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COUNTRY	IIPA RECOMMENDATION FEBRUARY 2019	USTR 301 PLACEMENT (as of April/May of each year)																																	
		2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	1989				
ALGERIA		PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL																							
ARGENTINA	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL						
ARMENIA																		WL	WL	WL															
AUSTRALIA																				WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL						
AUSTRIA																				OO	OO														
AZERBAIJAN																WL	WL	WL	WL	WL															
BAHAMAS																WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL + OCR	OCR	OCR													
BAHRAIN																						WL	WL	WL	WL										
BARBADOS		WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL																												
BELARUS					WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL						
BELIZ																WL	PWL	WL	WL																
BOLIVIA		WL	WL	WL		WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL						
BRAZIL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL					
BRUNEI																WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL				
BULGARIA			WL	WL	WL	WL	WL									WL	WL	WL	WL						PWL	WL	OO	OO							
CANADA	WL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL				
CHILE	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL					
CHINA (PRC)	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL+306	PWL	PWL+306	PWL	PWL+306	PWL	306 + OCR	306	306	306	306	306	306	306	PFC	WL	PFC	WL	WL	PFC	PWL	PWL								
COLOMBIA	WL	PWL	PWL+OCR	WL+OCR	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL					
COSTA RICA		WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL					
CROATIA																		WL	WL	WL															
CYPRUS																									OO	OO	OO	WL	WL	WL	WL				
CZECH REPUBLIC																WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL				
DENMARK																				WL	WL	WL	WL												
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC					WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL					
ECUADOR	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL					
EGYPT		WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL					
EL SALVADOR																OCR																			
ESTONIA																									OO										
EUROPEAN UNION																		WL	WL + OCR	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL		
FIJI																		OCR																	
FINLAND								WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL																				
GEORGIA																									OCR										
GERMANY																									OO	OO	OO	OO	OO	OO	WL	WL	WL		
GREECE			WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL					WL	WL	PWL													
GUATEMALA			WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL														
HONDURAS																OCR																			
HONG KONG																										OCR	WL	WL	OO						

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HUNGARY										WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	OO	OO				PWL	PWL	WL							
INDIA	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL+OCR	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PFC	PFC	PFC	PWL	PWL					
INDONESIA	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL+GSP	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	PWL + OCR	PWL + OCR	PWL	PWL	PWL + OCR	PWL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL					
IRELAND																				WL	WL	WL	WL	OO											
ISRAEL							WL	PWL (9/12 to WL)	PWL	Pending	PWL + OCR	PWL + OCR	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL + OCR	WL	PWL + OCR	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	OO	OO	OO						
ITALY							WL	WL	OCR	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL				
JAMAICA		WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL												
JAPAN																				OCR	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL					
JORDAN																				WL	WL	WL	WL	OO	OO										
KAZAKHSTAN																	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL			
KUWAIT		PWL	PWL+OCR	PWL	PWL	WL+OCR	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	OO									
KYRGYZ REPUBLIC																			OCR																
LATVIA																	WL + OCR	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL			
LEBANON		WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	OO										
LITHUANIA														WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL				
LUXEMBOURG																							WL												
MACAU																							WL	WL	PWL	PWL									
MALAYSIA										WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL + OCR	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL			
MEXICO	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL						
MOLDOVA																				WL															
NETHERLANDS																							OO												
NEW ZEALAND																			WL	WL	WL	WL	WL						WL	WL					
NICARAGUA																							OO	OO											
NORWAY										WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL																				
OMAN																							WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	OO						
PAKISTAN		WL	WL	WL+OCR	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL + OCR	WL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL				
PALESTINIAN AUTHORITY																			OCR																
PANAMA																							OO	WL	OO		OO								
PARAGUAY										WL+OCR	WL+OCR	WL	306	306	306	306	306	306	306	306	306	306	306	306	306	306	PFC	PWL	WL	OO	OO	WL			
PERU	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL				
PHILIPPINES										WL	WL	WL + OCR	WL + OCR	WL + OCR	WL + OCR	WL + OCR	WL	WL	PWL + OCR	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	
POLAND																WL + OCR	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL + OCR	PWL	WL + OCR	WL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL				
PORTUGAL																									OO								WL		
QATAR																				WL	WL	WL	WL	OO	OO	OO									

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ROMANIA		WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	OO	OO	OO	WL									
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL + OCR	PWL + GSP	PWL + OCR	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL + OCR	WL	OO									
SAN MARINO																						WL											
SAUDI ARABIA		WL									WL + OCR	WL	WL	WL + OCR	WL + OCR	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	PWL			
SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO																											WL	WL	WL				
SINGAPORE																				WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	OO						
SLOVAK REPUBLIC																WL	WL	WL	WL	WL													
SLOVENIA																					OCR												
SOUTH AFRICA	PWL																				WL	WL	OO	WL									
SOUTH KOREA																WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	WL + OCR	WL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	PWL		
SPAIN				OCR	OCR	OCR	OCR			WL	WL	WL	WL									WL	WL	OO			WL	WL	WL	WL	WL		
SWEDEN																						WL	WL	WL									
SWITZERLAND	WL	WL	WL	WL																													
TAIWAN	PWL															WL (then OFF due to OCR)	WL	WL	WL	PWL + OCR	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	OO	WL	PWL	PFC	WL	PWL	
TAJIKISTAN		WL	OCR	OCR	WL+OCR	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL										
THAILAND	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL + OCR	PWL	PWL + OCR	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PFC	PFC	PWL	PWL	PWL			
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO					WL	WL	WL																										
TUNISIA																							OO										
TURKEY		WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	WL		
TURKMENISTAN		WL	WL	WL	WL+OCR	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PFC	PFC	PWL	PWL	PWL			
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	WL	WL																															
UKRAINE	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	301	PFC	PWL+GSP	WL	WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PFC + OCR	PFC	PFC	PFC	PFC	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL									
URUGUAY																		WL	WL	WL	PWL	PWL	WL	WL	OO	OO							
UZBEKISTAN		WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL										
VENEZUELA		PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	PWL	WL									
VIETNAM	PWL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	WL	OO	OO							
YEMEN																								OO									

301: 301 Investigation

PFC: Priority Foreign Country

PWL: Priority Watch List

WL: Watch List

OO: Other Observations (an informal listing formerly used by USTR)

SM: Special Mention

OCR: Out-of-Cycle Review to be conducted by USTR

GSP: GSP IPR review ongoing, except in Ukraine and Indonesia where GSP IPR review initiated June 2012.

DS: Dispute Settlement

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