

# The Source

A weekly newsletter for members of the  
Electronic Components Industry Association.



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## Upcoming Events

[Regional Series: Dallas/Ft. Worth](#)

**August 7, 2018**  
Irving, TX

[Regional Series: Minneapolis](#)  
**October 2, 2018**  
Minneapolis, MN

[Executive Conference](#)  
**October 21-23, 2018**  
Chicago, IL

[Weekly Economic Trends](#)  
[National Association of Manufacturers](#)  
Chief economist Chad Moutray provides weekly analysis of key U.S. government economic data and manufacturing industry trends in the [Monday Economic Report](#).

This information is made available through ECIA's membership in NAM.

## Key Links

[www.ecianow.org](http://www.ecianow.org)

[www.eciaauthorized.com](http://www.eciaauthorized.com)



## Government Releases Product List Subject to Tariffs | Public Comment Due July 23

The Administration has released its lists of products on which 25 percent tariffs would be imposed effective **July 6**: [click here](#) to review List 1.

A second proposed list was also released on which public comment is sought before U.S. tariffs are imposed. [Click here](#) to review the List 2. Public comment on list 2 is due by **July 23**.

**Public comments:** Submit comments to the Office of The United States Trade Representative. Read the notice and follow instructions on giving public comment: [Notice on Docket Number USTR-2018-0018](#). Interested parties are encouraged to submit comments via [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov).

These tariffs are part of Office of the U.S. Trade Representative (USTR) Section 301 investigation into Chinese intellectual property and technology transfer issues. Electronic components are included in both lists.

## GSA Seeks Public Comment On E-Commerce Portals | Public Comment Due July 20

The U.S. General Services Administration (GSA) is seeking public comment from suppliers selling on commercial E-Commerce portals. As result of legislation enacted last year, GSA is working on a proof of concept for Federal government purchasing of products through e-commerce portals. Interested parties are invited to submit comments to the GSA by July 20, 2018.

The GSA is seeking comments in three specific areas: 1) product categories, 2) terms and conditions, and 3) program design.

For complete details on the GSA's request of information, how to submit comments and a pdf copy of the request [click here](#).

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- Electronic Component Sales Trends
- North American Sales and Bookings Reports
- Global Sales and Bookings Reports
- Terms/Training...and more!

**Space is Limited - Register Today!**  
Aug. 7th: Dallas/Ft. Worth



The Dallas/Ft. Worth Regional Series event will be held at the [Sheraton DFW Airport Hotel](#) on Tuesday, August 7th.

Regional Series events provide an excellent avenue to network. Company executives and branch personnel - along with their supply chain partners - enjoy a hosted social hour and dinner in a relaxed environment. Make plans to attend from 4:00 - 7:00.

Registration fees are \$50 for ECIA/ERA members and university faculty; \$75 for non-members; and \$40 for young professionals.

Space is limited - [register today!](#)

**Save the Date:** [Minneapolis Regional Event](#) October 2



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