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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

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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):
 Leiner Davis Gelatin Corp
 7001 Brady Street
 Davenport, IA 52809

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

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)
 Name: Ross Organic Specialty Sales, Inc.
 Internal Address: _____
 Address: _____
 Street Address: 2675 Junipero Avenue, Suite 600
 City: Signal Hill State: CA Zip: 90806

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

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) & address(es) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:
 Assignment Merger
 Security Agreement Change of Name
 Other _____

Execution Date: 1/08/01

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s) _____

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)
1726800

Additional number(s) attached Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:
 Name: Vicki Oliver
 Internal Address: Ross Organic Specialty Sales, Inc.

 Street Address: 2675 Junipero Avenue, Suite 600

 City: Signal Hill State: CA Zip: 90806

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 40.00

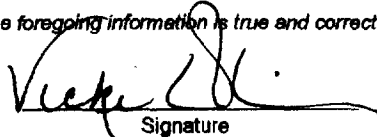
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9. Statement and signature.
To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Vicki Oliver  6/21/01
 Name of Person Signing Signature Date

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ASSIGNMENT OF UNITED STATES REGISTERED TRADEMARK

This ASSIGNMENT is effective the 8th day of January, 2001, Leiner Davis Gelatin Corporation (hereinafter "Assignor"), a [State of incorporation] corporation, having its principal place of business at 7001 Brady Street, Davenport, IA 52806 to Ross Organics Specialty Sales, (hereinafter "Assignee"), a [state of incorporation] corporation, having its principal place of business at 44378 S. Grimmer Blvd. Fremont, CA 94538.

WHEREAS, Assignor is the owner of record of the following United States Registered

Trademark:

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Reg. Number</u>	<u>Reg. Date</u>	<u>Int'l Class</u>
DERMATEIN	1726800	10/27/1992	1

WHEREAS, Assignor is the owner of United States registered trademark DERMATEIN;

WHEREAS, Assignor is assigning its interest in the marks and the above-identified applications to Assignee as part of the entire business to which the marks pertain as required by 15 U.S.C. Section 1060; and

WHEREAS, Assignee is desirous of acquiring the DERMATEIN registered trademark as part of the business to which the mark pertains;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title and interest to the DERMATEIN trademark mark together with the goodwill of the business symbolized thereby.

LEINER DAVIS GELATIN CORPORATION

Date: January 8, 2001

By: *David Poppen*
(Signature)

Its: Technical Service Manager
(Title)

Printed Name: David Poppen

CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

United States of America

State of: Iowa ss: Davenport

County of: Scott

On this 8th day of January 2001, before me personally appeared David Poppen to me know, and known to me to be the Technical Service Manager of Leiner Davis Gelatin Corporation described in the foregoing assignment, and who executed said assignment.

(SEAL)

Laura Perreault

Notary Public

LAURA A. PERREULT
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF IOWA
NO. 165173
QUALIFIED IN SCOTT COUNTY
COMMISSION EXPIRES: MAY 26, 2001

January 8, 2001



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Bill Ross
Ross Organics Specialty Sales
44378 S. Grimmer Blvd.
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Dear Bill Ross;

We have received the payment of \$2500 for the rights to the DERMATEIN® trademark. This payment is solely for the rights to the trademark and process information possessed by Leiner Davis Gelatin.

Ross Organics Specialty Sales is responsible for all fees associated with the transfer of the trademark from Leiner Davis Gelatin to Ross Organics Specialty Sales and Ross Organics Specialty Sales shall be responsible for renewing and protecting the trademark.

The attached is the signed document to transfer the assignment of the DERMATEIN trademark to Ross Organics Specialty Sales.

We are also sending all information possessed by Leiner Davis Gelatin regarding the production process for DERMATEIN BRC to Ross Organics Specialty Sales. Leiner Davis Gelatin makes no warranty to the effectiveness of the process or final product to Ross Organics Specialty Sales.

Kind Regards,

David Poppen
Technical Service Manager
Leiner Davis Gelatin

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