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# TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

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SUBMISSION TYPE: NEW ASSIGNMENT

NATURE OF CONVEYANCE: SECURITY INTEREST

#### **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
LIGNETICS OF NEW ENGLAND, INC.		01/31/2020	Corporation: DELAWARE

## **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	FIFTH THIRD BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Street Address:	6111 N. River Road
City:	Rosemont
State/Country:	ILLINOIS
Postal Code:	60018
Entity Type:	National Banking Association: UNITED STATES

## **PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 4**

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	4738022	WARM FRONT PREMIUM GRADE WOOD PELLETS
Registration Number:	4738020	GREEN SUPREME PREMIUM WOOD PELLETS
Registration Number:	4738021	NEW ENGLAND PREMIUM WOOD PELLETS
Registration Number:	4738041	NEW ENGLAND WOOD PELLET

## CORRESPONDENCE DATA

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NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Elizabeth M. O'Donoghue	
SIGNATURE:	/elizabeth m. o'donoghue/	
DATE SIGNED:	02/18/2020	

**Total Attachments: 5** 

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#### TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT

This Trademark Security Agreement ("Trademark Security Agreement"), dated as of January 31, 2020, is made by LIGNETICS OF NEW ENGLAND, INC. ("Grantor") in favor of FIFTH THIRD BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as administrative agent to the Lenders (as defined below) (the "Administrative Agent").

Grantor, certain affiliates of the Grantor, the financial institutions a party thereto from time to time (the "Lenders") and Administrative Agent have entered into a Credit and Security Agreement dated as of even date herewith (as amended, restated, renewed or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Credit Agreement").

Under the terms of the Credit Agreement, Grantor has granted to Administrative Agent, for the ratable benefit of the Credit Parties (as defined in the Credit Agreement), a security interest in, among other property, certain intellectual property of Grantor, and has agreed to execute and deliver this Trademark Security Agreement, for recording with national, federal and state government authorities, including, but not limited to, the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Grantor and Administrative Agent therefore agree as follows:

- 1. **Grant of Security**. Grantor hereby grants to Administrative Agent, for the ratable benefit of the Credit Parties, a security interest in and to all of the right, title and interest of Grantor in, to and under the following, wherever located, and whether now existing or hereafter arising or acquired from time to time (the "**Trademark Collateral**"):
- (a) the trademark registrations, trademark applications, and trademark licenses set forth in **Schedule 1** hereto, together with the goodwill connected with the use of and symbolized thereby and all extensions and renewals thereof (the "**Trademarks**"), excluding only United States intent-to-use trademark applications to the extent that and solely during the period in which the grant of a security interest therein would impair, under applicable federal law, the registrability of such applications or the validity or enforceability of registrations issuing from such applications;
- (b) all rights of any kind whatsoever of Grantor accruing under any of the foregoing provided by applicable law of any jurisdiction, by international treaties and conventions and otherwise throughout the world;
- (c) any and all royalties, fees, income, payments and other proceeds now or hereafter due or payable with respect to any and all of the foregoing; and
- (d) any and all claims and causes of action, with respect to any of the foregoing, whether occurring before, on or after the date hereof, including all rights to and claims for damages, restitution and injunctive and other legal and equitable relief for past, present and future infringement, misappropriation, violation, misuse, breach or default, with the right but no obligation to sue for such legal and equitable relief and to collect, or otherwise recover, any such damages.
- 2. **Recordation**. Grantor authorizes the Commissioner for Trademarks and any other government officials to record and register this Trademark Security Agreement upon Administrative Agent's request.
- 3. **Loan Documents**. This Trademark Security Agreement has been entered into pursuant to and in conjunction with the Credit Agreement, which is hereby incorporated by reference. The provisions of the Credit Agreement shall supersede and control over any conflicting or inconsistent provision herein. The rights and remedies of Administrative Agent with respect to the Trademark Collateral are as provided by

the Credit Agreement and related documents, and nothing in this Trademark Security Agreement shall be deemed to limit such rights and remedies.

- 4. **Execution in Counterparts**. This Trademark Security Agreement may be executed in counterparts (and by different parties hereto in different counterparts), each of which shall constitute an original, but all of which when taken together shall constitute a single contract. Delivery of an executed counterpart of a signature page to this Trademark Security Agreement by facsimile or in electronic (i.e., "pdf" or "tif" format) shall be effective as delivery of a manually executed counterpart of this Trademark Security Agreement.
- 5. Successors and Assigns. This Trademark Security Agreement will be binding on and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.
- 6. **Governing Law**. This Trademark Security Agreement and any claim, controversy, dispute or cause of action (whether in contract or tort or otherwise) based upon, arising out of or relating to this Trademark Security Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of Illinois.

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Grantor and Administrative Agent have executed this Trademark Security Agreement as of the date set forth in the introductory paragraph.

FIFTH THIRD BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as Administrative Agent

Name: William A. Stapel

Title: Senior Vice President - Managing

Director

Grantor and Administrative Agent have executed this Trademark Security Agreement as of the date set forth in the introductory paragraph.

LIGNETICS OF NEW ENGLAND, INC.

Name: William I. Morris

Title: Vice President

[Signature Page to Trademark Security Agreement]

SCHEDULE 1
TRADEMARK REGISTRATIONS, APPLICATIONS, AND LICENSES

Owner	Trademark	Registration #	Issue Date
Lignetics of New England, Inc.	Warm Front Premium Grade Wood Pellets	4,738,022	May 19, 2015
Lignetics of New England, Inc.	Green Supreme Premium Wood Pellets	4,738,020	May 19, 2015
Lignetics of New England, Inc.	New England Premium Wood Pellets	4,738,021	May 19, 2015
Lignetics of New England, Inc.	New England Wood Pellet	4,738,041	May 19, 2015

# **Common Law Trademarks**

Owner Trademark		
Lignetics of New England, Inc.	Allegheny Pellet	
Lignetics of New England, Inc.	Keystone Pellet	

Schedule 1 to Trademark Security Agreement

**RECORDED: 02/18/2020**