



china tariff update: list 4, next steps

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While the Federal Register notice containing all the relevant details has yet to be published, today, the U.S. Trade Representative published an announcement confirming that certain unidentified products were removed from List 4 for health, safety, national security and similar reasons, and those remaining would be rolled out on two different lists with two different effective dates. List 4A will be effective September 1, 2019 and can be found [here](#). List 4B can be found [here](#), and will be effective on December 15, 2019. USTR notes the products on List 4B include "cell phones, laptop computers, video game consoles, certain toys, computer monitors, and certain items of footwear and clothing." Given the contents of List 4B, one is left to wonder whether USTR was trying to avoid making Christmas too grim for American consumers!

For those whose goods are on List 4A...

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