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Serial No.: 10/676,826

Filed: September 30, 2003

In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we hereby assign to General Mills, Inc. a corporation of Delaware hereinafter referred to as "Assignee", its successors, legal representatives and assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to our invention or improvements in

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We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to said Assignee.

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WITNESS our hands and seal on the date(s) indicated.

Inventor MONFORTON, RANDAL J.

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Signature: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 6/22/04

On this 22nd day of June, 2004, before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared MONFORTON, RANDAL J. to me personally known to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they

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executed said instrument as their free and voluntary act and for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

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Carol J. Harms
Notary Public

Inventor FALASZ, DAWN

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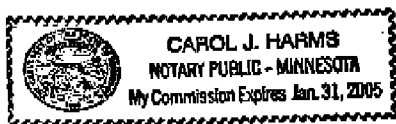
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On this 22nd day of June, 2004, before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared FALASZ, DAWN to me personally known to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed said instrument as their free and voluntary act and for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

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