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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):
BANK OF AMERICA, NA, as Agent.
55 South Lake Avenue, 9th Floor
Pasadena, CA 91101

Individuals(s) Association
 General Partnership Limited Partnership
 Corporation-State **California**
 Other _____

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)
Name: **TRI-VALLEY GROWERS**
Internal Address:
Street Address: **12667 Alcosta Avenue**
City: **San Ramon** State: **California** ZIP: **94583-0587**

Individual(s) citizenship _____
 Association _____
 General Partnership _____
 Limited Partnership _____
 Corporation-State **California**
 Other _____

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:

(Designations must be a separate document from assignment)

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

Assignment Merger
 Security Agreement Change of Name
 Other: Release

Execution Date:

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)
1584977

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

See Exhibit A to Release and Assignment of Trademarks attached hereto and included herein by this reference.

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:
Mr. Michael Wright
Name: **Buchalter, Nemer, Fields & Younger**

Internal Address:
12/29/2000 DNGUYEN 00000245 200052 1586977

01 FC:481 40.00 CH
02 FC:482 75.00 CH

Street Address: **601 South Figueroa Street, 24th Floor**
City: **Los Angeles** State: **California** ZIP: **90017**

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: **4**

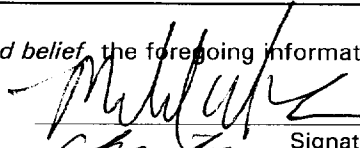
7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) **\$ 115.00**

Enclosed
 Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:
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9. Statement and signature.
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.

Mr. Michael Wright 

Name of Person Signing: **Christina Nguyen** Signature: **Christina Nguyen** Date: **December 6, 2000**

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EXHIBIT A

TRADEMARKS

DEBTOR: TRI VALLEY GROWERS

COLLATERAL AGENT: BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., f/k/a Bank America Business Credit, Inc.

Country	Trademarks	Registration Number	Registration Date
United States	FABULOUS FRIES (Stylized words, letters or numbers)	1586977	March 13, 1990
United States	KETCHUP FRIES (Stylized words, letter or numbers)	1586976	March 13, 1990
United States	PIK-NIK (50's outline design)	538521	February 27, 1951
United States	SPUD BOY DESIGNS	75444898	Pending
Argentina	PIK-NIK (outline design)	1854911	May 3, 1996
Aruba	PIK-NIK (solid design)	14884	August 8, 1990
Benelux	PIK-NIK (outline design)	514382	April 10, 1992
Brazil	PIK-NIK (outline design)	816832897	April 14, 1992
Canada	PIK-NIK (outline design)	439096	February 10, 1995
France	PIK-NIK (outline design)	92420287	May 25, 1992
Greece	PIK-NIK (outline design)	109949	May 17, 1995

Hong Kong	PIK-NIK (outline design)	29651994	May 13, 1994
Hong Kong	Spud Boy Design	Pending	Pending
Iceland	PIK-NIK	Pending	Pending
Indonesia	PIK-NIK (outline design)	324503	May 7, 1992
Italy	PIK-NIK	Pending	Pending
Malaysia	PIK-NIK (outline design)	9203343	May 20, 1992
Mexico	PIK-NIK	521880	May 6, 1996
Netherlands Antilles	PIK-NIK (solid design)	16191	August 1, 1990
Panama	PIK-NIK (outline design)	62413	March 8, 1994
Philippines	FABULOUS FRIES	58965	July 29, 1994
Philippines	KETCHUP FRIES	58958	July 29, 1994
Phillipines	PIK-NIK (outline design)	58149	May 12, 1994
Singapore	PIK-NIK	Pending	Pending
Sweden	PIK-NIK (solid design)	248799	May 7, 1993

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RELEASE AND REASSIGNMENT OF
TRADEMARKS AND TRADEMARK APPLICATIONS

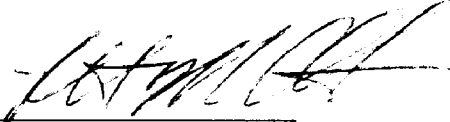
Reference is hereby made to that certain Intellectual Property Security Agreement, dated as of March 29, 1999, between Tri-Valley Growers, a California non-profit agricultural cooperative association ("Debtor"), and Bank of America, N.A (formerly Bank America Business Credit, Inc.), as agent on behalf of itself and other lenders (ACollateral Agent@), which was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on April 6, 1999 at Reel 1882, Frame 0319 (the "Agreement") and pursuant to which the Debtor assigned and granted to Collateral Agent a security interest in and to all of Debtor's right, title and interest in and to certain trademarks, including those trademarks specifically listed on Exhibit A attached hereto (such trademarks set forth on Exhibit A are referred to herein as "Pik-Nik Marks") and the goodwill associated therewith; and

WHEREAS, Collateral Agent wishes to release, retransfer and reassign to Debtor, without representation or warranty, all of Collateral Agent=s right, title and interest in and to the Pik-Nik Marks and the goodwill associated therewith;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Collateral Agent hereby releases, retransfers and reassigns to Debtor, without representation or warranty, all of the Collateral Agent=s right, title and interest in and to the Pik-Nik Marks and the goodwill associated therewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Collateral Agent has executed this Release and Reassignment of Registered Trademarks and Trademark Applications as of this ____ day of December 1, 2000.

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., as Collateral Agent

By: 

Title: V.P.