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CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
MERRICK PET CARE, INC.		01/31/2016	CORPORATION: TEXAS

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	SOCIETE DES PRODUITS NESTLE S.A.
Street Address:	AVENUE NESTLE, 55
City:	1800 VEVEY
State/Country:	SWITZERLAND
Entity Type:	SOCIETE ANONYME: SWITZERLAND

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 81

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	4769549	THE BEST DOG EVER DESERVES MERRICK
Registration Number:	4738693	BIG TEXAS STEAK TIPS DINNER
Registration Number:	4680035	FOREVER HOME HOLIDAY RECIPE
Registration Number:	4680036	FESTIVE HOLIDAY STEW
Registration Number:	4588382	MERRICK'AN PIE
Registration Number:	4713717	STAR SPANGLED SUPPER
Registration Number:	4713718	HOT OFF THE GRILL
Registration Number:	4586148	COLOSSAL CHICKEN DINNER
Registration Number:	4553117	WINGALINGS
Registration Number:	4459209	TEXAS TOOTHPICKS
Registration Number:	4629439	THIS IS WHAT DOGS BEG FOR!
Registration Number:	4553107	KITCHEN BITES
Registration Number:	4553108	POWER BITES
Registration Number:	4581363	MAMA MERRICK'S MEATBALLS
Registration Number:	4585610	CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER
Registration Number:	4456456	MERRICK WHOLE HEALTH MADE RIGHT PURRFECT
Registration Number:	4304049	WORKING DOG STEW
Registration Number:	4210022	BRAUTS-N-TOTS
Registration Number:	4310428	MERRICK WHOLE HEALTH MADE RIGHT

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Registration Number:	4314405	WHOLE HEALTH MADE RIGHT
Registration Number:	4063473	HOMECOMING HOLIDAY
Registration Number:	4073697	CMDR. CHEW
Registration Number:	4039858	BALLPARK BONANZA
Registration Number:	4039859	HONOLULU LUAU
Registration Number:	3977466	THE CAPTAIN
Registration Number:	4013701	AUTUMN LEAF'T OVERS
Registration Number:	4010290	GAMEDAY TAILGATE
Registration Number:	3959718	LITTLE ITALY
Registration Number:	3959652	BUFFALOVES
Registration Number:	3873589	WHOLE EARTH FARMS
Registration Number:	3959540	RANGER RIB
Registration Number:	3959506	CORPORAL CAP
Registration Number:	3873237	EASTER BRUNCH
Registration Number:	3873245	PICNIC IN THE PARK
Registration Number:	3848080	PLYMOUTH ROCK DINNER
Registration Number:	3956920	SUSIE'S SHEPHERD'S PIE
Registration Number:	3848081	LOVE POTION #9
Registration Number:	3848082	ST. PATRICK'S FARE
Registration Number:	3845285	WISCONSIN WINTER
Registration Number:	3845278	CAMPER'S DELIGHT
Registration Number:	3956609	YE OL' FISH'N CHIPS
Registration Number:	3847815	BURGER PIE & SWEETY FRIES
Registration Number:	3959107	TEXAS HOLD 'EMS
Registration Number:	3941754	NUTRITION FOR THE BODY! COMFORT FOR THE
Registration Number:	3929733	JUST ADD LOVE
Registration Number:	3784334	GOODNESS FROM THE EARTH
Registration Number:	3756661	MONDO STIX
Registration Number:	3535182	NEW SCHOOL PYRAMID OLD SCHOOL NUTRITION
Registration Number:	3538371	...THE WAY FOOD WAS SUPPOSED TO BE, BEFO
Registration Number:	3522101	BEFORE B.G. GRAIN
Registration Number:	3301597	NEW ZEALAND SUMMER
Registration Number:	3301595	FRENCH COUNTRY CAFÉ
Registration Number:	3293259	WIZZLERS
Registration Number:	3293240	SOUTHERN DELIGHT
Registration Number:	3293216	OCEAN BREEZE
Registration Number:	3293187	CALIFORNIA ROLL
Registration Number:	3293206	NEW ENGLAND BOIL

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Registration Number:	3465168	WILDERNESS BLEND
Registration Number:	3285266	WINGALING
Registration Number:	3407900	WILD BUFFALO GRILL
Registration Number:	3322525	VENISON HOLIDAY STEW
Registration Number:	3350890	THANKSGIVING DAY DINNER
Registration Number:	3285220	SMOTHERED COMFORT
Registration Number:	3300915	PUPPY PLATE
Registration Number:	3287558	GRAMMY'S POT PIE
Registration Number:	3358492	MEDITERRANEAN BANQUET
Registration Number:	3246063	COWBOY COOKOUT
Registration Number:	3376080	
Registration Number:	3386911	WHOLE EARTH FARMS
Registration Number:	3158263	COMFORT FOR THE SOUL!
Registration Number:	3114011	MERRICK
Registration Number:	3161791	MERRICK TRADE MARK
Registration Number:	3031644	FRONTIER BRAND
Registration Number:	3643236	SUPER PHAT FLOSSIES
Registration Number:	2901901	HUNGRY DOG
Registration Number:	3398838	HUNGRY DOG
Registration Number:	1511178	BEEF-PRO
Registration Number:	1511992	GARTH MERRICK'S BEEF'N MORE
Registration Number:	4804676	THE BEST DOG EVER DESERVES THE BEST FOOD
Registration Number:	4778951	MARDI GRAS MASH
Registration Number:	4818767	BACKCOUNTRY

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DATE SIGNED:	02/05/2016

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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

This TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT (the "Assignment") is effective as of the 31st day of January, 2016 by and between MERRICK PET CARE, INC., a Texas corporation having a place of business at 101 S.E. 11th Avenue, Amarillo, TX 79101 (the "Assignor") and SOCIÉTÉ DES PRODUITS NESTLÉ S.A., a *société anonyme* organized under the laws of Switzerland having a place of business at Avenue Nestlé, 55, 1800 Vevey, Switzerland (the "Assignee").

WHEREAS, Assignor is the owner of all right, title, and interest in and to all U.S. trademarks listed on the attached Schedule A and incorporated by reference into this Assignment (collectively, the "Trademarks"); and

WHEREAS, Assignor desires to assign all right, title and interest in and to the Trademarks to Assignee and Assignee desires to acquire all of Assignor's right, title and interest in, to and under the Trademarks, together with the goodwill of the business in connection with which the Trademarks are used.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged:

1. Assignor does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Trademarks together with the goodwill of the business associated with said Trademarks and registrations thereof, including any rights under common law, and all claims, proceeds and causes of action relating to past, present or future infringement of said Trademarks.
2. Assignor hereby requests the Commissioner for Trademarks to record Assignee as assignee of the Trademarks, for the sole use and enjoyment of Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each party has caused this Assignment to be executed on its behalf by a duly authorized representative.

Assignor:

MERRICK PET CARE, INC.

By: 

Name: David Narkiewicz

Title: Asst Secretary

Date: 1-29-2016

Assignee:

SOCIÉTÉ DES PRODUITS NESTLÉ S.A.,

By: 


Name: Andrea H Cannon

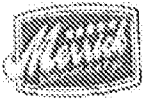

Title: Attorney

Date: 1-29-2016

SCHEDULE A



I. United States Trademarks

TRADEMARK	REG. NO.
THE BEST DOG EVER DESERVES MERRICK	4769549
BIG TEXAS STEAK TIPS DINNER	4738693
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MAMA MERRICK'S MEATBALLS	4581363
CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER	4585610
MERRICK PURRFECT BISTRO & Design 	4456456
WORKING DOG STEW	4304049

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BRAUTS-N-TOTS	4210022
MERRICK WHOLE HEALTH MADE RIGHT & Design 	4310428
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CMDR. CHEW	4073697
BALLPARK BONANZA	4039858
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NEW SCHOOL PYRAMID OLD SCHOOL NUTRITION	3535182
...THE WAY FOOD WAS SUPPOSED TO BE, BEFORE GRAIN GOT INVOLVED	3538371
BEFORE B.G. GRAIN & Design	3522101
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NEW ZEALAND SUMMER	3301597
FRENCH COUNTRY CAFÉ	3301595
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MEDITERRANEAN BANQUET	3358492
COWBOY COOKOUT	3246063
DESIGN ONLY	3376080
WHOLE EARTH FARMS	3386911
COMFORT FOR THE SOUL! (Stylized)	3158263
MERRICK	3114011

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