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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

HARRIS MORAN SEED COMPANY

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- Individual(s), Association, General Partnership, Limited Partnership, Corporation-State California, Other

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

3. Nature of conveyance:

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

Execution Date: May 7, 2001

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: FERRY-MORSE SEED COMPANY

Internal Address:

Street Address: P.O. Box 488

City: Fulton State: Kentucky ZIP: 42041-0488

- Individual(s) citizenship, Association, General Partnership, Limited Partnership, Corporation-State Kentucky, Other

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached: Yes No

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

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1,934,229



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

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6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:

One

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ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK

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WHEREAS, HARRIS MORAN SEED COMPANY, a California corporation with its principal place of business at 555 Codoni Avenue, P.O. Box 4938, Modesto, California 95352 ("Assignor"), is the owner of the following mark and registration issued with the U.S. Trademark Office:

Registration No.

1,934,229

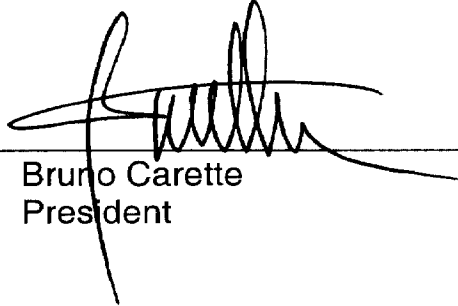
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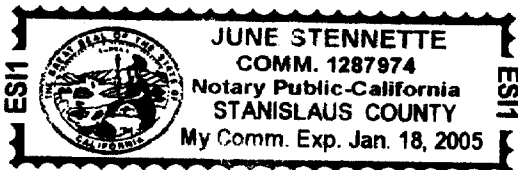
WHEREAS, FERRY-MORSE SEED COMPANY, a Kentucky Corporation with a principal place of business at P.O. Box 488, Fulton, Kentucky 42041-0488 ("Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring all rights to said mark and registration therefor;

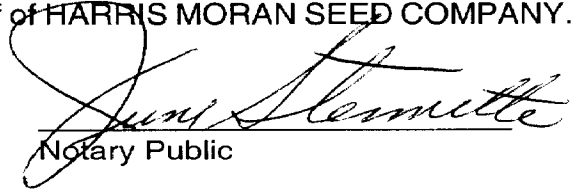
NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said Assignor does hereby assign unto the said Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the said mark, together with the good will of the business symbolized by the mark, and the above identified registration along with the right to sue for past infringement.

HARRIS MORAN SEED COMPANY

By: 
Bruno Carette
President

On this 7th day of May, 2001, before me appeared Bruno Carette, the person who signed this instrument, who acknowledged that he signed it on behalf of HARRIS MORAN SEED COMPANY.




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