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### PATENTS

- 1) U.S. Design Patent No. D 345,487, entitled "Waffle Iron Plate", issued March 29, 1994;
- 2) U.S. Design Patent No. D 366,390, entitled "Griddle", issued January 23, 1996; and
- 3) French Design Registration No. 93 1676, entitled "Waffle Iron", registration filing date March 29, 1993, publication date July 30, 1993.

TRADEMARKS (assigned together with the associated goodwill of each of the trademarks listed below)

- 1) VITANTONIO and associated U.S. Trademark Reg. No. 2,450,854, issued 5/15/01;
- 2) VICTORIO and associated U.S. Trademark Reg. No. 1,203,402, issued 8/3/92;
- 3) PIZZELLE CHEF and associated U.S. Trademark Reg. No. 2,297,961, issued 12/7/99;
- 4) FIVE-OF-HEARTS and associated U.S. Trademark Reg. No. 1,555,668, issued 9/12/89;
- 5) BELGIAN 4 and associated U.S. Trademark Reg. No. 2,236,260 (Supplemental Register), issued 3/30/99;
- 6) RAVIOLI CHEF and associated expired U.S. Trademark Reg. No. 3/21/61;
- 7) VITANTONIO PRODUCTS;
- 8) VITANTONIO MANUFACTURING CO.;
- 9) VICTORIO COMPANY; and
- 10) VITANTONIO PREMIER and associated German Trademark Reg. No. 2,061,347.

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