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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE,

Raul Fernandez, a citizen of the United States, residing at 1790 Lakeshore Circle, Weston 33326, County of Broward, and State of Florida;

Gonzalo Marquez, a citizen of Bolivia, residing at 600 NE 36th Street, Apt. 603, Miami 33137, County of Miami-Dade, and State of Florida;

Kevin Forsyth, a citizen of the United States, residing at 16766 NW 8th Street, Pembroke Pines 33028, County of Broward, and State of Florida;

Julio Vasquez, a citizen of Panama, residing at 1245 Ben Avon, Batavia 45103, County of Clermont, and state of Ohio;

Mark Bakhrakh, a citizen of Russia, residing at 4-th Krasnoarmeyskaya st. 17 app. 3, St. Petersburg 198005 Russia;

Yury Buch, a citizen of Russia, residing at Koroleva st. 27 b. 2 app. 187, St. Petersburg 198005 Russia;

Sergey Klimin, a citizen of Russia, residing at Ruzovskaya st. 5 app. 25, St. Petersburg 190013 Russia

Vladimir Vasiliev, a citizen of Russia, residing at Tallinskaya st. 4 app. 15, St. Petersburg 195196 Russia;

Oleg Feigenson, a citizen of Russia, residing at Vozrojdenia st. 15 app. 30, St. Petersburg 198188 Russia;

Ilya Ilyin, a citizen of Russia, residing at Grajdanskaya st. 7 app. 29, St. Petersburg 190031 Russia; and

Yuriy Yaess, a citizen of Russia, residing at 12-th Krasnoarmeyskaya st. 3 app. 30, St. Petersburg 198005 Russia,

(hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNORS"), have invented a METHOD FOR SEPARATING BANANA CLUSTERS INTO SEPARATE BANANAS, for which a Nonprovisional Patent Application Serial No. 11/427,166, has been filed in the United States on June 28, 2006; and

WHEREAS, Chiquita Brands, Inc., a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest therein:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, WE, the said ASSIGNORS, hereby sell, assign, and transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said provisional patent application, and U.S. utility patent applications based thereon, and all divisions, renewals, and continuations of said utility applications, and all patents of the United States which may be granted on said utility applications, and all reissues, reexaminations and extensions thereof; and all Patents of the

United States which may be granted thereon and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, and designs which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority rights derived from said United States application under Patent Laws of the United States, the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models and designs, which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals, reexaminations and reissues thereof;

ASSIGNORS HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

ASSIGNORS HEREBY grant the firm of Frost Brown Todd LLC the power to insert in this Assignment any further identification or information which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

ASSIGNORS HEREBY covenant and agree that they have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that they have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

ASSIGNORS HEREBY further covenant and agree that they will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to them respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue, reexamination and foreign applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.



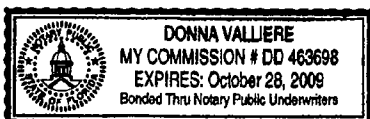
 Raul Fernandez

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24 day of July, 2006.



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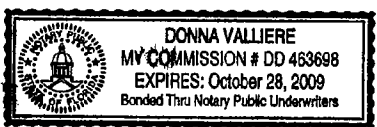
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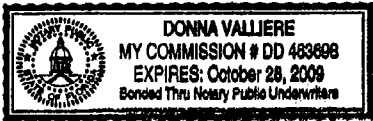


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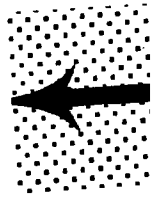
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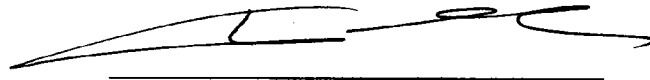
STATE OF Ohio)
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COUNTY OF Hamilton)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of August, 2006.

Barbara Lynn Kobasuk
Notary Public

BARBARA LYNN KOBASUK
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MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 09-04-07

Signed by:



Mark Bakhrakh

Date: July 26, 2006

Witnessed by: Rostislav Khorenyan
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Signed by:


Yury Buch

Date: July 26, 2006

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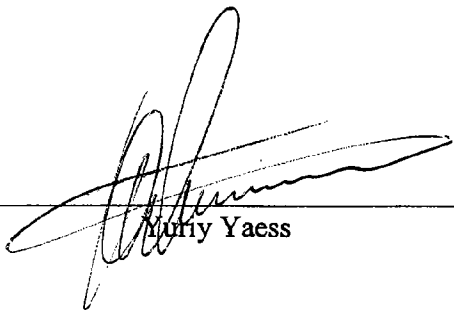
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Signed by:


Yuri Yaess

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