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WHEREAS, I, Qinghuang Geng, of Roseville, Minnesota and Susan M. Hayes-Jacobson, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, have invented certain new and useful improvements as described in an application entitled LEAVENED DOUGH EXTRUSION PROCESS for Letters Patent of the United States, the application having been executed on even date herewith, and/or being identifiable in the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Serial No. _____, filed _____; and

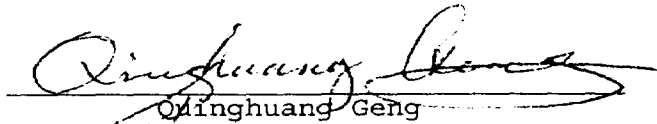
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NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, I transfer to Assignee, its successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the above-identified application, corresponding domestic and foreign applications, all Letters Patent or similar legal protection issuing thereon, and all rights and benefits under any applicable treaty or convention; and I authorize the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States or foreign equivalent thereof to issue the Letters Patent or similar legal protection to the Assignee.

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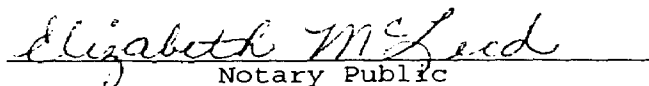
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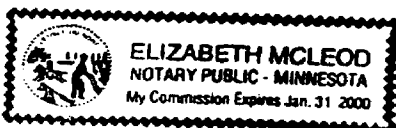

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