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**STATEMENT OF COMMISSIONER DOUGLAS DZIAK ON PRESIDENT
TRUMP'S CLOSING THE DE MINIMIS EXEMPTION**

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President Trump's [Executive Order](#) regarding Chinese imports closes the *de minimis* loophole that allowed Chinese produced goods to enter the United States without inspection. Last fall, Acting Chairman Feldman and I urged the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission staff to make Chinese e-commerce a [priority](#) citing *de minimis* shipments. The President's action addresses a significant [concern](#) that under this loophole, Chinese e-commerce platforms and their manufacturers are able to skirt U.S. consumer product safety laws that protect American families from dangerous consumer products and disadvantage companies that follow the law.

*The views expressed in this statement are those of Commissioner Dziak and do not necessarily reflect the views of the Commission.