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1. Name of conveying party(ies):  
PM NUTRITION COMPANY, LLC

Individual(s)       Association  
 General Partnership       Limited Partnership  
 Corporation-State  
 Other Limited Liability Company  
Delaware

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)  
Name: Purina Mills, LLC  
Internal Address: MS 2500  
Street Address: 4001 Lexington Avenue No.  
City: Arden Hills State: MN Zip: 55126

Individual(s) citizenship  
 Association  
 General Partnership  
 Limited Partnership  
 Corporation-State  
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If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:  Yes  No  
(Designations must be a separate document from assignment)  
Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?  Yes  No

3. Nature of conveyance:  
 Assignment       Merger  
 Security Agreement       Change of Name  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Execution Date: December 23, 2003

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):  
A. Trademark Application No.(s)  
B. Trademark Registration No.(s)  
See attached Exhibit A

Additional number(s) attached  Yes  No

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: .....  1

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:  
Name: Brenda Goebel  
Internal Address: MS 2500  
Street Address: 4001 Lexington Avenue No.  
City: Arden Hills State: MN Zip: 55126


7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 40  
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*To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.*

Peter S. Janzen  
Name of Person Signing

  
Signature

June 6, 2005  
Date

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EXHIBIT A

Mark

Registration Number

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1,332,477

**ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK REGISTRATIONS**

**WHEREAS**, on December 23, 2003, PM Nutrition Company, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company located at 1401 South Hanley Road, St. Louis, Missouri 63144 hereinafter ("PMN"), has adopted, used and is using the trademarks set forth on Exhibit A attached hereto; and

**WHEREAS**, Purina Mills, LLC, ("Purina Mills") a Delaware limited liability corporation whose mailing address is 1401 South Hanley Road, St. Louis, Missouri 63144 is desirous of acquiring such marks and the registration thereof for use in its business.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, PMN does hereby sell, transfer, and assign to Purina Mills all rights, title and interest it may have in and to such marks, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by such marks and the registrations identified above as of this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December, 2003..

PM Nutrition Company, LLC

By *Mike Doyle*

Print Name: Mike Doyle

Title: Secretary/Treasurer

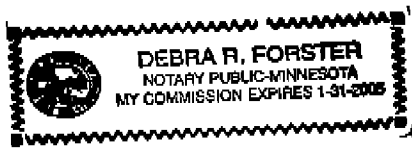
State of MINNESOTA)

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County of RAMSEY )

On this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December, 2003 before me appeared Mike Doyle, the person who signed this instrument, who acknowledged that he signed it as a free act on behalf of PM Nutrition Company, LLC.

*Debra R. Forster*  
Notary Public



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