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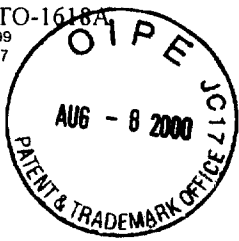
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Dated: July 10, 2000

WELLS FARGO BUSINESS CREDIT, INC.



Name: Douglas A. Wall

Title: Assistant Vice President

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ANNEX 1: THE MARKS

A. Schedule of U.S. Trademark Registrations

| <u>Mark</u> | <u>Filing Date</u> | <u>Serial No.</u> | <u>Reg. Date and Reg. No.</u> |
|---|--------------------|-------------------|--|
| YELLOW BELLY (stylized) | 05/23/96 | 75/108463 | 07/14/98 2,173,538 |
| MOUNT SIMON and design | 06/16/97 | 75/309,345 | 11/25/98 2,205,180 |
| GRAIN BELT and design | 05/06/54 | 71/665,843 | 12/13/55 617,584 12/13/95 (renewed) |
| MINNESOTA BREW Supplemental Register | 03/25/95 | 74,651,105 | 05/05/98 2,155,845 |
| GOLDEN GRAIN BELT and design | 05/06/54 | 71,665,842 | 10/04/55 613,642 10/04/95 (renewed) |
| PIG'S EYE | 01/27/92 | 74,240,186 | 06/15/93 1,777,379 |
| PIG'S EYE and design | 09/17/92 | 74/314,669 | 05/25/93 1,773,057 |
| GRAIN BELT BEER | 01/05/34 | 71,345,676 | 06/05/34 313,730 06/05/94 (renewed) |

B. SCHEDULE OF PENDING U.S. TRADEMARK APPLICATIONS

| <u>Mark</u> | <u>Filing Date</u> | <u>Serial No.</u> |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| PREMIUM (stylized) | 05/23/94 | 74/528,535 |
| YELLOW BELLY and design | 05/23/96 | 75/108,463 |
| BREWER'S CAVE and design | 05/23/96 | 75/108,464 |
| BREWER'S CAVE | 05/23/96 | 75/108,676 |