

**Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of	)	
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CVC Testing Technology (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd.	)	ET Docket No. 25-273
Designation No. CN1363	)	

**ORDER WITHDRAWING RECOGNITION  
AS AN ACCREDITED TEST LABORATORY**

**Adopted: February 25, 2026**

**Released: February 25, 2026**

By the Chief, Office of Engineering and Technology:

**I. INTRODUCTION**

1. In this Order, the Office of Engineering and Technology (OET) withdraws the recognition of CVC Testing Technology (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd. (CVC Shenzhen or Company) as an accredited test laboratory pursuant to section 302(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the Act), and section 2.951(d) of the Commission’s rules.<sup>1</sup>

**II. BACKGROUND**

2. *Legal Framework.* Section 302 of the Act authorizes the Federal Communications Commission (Commission or FCC) to adopt rules, consistent with the public interest, governing the interference potential of equipment capable of emitting radio frequency (RF) energy.<sup>2</sup> The Act also allows the Commission to authorize the use of private organizations (test labs) to test for compliance with those rules, and to establish appropriate qualifications and standards for such test labs.<sup>3</sup> The Commission will not recognize any test lab that fails to meet all of the appropriate standards, including standards that concern the integrity and trustworthiness of the test lab. The Commission’s rules, in part, “ensure that [test labs] that participate in [the FCC’s] equipment authorization program are not subject to ownership, direction, or control by untrustworthy actors that pose a risk to national security.”<sup>4</sup>

3. Section 2.951(d)(1) of the Commission’s rules provides that the Commission will withdraw its recognition of any laboratory that is owned by, controlled by, or subject to the direction of a prohibited entity, as defined by section 2.902 of the Commission’s rules.<sup>5</sup> Section 2.902 defines “owned by, controlled by, or subject to the direction of” to mean any entity:

- (1) In which any other entity has direct or indirect ownership or control of 10% or more equity, voting interest, or stock;
- (2) In which any other entity directly or indirectly possesses or has the power (whether or not exercised) to determine, direct, or decide important matters affecting the subject entity; or
- (3) That acts as an agent or representative of another entity or acts in any other capacity at the order

<sup>1</sup> 47 U.S.C. § 302a(e); 47 CFR § 2.951(d).

<sup>2</sup> 47 U.S.C. § 302a(a); *see generally* 47 CFR pt. 2 subpt. J (equipment authorization procedures).

<sup>3</sup> 47 U.S.C. § 302a(e)(1), (3); *see* 47 CFR §§ 2.948, 2.951.

<sup>4</sup> *Promoting the Integrity and Security of Telecommunications Certification Bodies, Measurement Facilities, and the Equipment Authorization Program*, Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, ET Docket No. 24-136, 40 FCC Rcd 3616, 3617, para. 1 (2025) (*Bad Labs Order*).

<sup>5</sup> 47 CFR § 2.951(d)(1).

or request of another entity or whose activities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized in whole or in majority part, including being part of a governmental structure or hierarchy.<sup>6</sup>

Section 2.902 of the Commission’s rules defines “prohibited entities” to include entities identified as “foreign adversaries” by the U.S. Department of Commerce pursuant to 15 CFR § 791.4.<sup>7</sup> The U.S. Department of Commerce, based on numerous Executive Branch sources, has determined that the People’s Republic of China (PRC or China) is a foreign adversary.<sup>8</sup>

4. *Factual Background.* CVC Shenzhen is an accredited test laboratory based in Shenzhen, China, that was last recognized by the FCC to test a wide range of RF devices for compliance with applicable FCC technical rules in August of 2024.<sup>9</sup> Since its initial accreditation in 2023, CVC Shenzhen has performed testing that contributed to the granting of approximately ten equipment certifications.<sup>10</sup> CVC Shenzhen is also a subsidiary of the China National Electrical Apparatus Research Institute Co., Ltd.,<sup>11</sup> which itself is a subsidiary of the China National Machinery Industry Corporation (Sinomach), a state-owned enterprise that is directly managed by the State Council of the PRC.<sup>12</sup>

5. On September 8, 2025, OET provided CVC Shenzhen with notice of the Commission’s intent to commence proceedings concerning the potential withdrawal of recognition of CVC Shenzhen as an accredited test laboratory.<sup>13</sup> In the *Notice*, OET tentatively determined that the Company is owned by, controlled by, or subject to the direction of a prohibited entity.<sup>14</sup> Because the PRC controls Sinomach, which in turn controls the China National Electrical Apparatus Research Institute Co., Ltd.,<sup>15</sup> the *Notice* tentatively determined that the PRC directly or indirectly has the power (whether or not exercised) “to determine, direct, or decide important matters” that affect CVC Shenzhen.<sup>16</sup> OET also tentatively determined that CVC Shenzhen acts “at the order or request of another entity,” or is an entity “whose

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<sup>6</sup> 47 CFR § 2.902.

<sup>7</sup> *Id.* Prohibited entities are further defined to include entities identified on the Covered List as well as entities identified by specified sources. *Id.*

<sup>8</sup> “The Secretary has determined that the following foreign governments or foreign non-government persons have engaged in a long-term pattern or serious instances of conduct significantly adverse to the national security of the United States or security and safety of United States persons and, therefore, constitute foreign adversaries solely for the purposes of the Executive Order, this rule, and any subsequent rule: (1) The People’s Republic of China, including the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and the Macau Special Administrative Region (China)...” 15 CFR § 791.4(a)(1); *see also CVC Testing Technology (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd. Designation No. CN1363*, ET Docket No. 25-273, Notice of Intent to Begin Proceedings to Withdraw Recognition as an Accredited Test Laboratory, DA 25-800, para. 4 (OET Sept. 8, 2025) (*Notice*).

<sup>9</sup> CVC Shenzhen (FCC designation number CN1363) was last recognized by the FCC on August 15, 2024, with a recognition expiration date of April 30, 2026.

<sup>10</sup> Certification test reports and other equipment authorization documents can be found on the Commission’s website by searching for an FCC ID in OET’s equipment authorization database, <https://apps.fcc.gov/oetcf/eas/reports/GenericSearch.cfm> (last visited Feb. 6, 2026).

<sup>11</sup> CVC Testing Technology Co., Ltd., Company Introduce, Main products, <https://global.iteschina.com/en/exhibitor-list/details/11284> (last visited Feb. 6, 2026).

<sup>12</sup> Sinomach, About Us, Member Companies, <https://www.sinomach.com.cn/en/AboutUs/MemberCompanies/> (last visited Feb. 6, 2026); CVC Testing Technology Co., Ltd, About, Info., <https://www.cvc.org.cn/about/info> (last visited Feb. 6, 2026).

<sup>13</sup> *See Notice*.

<sup>14</sup> *Id.* at 5.

<sup>15</sup> *Id.* at para. 6 (internal citations omitted).

<sup>16</sup> *Id.* at para. 7 (internal citations omitted).

activities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized in whole or in majority part, including being part of a governmental structure or hierarchy.”<sup>17</sup> The *Notice* thus tentatively determined that CVC Shenzhen is owned by, controlled by, or subject to the direction of the PRC (a prohibited entity) and provided the Company with an opportunity to respond to the *Notice* by October 14, 2025.<sup>18</sup>

6. On October 14, 2025, CVC Shenzhen submitted its response to the *Notice*.<sup>19</sup> The Response stated, in relevant part, that “CVC Shenzhen is an independent third-party testing organization affiliated with a state-owned, publicly listed holding company.”<sup>20</sup>

7. On October 24, 2025, OET commenced a proceeding to withdraw recognition of CVC Shenzhen as an accredited test laboratory.<sup>21</sup> OET considered the Company’s Response, including its statement that it is affiliated with a state-owned, publicly listed holding company.<sup>22</sup> OET concluded that CVC Shenzhen failed to demonstrate why the Commission should not begin a proceeding to withdraw recognition of the Company as an accredited test laboratory.<sup>23</sup> Accordingly, OET initiated a proceeding pursuant to section 302(e) of the Act and sections 2.951(d) and (e) of the Commission’s rules to reach a final determination on whether to withdraw recognition of CVC Shenzhen as an accredited test laboratory.<sup>24</sup> The *Order Instituting Proceeding* provided the Company an opportunity to file a response within thirty-five (35) days after the release of the order, permitting CVC Shenzhen an additional opportunity to demonstrate why the Commission should not withdraw its recognition.<sup>25</sup>

8. On November 28, 2025, CVC Shenzhen filed its response to the *Order Instituting Proceeding*.<sup>26</sup> CVC Shenzhen reiterated its status as “an independent third-party testing organization committed to upholding the highest standards of quality and compliance.”<sup>27</sup> CVC Shenzhen states that its “primary objective remains to ensure the FCC recognizes the validity of [its] past testing processes and results, which have supports approximately ten equipment certifications since [its] initial accreditation in 2023.”<sup>28</sup> The Company further explained that the temporary closure of the Commission’s website during the U.S. government shutdown hampered its ability to access resources which directly impacted its ability

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<sup>17</sup> *Id.*; see also 47 CFR § 2.902.

<sup>18</sup> *Id.* at paras. 7-8; 47 CFR § 2.951(e) (“The Commission will notify a laboratory in writing of its intention to withdraw the laboratory’s recognition and provide at least 30 days for the lab to respond.”).

<sup>19</sup> *CVC Testing Technology (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd., Designation No. CN1363*, ET Docket No. 25-273, CVC Shenzhen Response to Notice of Intent to Begin Proceeding to Withdraw Recognition as an Accredited Test Laboratory (filed Oct. 14, 2025) (Response to the Notice).

<sup>20</sup> *Id.* at 2.

<sup>21</sup> *CVC Testing Technology (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd., Designation No. CN1363*, ET Docket No. 25-273, Order Instituting Proceeding to Withdraw Recognition As An Accredited Test Laboratory, DA 25-933 (OET Oct. 24, 2025) (*Order Instituting Proceeding*).

<sup>22</sup> *Id.* at para. 8.

<sup>23</sup> *Id.*

<sup>24</sup> *Id.* at para. 9.

<sup>25</sup> *Id.* at para. 10.

<sup>26</sup> *CVC Testing Technology (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd., Designation No. CN1363*, ET Docket No. 25-273, CVC Shenzhen Response to the Notice of Intent to Begin Proceedings to Withdraw Recognition (filed Nov. 28, 2025) (Response to the Order Instituting Proceeding). The Company mistitled its filing as a Response to the Notice of Intent to Begin Proceedings to Withdraw Recognition. In this item, we refer to the Company’s filing submitted on November 28, 2025 as its Response to the Order Instituting Proceeding.

<sup>27</sup> *Id.* at 2.

<sup>28</sup> *Id.* at 1.

“to compile the detailed information requested in the Order, including ownership structures, governance polices, and compliance information.”<sup>29</sup> Due to these circumstances, CVC Shenzhen requested an additional thirty (30) days to respond to the *Order Instituting Proceeding*.<sup>30</sup>

9. On February 11, 2026, OET provided CVC Shenzhen additional time through February 18, 2026 to respond to the *Order Instituting Proceeding* demonstrating why the Commission should not withdraw its recognition as an accredited test lab.<sup>31</sup> In the *Extension Order*, OET explained that most of the Commission’s operations were suspended from October 1, 2025 through November 12, 2025 due to a lapse in federal government funding, and as a result the Commission’s electronic filing and database systems were disrupted during this time.<sup>32</sup> CVC Shenzhen did not submit any further information by the February 18, 2026 deadline in response to the *Order Instituting Proceeding*.

### III. DISCUSSION

10. Based on the information in the record, OET concludes that the Company has failed to demonstrate why the Commission should not withdraw recognition of CVC Shenzhen as an accredited test laboratory pursuant to section 2.951(d)(1) of the Commission’s rules.<sup>33</sup>

11. Section 2.951(d)(1) of the Commission’s rules provides that the Commission will withdraw its recognition of any laboratory that is owned by, controlled by, or subject to the direction of a prohibited entity pursuant to section 2.902 of the Commission’s rules.<sup>34</sup> The *Order Instituting Proceeding* directed CVC Shenzhen to provide a reasonable basis for why the Commission should not withdraw its recognition.<sup>35</sup> The *Order Instituting Proceeding* recognized CVC Shenzhen’s admission that it is affiliated with a state-owned, publicly listed holding company, a fact that CVC Shenzhen did not refute in its Response to the Order Instituting Proceeding.<sup>36</sup> The U.S. Department of Commerce has designated the PRC as a foreign adversary of the United States,<sup>37</sup> and section 2.902 of the Commission’s rules provides that entities designated as foreign adversaries in this manner are considered “prohibited entities.”<sup>38</sup> CVC Shenzhen, thus, “is owned by, controlled by, or subject to the direction of a prohibited entity.”<sup>39</sup> The Commission’s rules explicitly state that it will not recognize, and will withdraw recognition of, any laboratory that is owned by, or subject to the direction of a prohibited entity.<sup>40</sup>

12. After fully considering CVC Shenzhen’s arguments in its response to the *Notice and Order Instituting Proceeding*, and pursuant to section 302(e) of the Act and section 2.951(d) of the Commission’s rules, OET hereby withdraws recognition of CVC Shenzhen as an accredited test laboratory.<sup>41</sup> This action becomes effective immediately upon release of this Order. The Commission

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<sup>29</sup> *Id.*

<sup>30</sup> *Id.*

<sup>31</sup> See *CVC Testing Technology (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd., Designation No. CN1363*, Order, DA 26-144 (rel. Feb. 11, 2026) (*Extension Order*).

<sup>32</sup> *Id.* at para. 3.

<sup>33</sup> 47 CFR § 2.951(d)(1).

<sup>34</sup> *Id.*

<sup>35</sup> *Order Instituting Proceeding* at para. 10.

<sup>36</sup> See Response to the Order Instituting Proceeding.

<sup>37</sup> 15 CFR § 791.4.

<sup>38</sup> 47 CFR § 2.902.

<sup>39</sup> 47 CFR § 2.951(d)(1).

<sup>40</sup> 47 CFR § 2.951(b), (d).

<sup>41</sup> 47 U.S.C. § 302a(e); 47 CFR § 2.951(d).

will no longer recognize within its equipment authorization program test data or measurements that are performed after this date by the Company.

#### IV. ORDERING CLAUSES

13. Accordingly, **IT IS ORDERED** that, pursuant to section 302(e) of the Act, 47 U.S.C. § 302a(e), and sections 0.31, 0.241, and 2.951(d) of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR §§ 0.31, 0.241, 2.951(d), the Commission **HEREBY WITHDRAWS ITS RECOGNITION** of CVC Testing Technology (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd., (Designation No. CN1363) as an accredited test laboratory.

14. **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that a copy of this Order shall be sent by e-mail to [qt@cvc.org.cn](mailto:qt@cvc.org.cn) and [sam.tung@cvc.org.cn](mailto:sam.tung@cvc.org.cn) on the release date of this Order and a copy sent by regular first-class mail and certified mail, return receipt requested, to Lai Wenjing c/o Dong Sanbi, CVC Testing Technology (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd., No. 1301, Guanguang Road, Xinlan Community, Guanlan Street, Shenzhen, People's Republic of China, 518110.

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