

(Sec. 6, 38 Stat. 721; 15 U.S.C. 46. Interprets or applies sec. 5, 38 Stat. 719, as amended; 15 U.S.C. 45)

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Hyde Athletic Industries, Inc.; Prohibited Trade Practices, and Affirmative Corrective Actions

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Consent Order.

SUMMARY: In settlement of alleged violations of federal law prohibiting unfair or deceptive acts or practices and unfair methods of competition, this consent order prohibits, among other things, a Massachusetts-based corporation from misrepresenting that footwear made wholly abroad is made in the United States, and the consent order contains a provision indicating that the respondent would not be in violation of the order if the company makes truthful statements concerning domestic production of footwear, as long as it is accompanied by certain disclosures.

DATES: Complaint and Order issued December 4, 1996¹.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: C. Steven Baker, Federal Trade Commission, Chicago Regional Office, 55 East Monroe St., Suite 1860, Chicago, IL 60603. (312) 353-8156.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On Wednesday, September 18, 1996, there was published in the Federal Register, 61 FR 49141, a proposed consent agreement with analysis In the Matter of Hyde Athletic Industries, Inc., for the purpose of soliciting public comment. Interested parties were given sixty (60) days in which to submit comments, suggestions or objections regarding the proposed form of the order.

No comments having been received, the Commission has ordered the issuance of the complaint in the form contemplated by the agreement, made its jurisdictional findings and entered an order to cease and desist, as set forth in the proposed consent agreement, in disposition of this proceeding.

¹ Copies of the Complaint, the Decision and Order, and Commissioner Starek's statement are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, H-130, 6th Street & Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.

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NGC Corporation; Prohibited Trade Practices, and Affirmative Corrective Actions

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Consent order.

SUMMARY: In settlement of alleged violations of federal law prohibiting unfair or deceptive acts or practices and unfair methods of competition, this consent order permits, among other things, NGC Corporation ("NGC"), a Texas-based corporation, to acquire certain natural gas transportation and processing assets from Chevron Corporation, and requires NGC to divest the Mont Belvieu I plant to a Commission-approve buyer. If the transaction is not completed as specified, the consent order requires the respondent to agree to a Commission-appointed trustee.

DATES: Complaint and Order issued December 12, 1996¹.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Arthur, Nolan, FTC/S-2105, Washington, D.C. 20580. (202) 326-2615.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On Monday, September 16, 1996, there was published in the Federal Register, 61 FR 48697, a proposed consent agreement with analysis In the Matter of NGC Corporation, for the purpose of soliciting public comment. Interested parties were given sixty (60) days in which to submit comments, suggestions, or objections regarding the proposed form of the order.

No comments having been received, the Commission has ordered the issuance of the complaint in the form contemplated by the agreement, made its jurisdictional findings and entered an order to divest, as set forth in the propose consent agreement, in disposition of this proceeding.

¹ Copies of the Complaint and the Decision and Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, H-130, 6th Street & Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.

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NordicTrack, Inc.; Prohibited Trade Practices, and Affirmative Corrective Actions

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Consent Order.

SUMMARY: In settlement of alleged violations of federal law prohibiting unfair or deceptive acts or practices and unfair methods of competition, this consent order prohibits, among other things, a Minnesota-based manufacturer of exercise equipment from misrepresenting the benefits, efficacy, or performance of such products in promoting weight loss or weight maintenance, and requires the respondent to possess reliable evidence to substantiate such claims in the future.

DATES: Complaint and Order issued June 17, 1996¹.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kerry O'Brien, Federal Trade Commission, San Francisco Regional Office, 901 Market Street, Suite 570, San Francisco, CA 94103. (415) 356-5270.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On Thursday, February 29, 1996, there was published in the Federal Register, 61 FR 7795, a proposed consent agreement with analysis In the Matter of NordicTrack, Inc., for the purpose of soliciting public comment. Interested parties were given sixty (60) days in which to submit comments, suggestions or objections regarding the proposed form of the order.

A comment was filed and considered by the Commission. The Commission has ordered the issuance of the complaint in the form contemplated by the agreement, made its jurisdictional findings and entered an order to cease and desist, as set forth in the proposed consent agreement, in disposition of this proceeding.

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¹ Copies of the Complaint and the Decision and Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, H-130, 6th Street & Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.