



**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**  
**Bureau of Industry and Security**  
Washington, D.C. 20230

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Dear Ms \_\_\_\_\_ :

This is in response to your recent comments to the Notice of Inquiry, published in the *Federal Register* on September 6 and July 17, 2007, requesting public comments on a systematic review of the Commerce Control List (CCL). Specifically you asked for the definition of "thermoset resin" as it is used in Export Control Classification Number (ECCN) 1C210.

For the purpose of ECCN 1C210, thermoset resin is defined as those resins that, when cured by the action of a catalyst or heat and pressure, become an infusible and insoluble material. Once cured, a thermoset cannot be returned to the uncured state.

If you have any additional questions concerning this letter, please contact me at 202-482-1641.

Sincerely,

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