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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: P	lease record the attached original documents or copy thereof.	
1. Name of conveying party(ies): 3 - 10 - 03  Congress Financial Corporation	2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)  Name:IVC Industries, Inc.  Internal  Address:	
Individual(s) Association  General Partnership Limited Partnership  Corporation-State  Other  Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?   Yes ✓ No	Street Address: 500 Halls Mill Road  City: Freehold State: NJ Zip: 07729  Individual(s) citizenship Association  General Partnership	
3. Nature of conveyance:	Limited Partnership	
Assignment Merger  Security Agreement Change of Name  Other_Partial Release  Execution Date: August 1, 2002	Corporation-State_Delaware  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	
4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):  75/735886  A. Trademark Application No.(s)	B. Trademark Registration No.(s) 2,209,950	
Additional number(s) at		
5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:	6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:	
Name: Irene B. Fisher, Esq.		
Internal Address: General Counsel	7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41)\$_65.00	
NBTY, Inc.	Enclosed  Authorized to be charged to deposit account	
Street Address:90 Orville Drive	8. Deposit account number:  502153	
City: Bohemia State: NY Zip: 11716		
	THIS SPACE	
9. Signature.	March 7, 2002	
Irene B. Fisher, Esq.	March 7, 2003  Date	
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## PARTIAL RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that Congress Financial Corporation, a Delaware corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Secured Party"), having an office at 1133 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10036, DOES HEREBY CERTIFY that the security interest it holds in those certain trademarks of IVC Industries, Inc., a Delaware corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Debtor") described in Schedule A hereto (the "Synergy Plus Trademarks") pursuant to a certain Trademark Collateral Assignment and Security Agreement, dated October 16, 2000, by and between Debtor and Secured Party, recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on November 24, 2000, at Reel 002163, Frame 0655 (the "Trademark Security Agreement"), together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the Synergy Plus Trademarks, is hereby released and all interests in the Synergy Plus Trademarks previously assigned to Secured Party under the Trademark Security Agreement are hereby reassigned to Debtor, without representation or warranty of any kind, nature or description;

<u>PROVIDED</u>, <u>THAT</u>, nothing herein shall constitute a release or reassignment of the security interests in any other trademarks or other property, other than the Synergy Plus Trademarks and the goodwill of the business symbolized thereby, assigned by way of security by Debtor pursuant to the Trademark Security Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Secured Party has caused this Partial Release of Security Interest in Trademarks to be executed by its duly authorized corporate officer this \_/s/ day of August 2002.

CONGRESS FINANCIAL CORPORATION

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STATE OF NEW YORK	)
	) ss.:
COUNTY OF NEW YORK	
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On the day of Aug	ust 2002 before me personally came Thomas A. Martin
being by me duly sworn, did de	epose and say, that he is the <u>V. 1.</u> of CONGRESS
FINANCIAL CORPORATION	N and that said instrument was signed on behalf of such corporation by

authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged said instrument to be the free act of deed of

said corporation.

Notary Public

AMY HOTALING
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York
#4882066 Qualified in New York County
Commission Expires June 29.

## SCHEDULE A

## LIST OF TRADEMARKS AND TRADEMARK APPLICATIONS

<u>Trademark</u>	Registration Number	Registration Date
SYNERGY PLUS	2209950	December 15, 1998
SYNERGY PLUS		
PLATINUM	75/735886	June 24, 1999

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