1-1-12436. All comments must be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the publication date of this notice. Comments may be submitted either by email or by mail:

<i>To submit comments:</i>	<i>Send them to:</i>
By email .....	<i>pubcomment-ees.enrd@usdoj.gov.</i>
By mail .....	Assistant Attorney General, U.S. DOJ—ENRD, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044-7611.

Any comments submitted in writing may be filed by the United States in whole or in part on the public court docket without notice to the commenter.

During the public comment period, the Consent Decree may be examined and downloaded at this Justice Department website: <https://www.justice.gov/enrd/consent-decrees>. If you require assistance accessing the

Consent Decree, you may request assistance by email or by mail to the addresses provided above for submitting comments.

**Kathryn C. Macdonald,**

*Assistant Section Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**Employment and Training Administration**

**Federal-State Unemployment Compensation Program: Certifications for 2024 Under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act**

**AGENCY:** Employment and Training Administration.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Acting Secretary of Labor signed the annual certifications under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, thereby enabling employers who make contributions to state unemployment funds to obtain certain credits against their liability for the federal unemployment tax. By letter, the certifications were transmitted to the Secretary of the Treasury. The letter and certifications are printed below.

Signed in Washington, DC, October 31, 2024.

**José Javier Rodríguez,**

*Assistant Secretary for Employment and Training.*

The Honorable Janet L. Yellen  
Secretary of the Treasury  
Department of the Treasury  
1500 Pennsylvania Avenue NW  
Washington, DC 20220

Dear Secretary Yellen:

Enclosed are an original and a copy of two separate certifications regarding unemployment compensation laws pursuant to the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, for the 12-month period ending on October 31, 2024. One certification is with respect to the federal unemployment tax credit under Section 3304 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (IRC), and the other certification is with respect to the "additional" tax credit under Section 3303 of the IRC. Both certifications list all 53 states.

Sincerely,

Julie A. Su,  
*Acting Secretary of Labor.*

Enclosures

**Certification of States to the Secretary of the Treasury Pursuant to Section 3304(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986**

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3304(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. 3304(c)), I hereby certify the following named states to the Secretary of the Treasury for the 12-month period ending on October 31, 2024, in regard to the unemployment compensation laws of those states, which heretofore have been approved under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act:

Alabama  
Alaska  
Arizona  
Arkansas  
California  
Colorado  
Connecticut  
Delaware  
District of Columbia  
Florida  
Georgia  
Hawaii  
Idaho  
Illinois  
Indiana  
Iowa  
Kansas  
Kentucky  
Louisiana  
Maine  
Maryland  
Massachusetts  
Michigan  
Minnesota  
Mississippi  
Missouri  
Montana  
Nebraska  
Nevada  
New Hampshire  
New Jersey  
New Mexico  
New York  
North Carolina  
North Dakota  
Ohio  
Oklahoma  
Oregon  
Pennsylvania  
Puerto Rico  
Rhode Island  
South Carolina  
South Dakota  
Tennessee  
Texas  
Utah  
Vermont  
Virginia  
Virgin Islands  
Washington  
West Virginia  
Wisconsin  
Wyoming

This certification is for the maximum credit allowable under Section 3302(a) of the Code.

Signed at Washington, DC, on October 31, 2024.

Julie A. Su

**Certification of State Unemployment Compensation Laws to the Secretary of the Treasury Pursuant to Section 3303(b)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986**

In accordance with the provisions of paragraph (1) of Section 3303(b) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. 3303(b)(1)), I hereby certify the unemployment compensation laws of the following named states, which heretofore have been certified pursuant to paragraph (3) of Section 3303(b) of the Code, to the Secretary of the Treasury for the 12-month period ending on October 31, 2024:

Alabama  
Alaska  
Arizona  
Arkansas  
California  
Colorado  
Connecticut  
Delaware  
District of Columbia  
Florida  
Georgia  
Hawaii  
Idaho  
Illinois  
Indiana  
Iowa  
Kansas  
Kentucky  
Louisiana  
Maine  
Maryland  
Massachusetts  
Michigan  
Minnesota  
Mississippi  
Missouri  
Montana  
Nebraska  
Nevada  
New Hampshire  
New Jersey  
New Mexico  
New York  
North Carolina  
North Dakota  
Ohio  
Oklahoma  
Oregon  
Pennsylvania  
Puerto Rico  
Rhode Island  
South Carolina  
South Dakota  
Tennessee

Texas  
Utah  
Vermont  
Virginia  
Virgin Islands  
Washington  
West Virginia  
Wisconsin  
Wyoming

This certification is for the maximum additional credit allowable under Section 3302(b) subject to the limitations of Section 3302(c) of the Code.

Signed at Washington, DC, on October 31, 2024.

Julie A. Su

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**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; Jobs for Veterans State Grants Reports**

**AGENCY:** Veterans' Employment and Training Service (VETS), Department of Labor.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Labor (DOL), as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, provides the general public and federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA). This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents is properly assessed. Currently, the DOL is soliciting comments concerning the collection of recurring reports submitted by Jobs for Veterans State Grants (JVSG) recipients regarding the planned and actual expenditure of grant funds and activities funded by the grant.

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the **ADDRESSES** section below on or before January 13, 2025.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments by email at [JVSG@dol.gov](mailto:JVSG@dol.gov). Instructions: Please submit only one copy of your comments. All submissions received must include the agency name and Office of Management and Budget