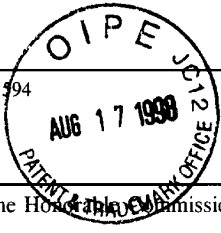


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 JOHN E. MCPHERSON & SONS LTD.

Individual(s) Association
 General Partnership Limited Partnership
 Corporation-Organized under the laws of the United Kingdom and Northern Ireland
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Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes
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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):
 Name: THE WHYTE & MACKAY GROUP
 Internal Address: _____
 Street Address: Dalmore House, 310 St. Vincent Street
 City Glasgow Country Scotland G2 5RG

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A. Trademark Application No.(s) _____

B. Trademark registration No.(s) 306,488; 786,116; 826,489; 832,757

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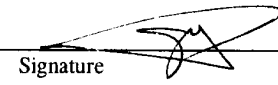
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<u>Registration No.</u>	<u>Mark</u>
306,488	MACPHERSON'S CLUNY SCOTCH WHISKY
786,116	CLUNY
826,489	Arms Device (TOUCH NOT THE CAT BOT A GLOVE)
832,757	MACPHERSON'S CLUNY BLENDED SCOTCH WHISKY Label

and,

WHEREAS, The Whyte & Mackay Group PLC, a company organized and existing under the laws the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, with offices at Dalmore House, 310 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Scotland, G2 5RG (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE") is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in said marks and registration;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration. receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, said ASSIGNOR does hereby assign unto said ASSIGNEE all right, title and interest in and to said marks and said applications and registrations, together with the goodwill of the ongoing and existing business symbolized thereby, and together with the right to recover for past infringements, if any, *nunc pro tunc* as of the first day of December, 1995.

ASSIGNOR

JOHN E. MCPHERSON & SONS LTD.

By: James Frances Hanlon
Name: James Frances Hanlon
Title: Company Secretary

Glasgow, Scotland
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