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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, **BIOPRODUCTS, INC.**, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a place of business at 320 Springside Drive, Suite 300, Fairlawn, OH 44333, as assignor of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/715,198 filed November 17, 2003 entitled: **TRIPOLYPHOSPHATE PET FOOD PALATABILITY ENHANCERS**;

AND WHEREAS, **NUSCI LABORATORIES LLC**, a Delaware Limited Liability Company, having a place of business at 320 Springside Drive, Suite 300, Fairlawn, OH 44333, as assignee, desires to acquire the entire interest in said application and any Letters Patent which may issue thereon;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and confirm unto **NUSCI LABORATORIES LLC**, its successors, assigns and legal representatives all right, title and interest in and to said invention and any improvement thereon for all countries of the world, and in and to said application and any divisions, continuations, renewals and substitutes thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may issue thereon, and any reissues of the same; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all patents granted on said invention to **NUSCI LABORATORIES LLC** as the assignee of the patents granted on said invention to **NUSCI LABORATORIES LLC** as the assignee of the entire interest therein and we further agree to execute upon request of the assignee such additional documents, if any, as are necessary and proper to secure patent protection on said invention, and to otherwise give full effect to, and perfect the rights of the assignee under this Assignment.

Application No. 10/715,198

Docket No. P27,138 USA

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Assignment has been executed this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2006.

Allen J. Sandy  
Allen J. Sandy  
Chief Financial Officer of Bioproducts, Inc.

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On this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2006, appeared before me in person the above-named Allen J. Sandy and acknowledged the above to be his signature and that he executed the above instrument as his voluntary act and deed and for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Cory A. Mitchell Sanders  
Notary Public

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CORY A. MITCHELL-SANDERS  
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF OHIO  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 11-24-07