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Nirmal K. Sinha
Meena Sinha
Danielle J. Starlin

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes ☒ No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Graceland Fruit, Inc.

Internal Address:

Street Address: 1123 Main Street

City: Frankfort

State: Michigan ZIP: 49636

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Nirmal K. Sinha, residing at 542 Crystal Avenue, Frankfort, Michigan 49635 and Meena Sinha, residing at 542 Crystal Avenue, Frankfort, Michigan 49635 and Danielle J. Starlin, residing at 544 Crystal Avenue, Frankfort, Michigan 49635, respectively (hereinafter referred to as Assignors), have invented certain new and useful improvements in PROCESS FOR CONVERTING BRINED SWEET CHERRIES INTO SWEETENED DRIED RED CHERRY-LIKE PRODUCTS AND STABILIZED BLACK CHERRY-LIKE PRODUCTS for which an application for United States Letters Patent was executed on the date herewith.

WHEREAS, Graceland Fruit, Inc., a corporation of the state of Michigan, having a place of business at 1123 Main Street, Frankfort, Michigan 49636 (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, for other good and valuable considerations, Assignors hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee the full and exclusive right, title and interest to the said invention in the United States and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, continuation-in-part, and extensions thereof including the full right to claim for any such applications the benefits of the International Convention.

Assignors hereby authorize and request the Patent Office Officials in the United States and in any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said Assignee as the owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and behalf of said Assignee, its successors and assigns.

FURTHER, Assignors agree to communicate to said Assignee or its representatives any facts known to Assignors respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, substitution, renewal, and reissue applications, execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said Assignee, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Assignee, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands on the date appearing next to our signatures.

Witness:

Inventor:

Date:

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