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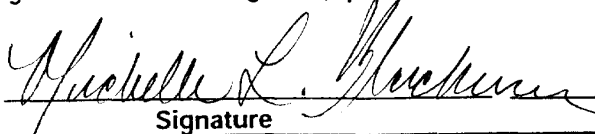
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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Charges to deposit account are authorized, as indicated herein.

Michelle L. Blackmon
Name of Person Signing


Signature

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Date Signed

SCHEDULE A

MARK	(APPLICATION NO.) REGISTRATION NO.	(APPLICATION DATE) REGISTRATION DATE
BOTTOMLINE AND DESIGN	73/324853 1202691	7/27/82 7/27/82
DIGESTIVE RESPONSE & TRIPLE V DESIGN	74/074112 1765161	6/29/90 4/13/93
EARLY-WEAN AND DESIGN	1240817	6/7/83 6/7/83
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PACER	73/649995 1451613	3/18/87 9/22/87
PLUS LEAN	74/350246 1850161	1/21/93 8/16/94
SASSY	74/287007 1749806	6/22/92 1/2/93
TRIPLE V BRAND	74/262738 1801326	4/6/92 10/26/93
VELVET	1213773	10/26/82 10/26/82
VIGORPHASE EGGLINE PROGRAM	533836 1396182	4/24/85 6/3/86
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TRADEMARK
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Assignment of Trademarks

THIS ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARKS is made and entered into this 27th day of April, 1998, by and between Vigortone Ag Products Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Vigortone"), and Provimi Acquisition Corporation, a Delaware corporation ("Assignee").

WHEREAS, pursuant to a certain Asset Purchase Agreement of even date (the "Agreement"), by and among Assignee, Vigortone, Webel Feeds, Inc., a Delaware corporation and PM Ag Products, Incorporated, a California corporation, Assignee has agreed to acquire, among other things, substantially all of the assets of Vigortone, and Vigortone has agreed to cause the same to be transferred, assigned and contributed to Assignee;

WHEREAS, Vigortone owns all right, title and interest in and to the United States trademarks and trademark applications listed on Schedule A, attached hereto and incorporated herein (collectively, the "Marks"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Agreement, Vigortone desires to assign and transfer to Assignee all of its right, title and interest in and to the Marks and Assignee is desirous of acquiring the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, for the foregoing recited consideration and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Vigortone, as beneficial owner, does hereby assign, sell and transfer to Assignee all of its right, title and interest in and to the Marks, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the Marks, the right to sue for past infringement thereof, the registrations and applications for registration therefor, and all the benefit of the Marks. Vigortone does further consent to the recordation of this assignment by Assignee with the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Vigortone has executed this Assignment as of the date first written above.

VIGORTONE AG PRODUCTS INC.

By: Michael G. Reed
Name:
Title:

Date: April 27, 1998

State of Illinois)
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County of Cook)

On this 27th day of April, 1998, before me appeared Michael A. Reed, the person who signed this instrument on behalf of Vigortone Ag Products Inc., who acknowledged that he signed it on behalf of the identified corporation as Chairman of the identified corporation and pursuant to authority duly received.

Joyce L. Davis
Notary Public

