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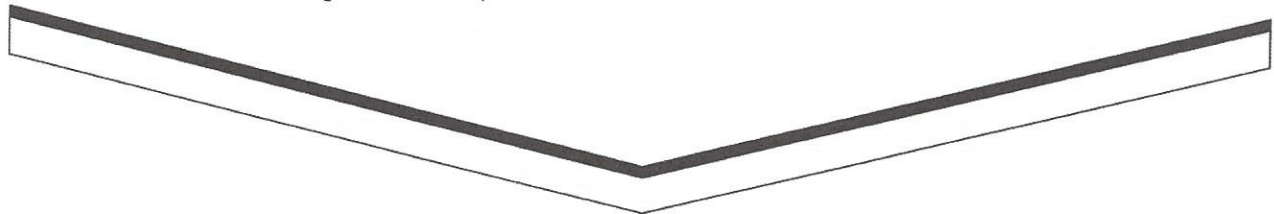
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Trademark/Service Mark Application, Principal Register Handwritten Signature

To the Commissioner for Trademarks:

MARK: (Stylized and/or Design, see below)



The applicant is not claiming color as a feature of the mark. The mark consists of a chevron design with lighter and darker borders.

The applicant, RIVIANA FOODS INC., a corporation of Delaware, having an address of

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requests registration of the trademark/service mark identified above in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on the Principal Register established by the Act of July 5, 1946 (15 U.S.C. Section 1051 et seq.), as amended, for the following:

International Class 030: Rice.

Intent to Use: The applicant has a bona fide intention, and is entitled, to use the mark in commerce on or in connection with the identified goods/services.

The applicant hereby appoints DENNIS S. PRAHL. Other appointed attorneys are Lanning G. Bryer, Bharati Bakshani, Matthew D. Asbell, Ralph H. Cathcart, Michael A. Cornman, Jay A. Bondell, Scott J. Lebson and Sebastian Lovera Riso. DENNIS S. PRAHL of Ladas & Parry LLP, is a member of the New York bar, admitted to the bar in 1990, bar membership no. 2359644, and the attorney(s) is located at

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A fee payment in the amount of \$275 will be submitted with the application, representing payment for 1 class(es).

Declaration

Read the following statements before signing. Acknowledge the statements by signing below.

• Basis:**If the applicant is filing the application based on use in commerce under 15 U.S.C. § 1051(a):**

- The signatory believes that the applicant is the owner of the trademark/service mark sought to be registered;
- The mark is in use in commerce on or in connection with the goods/services in the application;
- The specimen(s) shows the mark as used on or in connection with the goods/services in the application; and
- To the best of the signatory's knowledge and belief, the facts recited in the application are accurate.

And/Or**If the applicant is filing the application based on an intent to use the mark in commerce under 15 U.S.C. § 1051(b), § 1126(d), and/or § 1126(e):**

- The signatory believes that the applicant is entitled to use the mark in commerce;
 - The applicant has a bona fide intention to use the mark in commerce on or in connection with the goods/services in the application; and
 - To the best of the signatory's knowledge and belief, the facts recited in the application are accurate.
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- To the best of the signatory's knowledge and belief, no other persons, except, if applicable, concurrent users, have the right to use the mark in commerce, either in the identical form or in such near resemblance as to be likely, when used on or in connection with the goods/services of such other persons, to cause confusion or mistake, or to deceive.
 - To the best of the signatory's knowledge, information, and belief, formed after an inquiry reasonable under the circumstances, the allegations and other factual contentions made above have evidentiary support.
 - The signatory being warned that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, and that such willful false statements and the like may jeopardize the validity of the application or submission or any registration resulting therefrom, declares that all statements made of his/her own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

Signature Section:

NOTE: The same person may sign the declaration on behalf of the other joint applicant(s), by merely making

identical entries. The USPTO will presume that the one person who has signed was, in fact, authorized to sign on behalf of the other person(s).

Signature: Elizabeth B. Woodard

Signatory's Name: Elizabeth B. Woodard

Signatory's Position: Sr. Vice President & General Counsel

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