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PATENT ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT

This PATENT ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT, effective as of December 10, 2015 (this "Assignment"), is made and entered into by and among Nutri-Vet, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Assignor"), and Nutri-Vet Wellness, LLC a Delaware limited liability company (the "Assignee"). Assignor and Assignee are sometimes herein referred to collectively as the "Parties" and individually as a "Party." Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings given to such terms in the Purchase Agreement (as defined herein).

WHEREAS, Assignor operates an animal feed manufacturing, sale and distribution business, including through the use of the certain patented inventions, including patents and patent applications as set forth in Exhibit A hereto (the "Patents"); and

WHEREAS, Assignor desires to assign all right, title and interest in and to the Patents, together with all inventions, know-how and other patentable subject matter arising from or relating thereto, to Assignee, and Assignee desires to acquire same.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the covenants and agreements contained herein, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, and intending to be legally bound, the Parties agree as follows:

1. Assignment. Assignor hereby irrevocably conveys, transfers, assigns, and delivers unto Assignee, absolutely and forever, its entire right, title, and interest in the United States and throughout the world, in and to the Patents, whether statutory or at common law, together with all goodwill arising from or related to the business symbolized by the Patents, the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for its own use and enjoyment, and for the use and enjoyment of its licensees, successors, assigns, and/or other legal representatives, including the right to sue for and receive all damages accruing from past, present and future infringement of the Patents, to be used as fully and entirely as such rights would have been held and enjoyed by each Assignor had this Assignment not been made. Assignor hereby represents and warrants to Assignee that it has the full right to convey the Patents herein assigned and that it has not executed, and covenants that it will not execute, any agreement in conflict with this Assignment.

2. Further Assurances. Assignor hereby agrees to take such actions and execute such documentation as may be required by any domestic or foreign intellectual property registrar or regulatory agency to transfer ownership of the Patents from Assignor to Assignee. Assignor hereby also agrees to execute such further assignments and related documents with respect to the Patents as Assignee shall reasonably request.

3. Unassignable Rights. To the extent any of the Patents cannot presently be assigned under applicable law pursuant to this Assignment, Assignor shall not sell, assign or transfer to any third party or register or use in any manner (except to take necessary steps to obtain registration) unassignable Patents or otherwise dispute or challenge Assignee's or its assignee's assignment, transfer, sale, registration or use of such unassignable Patents. In the event any such unassignable Patent subsequently becomes assignable, Assignor shall promptly take all necessary action to assign such Patents to Assignee, upon request thereof by Assignee.

4. Recordation. Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America, or with respect to any foreign patents or patent applications or registrations for such patents the foreign equivalent as the case may be, to record Assignee as owner of the Patents and to issue any and all registrations, including renewals thereof, to Assignee, its successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives.

5. Rights and Royalties. All rights and any income, royalties or payments otherwise due or payable to Assignor with respect to any Patents as of the date hereof or thereafter, will be held and enjoyed by Assignee, its successors, executors and permitted assigns.

6. Successors and Assigns. This Assignment shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of Assignor, Assignee and their respective successors and permitted assigns.

7. Headings. The article and section headings of this Assignment are for convenience of reference only and shall not be deemed to limit or affect any of the provisions hereof.

8. Governing Law. The law of the State of New York shall govern all questions concerning the construction, validity, interpretation and enforceability of this Assignment and the exhibits and schedules attached hereto, the determination of any contractual or non-contractual rights, duties or remedies of the parties arising out of or relating to this Assignment and the exhibits and schedules attached hereto, and the performance of the obligations imposed by this Assignment, without giving effect to any choice of law or conflict of law rules or provisions (whether of the State of New York or any other jurisdiction) that would cause the application of the Laws of any jurisdiction other than the State of New York.

9. Severability. Whenever possible, each provision of this Assignment shall be interpreted in such manner as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision of this Assignment or the application of any such provision to any Person or circumstance shall be held to be prohibited by or invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any respect by a court of competent jurisdiction, such provision shall be ineffective only to the extent of such prohibition or invalidity, illegality or unenforceability, without invalidating the remainder of such provision or the remaining provisions of this Assignment. Furthermore, in lieu of such illegal, invalid or unenforceable provision, there shall be added automatically as a part of this Assignment a legal, valid and enforceable provision as similar in terms to such illegal, invalid, or unenforceable provision as may be possible.

10. Entire Agreement. This Assignment, the other transaction documents contemplated by the Purchase Agreement and the agreements and documents referred to herein and therein contain the entire agreement and understanding between the parties hereto and thereto with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof and supersede all prior agreements and understandings.

11. Amendments; No Waiver. Any provision of this Assignment may be waived or amended if, and only if, such amendment or waiver is in writing and signed by all of the parties. No failure by any party hereto to insist upon the strict performance of any covenant, duty, agreement or condition of this Assignment, or to exercise any right or remedy consequent upon a

breach hereof, shall constitute a waiver of any such breach or any other covenant, duty, agreement or condition hereof.

12. No Third Party Beneficiaries. This Assignment is for the sole benefit of the parties hereto, their permitted assigns and nothing herein expressed or implied shall give or be construed to give any Person, other than the parties hereto and such permitted assigns, any legal or equitable rights hereunder.

13. Counterparts. This Assignment may be executed in one or more counterparts (including by means of facsimile pdf or other electronic signature pages), all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement, and shall become effective when one or more such counterparts have been signed by each of the parties and delivered to the other party.

[Signature pages follow]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor and Assignee have caused this Assignment to be executed by their duly authorized representatives effective on the date first written above.

ASSIGNEE:

NUTRI-VET WELLNESS, LLC

By: [Signature]
Name: John F. Howe
Title: CEO

ATTEST:

CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I Codie Ketcherside, a Notary Public in and for Saint Louis County, Missouri do hereby certify that John Howe, personally known to me to be the same person(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free act and deed on behalf of the identified limited liability company, Nutri-Vet Wellness, with authority to do so.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 4 day of December, 2015.

[Signature]

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 4/27/2019
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ASSIGNOR:

NUTRI-VET, LLC

By: 10-7-15

Name: Dean Triandafellos

Title: President

ATTEST:

CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I, Cathy A. Clarken-Gleason, a Notary Public in and for State of New Jersey do hereby certify that Dean Triandafellos, personally known to me to be the same person(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free act and deed on behalf of the identified company, Nutri-Vet LLC, with authority to do so.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 4th day of November, 2015.

Cathy A. Clarken-Gleason

Notary Public

CATHY A. CLARKEN-GLEASON
A Notary Public of New Jersey
My Commission Expires May 4, 2020

My Commission Expires: _____

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EXHIBIT A**PATENTS**

Matter Type	Country	Title	Filing Date	Serial No.	Issue / Reg. Date	Pat. No. / Reg. No.	Record Owner	Status
Utility	US	TREATING ARTHRITIS IN ANIMALS WITH DIETARY SUPPLEMENTS	8/18/2000	09/642,112	2/25/2003	6,524,609	Nutri-Vet, LLC	Issued
Utility	US	TREATING ARTHRITIS IN ANIMALS WITH DIETARY SUPPLEMENTS	11/18/2002	10/300,043	6/28/2005	6,911,215	Nutri-Vet, LLC	Issued