PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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Thomas R. Donahue			04/27/2009	
John L. Quinlain			04/24/2009	
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Postal Code:	72762			
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Thomas R. Donahue, a resident of Sioux City, Iowa and John L. Quinlain, a resident of Sioux City, Iowa (hereinafter referred to as "Assignors"), are the inventors of a certain new and useful invention relating to a METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REMOVING WATER FROM HIDE OF CATTLE for which Assignors are about to make application for Letters Patent in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Assignors are the owners and in full possession of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefor anywhere in the world; and

WHEREAS, Tyson Fresh Meats, Inc., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), having its principal office and place of business at 2210 West Oaklawn Drive, Springdale, Arkansas, 72762, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefor; and

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (U.S. \$1.00) and other valuable considerations to Assignors paid by said Assignee, receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and improvements thereto, and in and to any and all patent applications, including provisional and non-provisional patent applications, Letters Patent, both United States and foreign, that may be granted therefor, together with any and all continuations, divisions, or reissues, and Assignors do hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue in accordance with this

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PATENT REEL: 022646 FRAME: 0427 Assignment any and all Letters Patent that may be granted, either on said application or otherwise for said invention to Tyson Fresh Meats, Inc. as the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and benefit of Tyson Fresh Meats, Inc., its successors or assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal.

Dated: 4-27-0

STATE OF Nebraska) COUNTY OF Dakota)ss.

On this <u>27</u> day of ______, 2009, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Thomas R. Donahue to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto attached my hand and notarial seal, at the County and State aforesaid on the day and year last above written.

Kita Dr. Theailkill Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

GENERAL NOTARY - State of Nebraska RITA M. THRAILKILL My Comm. Exp. Sept. 18, 2009

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal.

Dated: 4-24-2009

STATE OF South DAKSTA) COUNTY OF Union) ss.)

On this <u>24</u> day of <u>April</u>, 2009, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared John L. Quinlain to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto attached my hand and notarial seal, at the County and State aforesaid on the day and year last above written.

Notary Public

SUE CONWAY Notary Public South Dakota

My Commission Expires: October 28,2011

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