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In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby assign to Bestfoods, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 700 Sylvan Avenue, Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey 07632-9976, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in my invention or discovery in SAVOURY VEGETABLE PREPARATION AND PROCESS FOR ITS PRODUCTION and in the application for Letters Patent of the United States therefor, executed by me on Aug. 6th, 1999 and in any reissue, extension, division or continuation of any Letters Patent that may be granted upon said application or applications.

I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to said Bestfoods (the "Assignee").

For said consideration, I hereby agree upon the request of said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to execute any and all divisional and continuation applications for said invention or discovery, and any necessary oath or supplemental oath or affidavit relating thereto, and any application for the reissue or extension of any Letters Patent that may be granted upon said application that said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives or assigns may deem necessary or expedient, and for the said consideration I further agree upon the request of said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives or assigns, in the event of said application or any division thereof, or Letters Patent issued thereon, or any reissue or application for the reissue thereof, becoming involved in interference, to cooperate to the best of my ability with said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives or assigns in the matters of preparing and executing the preliminary statement and giving and producing evidence in support thereof, and I hereby agree to perform, upon such request, any and all affirmative acts to obtain said Letters Patent and vest all rights therein hereby conveyed in said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me if this assignment and sale had not been made. For said consideration I hereby also assign to said Bestfoods, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in said invention or discovery for any and all foreign countries, including all priority rights under convention, agreement or treaty, and agree upon the request of said Bestfoods,

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WITNESS my hand this

10th day of Aug., 1999

Karl Scharf
Karl Scharf

STATE OF)
) ss.:
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Subscribed and sworn to before me by Karl Scharf, personally known to me, this 10th day of Aug., 1999.

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