

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT			
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	RELEASE BY SECURED PARTY			
CONVEYING PARTY DATA				
	Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
	CoBank, ACB, as Agent		09/26/2013	National Cooperative Bank: VIRGINIA
	CoBank, ACB, as Collateral Agent		09/26/2013	National Cooperative Bank: VIRGINIA
RECEIVING PARTY DATA				
Name:	CHS, Inc.			
Street Address:	5500 Cenex Dr.			
City:	Inver Grove Heights			
State/Country:	MINNESOTA			
Postal Code:	55077			
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: MINNESOTA			
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 11				
	Property Type	Number	Word Mark	
	Registration Number:	2021320	CARDINALS' CHOICE	
	Registration Number:	0829871	FEATHERED FRIEND	
	Registration Number:	1448763	FINCH DELIGHT	
	Registration Number:	1516596	FEATHERED FRIEND	
	Registration Number:	1554740	FEATHERED FRIEND	
	Registration Number:	1555798	FEATHERED FRIEND	
	Registration Number:	1132812	FLYERS' CHOICE	
	Registration Number:	2404862	WOODPECKER'S PICK	
	Registration Number:	2413188	CHICKADEE'S CHOICE	
	Registration Number:	2513516	SHELL-LESS SELECT	
	Registration Number:	1672726	BIRDSNACK	
CORRESPONDENCE DATA				

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Correspondence will be sent to the e-mail address first; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent via US Mail.

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Address Line 2: Two James Center

Address Line 4: Richmond, VIRGINIA 23219

NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Christopher J. Mugel
Signature:	/Christopher J. Mugel/
Date:	10/07/2013

Total Attachments: 4

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RELEASE OF TRADEMARK SECURITY INTEREST

This Release of Trademark Security Interest ("Release") dated September 26, 2013, is entered into by and between Southern States Cooperative, Incorporated, with an address of 6606 West Broad Street, Richmond, VA 23230 ("Southern States"), CoBank, ACB ("Agent") in its capacity as Agent to certain lenders pursuant to a certain Intercreditor and Agency Agreement dated September 18, 2001 ("Agency Agreement") and having as its address 5500 S. Quebec Street, Greenwood Village, CO 80111 ("Agent"), and CoBank, ACB in its capacity as Collateral Agent pursuant to said Agency Agreement ("Collateral Agent") (each a "Party" and collectively the "Parties").

WHEREAS Southern States and Agent entered into an Amended and Restated Loan and Security Agreement dated October 19, 2004 ("Loan Agreement"), and Southern States, Collateral Agent and Agent also entered into a Supplement to Amended and Restated Security Agreement on October 19, 2004 (Supplemental Security Agreement"), in which agreements Southern States granted to Agent and Collateral Agent a security interest in and to Southern States trademarks, service marks and trade names as identified in Schedule A-1 to the Supplemental Security Agreement:

WHEREAS the security interest in the marks identified in the Supplemental Security Agreement were filed with the Assignment Recordation Branch of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and recorded thereby on October 25, 2004 at Reel No. 3071/Frame No. 0747;

WHEREAS certain trademarks and service marks owned by CHS, Inc., a Minnesota corporation ("CHS") were inadvertently identified as Southern States marks and included among the marks against which the Southern States security interest was granted to Agent and Collateral Agent, which marks are identified in Schedule A hereto (the "CHS Marks");

WHEREAS, as it was not the owner of the CHS Marks, Southern States could not have granted a security interest in those marks: and

WHEREAS the Parties desire to correct the inadvertent and erroneous grant of a security interest in the CHS Marks and the recordation of same,

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for the covenants made herein and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which each Party acknowledges, CHS, Southern States, Agent and Collateral Agent hereby agree as follows:

1. Southern States did not own the CHS Marks at the time it inadvertently included the CHS Marks among the marks subject to the security interest granted in the Loan Agreement and the Supplemental Security Agreement, nor has it ever owned the CHS Marks. As such, the Parties agree that the purported grant of a security interest by Southern States in the CHS Marks was null, void and without any effect.

2. To whatever extent Agent and/or Collateral Agent nonetheless may have acquired or hold any security interest in, lien on or any other interest in the CHS Marks, as identified in Schedule A hereto, which Schedule A is hereby incorporated by reference, Agent and Collateral

Agent hereby jointly and severally release and terminate any such interest in the CHS Marks and assign same to CHS.

3. This Release may be executed in any number of counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument, and any party hereto may execute this Release by signing and delivering one or more counterparts. Delivery by facsimile or electronic transmission shall bind the parties hereto.

4. This Release agreed to be effective as of October 19, 2004.

SOUTHERN STATES COOPERATIVE, INC.

By: [Signature]
Its: General Counsel

CoBANK, ACB, as Agent

By: [Signature]
Its: Assistant Corporate Secretary

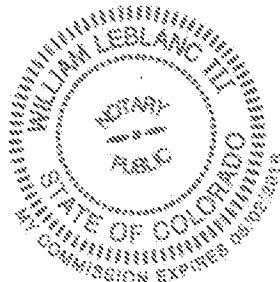
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

STATE OF Colorado : SS
COUNTY OF ARAPAHOE :

On this 26th day of September, 2013, before me appeared Alex Gierginski, the person who signed the foregoing instrument, who acknowledged that he or she signed it as a free act on behalf of CoBank, ACB, in its capacity as Agent pursuant to an Intercreditor and Agency Agreement dated September 18, 2001, and with authority to do so.

[Signature]
Notary Public

Notary registration number: 20004013061
My commission expires: 5/2/16



CoBANK, ACB, as Collateral Agent

By: [Signature]
Its: Assistant Corporate Secretary

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

STATE OF COLORADO SS
COUNTY OF ARAPAHOE

On this 26th day of September, 2013, before me appeared Alex Georgievski, the person who signed the foregoing instrument, who acknowledged that he or she signed it as a free act on behalf of CoBank, ACB, in its capacity as Collateral Agent pursuant to an Intercreditor and Agency Agreement dated September 18, 2001, and with authority to do so.

[Signature]
Notary Public

Notary registration number: 2000403061
My commission expires: 5/3/16



**Schedule A to Release of Trademark Security Interest
in CHS Marks**

MARK	SERIAL/ REG #	REG. DATE	GOODS/SERVICES
Cardinal's Choice	2,021,320	12/3/1996	Bird food
Feathered Friend	829,871	6/6/1967	Wild bird food consisting of sunflower seed in combination with other seeds and grains
Finch Delight	1,448,763	7/21/1987	Bird food
Feathered Friend & design	1,516,596	12/13/1988	Bird food
Feathered Friend	1,554,740	9/5/1989	Bird feeders
Feathered Friend & design	1,555,798	9/12/1989	Bird feeders
Flyer's Choice	1,132,812	4/8/1980	Bird food
Woodpecker's Pick	2,404,862	11/14/2000	Wild bird food
Chickadee's Choice	2,413,188	12/12/2000	Wild bird food
Shell-less Select	2,513,516	11/27/2001	Bird food without shells
Birdsnack	1,672,726	1/21/1992	Bird food
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