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Name

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Name

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Deposit Account

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Yes

No

**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. Charges to deposit account are authorized, as indicated herein.

Susan L. Crane

12/18/00

Name of Person Signing

Signature

Date Signed

**NUNC PRO TUNC ASSIGNMENT (UNITED STATES)**

WHEREAS, **HOTEL FRANCHISING LIMITED PARTNERSHIP** ("Assignor"), a limited partnership organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, with a principal place of business at 6 Sylvan Way, Parsippany, New Jersey, as of April 14, 1998 had adopted, owned, and was using the names and marks listed in Appendix A in connection with hotel and motel services in the United States ("Marks"); and

WHEREAS, **TM ACQUISITION CORP.** ("Assignee"), a Delaware corporation, with a principal place of business at 3838 East Van Buren, Phoenix, Arizona, as of April 14, 1998 desired to acquire all right, title and interest in and to the Marks and the goodwill associated therewith; and


WHEREAS, Assignor was dissolved effective April 14, 1998 with the intention that the Marks and goodwill associated therewith would be assigned to Assignee as of the time of dissolution; and

WHEREAS, Assignor's general partner, **WINGATE INNS INTERNATIONAL, INC.**, a Delaware corporation, formerly known as General Franchise Systems, Inc., had the authority as of April 14, 1998 to dispose of assets of Assignor and retains the authority to execute post-dissolution instruments effecting transfers such as this *nunc pro tunc* assignment on behalf of Assignor.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, transfers and conveys unto Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the Marks, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the marks and any registrations thereof and applications therefor, *nunc pro tunc*, now for then, effective as of April 14, 1998.

**HOTEL FRANCHISING LIMITED PARTNERSHIP,**

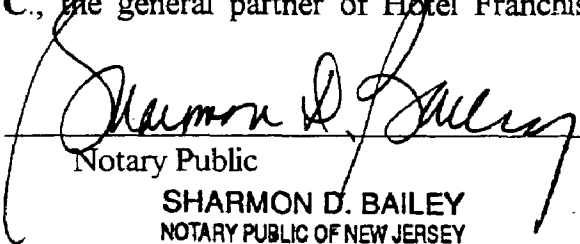
**By Its General Partner, WINGATE INNS INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

By:   
Joel R. Buckberg  
Its: Sr. Vice President and Assistant Secretary

Date: 9/11/98

State of New Jersey            )  
  )  
County of   Morris            )

On this   11th   day of   September  , 1998, before me appeared Joel R. Buckberg, the person who signed this instrument, who acknowledged that he signed it as a free act on behalf of **WINGATE INNS INTERNATIONAL, INC.**, the general partner of Hotel Franchising Limited Partnership.

  
Notary Public  
**SHARMON D. BAILEY**  
NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY  
My Commission Expires May 19, 2000

My Commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Appendix A

<u>Mark</u>	<u>Registration No.</u>
WINGATE INN	2,037,694
WINGATE INN	2,043,058
WINGATE INN and Design	2,089,627
BUILT FOR BUSINESS	2,031,031
FUTURE.RES	2,103,961
Shell Design	2,044,951