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Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

**Grandeur Manufacturing, Inc.** 2200 Highway 67 East Jonesville, North Carolina 28642



2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

GoodMark Foods, Inc. 4851 Jones Sausage Road Garner, North Carolina 27529

Additional name(s) of conveying party(les) attached:res XNo	j 1
3. Nature of conveyance:	Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes X No
X Assignment Merger Security Agreement Change of Name Other	
Execution Dates: July 21, 2003	
4. Application Serial No. See Appendix A Attached Patent No.  If this document is being filed together with a new application, t is:	;
Additional numbers attached? X Yes No	
<ul> <li>5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:</li> <li>Julie H. Richardson, Esq.</li> <li>Myers Bigel Sibley &amp; Sajovec, P.A.</li> <li>P. O. Box 37428</li> </ul>	6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 6
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## APPENDIX A

Patent No.:	Serial No.:	Title:	Filing Date:	Attorney Docket No.:
	10/170,887	Food Transport Routing Systems, Devices and Guides for Food Processing Systems and Related Methods	06/13/2002	9281.3
	10/170,869	Automated Support Member Positioning and Removing Systems and Related Devices and Methods	06/13/2002	9281.4
	10/170,652	Automated Loaders or Winders and Related Systems, Devices and Methods	06/13/2002	9281.5
	10/171,862	Repetitive High-Density Packing Mechanisms for Arranging Suspended Lengths of Elongated Items in a Desired Orientation and Associated Methods	06/13/2002	9281.10
10/171,865	Automated Loading Devices and Associated Methods Used to Straddle Load Elongated Product onto a Receiving Member	06/13/2002	9281.11	
	10/172,331	Automated Supply, Load and Take-Away Systems and Related Devices and Methods for Lengths of Elongated Product	06/13/2002	9281.13

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## CONFIRMATORY ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT, made by **Grandeur Manufacturing**, **Inc.**, a North Carolina corporation having a principal place of business at 2200 67 East, Jonesville, North Carolina, hereinafter referred to as assignor;

WITNESSETH: That,

WHEREAS the above named corporation was the co-owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to certain United States and corresponding foreign patent applications as identified in the attached Exhibit A, by reason of Assignments from the inventors thereof;

WHEREAS, GoodMark Foods, Inc., a North Carolina corporation having a principal place of business at 4851 Jones Sausage Road, Garner, North Carolina 27529 ("GoodMark Foods"), hereinafter referred to as assignee, acquired the entire right, title, and interest in and to said GoodMark inventions as described in said patents and applications, and in and to any and all Letters Patent which shall be granted for such applications in the United States of America and all foreign countries from assignor;

NOW, THEREFORE, To All Whom It May Concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the above assignor has sold, assigned, transferred, and conveyed unto the said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions, patents and applications, and in and to any provisional applications that the patents and applications claim the benefit of priority, and in and to any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, or divisions thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America and all foreign countries or reissues thereof which may be granted therefor or thereon, and any Letters Patent thereon or reissues thereof which may be granted therefor or thereon, including all foreign countries, for the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, together with the right to claim priority in all foreign countries in accordance with the International Convention, the same to be held and enjoyed by said assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by assignor if this assignment and sale had not been made.

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The assignor further covenants and agrees that, at the time of the original transfer of assets, including the assets identified in Exhibit A, to the assignee, it possessed title to the inventions, patents and patent applications thereon as earlier identified, and that it has the unencumbered right and authority to make this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the assignor has caused this confirmatory assignment to be executed this 21 55 day of July, 2003.

STATE OF ) ss: COUNTY OF

Before me personally appeared, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes therein stated, this 3/5+ day of July ,2003.

Notary Public

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My Commission Expires: 6-2-08

**RECORDED: 07/31/2003** 

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