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Country Energy, L.L.C.

Individuals
 General Partnership
 Corporation-State of
 Other: Delaware Limited Liability Company

Association
 Limited Partnership

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):
**CHS Inc.
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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 Assignment
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Execution Date: April 23, 2004

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

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

B. Trademark Reg. No (s)/Mark(s)
2,668,180 - COUNTRY ENERGY

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:
Name: **D Randall King**
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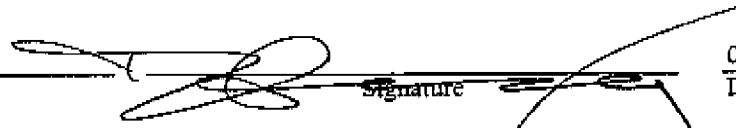
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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, COUNTRY ENERGY, L.L.C., (hereinafter "Assignor"), a Delaware limited liability corporation having a principal place of business at 5500 Cenex Drive, Inver Grove Heights, Minnesota 55077, is the record owner of the United States trademark registration COUNTRY ENERGY®, Registration No. 2,668,180;

WHEREAS, CHS Inc. (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 registration;

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 trademark and said trademark registration, together with the goodwill and other incidents of its business associated with or symbolized by said trademark and by said trademark registration.

Dated: April 23, 2004.

COUNTRY ENERGY, L.L.C.

By: *Leon Westbrook*
Name: Leon Westbrook
Title: President

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of April, 2004.

Esther J. Longseth



ESTHER J. LONGSETH
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