

Enclosure
CLEAN AIR ACT MOBILE SOURCE EXPEDITED SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

DOCKET NO. R9-CAA-19-1012

Respondent: Chongwei He, d/b/a/ Sonic Technology Co., Ltd.
1000 E. Woodfield Road, Ste. 237
Schaumburg, IL 60173

1. The parties enter into this Clean Air Act Mobile Source Expedited Settlement Agreement (Agreement) in order to settle the civil violations discovered as a result of the inspection specified in Table 1, attached, incorporated into this Agreement by reference. The civil violations that are the subject of this Agreement are described in Table 2, attached, incorporated into the Agreement by reference, regarding the vehicles/engines specified therein.
2. Respondent admits to being subject to the Clean Air Act (CAA) and its associated regulations and that the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has jurisdiction over the Respondent and the Respondent's conduct described in Table 2. Respondent does not contest the findings detailed therein, and waives any objections Respondent may have to the EPA's jurisdiction.
3. Respondent consents to the payment of a penalty in the amount of \$360. further described in Table 3, attached, incorporated into this Agreement by reference. Respondent agrees to follow the instructions in "CAA Mobile Source Expedited Settlement Agreement Instructions," attached, incorporated into this Agreement by reference. Respondent certifies that the required remediation, detailed in Table 3, has been carried out.
4. By its first signature below, the EPA approves the findings resulting from the inspection and alleged violations set forth in Table 1 and Table 2. Upon signing and returning this Agreement to the EPA, Respondent consents to the terms of this Agreement without further notice. Respondent acknowledges that this Agreement is binding on the parties signing below, and becomes effective on the date of the EPA's ratifying signature.

APPROVED BY EPA:



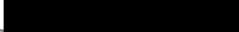
Claire Trombadore, Assistant Director, Enforcement Division, EPA Region 9

Date: 4/19/2019

APPROVED BY RESPONDENT:

Name (print): Chongwei He

Title (print): Chongwei He

Signature: 

Date: 5/7/2019

RATIFIED BY EPA:



Claire Trombadore, Assistant Director, Enforcement Division, EPA Region 9

Date: 5/30/2019

Table 1 - Inspection Information	
Entry/Inspection Date(s): February 21, 2019	Docket Number: R 9 - C A A - 1 9 - 1 0 1 2
Inspection Location: Price Dominguez Warehouse	Entry/Inspection Number(s) B G K - 6 1 2 9 3 0 0 - 8
Address: 2711 E. Dominguez St	
City: Long Beach	Inspector(s) Name(s): Janice Chan
State: CA Zip Code: 90810	EPA Approving Official: Claire Trombadore
Respondent: Chongwei He, d/b/a/ Sonic Technology Co., Ltd.	EPA Enforcement Contact: Janice Chan (Region 9), (415) 972-3308

Table 2 - Description of Violation and Vehicles/Engines				
<p>The 50 subject engines described below were found to be imported by Chongwei He, d/b/a/ Sonic Technology Co., Ltd. in violation of Section 203(a)(1) of the Clean Air Act (CAA), 42 U.S.C. § 7522(a)(1), and the regulations codified at 40 C.F.R. §§ 86.407-78(a), 1068.101(a)(1), and 1068.101(b)(5), which collectively prohibit the importation of engines or equipment containing these engines, unless they are covered by a valid EPA certificate of conformity (COC) or are properly exempted or excluded. Under this entry, Chongwei He did not declare the subject engines. No emission control information labels nor EPA declaration forms were found as part of the inspection. Since an EPA certificate of conformity (COC) has not been awarded to Sonic Technology Co., Ltd. or to Ningbo Longjia Motorcycle Co., Ltd. for the subject engines, they are considered uncertified. The EPA found no evidence that the subject engines are excluded from coverage. Hence, they cannot legally be imported into the United States.</p>				
Vehicle Description	Claimed Engine Manufacturer	Observed Model	Observed Engine Family	Quantity
Subject Engines	None claimed ¹	157QMJ	Unknown	50

Table 3 - Penalty and Required Remediation	
Penalty	\$360
Required Remediation	Chongwei He, d/b/a/ Sonic Technology Co., Ltd. must destroy or export the 50 subject engines to a country other than Canada or Mexico, and provide the EPA with a report documenting the corrective action taken.

¹ Based on EPA research, the engine manufacturer is Ningbo Longjia Motorcycle Co., Ltd.