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"TWIN BEAR"; U.S. Trademark Registration Number 827,758, registered on April 25, 1967 and renewed in 1987.

"PINKHAM LUMBER (and Design)"; U.S. Trademark Registration Number 1,518,015, registered on December 27, 1988 (expired).

#### **Trademark Applications**

"PINKHAM LUMBER"; U.S. Trademark Application Number 75/487,014 filed on May 18, 1998.

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