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- Association
- Limited Partnership

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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Automatic Products International, Inc.  
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4. Application number(s) or trademark number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

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1,813,518

Additional numbers attached?  Yes  No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Gross-Given Mfg. Co. (hereinafter "Assignor"), a Minnesota corporation, is the record owner of United States trademark registration number 1,813,518 for the mark "BALANCED BLEND";

WHEREAS, Automatic Products International, Ltd. (hereinafter "Assignee"), a Minnesota corporation having a principal place of business at 75 West Plato Boulevard, St. Paul, Minnesota 55107 is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in and to said registration;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, said assignor has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the United States in and to said trademark and said trademark registration, together with the goodwill and other incidents of its business associated with or symbolized by said trademark and by said trademark registration.

Gross Given Mfg. Co.

Date: 2-8-99

By: Alan J. Sutor

Name: ALAN J. SUTOR

Title: President + CEO