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Name (line 2) a Delaware limited liability company

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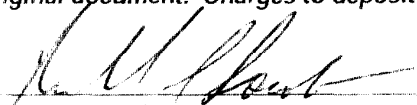
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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENTS

WHEREAS, Fresh Choice Produce, Inc., a California corporation, having a place of business at 126 Sun Street, Salinas, California 93915, is the owner of the United States Letters Patents and patent application listed in Schedule A attached hereto and any inventions or discoveries disclosed therein, by recorded assignment from the respective inventors of the patents and patent application; and

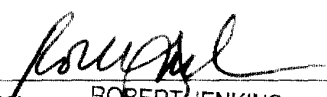
WHEREAS, NewStar Fresh Foods, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, having a place of business at 126 Sun Street, Salinas, California 93915, is desirous of acquiring full record title to said Patents and patent application and the inventions or discoveries defined therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, FRESH CHOICE PRODUCE, INC., by these presents does convey, sell, assign, transfer and set over to said NEWSTAR FRESH FOODS, LLC the full and exclusive interest in and to the said Patents and patent application, inventions or discoveries, in the United States and throughout the world as described in said Patents and patent application, or reissues thereof, to be held and enjoyed by the said NEWSTAR FRESH FOODS, LLC for its own use and benefit, and for its legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Patents, or reissues, as the case may be, may be granted, as fully and entirely as if the same would have been held by FRESH CHOICE PRODUCE, INC. had this assignment not been made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name on the date given below.

Dated: March 22, 1997.

FRESH CHOICE PRODUCE, INC.

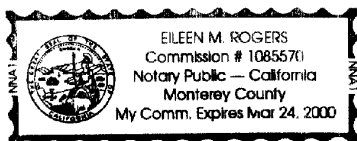
By 
Name: ROBERT JENKINS
Title: President

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
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On this the 22nd day of May, 1997, before me Eileen M. Rogers, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared Robert V. Jenkins personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person who executed the within instrument as President on behalf of Fresh Choice Produce, Inc., and acknowledged to me that Fresh Choice Produce, Inc. executed it.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.



Eileen M. Rogers
Notary Public

My commission expires:

March 24, 2000

Schedule A

1. Patent 4,967,545
Issued: November 6, 1990
HARVESTING APPARATUS FOR LEAFY VEGETABLES
Assignment Recorded October 6, 1989
Reel 5155; Frames 424-426