

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION**

IN RE:

CPSC DOCKET NO.: 21-1

THYSSENKRUPP ACCESS CORP.

Respondent.

**[PROPOSED] ORDER**

Having considered Respondent TK Access Solutions Corp.'s, formerly known as thyssenkrupp Access Corp.'s ("the Company"), Motion to Dismiss, the related memoranda and exhibits filed in support, and any opposition filed thereto, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

1. Respondent's Motion to Dismiss is **GRANTED**.
2. The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission ("CPSC" or "the Commission") lacks jurisdiction over the Company as an installed elevator using components that the Company manufactured and distributed at the selection of and for on-site installation as improvements to realty by professionals in the trade are not "consumer products" within the meaning of Section 2(a)(5) of the Consumer Product Safety Act ("CPSA" or "the Act"), 15 U.S.C. § 2052(a)(5).
3. This action is moot as the Company is already taking all of the actions the Complaint seeks to compel, except those actions that are beyond the Commission's authority to order.
4. This action is moot as the CPSC already took final agency action in 2014 addressing the same issues raised in this action and has failed to adequately explain why that final agency action should be revisited.

5. This action violates due process as no fair notice was provided to the Company that CPSC would seek to apply retroactively the voluntary standard that is the basis of the Complaint's theory of "defect."
6. This action violates both the CPSA's prohibition on retroactive mandatory rules and the presumption against retroactive application of a standard that was adopted years after the Company exited the residential elevator market.

Entered this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021

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Administrative Law Judge

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on July 27, 2021, true and correct copies of the foregoing PROPOSED ORDER were served via U.S. Mail and/or electronic mail on the Secretary of the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission and all parties and participants of record in these proceedings in the following manner:

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