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hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto Kal Kan Foods, Inc.

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its successors, assigns and legal representatives (hereinafter called the "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest, for the United States, in and to certain inventions relating to

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AND I authorize and empower the said Assignee or nominees to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from me.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 01/08 day of August, 2003

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