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Name of Conveying Party(ies): GROUPE LACASSE INC.

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[ ] Individual(s) [X] Corporation-Country of Incorporation: Canada  
[ ] Association [ ] General Partnership [ ] Limited Partnership  
[ ] Other:

Name and Address of Receiving Party(ies):  
LACASSE USA, INC.  
One Haworth Center  
1400 Highway M-40  
Holland, Michigan 49423

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[ ] Association [ ] General Partnership [ ] Limited Partnership  
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Trademark Application Numbers: 75/072 895  
Trademark Registration Numbers:  
1 850 711  
2 042 783  
2 264 251

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Kindly note that a prior Assignment of the above marks from LACASSE INC. to GROUPE LACASSE INC. was submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 3, 2000.

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.

Respectfully submitted,  
  
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, GROUPE LACASSE INC., a Canadian Corporation, having its principal offices at 99 St-Pierre, St-Pie, Quebec, Canada J0H1WD, has adopted, used, is using and is the owner of the following trademarks (hereinafter referred to as the "Trademarks") now registered or application therefor in the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Registration No.</u>	<u>Date of Registration</u>
LACASSE	2 264 251	July 27, 1999
NOTES	2 042 783	March 11, 1997
AVENUE CONTRACT PORTFOLIO	1 850 711	August 23, 1994

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Date of Filing</u>
ARABESQUE	75/072 895	March 14, 1996

WHEREAS, LACASSE USA, INC., a Michigan Corporation having a principal place of business at One Haworth Center, Holland, Michigan 49423, will be marketing in the United States of America products of GROUPE LACASSE INC. under the Trademarks.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, GROUPE LACASSE INC., hereby transfers and assigns to LACASSE USA, INC. all right, title and interest in and to said Trademarks together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by said Trademarks.

Signed this 15th day of February, 2000

GROUPE LACASSE INC.

By: *Guy Lacasse*

Name: Guy Lacasse

Title: President