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1. Name of conveying party(ies):  
**Bec-Lin Foods, Inc.**

Individuals  
 General Partnership  
 Corporation-State of Minnesota  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Association  
 Limited Partnership

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)  
**Cenex Harvest States Cooperatives**  
**5500 Cenex Drive**  
**Inver Grove Heights, Minnesota 55077**

Individual(s) citizenship  
 General Partnership  
 Corporation-State of Minnesota  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Association  
 Limited Partnership

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:  
 Yes  No  
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Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?  Yes  No

3. Nature of conveyance:  
 Assignment  
 Security Agreement  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Merger  
 Change of Name

Execution Date: **November 6, 2001**

Individual(s) citizenship  
 General Partnership  
 Corporation-State of Minnesota  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Association  
 Limited Partnership

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

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)/ Mark(s) \_\_\_\_\_

B. Trademark Reg. No.(s)/Mark(s)  
**See attached sheet**

Additional numbers attached?  Yes  No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:  
Name: **D. Randall King**  
Address: **MERCHANT & GOULD P.C.**  
**P O Box 2910**  
**Minneapolis, MN 55402-0910**

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

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): **\$115.00**  
 Enclosed  
 Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to our Deposit account number. **13-2725**

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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.

**D. Randall King** \_\_\_\_\_ **December 17, 2001**  
Name of Person Signing Signature Date

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Registration Nos.

1,572,210  
2,199,381  
2,197,188  
2,197,187

**TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT**

**WHEREAS**, Bec-Lin Foods, Inc., (hereinafter "Assignor"), a Minnesota corporation having a principal place of business at 5500 Cenex Drive, Inver Grove Heights, Minnesota 55077, is the record owner of United States trademark registrations listed on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein;

**WHEREAS**, Cenex Harvest States Cooperatives (hereinafter "Assignee"), a Minnesota corporation having a principal place of business at 5500 Cenex Drive, Inver Grove Heights, Minnesota 55077, is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in and to said registrations;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, said Assignor has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the United States in and to said trademarks and said trademark registrations, together with the goodwill and other incidents of its business associated with or symbolized by said trademarks and by said trademark registrations.

Dated: November 6, 2001.

BEC-LIN FOODS, INC.

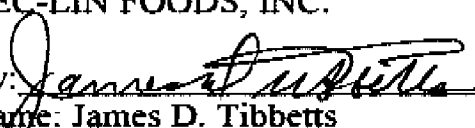
By:   
Name: James D. Tibbetts  
Title: President

Exhibit A

<u>Trademark/Service Mark</u>	<u>Reg. No.</u>	<u>Reg. Date</u>	<u>Renewal Date</u>
"AUNT JULIA"	1,572,210	12/19/89	12/19/09
"EL GRANDELI"	2,199,381	10/27/98	10/27/08
"EL GRANDELI" & Design	2,197,188	10/20/98	10/20/08
"EL GRANDELI PREMIUM"	2,197,187	10/20/98	10/20/08

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