

# How to use ApproveSpec to check an existing specification for compliant terms

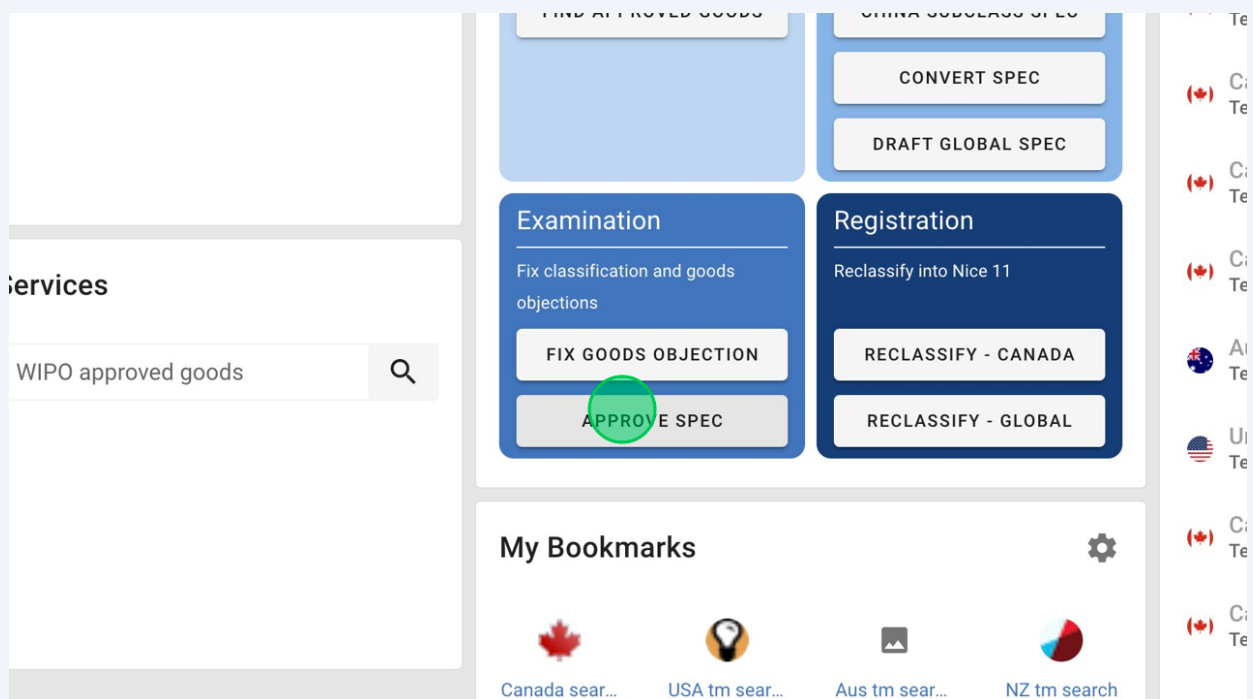


This guide provides step-by-step instructions on how to use the ApproveSpec tool to check an existing specification for compliant terms.

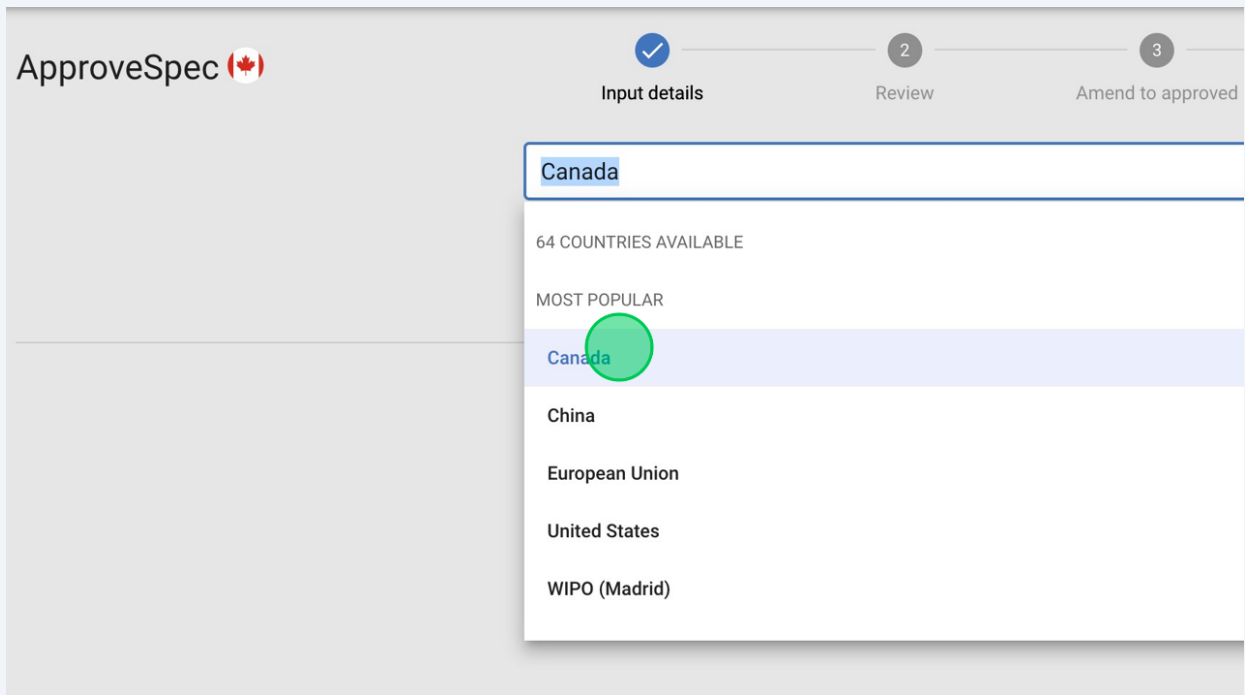
By following these steps, you can easily navigate through the process of importing data, identifying the approved terms, finding replacements, and exporting the results.

1 Navigate to <https://app.sortify.tn/>

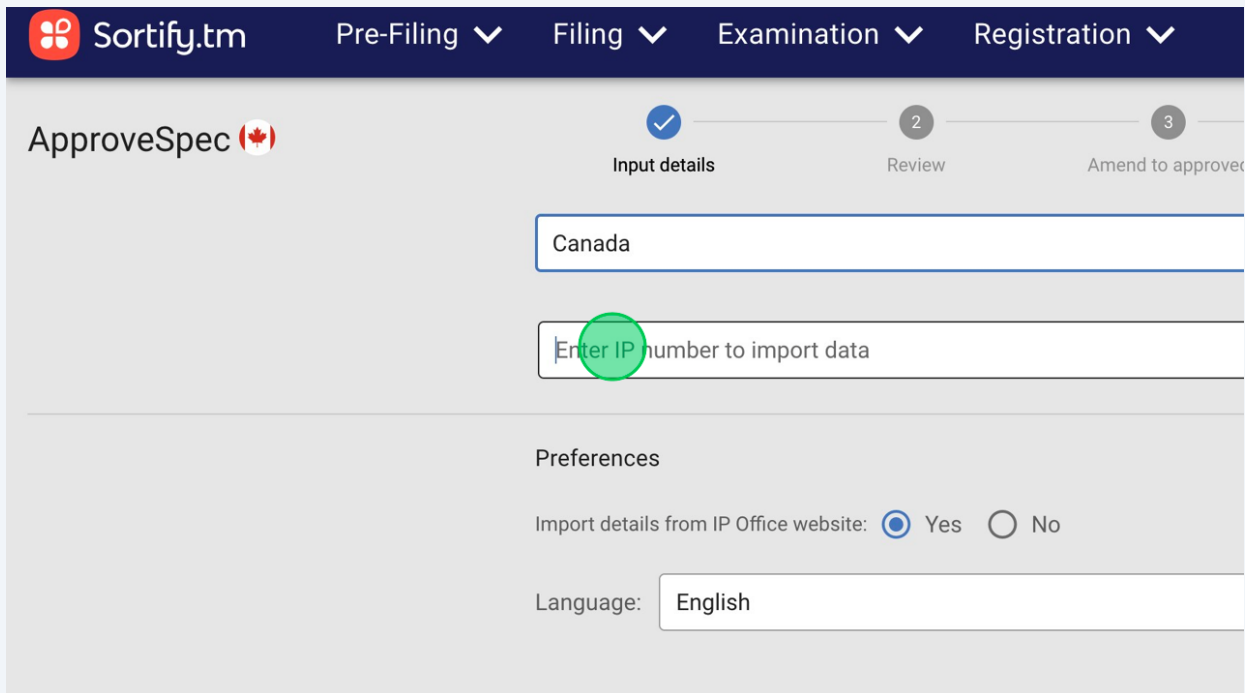
2 Click "APPROVE SPEC"



**3** Choose the jurisdiction you want to check compliance in.



**4** In Canada/USA and Australia you can import the specification direct from the IP office.



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Canada

Enter IP number to import data

2166527

Preferences

Import details from IP Office website:  Yes  No

Language: English

NEXT

6 Click "NEXT"

port data

IP Office website:  Yes  No

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NEXT

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The review page shows the trademark you've imported. If you're ready to proceed, click "NEXT"

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**COUNTRY & TRADEMARK DETAILS**

Country : Canada Trademark number : 2166527  
Trademark : FOXSECUR Owner :  
Renew date : Language : English

CLASS 27 ITEMS TO CHECK FOR IPO APPROVAL INFO / INSIGHTS

- 9 COMPUTER HARDWARE, SOFTWARE, ELECTRONICS AND ELECTRICAL GOODS.
  - anti-intrusion alarms
  - control panels for security alarms
  - keypads for security alarms
  - security cameras
  - video surveillance cameras
  - electronic garage door openers
  - keycard-activated door locks
- 37 BUILDING CONSTRUCTION, REPAIR, INSTALLATION SERVICES
  - Installation, repair, and maintenance of fire alarms, some alarms, burglar alarms, security alarms, gas alarms, and carbon monoxide alarms
  - home security installation advisory services

DELETE COMBINE SPLIT ON COMMAS NEXT

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Page 3 is the working page, here you can instantly see the IP office approved terms, marked with the flag icon.

As you can see, "security alarms" is not pre-approved by the Canadian IP Office.

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27 terms checked in 4 class(es) 7 terms not IP Office pre-approved  
20 IP Office pre-approved terms found 0 terms deleted

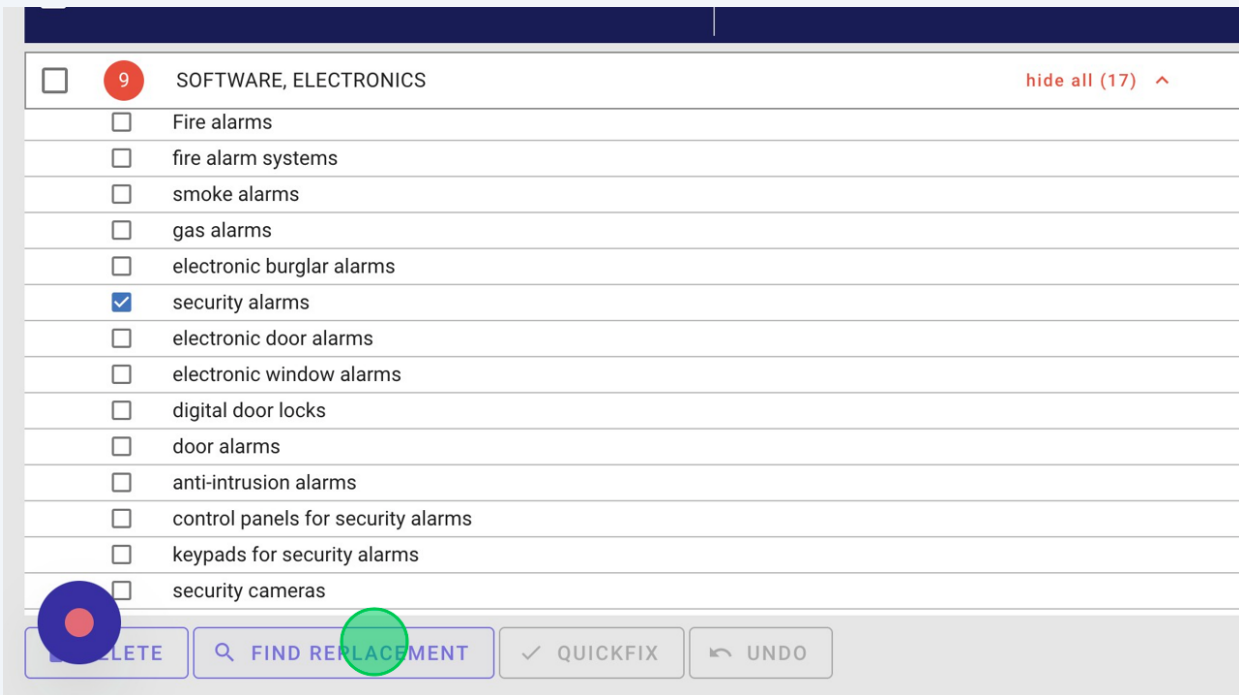
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ORIGINAL TERMS	REPLACEMENT APPROVED TERM	INFO / INSIGHTS	QUICK FIXES (pre-approved)
<input type="checkbox"/> 9 SOFTWARE, ELECTRONICS			hide all (17) ^
<input type="checkbox"/> Fire alarms			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> fire alarm systems			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> smoke alarms			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> gas alarms			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> electronic burglar alarms			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> security alarms			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> electronic door alarms			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> electronic window alarms			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> digital door locks			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> door alarms			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> anti-intrusion alarms			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> control panels for security alarms			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> keypads for security alarms			🚩
<input type="checkbox"/> security cameras			🚩

DELETE FIND REPLACEMENT QUICKFIX UNDO NEXT

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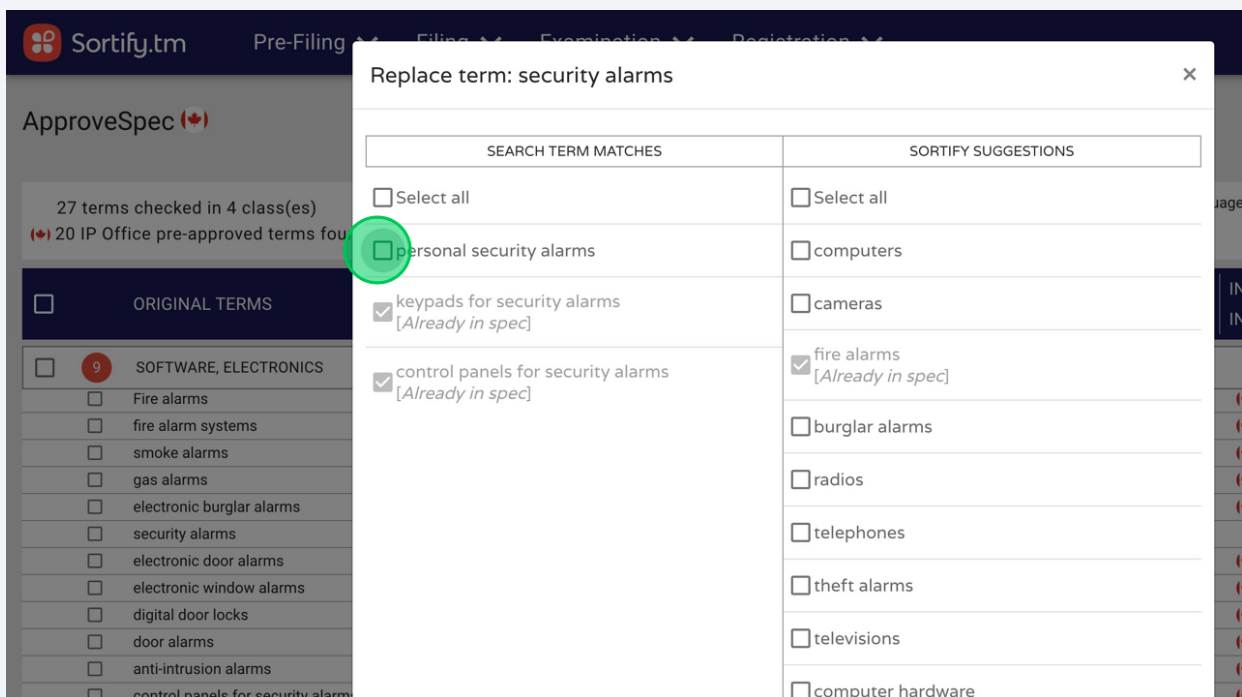
To find an approved replacement term, select the term and click "FIND REPLACEMENT".



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The popup shows potential replacement terms. All suggestions in both columns are approved by the IP office.

In this example there are some relevant amendments we can make by selecting the terms.



Select all

personal security alarms

keypads for security alarms  
[Already in spec]

control panels for security alarms  
[Already in spec]

Select all

computers

cameras

fire alarms  
[Already in spec]

burglar alarms

radios

telephones

theft alarms

televisions

[Already in spec]

control panels for security alarms  
[Already in spec]

fire alarms  
[Already in spec]

burglar alarms

radios

telephones

theft alarms

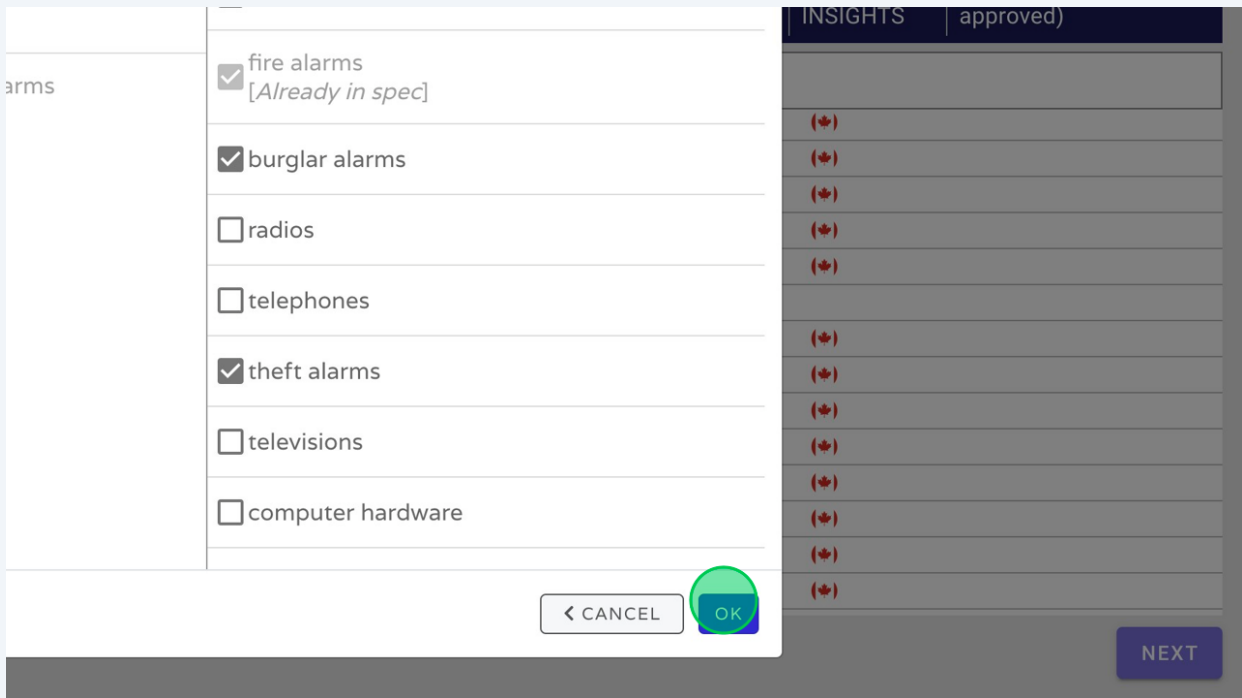
televisions

computer hardware

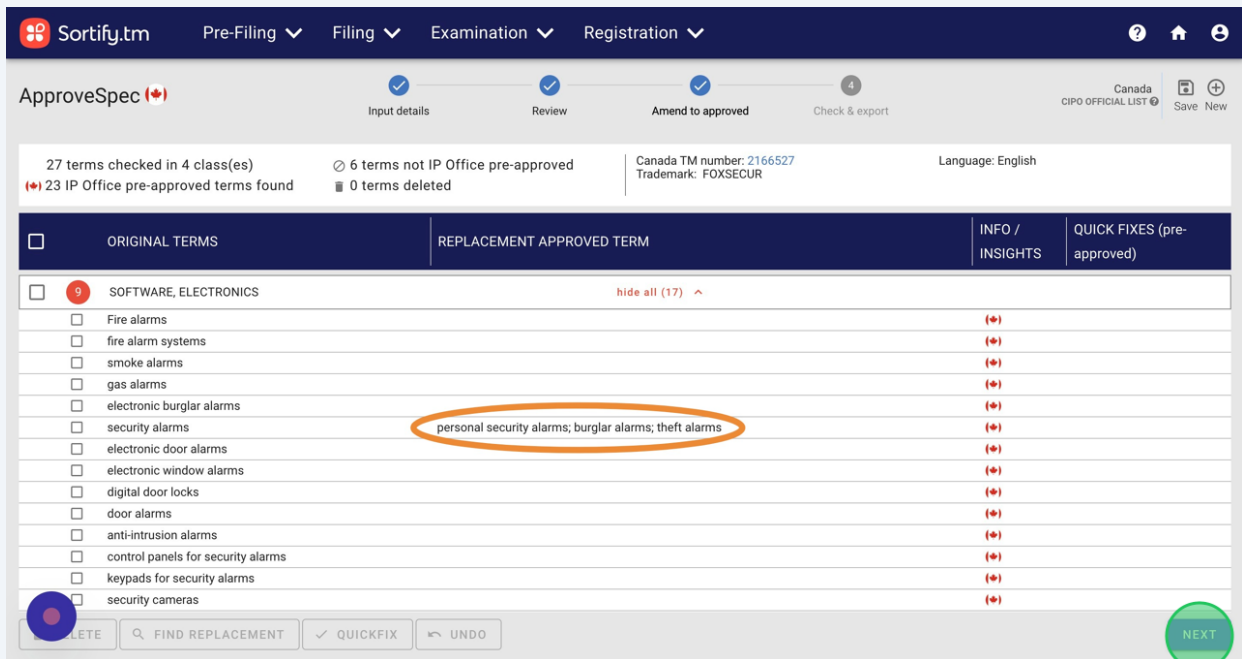
< CANCEL

OK

11 When you've chosen your replacement terms, click "OK"



12 Now you can review your amendments and see the flag icon, indicating your changes are pre-approved. Once you've worked your way through the spec. repeating the replacement steps above – click "NEXT".



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The final page displays your specification in several formats:

- Original specification
- Marked up specification
- Final (clean) specification
- Table showing amendments

You can select and de-select at the top of the page, depending on what you'd like to export.

The screenshot shows the Sortify.tn interface with the following elements:

- Navigation Bar:** Sortify.tn, Pre-Filing, Filing, Examination, Registration.
- Progress Indicator:** Input details, Review, Amend to approved, Check & export.
- Export Options:**
  - COUNTRY & TRADEMARK DETAILS
  - ORIGINAL SPECIFICATION
  - MARKED UP SPECIFICATION
  - FINAL SPECIFICATION
  - AMENDMENT DETAILS
- YOUR SPECIFICATION:**
  - ORIGINAL SPECIFICATION:** Pre-approved goods and services are shown in bold. **security systems; control of building security systems; rental of security surveillance equipment; opening of door locks.**
  - MARKED UP SPECIFICATION:**
    - Class 9: Fire alarms; fire alarm systems; smoke alarms; gas alarms; electronic burglar alarms; **personal security alarms; burglar alarms; theft alarms;** electronic door alarms; electronic window alarms; digital door locks; door alarms; anti-intrusion alarms; control panels for security alarms; keypads for security alarms; security cameras; video surveillance cameras; electronic garage door openers; keycard-activated door locks.
    - Class 37: Installation, repair, and maintenance of fire alarms, some alarms, burglar alarms, security alarms, gas alarms, and carbon monoxide alarms; home security installation advisory services; repair of security locks.
    - Class 42: Inspection of fire alarm, smoke alarm, burglar alarm, security alarm, gas alarm, and carbon monoxide alarm systems.
    - Class 45: Alarm response and verification services; monitoring of fire alarms, smoke alarms, burglar alarms, security alarms, gas alarms, and carbon monoxide alarms; monitoring of home security systems; control of building security systems; rental of security surveillance equipment; opening of door locks.
  - FINAL SPECIFICATION:**
    - Class 9: Fire alarms; fire alarm systems; smoke alarms; gas alarms; electronic burglar alarms; personal security alarms; burglar alarms; theft alarms; electronic door alarms; electronic window alarms; digital door locks; door alarms; anti-intrusion alarms; control panels for security alarms; keypads for security alarms; security cameras; video surveillance cameras; electronic garage door openers; keycard-activated door locks.
    - Class 37: Installation, repair, and maintenance of fire alarms, some alarms, burglar alarms, security alarms, gas alarms, and carbon monoxide alarms; home security installation advisory services; repair of security locks.
- APPROVED AMENDMENTS Table:**

ERM	IPO APPROVED	APPROVED AMENDMENTS
	yes	
	yes	
	yes	
	yes	
	yes	
	yes	personal security alarms; burglar alarms; theft alarms
	yes	
	yes	
	yes	
	yes	
	yes	
	yes	



14 Click "Export", choose your preferred format and you're done.

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COUNTRY & TRADEMARK DETAILS  ORIGINAL SPECIFICATION  MARKED UP SPECIFICATION

FINAL SPECIFICATION  AMENDMENT DETAILS

YOUR SPECIFICATION

AMENDMENT DETAILS

	security alarms	yes	pers
	electronic door alarms	yes	
	electronic window alarms	yes	
	digital door locks	yes	
	door alarms	yes	
	anti-intrusion alarms	yes	
	control panels for security alarms	yes	
	keypads for security alarms	yes	
	security cameras	yes	
	video surveillance cameras	yes	
	electronic garage door openers		
	keycard-activated door locks		
Class 37	Installation, repair, and maintenance of fire alarms, some alarms, burglar alarms, security alarms, gas alarms, and carbon monoxide alarms		

Export

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