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- Security Agreement  Nunc Pro Tunc Assignment  
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- Change of Name
- Other

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**Correspondent Name and Address**

Area Code and Telephone Number

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Deposit Account

(Enter for payment by deposit account or if additional fees can be charged to the account.)

Deposit Account Number: #

Authorization to charge additional fees: Yes  No

**Statement and Signature**

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. Charges to deposit account are authorized, as indicated herein.

Jeffrey T. Leonard  
Name of Person Signing

Jeffrey Leonard  
Signature

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**RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS AND LICENSES**

THIS RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS (this "Release") is made as of the 16 day of December, 1999, between ALLIED FOODS, LLC, a Georgia limited liability company, as Grantor ("Allied") and CREDITANSTALT CORPORATE FINANCE, INC., a Delaware corporation, as Grantee ("Lender").

WHEREAS, in order to induce Lender to make loans and extend credit to Allied, Allied agreed to assign and did assign to Lender a security interest in and to Allied's trademarks and trademark licenses (the "Marks") pursuant to that certain Trademark Security Agreement dated as of August 5, 1998 and effective as of January 31, 1998, (the "Trademark Security Agreement");

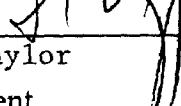
WHEREAS, Allied having paid the obligations secured by and satisfied the terms and conditions set forth in the Trademark Security Agreement, Lender hereby agrees to execute this Release.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises contained herein and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Lender does hereby grant, convey, assign, sell and transfer to Allied, without recourse, its security interest in and to the Marks set forth on the attached Schedule I and the Licenses set forth on the attached Schedule 2. Grantor does hereby further release and forever discharge all right, title and interest in and to all liens in and to the Marks and the Licenses, including without limitation the liens created by the Trademark Security Agreement, and does expressly release any and all rights that the undersigned may now or hereafter have to establish or enforce said lien or liens.

EXECUTED as of the day and year set forth above.

"LENDER"

BANK AUSTRIA CREDITANSTALT  
CORPORATE FINANCE, INC.  
f/k/a Creditanstalt Corporate Finance, Inc.

By:   
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John G. Taylor  
Vice President

By:   
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Name: Richard W. VARALLA  
Title: ASSOCIATE

**SCHEDULE 1**

**LIST OF TRADEMARKS**

<u>TRADEMARK</u>	<u>REG. NO.</u>	<u>REG. DATE</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
TONY and Design	2,053,927	04-22-97	
RIVAL	1,911,660	08-15-95	
TWIN PET	1,853,766	11-13-94	
FELIX and Design	1,748,759	01-26-93	
HUSKY	1,804,673	11-16-93	
STRONGHEART DOG FOOD and Design	1,712,027	09-01-92	
FELIX	1,712,026	09-01-92	
KAM	1,699,300	07-07-92	
HUSKY	1,606,610	07-17-90	
TWIN PET	1,398,739	06-24-86	Canceled.
SNAPPY (Stylized Letters)	1,358,328	09-03-85	Canceled.
GOLD SEAL and Design	1,278,237	05-15-84	Canceled.
PENNY CLASSIC (Stylized Letters)	1,272,049	03-27-84	Canceled.
PENNY and Design	1,205,642	08-17-82	Canceled.
DUCHESS (Stylized Letters)	1,205,641	08-17-82	Canceled.
NEAT TREATS	1,091,052	09-09-78	
BLUE RIBBON RECIPE and Design	1,036,933	03-30-76	Expired.
IDEAL	805,709	03-15-66	Expired.
HENNY PEN	793,720	08-03-65	Renewed.
PICNIC and Design	767,271	03-24-64	Renewed.
RUSTY and Design	737,986	09-18-62	Renewed.
KITTY (Stylized Letters)	702,658	08-09-60	Renewed.
POINTER	702,364	08-02-60	Renewed.
TONY and Design	688,798	11-24-59	Renewed.
CHIC-E (Stylized Letters)	638,859	12-18-56	Expired.
PENNY and Design	604,544	04-12-55	Expired.
BOWL-O-BEAUTY (Stylized Letters)	584,789	01-19-54	Expired.

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HI-VI (Stylized Letters)	584,787	01-19-54	Renewed.
HARDI and Design	546,033	07-31-51	Expired.
CALO (Stylized Letters)	544,791	07-10-51	Expired.
DELIGHT (Stylized Letters)	333,391	03-17-36	Expired.
SNAPPY and Design	331,427	01-07-36	Expired.
RED HEART (Stylized Letters)	317,414	09-25-34	Expired.
VICTORY (Stylized Letters)	303,903	06-13-33	Renewed.
IDEAL	237,507	01-10-28	Expired.

<u>TRADEMARK</u>	<u>APPLN. NO.</u>	<u>FILING DATE</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
TWIN PET	74/473,293	12-27-93	Abandoned.
NATURALLY GOOD and Design	73/550,910	07-29-85	Abandoned.

Schedule 2

TRADEMARK LICENSES

<u>LICENSEE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
Farmland Industries, Inc. Attn: Jay Lubarsky P.O. Box 7305 Kansas City, MO 64116-0005	License and Sale Agreement dated February 14, 1996 licensing the right to manufacture, distribute, and sell dry pet food in the United States under certain trademarks and tradenames.
Strongheart Products, Inc. 1601 West McKay Frontenac, KS 66763	License Agreement dated August 25, 1995 for Strongheart's use of the Strongheart trademark, trade name and label in connection with the manufacture, distribution, and sale of dry pet food outside of the United States.