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original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Hormel Foods Corporation
1 Hormel Place
Austin MN 55912

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

Hormel Foods, LLC

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Internal Address:
Mailing Address: 1 Hormel Place

- Individual(s)
- General Partnership
- Corporation-State of Delaware
- Other _____

- Association
- Limited Partnership

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?
 Yes No

City: Austin State: MN Zip: 55912

- Individual(s) citizenship _____
- Association _____
- General Partnership _____
- Limited Partnership _____
- Corporation-State of _____
- Other Minnesota Limited Liability Company

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment
- Security Agreement
- Other _____
- Merger
- Change of Name

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached: Yes No
(Designations must be a separate document from Assignment)
Additional name(s) and address(es) attached? Yes No

Execution Date: April 28, 1999

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s)

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

1,499,806
1,928,717
1,839,124

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

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

Name: Kevin C. Jones, Esq.
Internal Address: Hormel Foods Corporation
Street Address: 1 Hormel Place
City: Austin State: MN Zip: 55912

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 31

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Kevin C. Jones

Name of Person Signing

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Trademark Registration

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1,499,805
1,844,590
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997,804
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1,272,030
1,129,019
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2,057,084
2,148,314
2,055,580
2,062,890
2,167,726
2,156,933
2,222,894
2,198,652

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Hormel Foods Corporation, a Delaware corporation, having an office and place of business at 1 Hormel Place, Austin, Minnesota 55912-3680, is the owner of all rights and the good will associated with respect to the following trademark registrations and applications:

Trademark	Registration Number	Registration Date
CHILI LAREDO	1,499,806	August 9, 1988
CHUNKERO	1,928,717	October 17, 1995
CLASSIC	1,839,124	June 7, 1994
COUNTRY CHILI	1,499,805	August 9, 1988
DYNAMITE HOT	1,844,590	July 12, 1994
RANCH HOUSE	1,557,003	September 19, 1989
RICE MADE NICE	1,792,783	September 14, 1993
SEE THE TASTE!	1,844,589	July 12, 1994
SILVERADO	1,656,946	September 10, 1991
STAGG (Stylized Letters)	997,804	November 5, 1974
STAGG CHILI & Design	1,869,794	December 27, 1994
STAGG PRIVATE RESERVE	1,656,947	September 10, 1991
STAGG CHAMPION CHILI & Design	1,458,559	September 22, 1987
STAGG CHILI LAREDO & Design	1,272,030	March 27, 1984
STAGG CHILI LAREDO & Design	1,129,019	January 8, 1980
STAGG COUNTRY CHILI & Design	1,280,048	May 29, 1984
STAGG STEAK HOUSE CHILI & Design	1,398,696	June 24, 1986
STAGG TACO OLE & Design	1,764,698	April 13, 1993
STEAK HOUSE (Stylized Letters)	1,922,264	September 26, 1995
STEAK HOUSE CHILI & Design	1,726,000	October 20, 1992
TURKEY RANCHERO	1,844,591	July 12, 1994
CHICKEN GRANDE (Stylized Letters)	2,119,016	December 9, 1997
DOUBLE BARREL BEEF (Stylized Letters)	2,069,440	June 10, 1997
STAGG CLASSIQUE CHILI & Design	2,057,084	April 29, 1997
STAGG 99% FAT FREE CHILI & Design	2,148,314	March 31, 1998
STAGG STRAIGHT CHILI & Design	2,055,580	April 22, 1997
VEGETABLE GARDEN	2,062,890	May 20, 1997
SILVERADO	2,167,726	June 23, 1998
STAGG	2,156,933	May 12, 1998
STAGG (Stylized Letters)	2,222,894	February 9, 1999
STEAK HOUSE	2,198,652	October 20, 1998

WHEREAS, Hormel Foods, LLC, a Minnesota limited liability company, having an office at 1 Hormel Place, Austin, Minnesota 55912, is desirous of acquiring any and all rights

which Hormel Foods Corporation has in said listed trademarks and the good will of the business of Hormel Foods Corporation in connection with said trademarks.

NOW THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern:

Be it known that for substantial consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said Hormel Foods Corporation does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Hormel Foods, LLC its entire right, title and interest in and to the said listed trademarks, together with the good will of the business symbolized by the marks, and the above identified registrations and applications thereof.

HORMEL FOODS CORPORATION

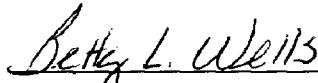
by: 

Mahlon C. Schneider

Title: Vice President & General Counsel

State of Minnesota)
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County of Mower)

On this 28th day of April, 1999, before me, a notary public, appeared the person who signed this instrument, who acknowledged that he signed it as his free act on behalf of Hormel Foods Corporation, with authority to do so.



Notary Public

