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REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

B&G FOODS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

13-3918742 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Four Gatehall Drive Parsippany, NJ 07054 973.401.6500

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: From time to time after the effective date of this registration statement as determined by the registrant.

If the only securities being registered on this Form are being offered pursuant to dividend or interest reinvestment plans, please check the following box: o

If any of the securities being registered on this Form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, other than securities offered only in connection with dividend or interest reinvestment plans, check the following box.

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Large accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer o

Accelerated filer o

Smaller reporting company o

Emerging growth company o

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 7(a)(2)(B) of Securities Act. o

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of Each Class of Securities to be Registered	Amount to be Registered(1)(2)	Proposed Maximum Offering Price Per Unit(1)(2)	Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price(1)(2)	Amount of Registration Fee(3)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share				
Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share				
Debt Securities				
Subsidiary Guarantees of Debt Securities(4)				
Warrants				
Units				
TOTAL				

- (1) Omitted pursuant to Form S-3 General Instruction II.E.
- (2) An unspecified amount of the securities of each identified class of securities is being registered for possible issuance from time to time at indeterminate prices. Separate consideration may or may not be received for securities that are issuable on exercise, conversion or exchange of other securities or that are issued in units. In accordance with Rules 456(b) and 457(r) under the Securities Act, we are deferring payment of all applicable registration fees.
- (3) Deferred in reliance upon Rule 456(b) and Rule 457(r) under the Securities Act.
- (4) Includes an indeterminate amount of subsidiary guarantees of the debt securities by the additional registrants named herein. No additional consideration will be received for the subsidiary guarantees, if any, of the debt securities. Pursuant to Rule 457(n) under the Securities Act, no additional filing fee is required in connection with the subsidiary guarantees of the debt securities.

B&G FOODS, INC. Table of Additional Registrants

Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter	Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization	IRS Employer Identification Number
B&G Foods North America, Inc.	Delaware	22-3640377
B&G Foods Snacks, Inc.	Delaware	46-1040154
Back To Nature Foods Company, LLC	Delaware	80-0861219
Back To Nature Foods ServCo, LLC	Delaware	46-3722253
Bear Creek Country Kitchens, LLC	Delaware	52-2409215
BTN Foods ServCo Corporation	Delaware	46-3735680
BTN Holdco, Inc.	Delaware	80-0861359
Clabber Girl Corporation	Indiana	35-2150132
Spartan Foods of America, Inc.	Delaware	20-2424405
Victoria Fine Foods, LLC	Delaware	27-4481075
William Underwood Company	Massachusetts	04-1919830

The address, including zip code, and telephone, including area code, of the principal executive offices of each additional registrant listed above is: c/o B&G Foods, Inc., Four Gatehall Drive, Parsippany, NJ 07054; their telephone number at that address is 973.401.6500.

The name, address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of the agent for service of each additional registrant listed above is: Scott E. Lerner, Executive Vice President, General Counsel, Secretary and Chief Compliance Officer, B&G Foods, Inc., Four Gatehall Drive, Parsippany, NJ 07054; 973.401.6500.



Common Stock Preferred Stock Debt Securities Warrants Units

We may offer and sell, from time to time in one or more offerings, together or separately, common stock, preferred stock, debt securities, warrants or units. This prospectus also covers subsidiary guarantees, if any, of our payment obligations under any debt securities, which may be given by our subsidiaries, on terms to be determined at the time of the offering.

We will provide the specific terms of these securities in supplements to this prospectus. The prospectus supplement may also add, update or change information in this prospectus. Before you invest, we urge you to read carefully this prospectus and any prospectus supplement, as well as the documents incorporated by reference or deemed to be incorporated by reference into this prospectus.

We will sell these securities directly, or through agents, dealers or underwriters as designated from time to time, or through a combination of these methods. The prospectus supplement for each offering of securities will describe in detail the plan of distribution for that offering. For general information about the distribution of securities offered, please see "Plan of Distribution" in this prospectus. If our agents or any dealers or underwriters are involved in the sale of the securities, the applicable prospectus supplement will set forth any applicable commissions or discounts. Our net proceeds from the sale of securities also will be set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement.

This prospectus may not be used to offer or sell our securities unless accompanied by a prospectus supplement.

Shares of our common stock are traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "BGS." Each prospectus supplement will indicate if the securities offered thereby will be listed on the New York Stock Exchange or any other securities exchange.

	The mailing address of our principal executive offices is Four Gatehall Drive, Parsippany, NJ 07054, and our telephone number is 973.401.6500.
	Investing in our securities involves a high degree of risk which is described in the "Risk Factors" section beginning or ge iii of this prospectus. We urge you to carefully read the "Risk Factors" section before you make your investment cision.
let.	Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities or

The date of this prospectus is August 7, 2019

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ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS

This prospectus is part of a registration statement that we filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) using a "shelf" registration process. Under this shelf registration process, we may offer from time to time, in one or more offerings, together or separately, common stock, preferred stock, debt securities, warrants or units. Each time we offer securities, we will provide you with a prospectus supplement that describes the specific amounts, prices and terms of the securities we offer. The prospectus supplement also may add, update or change information contained in this prospectus. You should read carefully both this prospectus and any prospectus supplement together with additional information described below under the caption "Where You Can Find More Information."

This prospectus does not contain all the information provided in the registration statement we filed with the SEC. For further information about us or our securities offered hereby, you should refer to that registration statement, which you can obtain from the SEC as described below under the heading "Where You Can Find More Information."

We have not authorized anyone to provide information or to make any representations other than those contained in this prospectus or a prospectus supplement. We take no responsibility for, and can provide no assurance as to the reliability of, any other information that others may give you. This prospectus is not an offer to sell securities, and it is not soliciting an offer to buy securities in any jurisdiction where the offer or sale is not permitted. You should assume that the information appearing in this prospectus or any prospectus supplement, as well as information we have previously filed with the SEC and incorporated by reference, is accurate as of the date on the front of those documents only. Our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects may have changed since those dates.

We may sell securities through underwriters or dealers, through agents, directly to purchasers or through a combination of these methods. We and our agents reserve the sole right to accept or reject, in whole or in part, any proposed purchase of securities. The prospectus supplement, which we will provide to you each time we offer securities, will set forth the names of any underwriters, dealers, agents or others involved in the sale of securities and any applicable fee, commission or discount arrangements with them. See the information described below under the heading "Plan of Distribution."

The terms "B&G Foods," "our," "we" and "us," as used in this prospectus, refer to B&G Foods, Inc. and its wholly-owned subsidiaries, except where it is clear that the term refers only to the parent company.

RISK FACTORS

Before making an investment decision, you should carefully consider the risks described under "Risk Factors" in the applicable prospectus supplement and in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K, or any updates in our Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, together with all of the other information appearing in this prospectus or incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference into this prospectus and any applicable prospectus supplement, in light of your particular investment objectives and financial circumstances. Our business, financial condition or results of operations could be materially adversely affected by any of these risks. The trading price of our securities could decline due to any of these risks, and you may lose all or part of your investment.

SPECIAL NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This prospectus and the documents incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference in this prospectus, and each prospectus supplement relating to a particular offering of securities, contain forward-looking statements. The words "believes," "belief," "expects," "projects," "intends," "anticipates," "assumes," "could," "should," "estimates," "potential," "seek," "predict," "may," "will" or "plans" and similar references to future periods are intended to identify forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause our actual results, performance and achievements, or industry results, to be materially different from any future results, performance, or achievements expressed or implied by any forward-looking statements. We believe important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from our expectations include the following:

- our substantial leverage;
- the effects of rising costs for our raw materials, packaging and ingredients;
- crude oil prices and their impact on distribution, packaging and energy costs;
- our ability to successfully implement sales price increases and cost saving measures to offset any cost increases;
- intense competition, changes in consumer preferences, demand for our products and local economic and market conditions;
- our continued ability to promote brand equity successfully, to anticipate and respond to new consumer trends, to develop new products and
 markets, to broaden brand portfolios in order to compete effectively with lower priced products and in markets that are consolidating at the retail
 and manufacturing levels, and to improve productivity;
- the risks associated with the expansion of our business;
- our possible inability to identify new acquisitions or to integrate recent or future acquisitions or our failure to realize anticipated revenue enhancements, cost savings or other synergies;
- tax reform legislation, including the effects of the U.S. Tax Cuts and Jobs Act;
- our ability to access the credit markets and our borrowing costs and credit ratings, which may be influenced by credit markets generally and the credit ratings of our competitors;
- unanticipated expenses, including, without limitation, litigation or legal settlement expenses;
- the effects of currency movements of the Canadian dollar and the Mexican peso as compared to the U.S. dollar;
- the effects of international trade disputes, tariffs, quotas, and other import or export restrictions on our international procurement, sales and
 operations;
- future impairments of our goodwill and intangible assets;
- · our ability to successfully complete the implementation of and operate a new enterprise resource planning (ERP) system;
- our ability to protect information systems against, or effectively respond to, a cybersecurity incident or other disruption;
- our sustainability initiatives and changes to environmental laws and regulations;

- other factors that affect the food industry generally, including:
 - recalls if products become adulterated or misbranded, liability if product consumption causes injury, ingredient disclosure and labeling laws and regulations and the possibility that consumers could lose confidence in the safety and quality of certain food products;
 - competitors' pricing practices and promotional spending levels;
 - fluctuations in the level of our customers' inventories and credit and other business risks related to our customers operating in a challenging economic and competitive environment; and
 - the risks associated with third-party suppliers and co-packers, including the risk that any failure by one or more of our third-party suppliers or co-packers to comply with food safety or other laws and regulations may disrupt our supply of raw materials or certain finished goods products or injure our reputation; and
- other factors discussed under "Risk Factors" or elsewhere in this prospectus and the documents incorporated or deemed incorporated herein by reference.

Developments in any of these areas, which are more fully described elsewhere in this prospectus and the documents incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference in this prospectus, and each applicable prospectus supplement, could cause our results to differ materially from results that have been or may be projected by us or on our behalf.

All forward-looking statements included in this prospectus are based on information available to us on the date of this prospectus. We undertake no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. All subsequent written and oral forward-looking statements attributable to us or persons acting on our behalf are expressly qualified in their entirety by the cautionary statements contained in this prospectus.

We caution that the foregoing list of important factors is not exclusive. There may be other factors that may cause our actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements, including factors disclosed elsewhere in this prospectus or incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference in this prospectus or any applicable prospectus supplement. You should evaluate all forward-looking statements in the context of these risks and uncertainties. We urge you not to unduly rely on forward-looking statements contained or incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference in this prospectus or any applicable prospectus supplement.

THE COMPANY

We manufacture, sell and distribute a diverse portfolio of branded, high quality, shelf-stable and frozen food and household products across the United States, Canada and Puerto Rico. Many of our branded products have leading regional or national market shares. In general, we position our branded products to appeal to the consumer desiring a high quality and reasonably priced product. We complement our branded product retail sales with institutional and foodservice sales and private label sales.

Our company has been built upon a successful track record of acquisition-driven growth. Our goal is to continue to increase sales, profitability and cash flows through strategic acquisitions, new product development and organic growth. We intend to implement our growth strategy through the following initiatives: expanding our brand portfolio with disciplined acquisitions of complementary branded businesses, continuing to develop new products and delivering them to market quickly, leveraging our multiple-channel sales and distribution system and continuing to focus on higher growth customers and distribution channels. Since 1996, we have successfully acquired and integrated more than 50 brands into our company.

Our products include frozen and canned vegetables, oatmeal and other hot cereals, fruit spreads, canned meats and beans, bagel chips, spices, seasonings, hot sauces, wine vinegar, maple syrup, molasses, salad dressings, pizza crusts, Mexican-style sauces, dry soups, taco shells and kits, salsas, pickles, peppers, tomatobased products, cookies and crackers, nut clusters and other specialty products. Our products are marketed under many recognized brands, including *Ac'cent*, *B&G*, *B&M*, *Back to Nature*, *Baker's Joy*, *Bear Creek Country Kitchens*, *Brer Rabbit*, *Canoleo*, *Cary's*, *Clabber Girl*, *Cream of Rice*, *Cream of Wheat*, *Davis*, *Devonsheer*, *Don Pepino*, *Durkee*, *Emeril's*, *Grandma's Molasses*, *Green Giant*, *JJ Flats*, *Joan of Arc*, *Las Palmas*, *Le Sueur*, *MacDonald's*, *Mama Mary's*, *Maple Grove Farms of Vermont*, *McCann's*, *Molly McButter*, *Mrs. Dash*, *New York Flatbreads*, *New York Style*, *Old London*, *Ortega*, *Polaner*, *Red Devil*, *Regina*, *Rumford*, *Sa-són*, *Sclafani*, *SnackWell's*, *Spice Islands*, *Spring Tree*, *Sugar Twin*, *Tone's*, *Trappey's*, *TrueNorth*, *Underwood*, *Vermont Maid*, *Victoria*, *Weber and Wright's*. We also sell and distribute *Static Guard*, a household product brand. We compete in the retail grocery, foodservice, specialty, private label, club and mass merchandiser channels of distribution. We sell and distribute our products directly and via a network of independent brokers and distributors to supermarket chains, foodservice outlets, mass merchants, warehouse clubs, non-food outlets and specialty distributors.

B&G Foods, including our subsidiaries and predecessors, has been in business for over 125 years. We were incorporated in Delaware on November 25, 1996 under the name B Companies Holdings Corp. On August 11, 1997, we changed our name to B&G Foods Holdings Corp. On October 14, 2004, simultaneously with the completion of our initial public offering, B&G Foods, Inc., then our wholly owned subsidiary, was merged with and into us and we were renamed B&G Foods, Inc. Our executive offices are located at Four Gatehall Drive, Parsippany, NJ, 07054, and our telephone number is 973.401.6500. We maintain a website at www.bgfoods.com. The information on our website is not a part of this prospectus or incorporated by reference herein.

USE OF PROCEEDS

Except as otherwise provided in a prospectus supplement, we will use the net proceeds from the sale of the securities for general corporate purposes, which may include reducing or refinancing our outstanding indebtedness, increasing our working capital or financing acquisitions and capital expenditures. When a particular series of securities is offered, the prospectus supplement relating to that offering will set forth our intended use of the net proceeds received from the sale of those securities. Pending the application of the net proceeds for these purposes, we expect to invest the proceeds in short-term, interest-bearing instruments or other investment-grade securities.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE SECURITIES WE MAY OFFER

We, directly or through agents, dealers or underwriters designated from time to time, may offer, issue and sell, together or separately:

- shares of our common stock;
- shares of our preferred stock;
- debt securities, in one or more series, and which may be guaranteed by certain of our subsidiaries;
- · warrants to purchase our debt or equity securities; or
- any combination of the foregoing, either individually or as units consisting of one or more of the foregoing, each on terms to be determined at the time of sale.

We may issue debt securities that are exchangeable for or convertible into shares of our common stock or our preferred stock. The preferred stock may also be exchangeable for and/or convertible into shares of our common stock or another series of our preferred stock.

When a particular series of securities is offered, a supplement to this prospectus will be delivered with this prospectus, which will set forth the terms of the offering and sale of the offered securities, as well as complete descriptions of the security or securities to be offered pursuant to the prospectus supplement. The summary descriptions of securities included in this prospectus are not meant to be complete descriptions of each security.

DESCRIPTION OF CAPITAL STOCK

General

The following description of common stock and preferred stock, together with the additional information we include in any applicable prospectus supplements, summarizes the material terms and provisions of the common stock and preferred stock that we may offer under this prospectus. For the complete terms of our common stock and preferred stock, please refer to our certificate of incorporation, as amended from time to time, any certificates of designation for our preferred stock, and our bylaws, as amended from time to time. The Delaware General Corporation Law may also affect the terms of these securities. While the terms we have summarized below will apply generally to any future common stock or preferred stock that we may offer, we will describe the particular terms of any series of these securities in more detail in the applicable prospectus supplement. If we so indicate in a prospectus supplement, the terms of any common stock or preferred stock we offer under that prospectus supplement may differ from the terms we describe below.

Our authorized capital stock consists of:

- 125,000,000 shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share; and
- 1,000,000 shares of preferred stock, par value \$0.01 per share.

As of August 6, 2019, there are 65,375,514 shares of our common stock outstanding. There are no shares of preferred stock outstanding.

Common Stock

Voting. The holders of our common stock are entitled to one vote per share with respect to each matter on which the holders of our common stock are entitled to vote.

No Cumulative Voting Rights. The holders of our common stock are not entitled to cumulate their votes in the election of our directors.

Rights to Dividends and on Liquidation, Dissolution or Winding Up. The holders of our common stock are entitled to receive dividends as they may be lawfully declared from time to time by our board of directors, subject to any preferential rights of holders of any outstanding shares of preferred stock. In the event of any liquidation, dissolution or winding up of our company, common stockholders are entitled to share ratably in our assets available for distribution to the stockholders, subject to the prior rights of holders of any outstanding preferred stock.

Our dividend policy reflects a basic judgment that our stockholders are better served when we distribute a substantial portion of our cash available to pay dividends to them instead of retaining it in our business. Under this policy, a substantial portion of the cash generated by our company in excess of operating needs, interest and principal payments on indebtedness, capital expenditures sufficient to maintain our properties and other assets is distributed as regular quarterly cash dividends to the holders of our common stock and not retained by us.

We have paid dividends every quarter since our initial public offering in October 2004. Our current quarterly dividend rate is \$0.475 per share. The following table sets forth the dividends per share we have declared in each of the quarterly periods of 2017 and 2018 and the first three quarterly periods of 2019:

	Fis	cal 2019	Fis	Fiscal 2018		scal 2017	
Fourth Quarter		N/A	\$	0.475	\$	0.465	
Third Quarter	\$	0.475	\$	0.475	\$	0.465	
Second Quarter	\$	0.475	\$	0.475	\$	0.465	
First Quarter	\$	0.475	\$	0.465	\$	0.465	

However, notwithstanding the dividend policy, the amount of dividends, if any, for each dividend payment date will be determined by our board of directors on a quarterly basis after taking into account various factors, including our results of operations, cash requirements, financial condition, the dividend restrictions set forth in our debt agreements, provisions of applicable law and other factors that our board of directors may deem relevant. Our dividend policy is based upon our current assessment of our business and the environment in which we operate, and that assessment could change based on competitive or other developments (which could, for example, increase our need for capital expenditures or working capital), new acquisition opportunities or other factors. Our board of directors is free to depart from or change our dividend policy at any time and could do so, for example, if it was to determine that we have insufficient cash to take advantage of growth opportunities.

We cannot assure you that we will continue to pay dividends at the historical level set forth above or at all. Dividend payments are not mandatory or guaranteed, and holders of our common stock do not have any legal right to receive, or require us to pay, dividends. Our board of directors may, in its sole discretion, amend or repeal this dividend policy at any time. Furthermore, our board of directors may decrease the level of dividends below the rate historically paid or discontinue entirely the payment of dividends.

Preemptive and Other Subscription Rights. Common stockholders do not have preemptive, subscription or redemption rights and are not subject to further calls or assessments.

Additional Issuance of Our Authorized Common Stock. Additional shares of our authorized common stock may be issued, as determined by the board of directors of our company from time to time, without approval of holders of our common stock, except as may be required by applicable law or the rules of any stock exchange or automated quotation system on which our securities may be listed or traded.

Preferred Stock

Our certificate of incorporation provides that we may issue up to 1,000,000 shares of our preferred stock in one or more series as may be determined by our board of directors.

Our board of directors has broad discretionary authority with respect to the rights of issued series of our preferred stock and may take several actions without any vote or action of the holders of our common stock, including:

- determining the number of shares to be included in each series;
- fixing the designation, powers, preferences and relative rights of the shares of each series and any qualifications, limitations or restrictions with respect to each series, including provisions related to dividends, conversion, voting, redemption and liquidation, which may be superior to those of our common stock; and
- increasing or decreasing the number of shares of any series.

The board of directors may authorize, without approval of holders of our common stock, the issuance of preferred stock with voting and conversion rights that could adversely affect the voting power and other rights of holders of our common stock. For example, our preferred stock may rank prior to our common stock as to dividend rights, liquidation preferences or both, may have full or limited voting rights and may be convertible into shares of our common stock. The number of authorized shares of our preferred stock may be increased or decreased (but not below the number of shares then outstanding) by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least a majority of our common stock, without a vote of the holders of any other class or series of our preferred stock unless required by the terms of such class or series of preferred stock.

Our preferred stock could be issued quickly with terms designed to delay or prevent a change in the control of our company or to make the removal of our management more difficult. This could have the effect of discouraging third-party bids for our common stock or may otherwise adversely affect the market price of our common stock.

We believe that the ability of our board of directors to issue one or more series of our preferred stock will provide us with flexibility in structuring possible future financings and acquisitions, and in meeting other corporate needs that might arise. The authorized shares of our preferred stock, as well as shares of our common stock, will be available for issuance without action by our common stockholders, unless such action is required by applicable law or the rules of any stock exchange or automated quotation system on which our securities may be listed or traded.

Although our board of directors has no intention at the present time of doing so, it could issue a series of our preferred stock that could, depending on the terms of such series, be used to implement a stockholder rights plan or otherwise impede the completion of a merger, tender offer or other takeover attempt of our company. Our board of directors could issue preferred stock having terms that could discourage an acquisition attempt through which an acquiror may be able to change the composition of the board of directors, including a tender offer or other transaction that some, or a majority, of our stockholders might believe to be in their best interests or in which stockholders might receive a premium for their stock over the then current market price.

Composition of Board of Directors; Election and Removal of Directors

In accordance with our bylaws, the number of directors comprising our board of directors will be as determined from time to time by our board of directors. We currently have nine directors. Each director is to hold office until his or her successor is duly elected and qualified. Directors are elected for a term that will expire at the annual meeting of stockholders immediately succeeding their election.

Directors may be removed from office with or without cause by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least a majority of the voting power of all thenoutstanding shares of our capital stock that are entitled to vote generally in the election of our directors, voting together as a single class. Subject to the rights of the holders of any series of preferred stock, our certificate of incorporation provides that in the case of any vacancies among the directors such vacancy will be filled with a candidate approved by the vote of a majority of the remaining directors, even if less than a quorum (and not by stockholders).

The filling of vacancies could have the effect of making it more difficult for a third party to acquire, or of discouraging a third party from attempting to acquire, control of us.

At any meeting of our board of directors, a majority of the total number of directors then in office will constitute a quorum for all purposes.

Stockholder Action

Stockholders may act by written consent, without a meeting and without notice or a vote. This provision enables stockholders to act on matters subject to a stockholder vote without waiting until the next annual or special meeting of stockholders.

Special Meetings of Stockholders

Our certificate of incorporation provides that special meetings of the stockholders may be called at any time by the board of directors, the chairman of the board of directors or the holders of at least 20% of the outstanding shares of our common stock.

Section 203 of the Delaware General Corporation Law

Our company is subject to Section 203 of the Delaware General Corporation Law. In general, Section 203 prohibits a publicly held Delaware corporation from engaging in a "business combination" with an "interested stockholder" for a three-year period following the time that this stockholder becomes an interested stockholder, unless the business combination is approved in a prescribed manner. A "business combination" includes a merger, asset sale or other transaction resulting in a financial benefit to the interested stockholder. An "interested stockholder" is a person who, together with affiliates and associates, owns (or, in some cases, within three years prior, did own) 15% or more of the corporation's voting stock. Under Section 203, a business combination between the corporation and an interested stockholder is prohibited unless it satisfies one of the following conditions:

- the board of directors must have previously approved either the business combination or the transaction which resulted in the stockholder becoming an interested stockholder;
- upon consummation of the transaction which resulted in the stockholder becoming an interested stockholder, the interested stockholder owned at least 85% of the voting stock of the corporation outstanding at the time the transaction commenced (excluding, for purposes of determining the number of our shares outstanding, shares owned by (a) persons who are directors and also officers and (b) employee stock plans, in some instances); or
- the business combination is approved by the board of directors of the corporation and authorized at an annual or special meeting of the stockholders by the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the outstanding voting stock which is not owned by the interested stockholder.

The existence of this provision may have an anti-takeover effect with respect to transactions not approved in advance by our board of directors, including discouraging takeover attempts that might result in a premium over the market price for the shares of our common stock.

Other Anti-Takeover Provisions of Our Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws

Our certificate of incorporation and bylaws contain several provisions, in addition to those pertaining to the issuance of additional shares of our authorized common stock and preferred stock without the approval of the holders of our common stock that could delay or make more difficult the acquisition of our company through a hostile tender offer, open market purchases, proxy contest, merger or other takeover attempt that a stockholder might consider in his or her best interest, including those attempts that might result in a premium over the market price of our common stock. Such provisions, which are described below, include advance notice procedures regarding any proposal of stockholder business to be discussed at a stockholders meeting.

Advance Notice Procedure for Director Nominations and Stockholder Proposals. Our bylaws provide that, subject to the rights of holders of any outstanding shares of our preferred stock, a stockholder may nominate one or more persons for election as directors at a meeting only if written notice of the stockholder's nomination has been given, either by personal delivery or certified mail, to our corporate secretary not less than 120 days nor more than 150 days before the first anniversary of the date of our proxy statement in connection with our last annual meeting of stockholders. Each notice must contain:

- the name, age, business address and, if known, residential address of each nominee;
- the principal occupation or employment of each nominee;
- a statement of the particular experience, qualifications, attributes or skills of the proposed nominee;
- the class, series and number of our shares beneficially owned by each nominee;
- any other information relating to each nominee required by the SEC's proxy rules; and
- · the written consent of each nominee to be named in our proxy statement and to serve as director if elected.

Our corporate secretary will deliver all notices to the nominating committee of our board of directors for review. After review, the nominating committee will make its recommendation regarding nominees to our board of directors. Defective nominations will be disregarded.

For business to be properly brought before an annual meeting by a stockholder, the stockholder must have given timely notice of the proposed business in writing to our corporate secretary. To be timely, a stockholder's notice must be given, either by personal delivery or by certified mail, to our corporate secretary not less than 120 days nor more than 150 days before the first anniversary of the date of our proxy statement in connection with our last annual meeting of stockholders. Each notice must contain:

- a brief description of the business desired to be brought before the annual meeting and the reasons for conducting the business at the annual meeting;
- the name and address of the stockholder proposing the business as they appear on our stock transfer books;
- a representation that the stockholder is a stockholder of record and intends to appear in person or by proxy at the annual meeting to bring the business proposed in the notice before the meeting;
- the class, series and number of our shares beneficially owned by the stockholder; and
- any material interest of the stockholder in the business.

Business brought before an annual meeting without complying with these provisions will not be transacted.

Although our bylaws do not give the board the power to approve or disapprove stockholder nominations of candidates or proposals regarding other business to be conducted at a special or annual meeting, our bylaws may have the effect of precluding the consideration of some business at a meeting if the proper procedures are not followed or may discourage or defer a potential acquiror from conducting a solicitation of proxies to elect its own slate of directors or otherwise attempting to obtain control of us.

Amendment of Our Certificate of Incorporation

The affirmative vote of the holders of at least a majority of the voting power of all then-outstanding shares of our capital stock that are entitled to vote generally in the election of our directors, voting together as a single class, is required to amend, alter, change or repeal the provisions of our certificate of incorporation.

Amendment of Our Bylaws

Our certificate of incorporation provides that our bylaws can be amended only by either our board of directors or the affirmative vote of the holders of at least a majority of the voting power of all then-outstanding shares of our capital stock that are entitled to vote generally in the election of our directors, voting together as a single class.

Limitation of Liability and Indemnification

Our certificate of incorporation provides that, to the full extent from time to time permitted by law, no director shall be personally liable for monetary damages for breach of any duty as a director. As required under current Delaware law, our certificate of incorporation currently provides that this waiver may not apply to liability:

- for any breach of the director's duty of loyalty to us or our stockholders;
- for acts or omissions not in good faith or that involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law;
- under Section 174 of the Delaware General Corporation Law (pertaining to certain prohibited act including unlawful payment of dividends or unlawful purchase or redemption of our capital stock); or
- for any transaction from which the director derived any improper personal benefit.

However, in the event the Delaware General Corporation Law is amended to authorize corporate action further eliminating or limiting the personal liability of directors, then the liability of our directors will be eliminated or limited to the fullest extent permitted by the Delaware General Corporation Law, as so amended. Neither the amendment or repeal of this provision of our certificate of incorporation, nor the adoption of any provision of our certificate of incorporation which is inconsistent with this provision, shall eliminate or reduce the protection afforded by this provision with respect to any matter which occurred, or any suit or claim which, but for this provision would have accrued or arisen, prior to such amendment, repeal or adoption.

Our bylaws also provide that we shall, to the fullest extent from time to time permitted by law, indemnify our directors and officers against all liabilities and expenses in any suit or proceeding, arising out of their status as an officer or director or their activities in these capacities. Our bylaws also require us to indemnify any person who, at our request, is or was serving as a director, officer or trustee of another corporation, joint venture, employee benefit plan trust or other enterprise.

The right to be indemnified includes the right of an officer or a director to be paid expenses in advance of the final disposition of any proceeding, if we receive an undertaking to repay such amount if it shall be determined that he or she is not entitled to be indemnified.

Our board of directors may take such action as it deems necessary to carry out these indemnification provisions, including adopting procedures for determining and enforcing indemnification rights and purchasing insurance policies. Our board of directors may also adopt bylaws, resolutions or contracts implementing indemnification arrangements as may be permitted by law. Neither the amendment or repeal of these indemnification provisions, nor the adoption of any provision of our certificate of incorporation inconsistent with these indemnification provisions, shall eliminate or reduce any rights to indemnification relating to their status or any activities prior to such amendment, repeal or adoption.

We believe these provisions will assist in attracting and retaining qualified individuals to serve as directors.

Listing

Our shares of common stock are listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the trading symbol "BGS."

Transfer Agent and Registrar

The transfer agent and registrar for our common stock is Computershare Trust Company, N.A.

DESCRIPTION OF DEBT SECURITIES

As used in this prospectus, debt securities means the debentures, notes, bonds and other evidences of indebtedness that we may issue from time to time. The debt securities may be either secured or unsecured and will either be our senior debt securities or our subordinated debt securities. The debt securities may be issued under the indenture, dated as of June 4, 2013, between us and the Bank of New York Mellon, as trustee, or may be issued under an indenture to be entered into between us and one or more trustees named in the applicable prospectus supplement, a form of which is attached as an exhibit to the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part. Any debt securities that we issue under this prospectus will be governed by the applicable indenture and a separate supplemental indenture setting out the particular terms of a series of debt securities.

This section describes certain general terms and provisions that we expect would be applicable to our debt securities. When we offer to sell a particular series of debt securities, we will describe the specific terms of that series in a supplement to this prospectus. The following description of debt securities will apply to the debt securities offered by this prospectus unless we provide otherwise in the applicable prospectus supplement. The applicable prospectus supplement for a particular series of debt securities may specify different or additional terms.

The statements and descriptions in this prospectus or in any prospectus supplement regarding provisions of the indentures and debt securities are summaries thereof, do not purport to be complete and are subject to, and are qualified in their entirety by reference to, all of the provisions of the indentures (and any amendments or supplements we may enter into from time to time which are permitted under each indenture) and the debt securities, including the definitions therein of certain terms.

General

Unless otherwise specified in a prospectus supplement, the debt securities will be direct unsecured obligations of B&G Foods. The senior debt securities will rank equally with any of our other senior and unsubordinated debt. The subordinated debt securities will be subordinate and junior in right of payment to any senior indebtedness.

Unless otherwise specified in a prospectus supplement, the indentures do not limit the aggregate principal amount of debt securities that we may issue and provide that we may issue debt securities from time to time at par or at a discount, and in the case of the new indentures, if any, in one or more series, with the same or various maturities. Unless indicated in a prospectus supplement, we may issue additional debt securities of a particular series without the consent of the holders of the debt securities of such series outstanding at the time of the issuance. Any such additional debt securities, together with all other outstanding debt securities of that series, will constitute a single series of debt securities under the applicable indenture.

Each prospectus supplement will describe the terms relating to the specific series of debt securities being offered. These terms will include some or all of the following:

- the title of debt securities and whether they are subordinated debt securities or senior debt securities;
- any limit on the aggregate principal amount of the debt securities;
- the ability to issue additional debt securities of the same series;
- the price or prices at which we will sell the debt securities;
- whether the debt securities of the series will be guaranteed and the terms of any such guarantee;
- the maturity date or dates of the debt securities;
- the rate or rates of interest, if any, which may be fixed or variable, at which the debt securities will bear interest, or the method of determining such rate or rates, if any;
- the date or dates from which any interest will accrue or the method by which such date or dates will be determined;
- the right, if any, to extend the interest payment periods and the duration of any such deferral period, including the maximum consecutive period during which interest payment periods may be extended;
- whether the amount of payments of principal of (and premium, if any) or interest on the debt securities may be determined with reference to any index, formula or other method, such as one or more currencies, commodities, equity indices or other indices, and the manner of determining the amount of such payments;
- the dates on which we will pay interest on the debt securities and the regular record date for determining who is entitled to the interest payable on any interest payment date;
- the place or places where the principal of (and premium, if any) and interest on the debt securities will be payable, where any securities may be surrendered for registration of transfer, exchange or conversion, as applicable, and notices and demands may be delivered to or upon us pursuant to the indenture;
- if we possess the option to do so, the periods within which and the prices at which we may redeem the debt securities, in whole or in part, pursuant to optional redemption provisions, and the other terms and conditions of any such provisions;

- our obligation, if any, to redeem, repay or purchase debt securities by making periodic payments to a sinking fund or through an analogous provision or at the option of holders of the debt securities, and the period or periods within which and the price or prices at which we will redeem, repay or purchase the debt securities, in whole or in part, pursuant to such obligation, and the other terms and conditions of such obligation;
- the denominations in which the debt securities will be issued, if other than denominations of \$2,000 and integral multiples of \$1,000 in excess thereof:
- the portion, or methods of determining the portion, of the principal amount of the debt securities which we must pay upon the acceleration of the maturity of the debt securities in connection with an event of default (as described below), if other than the full principal amount;
- the currency, currencies or currency unit in which we will pay the principal of (and premium, if any) or interest, if any, on the debt securities, if not U.S. dollars:
- · provisions, if any, granting special rights to holders of the debt securities upon the occurrence of specified events;
- any deletions from, modifications of or additions to the events of default or our covenants with respect to the applicable series of debt securities, and whether or not such events of default or covenants are consistent with those contained in the applicable indenture;
- any limitation on our ability to incur debt, redeem shares, sell our assets or other restrictions;
- the application, if any, of the terms of the indenture relating to defeasance and covenant defeasance (which terms are described below) to the debt securities:
- whether the subordination provisions summarized below or different subordination provisions will apply to the debt securities;
- the terms, if any, upon which the holders may convert or exchange the debt securities into or for our common stock, preferred stock or other securities or property;
- whether any of the debt securities will be issued in global form and, if so, the terms and conditions upon which global debt securities may be
 exchanged for certificated debt securities;
- any change in the right of the trustee or the requisite holders of debt securities to declare the principal amount thereof due and payable because of an event of default;
- the depository for global or certificated debt securities;
- any special tax implications of the debt securities;
- any trustees, authenticating or paying agents, transfer agents or registrars, or other agents with respect to the debt securities; and
- any other terms of the debt securities not inconsistent with the provisions of the applicable indenture, as amended or supplemented.

Unless otherwise specified in the applicable prospectus supplement, the debt securities will not be listed on any securities exchange.

Unless otherwise specified in the applicable prospectus supplement, the debt securities will be issued in fully-registered form without coupons.

Debt securities may be sold at a substantial discount below their stated principal amount or bearing no interest or interest at a rate which at the time of issuance is below market rates. The applicable prospectus supplement will describe the federal income tax consequences and special considerations applicable to any such debt securities. The debt securities may also be issued as indexed securities or securities denominated in foreign currencies, currency units or composite currencies, as described in more detail in the prospectus supplement relating to any of the particular debt securities.

Guarantees

Debt securities may be guaranteed by certain of our domestic subsidiaries if so provided in the applicable prospectus supplement. The prospectus supplement will describe the terms of any guarantees, including, among other things, the method for determining the identity of the guarantors and the conditions under which guarantees will be added or released. Any guarantees will be joint and several obligations of the guarantors. The obligations of each guarantor under its guarantee will be limited as necessary to prevent that guarantee from constituting a fraudulent conveyance or fraudulent transfer under applicable law.

Subordination

The prospectus supplement relating to any offering of subordinated debt securities will describe the specific subordination provisions. However, unless otherwise noted in the prospectus supplement, subordinated debt securities will be subordinate and junior in right of payment to any existing senior indebtedness.

Unless otherwise specified in the applicable prospectus supplement, under the applicable indenture, "senior indebtedness" means all amounts due on obligations in connection with any of the following, whether outstanding at the date of execution of the applicable indenture, or thereafter incurred or created:

- the principal of (and premium, if any) and interest due on our indebtedness for borrowed money and indebtedness evidenced by bonds, notes, debentures or similar instruments or letters of credit (or reimbursement agreements in respect thereof);
- all of our capital lease obligations or attributable debt (as will be defined in the applicable indenture) in respect of sale and leaseback transactions;
- all obligations representing the balance deferred and unpaid of the purchase price of any property or services, which purchase price is due more than six months after the date of placing such property in service or taking delivery and title thereto, except any such balance that constitutes an accrued expense or trade payable or any similar obligation to trade creditors;
- all of our obligations in respect of interest rate swap agreements (whether from fixed to floating or from floating to fixed), interest rate cap agreements and interest rate collar agreements; other agreements or arrangements designed to manage interest rates or interest rate risk; and other agreements or arrangements designed to protect against fluctuations in currency exchange rates or commodity prices;
- all obligations of the types referred to above of other persons for the payment of which we are responsible or liable as obligor, guarantor or otherwise; and
- all obligations of the types referred to above of other persons secured by any lien on any property or asset of ours (whether or not such obligation
 is assumed by us).

However, senior indebtedness does not include:

- any indebtedness which expressly provides that such indebtedness shall not be senior in right of payment to the subordinated debt securities, or
 that such indebtedness shall be subordinated to any other of our indebtedness, unless such indebtedness expressly provides that such indebtedness
 shall be senior in right of payment to the subordinated debt securities;
- any of our obligations to our subsidiaries or of a subsidiary guarantor to us or any other of our other subsidiaries;

- any liability for federal, state, local or other taxes owed or owing by us or any subsidiary guarantor;
- any accounts payable or other liability to trade creditors arising in the ordinary course of business (including guarantees thereof or instruments evidencing such liabilities);
- any obligations with respect to any capital stock;
- any indebtedness incurred in violation of the applicable indenture, provided that indebtedness under our credit facilities will not cease to be senior
 indebtedness under this bullet point if the lenders of such indebtedness obtained an officer's certificate as of the date of incurrence of such
 indebtedness to the effect that such indebtedness was permitted to be incurred by the indenture; and
- any of our indebtedness in respect of the subordinated debt securities.

Senior indebtedness shall continue to be senior indebtedness and be entitled to the benefits of the subordination provisions irrespective of any amendment, modification or waiver of any term of such senior indebtedness.

Unless otherwise noted in an accompanying prospectus supplement, if we default in the payment of any principal of (or premium, if any) or interest on any senior indebtedness when it becomes due and payable, whether at maturity or at a date fixed for prepayment or by declaration or otherwise, then, unless and until such default is cured or waived or ceases to exist, we will make no direct or indirect payment (in cash, property, securities, by set-off or otherwise) in respect of the principal of or interest on the subordinated debt securities or in respect of any redemption, retirement, purchase or other requisition of any of the subordinated debt securities.

In the event of the acceleration of the maturity of any subordinated debt securities, the holders of all senior debt securities outstanding at the time of such acceleration, subject to any security interest, will first be entitled to receive payment in full of all amounts due on the senior debt securities before the holders of the subordinated debt securities will be entitled to receive any payment of principal (and premium, if any) or interest on the subordinated debt securities.

If any of the following events occurs, we will pay in full all senior indebtedness before we make any payment or distribution under the subordinated debt securities, whether in cash, securities or other property, to any holder of subordinated debt securities:

- any dissolution or winding-up or liquidation or reorganization of B&G Foods, whether voluntary or involuntary or in bankruptcy, insolvency or receivership;
- any general assignment by us for the benefit of creditors; or
- any other marshaling of our assets or liabilities.

In such event, any payment or distribution under the subordinated debt securities, whether in cash, securities or other property, which would otherwise (but for the subordination provisions) be payable or deliverable in respect of the subordinated debt securities, will be paid or delivered directly to the holders of senior indebtedness in accordance with the priorities then existing among such holders until all senior indebtedness has been paid in full. If any payment or distribution under the subordinated debt securities is received by the trustee of any subordinated debt securities in contravention of any of the terms of the applicable indenture and before all the senior indebtedness has been paid in full, such payment or distribution will be received in trust for the benefit of, and paid over or delivered and transferred to, the holders of the senior indebtedness at the time outstanding in accordance with the priorities then existing among such holders for application to the payment of all senior indebtedness remaining unpaid to the extent necessary to pay all such senior indebtedness in full.

Unless otherwise indicated in an applicable prospectus supplement, the applicable indenture will not limit the issuance of additional senior indebtedness.

Unless otherwise indicated in an applicable prospectus supplement, if any series of subordinated debt securities is guaranteed by certain of our subsidiaries, then the guarantee will be subordinated to the senior indebtedness of such guarantor to the same extent as the subordinated debt securities are subordinated to the senior indebtedness.

Consolidation, Merger, Sale of Assets and Other Transactions

Unless an accompanying prospectus supplement states otherwise, we may not (1) merge with or into or consolidate with another corporation or sell, assign, transfer, lease or convey all or substantially all of our properties and assets to, any other corporation other than a direct or indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of ours, and (2) no corporation may merge with or into or consolidate with us or, except for any direct or indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of ours, sell, assign, transfer, lease or convey all or substantially all of its properties and assets to us, unless:

- we are the surviving corporation or the corporation formed by or surviving such merger or consolidation or to which such sale, assignment, transfer, lease or conveyance has been made, if other than us, has expressly assumed by supplemental indenture all of our obligations under the applicable indenture;
- immediately after giving effect to such transaction, no default or event of default has occurred and is continuing;
- we or the corporation formed by or surviving such merger or consolidation or to which such sale, assignment, transfer, lease or conveyance has been made (if other than us) would, on the date of such transaction after giving pro forma effect to the transaction and any related financing transactions as if the same had occurred at the beginning of the applicable four-quarter period, either:
 - be permitted to incur at least \$1.00 of additional indebtedness pursuant to the fixed charge coverage ratio test set forth in the applicable indenture; or
 - have a fixed charge coverage ratio that is equal to or greater than our fixed charge coverage ratio immediately prior to the consolidation, merger, sale, assignment, transfer, conveyance or other disposition; and
- we deliver to the trustee an officers' certificate and an opinion of counsel, each stating that the supplemental indenture complies with the
 applicable indenture.

Events of Default, Notice and Waiver

Unless an accompanying prospectus supplement states otherwise, the following shall constitute "events of default" under the applicable indenture with respect to each series of debt securities:

- we default for 30 consecutive days in the payment when due of interest on the debt securities;
- · we default in the payment when due (at maturity, upon redemption or otherwise) of the principal of, or premium, if any, on the debt securities;
- our failure to observe or perform any other of our covenants or agreements with respect to such debt securities for 60 days after we receive notice
 of such failure;
- except as permitted by the applicable indenture, if debt securities are guaranteed, any guarantee shall be held in any judicial proceeding to be unenforceable or invalid or shall cease for any

reason to be in full force and effect or any guarantor, or any person acting on behalf of any guarantor, shall deny, or disaffirm its obligations under its guarantee;

- certain events of bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization of B&G Foods; or
- any other event of default provided with respect to securities of that series.

Unless an accompanying prospectus supplement states otherwise, if an event of default with respect to any debt securities of any series outstanding under any indenture shall occur and be continuing, the trustee under such indenture or the holders of at least 25% (or at least 10%, in respect of a remedy (other than acceleration) for certain events of default relating to the payment of dividends) in aggregate principal amount of the debt securities of that series outstanding may declare, by notice as provided in the applicable indenture, the principal amount (or such lesser amount as may be provided for in the debt securities of that series) of all the debt securities of that series outstanding to be due and payable immediately; provided that, in the case of an event of default involving certain events in bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization, acceleration is automatic; and, provided further, that after such acceleration, but before a judgment or decree based on acceleration, the holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series may, under certain circumstances, rescind and annul such acceleration if all events of default, other than the nonpayment of accelerated principal, have been cured or waived. Upon the acceleration of the maturity of original issue discount securities, an amount less than the principal amount thereof will become due and payable. Reference is made to the prospectus supplement relating to any original issue discount securities for the particular provisions relating to acceleration of maturity thereof.

Any past default under an indenture with respect to debt securities of any series, and any event of default arising therefrom, may be waived by the holders of a majority in principal amount of all debt securities of such series outstanding under such indenture, except in the case of (1) default in the payment of the principal of (or premium, if any) or interest on any debt securities of such series or (2) certain events of default relating to the payment of dividends.

The trustee is required within 90 days after the occurrence of a default (which is known to the trustee and is continuing), with respect to the debt securities of any series (without regard to any grace period or notice requirements), to give to the holders of the debt securities of such series notice of such default.

The trustee, subject to its duties during default to act with the required standard of care, may require indemnification satisfactory to it by the holders of the debt securities of any series with respect to which a default has occurred before proceeding to exercise any right or power under the applicable indenture at the request of the holders of the debt securities of such series. Subject to such right of indemnification and to certain other limitations, the holders of a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of any series under any indenture may direct the time, method and place of conducting any proceeding for any remedy available to the trustee, or exercising any trust or power conferred on the trustee with respect to the debt securities of such series, provided that such direction shall not be in conflict with any rule of law or with the applicable indenture and the trustee may take any other action deemed proper by the trustee which is not inconsistent with such direction.

No holder of a debt security of any series may institute any action against us under any indenture (except actions for payment of overdue principal of (and premium, if any) or interest on such debt security or for the conversion or exchange of such debt security in accordance with its terms) unless (1) the holder has given to the trustee written notice of an event of default and of the continuance thereof with respect to the debt securities of such series specifying an event of default, as required under the applicable indenture, (2) the holders of at least 25% in aggregate principal amount of the debt securities of that series then outstanding under such indenture shall have requested the trustee to institute such action and offered to the trustee indemnity reasonably satisfactory to it against the costs.

expenses and liabilities to be incurred in compliance with such request; (3) the trustee shall not have instituted such action within 60 days of such request and (4) no direction inconsistent with such written request has been given to the trustee during such 60-day period by the holders of a majority in principal amount of the debt securities of that series.

We will be required to furnish annually to the trustee statements as to our compliance with all conditions and covenants under each indenture.

Discharge, Defeasance and Covenant Defeasance

We may discharge or defease our obligations under each indenture as set forth below, unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement.

We or, if applicable, any guarantor may discharge certain obligations to holders of any series of debt securities issued under any indenture which have not already been delivered to the trustee for cancellation by irrevocably depositing with the trustee money in an amount sufficient to pay and discharge the entire indebtedness on such debt securities not previously delivered to the trustee for cancellation, for principal and any premium and interest to the date of such deposit (in the case of debt securities which have become due and payable) or to the stated maturity or redemption date, as the case may be, and we or, if applicable, any guarantor, have paid all other sums payable under the applicable indenture.

If indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, we, or, if applicable, the guarantors, may elect either (1) to defease and be discharged from any and all obligations with respect to the debt securities of or within any series and all obligations with respect to guarantees in the case of guarantors (except in all cases as otherwise provided in the relevant indenture) ("legal defeasance") or (2) to be released from our obligations with respect to certain covenants applicable to the debt securities of or within any series ("covenant defeasance"), upon the deposit with the relevant indenture trustee, in trust for such purpose, of money and/or government obligations which through the payment of principal and interest in accordance with their terms will provide money in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of (and premium, if any) or interest on such debt securities to maturity or redemption, as the case may be, and any mandatory sinking fund or analogous payments thereon. As a condition to legal defeasance or covenant defeasance, we must deliver to the trustee an opinion of counsel to the effect that the holders of such debt securities will not recognize income, gain or loss for federal income tax purposes as a result of such legal defeasance or covenant defeasance and will be subject to federal income tax on the same amounts and in the same manner and at the same times as would have been the case if such legal defeasance or covenant defeasance had not occurred. Such opinion of counsel, in the case of legal defeasance under clause (1) above, must refer to and be based upon a ruling of the Internal Revenue Service or a change in applicable federal income tax law occurring after the date of the relevant indenture. In addition, in the case of either legal defeasance or covenant defeasance, we shall have delivered to the trustee (1) if applicable, an officer's certificate to the effect that the relevant debt securities exchange(s) have informed us that neither such debt securities nor any other debt securitie

We may exercise our legal defeasance option with respect to such debt securities notwithstanding our prior exercise of our covenant defeasance option.

Modification and Waiver

Under the applicable indenture, unless an accompanying prospectus supplement states otherwise, we and the applicable trustee may supplement the indenture for certain purposes which would not materially adversely affect the interests or rights of the holders of debt securities of a series without the

consent of those holders. We and the applicable trustee may also modify the indenture or any supplemental indenture in a manner that affects the interests or rights of the holders of debt securities with the consent of the holders of at least a majority in aggregate principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of each affected series issued under the indenture. However, the indenture will require the consent of each holder of debt securities that would be affected by any modification which would:

- reduce the principal amount of debt securities whose holders must consent to an amendment, supplement or waiver;
- reduce the principal of or change the fixed maturity of any debt security or, except as provided in any prospectus supplement, alter or waive any of
 the provisions with respect to the redemption of the debt securities;
- reduce the rate of or change the time for payment of interest, including default interest, on any debt security;
- waive a default or event of default in the payment of principal of or interest or premium, if any, on, the debt securities (except a rescission of acceleration of the debt securities by the holders of at least a majority in aggregate principal amount of the then outstanding debt securities and a waiver of the payment default that resulted from such acceleration);
- make any debt security payable in money other than that stated in the debt securities;
- make any change in the provisions of the applicable indenture relating to waivers of past defaults or the rights of holders of the debt securities to receive payments of principal of, or interest or premium, if any, on, the debt securities;
- waive a redemption payment with respect to any debt security (except as otherwise provided in the applicable prospectus supplement);
- except in connection with an offer by us to purchase all debt securities, (1) waive certain events of default relating to the payment of dividends or (2) amend certain covenants relating to the payment of dividends and the purchase or redemption of certain equity interests;
- release any applicable guarantor from any of its obligations under its guarantee or the indenture, except in accordance with the indenture;
- make any change to the subordination or ranking provisions of the indenture or the related definitions that adversely affect the rights of any holder;
 or
- make any change in the preceding amendment and waiver provisions.

The indenture will permit the holders of at least a majority in aggregate principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of any series issued under the indenture which is affected by the modification or amendment to waive our compliance with certain covenants contained in the indenture.

Payment and Paying Agents

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, payment of interest on a debt security on any interest payment date will be made to the person in whose name a debt security is registered at the close of business on the applicable record date.

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, principal, interest and premium on the debt securities of a particular series will be payable at the office of such paying agent or paying agents as we may designate for such purpose from time to time. Notwithstanding the foregoing, at our option, payment of any interest may be made by check mailed to the address of the person entitled thereto as such address appears in the security register.

Unless otherwise indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, a paying agent designated by us will act as paying agent for payments with respect to debt securities of each series. All paying agents initially designated by us for the debt securities of a particular series will be named in the applicable prospectus supplement. We may at any time designate additional paying agents or rescind the designation of any paying agent or approve a change in the office through which any paying agent acts, except that we will be required to maintain a paying agent in each place of payment for the debt securities of a particular series.

All moneys paid by us to a paying agent for the payment of the principal, interest or premium on any debt security which remain unclaimed at the end of two years after such principal, interest or premium has become due and payable will be repaid to us upon request, and the holder of such debt security thereafter may look only to us for payment thereof.

Denominations, Registrations and Transfer

Unless an accompanying prospectus supplement states otherwise, debt securities will be represented by one or more global certificates registered in the name of a nominee for The Depository Trust Company, or DTC. In such case, each holder's beneficial interest in the global securities will be shown on the records of DTC and transfers of beneficial interests will only be effected through DTC's records.

A holder of debt securities may only exchange a beneficial interest in a global security for certificated securities registered in the holder's name if:

- we deliver to the trustee notice from DTC that it is unwilling or unable to continue to act as depository or that it is no longer a clearing agency registered under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act) and, in either case, a successor depositary is not appointed by us within 120 days after the date of such notice from DTC;
- we in our sole discretion determine that the debt securities (in whole but not in part) should be exchanged for definitive debt securities and deliver a written notice to such effect to the trustee; or
- there has occurred and is continuing a default or event of default with respect to the debt securities.

If debt securities are issued in certificated form, they will only be issued in the minimum denomination specified in the accompanying prospectus supplement and integral multiples of such denomination. Transfers and exchanges of such debt securities will only be permitted in such minimum denomination. Transfers of debt securities in certificated form may be registered at the trustee's corporate office or at the offices of any paying agent or trustee appointed by us under the applicable indenture. Exchanges of debt securities for an equal aggregate principal amount of debt securities in different denominations may also be made at such locations.

Governing Law

Each indenture and applicable debt securities will be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the internal laws of the State of New York, without regard to its principles of conflicts of laws.

Trustee

The trustee under each indenture will be set forth in any applicable prospectus supplement.

Conversion or Exchange Rights

The prospectus supplement will describe the terms, if any, on which a series of debt securities may be convertible into or exchangeable for our common stock, preferred stock or other debt securities. These terms will include provisions as to whether conversion or exchange is mandatory, at the option of the holder or at our option. These provisions may allow or require the number of shares of our common stock or other securities to be received by the holders of such series of debt securities to be adjusted.

DESCRIPTION OF WARRANTS

The following description, together with the additional information we may include in any applicable prospectus supplements, summarizes the material terms and provisions of the warrants that we may offer under this prospectus and the related warrant agreements and warrant certificates. While the terms summarized below will apply generally to any warrants that we may offer, we will describe the particular terms of any series of warrants in more detail in the applicable prospectus supplement. If we so indicate in the prospectus supplement, the terms of any warrants offered under that prospectus supplement may differ from the terms described below. Specific warrant agreements will contain additional important terms and provisions and will be incorporated by reference into the registration statement which includes this prospectus.

General

We may issue warrants for the purchase of common stock, preferred stock and/or debt securities in one or more series. We may issue warrants independently or together with common stock, preferred stock and/or debt securities, and the warrants may be attached to or separate from these securities.

We will evidence each series of warrants by warrant certificates that we may issue under a separate agreement. We may enter into the warrant agreement with a warrant agent. Each warrant agent may be a bank that we select which has its principal office in the United States and a combined capital and surplus of at least \$50,000,000. We will indicate the name and address of any such warrant agent in the applicable prospectus supplement relating to a particular series of warrants.

We will describe in the applicable prospectus supplement the terms of the series of warrants, including:

- the offering price and aggregate number of warrants offered;
- the currency for which the warrants may be purchased, if not U.S. dollars;
- if applicable, the designation and terms of the securities with which the warrants are issued and the number of warrants issued with each such security or each principal amount of such security;
- if applicable, the date on and after which the warrants and the related securities will be separately transferable;
- in the case of warrants to purchase debt securities, the principal amount of debt securities purchasable upon exercise of one warrant and the price at, and currency, if not U.S. dollars, in which, this principal amount of debt securities may be purchased upon such exercise;
- in the case of warrants to purchase common stock or preferred stock, the number of shares of common stock or preferred stock, as the case may be, purchasable upon the exercise of one warrant and the price at which these shares may be purchased upon such exercise;

- the effect of any merger, consolidation, sale or other disposition of our business on the warrant agreement and the warrants;
- the terms of any rights to redeem or call the warrants;
- any provisions for changes to or adjustments in the exercise price or number of securities issuable upon exercise of the warrants;
- the dates on which the right to exercise the warrants will commence and expire;
- the manner in which the warrant agreement and warrants may be modified;
- federal income tax consequences of holding or exercising the warrants;
- the terms of the securities issuable upon exercise of the warrants; and
- any other specific terms, preferences, rights or limitations of or restrictions on the warrants.

Before exercising their warrants, holders of warrants will not have any of the rights of holders of the securities purchasable upon such exercise, including:

- in the case of warrants to purchase debt securities, the right to receive payments of principal of, or premium, if any, or interest on, the debt securities purchasable upon exercise or to enforce covenants in the applicable indenture; or
- in the case of warrants to purchase common stock or preferred stock, the right to receive dividends, if any, or, payments upon our liquidation, dissolution or winding up or to exercise voting rights, if any.

Exercise of Warrants

Each warrant will entitle the holder to purchase the securities that we specify in the applicable prospectus supplement at the exercise price that we describe in the applicable prospectus supplement. Unless we otherwise specify in the applicable prospectus supplement, holders of the warrants may exercise the warrants at any time up to 5:00 P.M. Eastern Time on the expiration date that we set forth in the applicable prospectus supplement. After the close of business on the expiration date, unexercised warrants will become void.

Holders of the warrants may exercise the warrants by delivering the warrant certificate representing the warrants to be exercised together with specified information, and paying the required amount to the warrant agent in immediately available funds, as provided in the applicable prospectus supplement. We will set forth on the reverse side of the warrant certificate and in the applicable prospectus supplement the information that the holder of the warrant will be required to deliver to the warrant agent.

Upon receipt of the required payment and the warrant certificate properly completed and duly executed at the corporate trust office of the warrant agent or any other office indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, we will issue and deliver the securities purchasable upon such exercise. If fewer than all of the warrants represented by the warrant certificate are exercised, then we will issue a new warrant certificate for the remaining amount of warrants. If we so indicate in the applicable prospectus supplement, holders of the warrants may surrender securities as all or part of the exercise price for warrants.

Enforceability of Rights by Holders of Warrants

Any warrant agent will act solely as our agent under the applicable warrant agreement and will not assume any obligation or relationship of agency or trust with any holder of any warrant. A single bank or trust company may act as warrant agent for more than one issue of warrants. A warrant agent will

have no duty or responsibility in case of any default by us under the applicable warrant agreement or warrant, including any duty or responsibility to initiate any proceedings at law or otherwise, or to make any demand upon us. Any holder of a warrant may, without the consent of the related warrant agent or the holder of any other warrant, enforce by appropriate legal action its right to exercise, and receive the securities purchasable upon exercise of, its warrants.

If a warrant holder exercises only part of the warrants represented by a single certificate, the warrant agent will issue a new warrant certificate for any warrants not exercised. Unless the prospectus supplement states otherwise, no fractional shares will be issued upon exercise of warrants, but we will pay the cash value of any fractional shares otherwise issuable.

The exercise price and the number of shares of common stock for which each warrant can be exercised will be adjusted upon the occurrence of events described in the warrant agreement, including the issuance of a common stock dividend or a combination, subdivision or reclassification of common stock.

Unless the prospectus supplement states otherwise, no adjustment will be required until cumulative adjustments require an adjustment of at least 1% in the exercise price. From time to time, we may reduce the exercise price as may be provided in the warrant agreement.

Unless the prospectus supplement states otherwise, if we enter into any consolidation, merger, or sale or conveyance of our property as an entirety, the holder of each outstanding warrant will have the right to acquire the kind and amount of shares, other securities, property or cash receivable by a holder of the number of shares of common stock into which the warrants were exercisable immediately prior to the occurrence of the event.

Modification of the Warrant Agreement

The warrant agreements may permit us and the warrant agent, if any, without the consent of the warrant holders, to supplement or amend the agreement in the following circumstances:

- to cure any ambiguity;
- to correct or supplement any provision which may be defective or inconsistent with any other provisions; or
- to add new provisions regarding matters or questions that we and the warrant agent may deem necessary or desirable and which do not adversely affect the interests of the warrant holders.

DESCRIPTION OF UNITS

We may issue units comprised of one or more of the other securities described in this prospectus in any combination. Each unit will be issued so that the holder of the unit is also the holder of each security included in the unit. Thus, the holder of a unit will have the rights and obligations of a holder of each included security. The unit agreement under which a unit is issued may provide that the securities included in the unit may not be held or transferred separately, at any time or at any time before a specified date or occurrence.

The applicable prospectus supplement may describe:

- the designation and terms of the units and of the securities comprising the units, including whether and under what circumstances those securities may be held or transferred separately;
- · any provisions for the issuance, payment, settlement, transfer or exchange of the units or of the securities comprising the units; and
- whether the units will be issued in fully-registered or global form.

The applicable prospectus supplement will describe the terms of any units. The preceding description and any description of units in the applicable prospectus supplement does not purport to be complete and is subject to and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the unit agreement and, if applicable, collateral arrangements and depository arrangements relating to such units.

PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION

We may sell the securities described in this prospectus through underwriters or dealers, through agents, or directly to one or more purchasers or through a combination of these methods. The applicable prospectus supplement will describe the terms of the offering of the securities, including:

- the name or names of any underwriters and, if required, any dealers or agents;
- the purchase price of the securities and the proceeds we will receive from the sale;
- any underwriting discounts and other items constituting underwriters' compensation;
- any discounts or concessions allowed or reallowed or paid to dealers; and
- any securities exchange or market on which the securities may be listed.

We may distribute the securities from time to time in one or more transactions at:

- a fixed price or prices, which may be changed;
- market prices prevailing at the time of sale;
- varying prices determined at the time of sale related to such prevailing market prices; or
- · negotiated prices.

Offerings of our equity securities pursuant to this prospectus may also be made into an existing trading market for such securities in transactions at other than a fixed price, either:

- on or through the facilities of any national securities exchange or quotation service on which such securities may be listed or quoted at the time of sale; or
- to or through a market maker otherwise than on such exchanges.

Such at-the-market offerings will be conducted by underwriters acting as our principal or agent, who may also be third-party sellers of securities as described above.

Only underwriters named in the prospectus supplement will be underwriters of the securities offered by the prospectus supplement. If we use underwriters in the sale, they will acquire the securities for their own account and may resell the securities from time to time in one or more transactions, including negotiated transactions, at a fixed public offering price or at varying prices determined at the time of sale. We may offer the securities to the public through underwriting syndicates represented by managing underwriters or by underwriters without a syndicate. Any public offering price and any discounts or concessions allowed or reallowed or paid to dealers may change from time to time.

We may sell the securities directly. In this case, no underwriters or agents would be involved. We may also sell the securities through agents we designate from time to time. We will name any agent involved in the offering and sale of securities and we will describe any commissions we will pay the agent in the prospectus supplement.

We may authorize agents or underwriters to solicit offers by institutional investors to purchase securities from us at the public offering price set forth in the prospectus supplement pursuant to delayed delivery contracts providing for payment and delivery on a specified date in the future. We will describe the conditions to these contracts and the commissions we must pay for solicitation of these contracts in the prospectus supplement.

In addition, we may sell some or all of the securities covered by this prospectus through:

- purchases by a dealer, as principal, who may then resell those securities to the public for its account at varying prices determined by the dealer at the time of resale;
- block trades in which a dealer will attempt to sell as agent, but may position or resell a portion of the block, as principal, in order to facilitate the transaction; or
- ordinary brokerage transactions and transactions in which a broker-dealer solicits purchasers.

We will include in the applicable prospectus supplement the names of any dealers and the terms of the transaction.

In connection with the sale of the securities, underwriters, dealers or agents may receive compensation from us or from purchasers of the securities for whom they act as agents in the form of discounts, concessions or commissions. Underwriters may sell the securities to or through dealers, and those dealers may receive compensation in the form of discounts, concessions or commissions from the underwriters or commissions from the purchasers for whom they may act as agents. Underwriters, dealers and agents that participate in the distribution of the securities, and any institutional investors or others that purchase securities directly and then resell the securities, may be deemed to be underwriters, and any discounts or commissions received by them from us and any profit on the resale of the securities by them may be deemed to be underwriting discounts and commissions under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act).

We may provide agents and underwriters with indemnification against particular civil liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act, or contribution with respect to payments that the agents or underwriters may make with respect to such liabilities. Agents and underwriters may engage in transactions with, or perform services for, us in the ordinary course of business.

In addition, we may enter into derivative transactions with third parties (including the writing of options), or sell securities not covered by this prospectus to third parties in privately negotiated transactions. If the applicable prospectus supplement indicates, in connection with such a transaction, the third parties may, pursuant to this prospectus and the applicable prospectus supplement, sell securities covered by this prospectus and the applicable prospectus supplement. If so, the third party may use securities borrowed from us or others to settle such sales and may use securities received from us to close out any related short positions. We may also loan or pledge securities covered by this prospectus and the applicable prospectus supplement to third parties, who may sell the loaned securities or, in an event of default in the case of a pledge, sell the pledged securities pursuant to this prospectus and the applicable prospectus supplement. The third party in such sale transactions will be an underwriter and will be identified in the applicable prospectus supplement or in a post-effective amendment.

Offered securities may also be offered and sold, if so indicated in the applicable prospectus supplement, in connection with a remarketing upon their purchase, in accordance with a redemption or repayment pursuant to their terms, or otherwise, by one or more remarketing firms, acting as principals for their own accounts or as agents for us. Any remarketing firm will be identified and the terms of its agreements, if any, with us and its compensation will be described in the applicable prospectus supplement.

To facilitate an offering of a series of securities, persons participating in the offering may engage in transactions that stabilize, maintain, or otherwise affect the market price of the securities. This may include over-allotments or short sales of the securities, which involves the sale by persons participating in the offering of more securities than have been sold to them by us. In those circumstances, such persons would cover such over-allotments or short positions by purchasing in the open market or by exercising the over-allotment option granted to those persons. In addition, those persons may stabilize

or maintain the price of the securities by bidding for or purchasing securities in the open market or by imposing penalty bids, whereby selling concessions allowed to underwriters or dealers participating in any such offering may be reclaimed if securities sold by them are repurchased in connection with stabilization transactions. The effect of these transactions may be to stabilize or maintain the market price of the securities at a level above that which might otherwise prevail in the open market. Such transactions, if commenced, may be discontinued at any time. We make no representation or prediction as to the direction or magnitude of any effect that the transactions described above, if implemented, may have on the price of our securities.

Some or all of the securities that we offer through this prospectus may be new issues of securities with no established trading market. Any underwriters to whom we sell our securities for public offering and sale may make a market in those securities, but they will not be obligated to do so and they may discontinue any market making at any time without notice. Accordingly, we cannot assure you of the liquidity of, or continued trading markets for, any securities that we offer.

LEGAL MATTERS

In connection with particular offerings of our securities in the future, unless otherwise stated in the applicable prospectus supplement, the validity of those securities will be passed upon for us by Dechert LLP, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. If the securities are being distributed in an underwritten offering, certain legal matters will be passed upon for the underwriters by counsel identified in the related prospectus supplement.

EXPERTS

The consolidated financial statements and schedule of B&G Foods, Inc. and subsidiaries as of December 29, 2018 and December 30, 2017, and for the years ended December 29, 2018, December 30, 2017 and December 31, 2016, and management's assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting as of December 29, 2018 have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the reports of KPMG LLP, independent registered public accounting firm, incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION

We are subject to the informational requirements of the Exchange Act. In accordance with the Exchange Act, we file periodic reports, proxy statements and information statements and other information with the SEC.

We have filed with the SEC a registration statement on Form S-3 under the Securities Act with respect to the securities offered hereby. This prospectus does not contain all of the information set forth in the registration statement and the exhibits and schedules to the registration statement. For further information with respect to our company and the securities offered hereby, reference is made to the registration statement and the exhibits and schedules filed as a part of the registration statement. Statements contained in this prospectus concerning the contents of any contract or any other document are not necessarily complete; reference is made in each instance to the copy of such contract or any other document filed as an exhibit to the registration statement. Each such statement is qualified in all respects by such reference to such exhibit.

The SEC maintains a website at *www.sec.gov* that contains reports, proxy and information statements and other information regarding issuers that file with the SEC. B&G Foods' SEC filings are also available to the public, free of charge, from our website at *www.bqfoods.com*.

We will furnish without charge to each person to whom a copy of this prospectus is delivered, upon written or oral request, a copy of any and all of these filings (except exhibits, unless they are specifically incorporated by reference into this prospectus). Please direct any requests for copies to:

B&G Foods, Inc. Four Gatehall Drive Parsippany, NJ 07054 Attention: Corporate Secretary Telephone: 973.401.6500 Fax: 973.630.6550

INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

The SEC allows us to incorporate by reference in this prospectus the information we file with the SEC, which means that we can disclose important information to you by referring you to those documents. The information incorporated by reference is considered to be a part of this prospectus. We incorporate by reference in this prospectus the information contained in the following documents (other than any portions of the respective filings that were furnished under applicable SEC rules rather than filed):

- our annual report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 29, 2018 filed on February 26, 2019;
- <u>our quarterly reports on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 30, 2019 filed on May 7, 2019</u> and the quarter ended June 29, 2019 filed on <u>August 6, 2019</u>;
- our current reports on Form 8-K filed on <u>January 29, 2019</u> (as amended by <u>Amendment No. 1 to such Form 8-K, filed on March 1, 2019</u>), <u>March 1, 2019</u>, <u>March 18, 2019</u>, <u>May 15, 2019</u> and <u>May 28, 2019</u>; and
- the description of our common stock contained in our registration statement on Form 8-A (Registration No. 001-32316) filed on May 16, 2007, as amended by Item 5.03 of our Current Report on Form 8-K filed on August 13, 2010, and including any future amendment or report filed for the purpose of updating such description.

We are also incorporating by reference all other reports that we will file with the SEC pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act (other than any portions of the respective filings that will be furnished under applicable SEC rules rather than filed) after the date of this prospectus and prior to the completion of the offering of any securities covered by this prospectus. The information that we file with the SEC after the date of this prospectus and prior to the completion of the offering of any securities covered by this prospectus will update and supersede the information contained in this prospectus and incorporated filings. You will be deemed to have notice of all information incorporated by reference in this prospectus as if that information was included in this prospectus.

You may obtain copies of these documents from us, free of cost, by contacting us at the address or telephone number provided in "Where You Can Find More Information" immediately above.

PART II

INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS

Item 14. Other Expenses of Issuance and Distribution

The following table sets forth the estimated fees and expenses of the sale and distribution of the securities being registered under this registration statement, other than any underwriting discounts and commissions, all of which shall be borne by B&G Foods.

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- * Pursuant to SEC Rules 456(b) and 457(r) under the Securities Act, the SEC registration fee will be paid at the time of any particular offering of securities under the registration statement, and is therefore not currently determinable.
- ** These fees and expenses depend on the types of securities offered and the number of offerings and, accordingly, cannot be estimated at this time.

Item 15. Indemnification of Directors and Officers

B&G Foods, Inc.

Under Section 145 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, B&G Foods may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (other than an action by or in the right of B&G Foods) by reason of the fact that such person is or was a director, officer, employee, or agent of B&G Foods, or is or was serving at the request of B&G Foods as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with such action, suit or proceeding if such person acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of B&G Foods and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe such person's conduct was unlawful.

In addition, under Section 145, B&G Foods may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of B&G Foods to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that such person is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of B&G Foods, or is or was serving at the request of B&G Foods as a director, officer, employee or agent of B&G Foods, or is or was serving at the request of B&G Foods as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against expenses (including attorneys' fees) actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with the defense or settlement of such action or suit if such person acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of B&G Foods and except that no indemnification shall be made in respect of any claim, issue or matter

as to which such person shall have been adjudged to be liable to B&G Foods unless and only to the extent that the Delaware Court of Chancery or the court in which such action or suit was brought shall determine upon application that, despite the adjudication of liability but in view of all the circumstances of the case, such person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses which the Delaware Court of Chancery or such other court shall deem proper.

Section 145 also provides that to the extent that a present or former director or officer of a corporation has been successful on the merits or otherwise in defense of any action, suit or proceeding referred to above, or defense of any claim issue or matter therein, such person shall be indemnified against expenses (including attorney's fees) actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection therewith.

Furthermore, Section 145 provides that nothing in the above-described provisions shall be deemed exclusive of any other rights to indemnification or advancement of expenses to which any person may be entitled under any bylaw, agreement, vote of stockholders or disinterested directors or otherwise.

Under Section 102(b)(7) of the Delaware General Corporation Law, B&G Foods may in its certificate of incorporation eliminate or limit the personal liability of a director to the corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a director except for liability: (i) for any breach of the director's duty of loyalty to the corporation or its stockholders; (ii) for acts or omissions not in good faith or that involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law; (iii) under Section 174 of the Delaware General Corporation Law (pertaining to certain prohibited acts including unlawful payment of dividends or unlawful purchase or redemption of the corporation's capital stock); or (iv) for any transaction from which the director derived an improper personal benefit.

Our certificate of incorporation provides that our directors shall be entitled to the benefits of all limitations on the liability of directors generally permissible under Delaware law.

In addition, our bylaws provide for the indemnification of our directors and officers to the fullest extent permitted under Delaware law as in effect from time to time and by our certificate of incorporation.

As permitted by our certificate of incorporation and bylaws, we have purchased and we maintain directors' and officers' liability insurance policies to insure our directors and officers against certain liabilities.

Subsidiary Guarantor Registrants

B&G Foods North America, Inc., B&G Foods Snacks, Inc., BTN Foods ServCo Corporation, BTN Holdco, Inc. and Spartan Foods of America, Inc. —Delaware Corporation Guarantor Registrants

Each of B&G Foods North America, Inc., B&G Foods Snacks, Inc., BTN Foods ServCo Corporation, BTN Holdco, Inc. and Spartan Foods of America, Inc.—are authorized under their organizational documents to indemnify their directors and officers for expenses and liabilities arising out of any proceeding to the extent permitted by Section 145 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, see above under "Item 15. Indemnification of Directors and Officers—B&G Foods, Inc." on page II-1.

Back To Nature Foods Company, LLC, Back to Nature Foods ServoCo LLC, Bear Creek Country Kitchens, LLC and Victoria Fine Foods, LLC—Delaware Limited Liability Company Guarantor Registrants

The following description applies to each of Back To Nature Foods Company, LLC, Back to Nature Foods ServoCo LLC, Bear Creek Country Kitchens, LLC and Victoria Fine Foods, LLC (which we refer to as the LLC guarantor registrants). Section 18-303(a) of the Delaware Limited Liability

Company Act (DLLCA) provides that, except as otherwise provided by the DLLCA, the debts, obligations and liabilities of a limited liability company shall be solely the limited liability company's, and no member or manager of a limited liability company shall be obligated personally for any such debt, obligation or liability solely by reason of being a member or acting as a manager. Section 18-108 of the DLLCA states that subject to such standards and restrictions, if any, as set forth in its limited liability company agreement, a limited liability company has the power to indemnify and hold harmless any member or manager or other person from and against any and all claims and demands whatsoever. The limited liability company agreements of the LLC guarantor registrants provide for the indemnification of each member of each LLC guarantor registrant, and such other persons identified by the members in writing for all costs, losses, liabilities and damages paid or accrued in connection with the business of the LLC guarantor registrants, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Clabber Girl Corporation—Indiana Corporation Guarantor Registrant

The articles of incorporation of Clabber Girl Corporation provides that it shall indemnify as a matter of right every person made a party to a proceeding because such person is or was (i) a member of the board of directors, (ii) an officer, or (iii) while a director or officer of the corporation, serving at the corporation's request as a director, officer, partner, trustee, employee, or agent of another foreign or domestic corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan, or other enterprise, whether for profit or not, against all liability incurred by such person in connection with the proceeding; provided that it is determined in the specific case that indemnification of such person is permissible in the circumstances because such person has met the standard of conduct for indemnification in the Indiana Business Corporation Law.

William Underwood Company—Massachusetts Business Trust Registrant

The declaration of trust of the William Underwood Company provides that, to the extent permitted by law, the William Underwood Company shall indemnify and hold each of its trustees, officers, employees and agents (including any person who serves at its request as director, officer or trustee of another organization in which it has any interest as a shareholder, creditor or otherwise), against liabilities and expenses, including amounts paid in satisfaction of judgments, in compromise or as fines and penalties, and counsel fees, reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with defense or disposition of any action, suit or other proceeding by the William Underwood Company or any other person or entity, whether civil or criminal, in which he or she may be involved with or with which he or she may be threatened, while in office or thereafter, by reason of his or her being or having been a trustee, officer, employee or agent. No indemnification shall be made, however, with respect to any matter as to which the trustee, officer, employee or agent shall have been adjudicated to have acted in bad faith or with willful misconduct or reckless disregard of his or her duties or gross negligence or not to have acted in good faith in the reasonable belief that his or her action was in the best interests of the William Underwood Company.

Item 16. Exhibits

The Exhibits to this registration statement are listed in the Exhibit Index beginning on page II-6, which is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 17. Undertakings

- (a) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:
 - (1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this registration statement:
 - (i) To include any prospectus required by Section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act;

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- (ii) To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of the registration statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in the registration statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any increase or decrease in volume of securities offered (if the total dollar value of securities offered would not exceed that which was registered) and any deviation from the low or high end of the estimated maximum offering range may be reflected in the form of prospectus filed with the SEC pursuant to Rule 424(b) if, in the aggregate, the changes in volume and price represent no more than a 20 percent change in the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the "Calculation of Registration Fee" table in the effective registration statement; and
- (iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in the registration statement or any material change to such information in the registration statement;

provided, however, that paragraphs (1)(i), (1)(ii) and (1)(iii) do not apply if the information required to be included in a post-effective amendment by those paragraphs is contained in reports filed with or furnished to the SEC by the registrant pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act that are incorporated by reference in the registration statement, or is contained in a form of prospectus filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) that is part of the registration statement.

- (2) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each such post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial *bona fide* offering thereof.
- (3) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.
- (4) That, for the purpose of determining liability under the Securities Act to any purchaser:
 - (i) Each prospectus filed by the registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b)(3) shall be deemed to be part of the registration statement as of the date the filed prospectus was deemed part of and included in the registration statement; and
 - (ii) Each prospectus required to be filed pursuant to Rule 424(b)(2), (b)(5), or (b)(7) as part of a registration statement in reliance on Rule 430B relating to an offering made pursuant to Rule 415(a)(1)(i), (vii), or (x) for the purpose of providing the information required by section 10(a) of the Securities Act shall be deemed to be part of and included in the registration statement as of the earlier of the date such form of prospectus is first used after effectiveness or the date of the first contract of sale of securities in the offering described in the prospectus. As provided in Rule 430B, for liability purposes of the issuer and any person that is at that date an underwriter, such date shall be deemed to be a new effective date of the registration statement relating to the securities in the registration statement to which that prospectus relates, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof. Provided, however, that no statement made in a registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement or made in a document incorporated or deemed incorporated by reference into the registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement will, as to a purchaser with a time of contract of sale prior to such effective date, supersede or modify any statement that was made in the registration statement or

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prospectus that was part of the registration statement or made in any such document immediately prior to such effective date.

- (5) That, for the purpose of determining liability of the registrant under the Securities Act to any purchaser in the initial distribution of the securities, the undersigned registrant undertakes that in a primary offering of securities of the undersigned registrant pursuant to this registration statement, regardless of the underwriting method used to sell the securities to the purchaser, if the securities are offered or sold to such purchaser by means of any of the following communications, the undersigned registrant will be a seller to the purchaser and will be considered to offer or sell such securities to such purchaser:
 - (i) Any preliminary prospectus or prospectus of the undersigned registrant relating to the offering required to be filed pursuant to Rule 424;
 - (ii) Any free writing prospectus relating to the offering prepared by or on behalf of the undersigned registrant or used or referred to by the undersigned registrant;
 - (iii) The portion of any other free writing prospectus relating to the offering containing material information about the undersigned registrant or its securities provided by or on behalf of the undersigned registrant; and
 - (iv) Any other communication that is an offer in the offering made by the undersigned registrant to the purchaser.
- (b) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes that, for purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each filing of the registrant's annual report pursuant to Section 13(a) or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act (and, where applicable, each filing of an employee benefit plan's annual report pursuant to section 15(d) of the Exchange Act) that is incorporated by reference in the registration statement shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial *bona fide* offering thereof.
- (c) Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the registrant pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the SEC such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than a payment by the registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

EXHIBIT INDEX

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3.2**	Bylaws of B&G Foods, Inc., as amended and restated through February 27, 2013 (Filed as Exhibit 3.1 to B&G Foods' Current Report on Form 8-K filed on March 4, 2013, and incorporated by reference herein).				
3.3**	Certificate of Incorporation of B&G Foods North America, Inc., as amended (Filed as Exhibit 3.3 to B&G Foods' Registration Statement on Form S-3 filed on August 8, 2016, and incorporated by reference herein).				
3.4**	Amended and Restated Bylaws of B&G Foods North America, Inc. (Filed as Exhibit 3.4 to B&G Foods' Registration Statement on Form S-3 filed on August 8, 2016, and incorporated by reference herein).				
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3.12**	Third Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of Bear Creek Country Kitchens, LLC (Filed as Exhibit 3.8 to B&G Foods' Registration Statement on Form S-3 filed on August 8, 2016, and incorporated by reference herein)				
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3.16+	Amended and Restated Bylaws of BTN Holdco, Inc.				
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3.18+	Bylaws of Clabber Girl Corporation				

Exhibit No.	Description
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3.20**	Amended and Restated Bylaws of Spartan Foods of America, Inc. (formerly known as Spartan Foods Holding Company). (Filed as Exhibit 3.12 to B&G Foods' Registration Statement on Form S-3 filed on August 8, 2016, and incorporated by reference herein).
3.21+	Certificate of Formation of Victoria Fine Foods, LLC
3.22+	Second Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of Victoria Fine Foods, LLC
3.23**	Amended and Restated Declaration of Trust of the William Underwood Company (Filed as Exhibit 3.15 to B&G Foods' Registration Statement on Form S-3 filed on August 8, 2016, and incorporated by reference herein).
3.24**	Bylaws of the William Underwood Company (Filed as Exhibit 3.16 to B&G Foods' Registration Statement on Form S-3 filed on August 8, 2016, and incorporated by reference herein).
4.1**	Indenture, dated as of June 4, 2013, between B&G Foods, Inc. and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee (Filed as Exhibit 4.1 to B&G Foods' Current Report on Form 8-K filed on June 4, 2013, and incorporated by reference herein)
4.2**	First Supplemental Indenture, dated as of June 4, 2013, among B&G Foods, Inc., B&G Foods North America, Inc., B&G Foods Snacks, Inc., William Underwood Company, and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee, relating to the 4.625% senior notes due 2021 (Filed as Exhibit 4.2 to B&G Foods' Current Report on Form 8-K filed on June 4, 2013, and incorporated by reference herein)
4.3**	Form of 4.625% Senior Note due 2021 (included in Exhibit 4.2)
4.4**	Form of stock certificate for common stock (Filed as Exhibit 4.1 to B&G Foods' Current Report on Form 8-K filed on August 13, 2010, and incorporated by reference herein).
4.5**	Seventh Supplemental Indenture, dated as of April 3, 2017, among B&G Foods, Inc., the Guarantors (as defined therein), and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee, relating to the 5.25% senior notes due 2025 (Filed as Exhibit 4.1 to B&G Foods' Current Report on Form 8-K filed April 4, 2017, and incorporated by reference herein)
4.6**	Form of 5.25% Senior Note due 2025 (included in Exhibit 4.5)
4.7*	Certificate of designations for preferred stock, if any.
4.8*	Form of new indenture, if any.
4.9*	Form of new debt securities, if any.
4.10*	Form of warrant agreement and warrant certificate, if any.
4.11*	Form of unit agreement and unit certificate, if any.
5.1+	Opinion of Dechert LLP.
23.1+	Consent of Dechert LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1).
23.2+	Consent of KPMG LLP, independent registered public accounting firm.

Exhibit No. Description

24.1+ Power of Attorney (included on signature page).

25.1++ Statement of Eligibility of the Trustee on Form T-1 under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended.

- * To the extent applicable, to be filed by an amendment or as an exhibit to a document filed under the Securities Exchange Act and incorporated by reference herein.
- ** Incorporated herein by reference to the indicated filing.
- + Filed herewith.
- To the extent applicable, to be incorporated by reference from a subsequent filing in accordance with Section 305(b)(2) of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-3 and has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in Parsippany, New Jersey, on the 7th day of August, 2019.

B&G FOODS, INC.

By: /s/ BRUCE C. WACHA

Bruce C. Wacha
Executive Vice President of Finance and
Chief Financial Officer

B&G FOODS NORTH AMERICA, INC.
B&G FOODS SNACKS, INC.
BACK TO NATURE FOODS COMPANY, LLC
BACK TO NATURE FOODS SERVCO, LLC
BEAR CREEK COUNTRY KITCHENS, LLC
BTN FOODS SERVCO CORPORATION
BTN HOLDCO, INC.
CLABBER GIRL CORPORATION
SPARTAN FOODS OF AMERICA, INC.
VICTORIA FINE FOODS, LLC
WILLIAM UNDERWOOD COMPANY

By: /s/ BRUCE C. WACHA

Bruce C. Wacha Executive Vice President of Finance and Chief Financial Officer

SIGNATURES AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that each person whose signature appears below constitutes and appoints Kenneth G. Romanzi, Bruce C. Wacha and Scott E. Lerner, and each of them, as his true and lawful attorneys-in-fact and agents, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for him and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign any and all amendments (including post-effective amendments) to this Registration Statement and sign any registration statement (or amendment thereto) for the same offering covered by the Registration Statement that is to be effective upon filing pursuant to Rule 462 promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in connection therewith and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, or any of them, or their or his substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

B&G FOODS, INC.

<u>Signature</u> /s/ KENNETH G. ROMANZI	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
Kenneth G. Romanzi	President, Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	August 7, 2019
/s/ BRUCE C. WACHA	Executive Vice President of Finance and Chief	August 7, 2019
Bruce C. Wacha /s/ MICHAEL D ADASCZIK	Vice President of Finance and Chief Accounting	
Michael D. Adasczik /s/ STEPHEN C. SHERRILL		August 7, 2019
Stephen C. Sherrill	- Chairman of the Board of Directors	August 7, 2019
/s/ DEANN L. BRUNTS	——— Director A	August 7, 2019
DeAnn L. Brunts /s/ CHARLES F. MARCY		August 7, 2019
Charles F. Marcy /s/ ROBERT D. MILLS		August 7, 2013
Robert D. Mills		August 7, 2019
/s/ DENNIS M. MULLEN	- Director	August 7, 2019
Dennis M. Mullen /s/ CHERYL M. PALMER	ER Director Aug Director Aug R	August 7, 2010
Cheryl M. Palmer /s/ ALFRED POE		August 7, 2019
Alfred Poe		August 7, 2019
/s/ DAVID L. WENNER		August 7, 2019
David L. Wenner		
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B&G FOODS NORTH AMERICA, INC. B&G FOODS SNACKS, INC. BTN FOODS SERVCO CORPORATION BTN HOLDCO, INC. SPARTAN FOODS OF AMERICA, INC.

Signature	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>	
/s/ KENNETH G. ROMANZI	President, Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	President, Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	August 7, 2019
Kenneth G. Romanzi /s/ BRUCE C. WACHA	Executive Vice President of Finance, Chief	,	August 7, 2019
Bruce C. Wacha	 Financial Officer, Treasurer and Director (Principal Financial Officer) 	August 7, 2015	
/s/ SCOTT E. LERNER	Vice President of Finance and Chief Accounting	August 7, 2019	
Scott E. Lerner /s/ MICHAEL D. ADASCZIK		0	
Michael D. Adasczik		August 7, 2019	
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BACK TO NATURE FOODS COMPANY, LLC BACK TO NATURE FOODS SERVCO, LLC BEAR CREEK COUNTRY KITCHENS, LLC VICTORIA FINE FOODS, LLC

<u>Signature</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
/s/ KENNETH G. ROMANZI	President and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer) Augus	August 7, 2019
Kenneth G. Romanzi		71agust 7, 2015
/s/ BRUCE C. WACHA	Executive Vice President of Finance, Chief	August 7, 2019
Bruce C. Wacha	 Financial Officer and Treasurer (Principal Financial Officer) 	August 7, 2019
/s/ SCOTT E. LERNER	Executive Vice President, General Counsel, Secretary and Chief Compliance Officer Augus	August 7, 2019
Scott E. Lerner		August 7, 2013
/s/ MICHAEL D. ADASCZIK	Vice President of Finance and Chief Accounting	August 7, 2019
Michael D. Adasczik	Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)	August 7, 2013

CLABBER GIRL CORPORATION

<u>Signature</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
/s/ KENNETH G. ROMANZI	Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)	August 7, 2019
Kenneth G. Romanzi		August 7, 2019
/s/ BRUCE C. WACHA	Executive Vice President of Finance, Chief	August 7, 2019
Bruce C. Wacha	 Financial Officer and Treasurer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer) 	
/s/ SCOTT E. LERNER	Executive Vice President, General Counsel,	
Scott E. Lerner	Secretary and Chief Compliance Officer	August 7, 2019

WILLIAM UNDERWOOD COMPANY

<u>Signature</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>	
/s/ KENNETH G. ROMANZI Kenneth G. Romanzi	President, Chief Executive Officer and Trustee (Principal Executive Officer)	August 7, 2019	
/s/ BRUCE C. WACHA	Executive Vice President of Finance, Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer and Trustee (Principal August 7, 2019 Financial and Accounting Officer)	August 7, 2019	
Bruce C. Wacha		August 7, 2013	
/s/ SCOTT E. LERNER	Executive Vice President, General Counsel, Secretary, Chief Compliance Officer and Trustee August 7, 2019	August 7 2019	
Scott E. Lerner		1148400 /, 2015	
/s/ MICHAEL D. ADASCZIK	Vice President of Finance and Chief Accounting August 7, 2019	August 7, 2019	
Michael D. Adasczik	Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)		
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CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION

OF

BACK TO NATURE FOODS COMPANY, LLC

The undersigned, an authorized natural person, for the purpose of forming a limited liability company (hereinafter called the "company"), under the provisions and subject to the requirements of the Delaware Limited Liability Act, hereby certifies that:

- 1. The name of the limited liability company is Back to Nature Foods Company, LLC.
- 2. The name of its registered agent is National Registered Agents, Inc.The address of its office in the State of Delaware is: 160 Greentree Drive, Suite 101, Dover, DE 19904 (County of Kent).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Certificate of Formation of Back to Nature Foods Company, LLC this 16th day of October, 2012.

/s/ Lisa A. Schroeder

Lisa A. Schroeder, Authorized Person

BACK TO NATURE FOODS COMPANY, LLC THIRD AMENDED AND RESTATED LIMITED LIABILTY COMPANY AGREEMENT

This THIRD AMENDED AND RESTATED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") of BACK TO NATURE FOODS COMPANY, LLC (the "Company") is made and entered into as of this 2nd day of October, 2017, by B&G Foods North America, Inc., a Delaware corporation and BTN Holdco, Inc., a Delaware corporation (each a "Member" and, collectively, the "Members"), the Members of the Company.

RECITALS:

- **A.** The Company was formed as a limited liability company under the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act, as amended from time to time (the "Act") pursuant to the filing of the Certificate of Formation (the "Certificate") with the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware.
- **B.** The Members desire to amend and restate the Company's Second Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement, dated as of December 29, 2013 (the "**Old Agreement**") to set forth certain provisions as to the governance and management of the Company.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Members, by entering into this Agreement, desire to provide for the structure and operation of the Company as a limited liability company pursuant to and in accordance with the Act, and hereby agree as follows:

- 1. <u>Purpose</u>. The object and purpose of, and the nature of the business to be conducted and promoted by, the Company is engaging in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the Act.
 - 2. <u>Place of Business</u>. The main office of the Company is located at Four Gatehall Drive, Parsippany, NJ 07054.
 - 3. Members. The name and address of each Member is:

B&G Foods North America, Inc. Four Gatehall Drive Parsippany, NJ 07054

BTN Holdco, Inc. Four Gatehall Drive Parsippany, NJ 07054

4. <u>Management</u>.

- (a) The business and affairs of the Company shall be managed by the Members. The Members shall have, to the fullest extent permitted by the Act, full and complete authority, power and discretion to direct, manage and control the business, affairs and properties of the Company, to make all decisions regarding such matters and to perform any and all acts and to engage in any and all activities necessary, customary or incident to the management of the business, affairs and properties of the Company. The Members shall have authority to execute on behalf of the Company all contracts, deeds, mortgages, bonds, contracts, leases and all other documents, agreements and instruments.
- (b) The Members may, by written instrument executed by the Members, appoint a board of directors, officers and agents of the Company to which the Members may delegate such duties, responsibilities and authority as shall be provided in such instrument. Any director or officer may be removed at any time by written instrument executed by the Members. Only the Members and directors, officers and agents of the Company authorized by the Members to bind the Company by written instrument executed by the Members shall have the authority to bind the Company.
- 5. <u>Units; Initial Capitalization</u>. Interests in the Company shall be represented by units of limited liability company interests (each, a "**Unit**"). The Company, as of the date hereof, shall have one authorized class of Units, which shall be composed of 1,000 Units, 540 of which as of the date hereof are owned by B&G Foods North America, Inc. and 460 of which as of the date hereof are owned by BTN Holdco, Inc. The ownership by a holder of Units shall entitle such holder to allocations of profits and losses and other items and distributions of cash and other property as set forth herein. Units shall not be certificated. For purposes of this Agreement, Units held by the Company or any of its subsidiaries shall be deemed not to be outstanding.
- 6. <u>Title to Company Property</u>. All real and personal property shall be acquired in the name of the Company and title to any property so acquired shall vest in the Company itself rather than in the holders of the Units.
- 7. <u>Compensation of Members</u>. The Members shall be reimbursed for all expenses incurred in managing the Company and shall, at the election of the Members, be entitled to compensation for its management services, in an amount to be determined from time to time by the Members.
- 8. <u>Distributions</u>. Distributions shall be made to the Members (in cash or in kind) at the times and in the amounts determined by the Members and as permitted by applicable law.
- 9. <u>Tax Elections</u>. The Members may make any tax elections for the Company allowed under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the tax laws of any state or other jurisdiction having taxing jurisdiction over the Company.

- 10. <u>Transferability of Units</u>. The Units are transferable either voluntarily or by operation of law. All or any portion of the Units may be sold, assigned, transferred, exchanged, mortgaged, pledged, granted, hypothecated, encumbered or otherwise transferred (whether absolutely or as security). Upon the transfer of the Units, the transferee shall be admitted as a member at the time of the transfer and shall obtain all of the rights appurtenant to being a member of the Company.
- 11. Admission of Additional Members. Additional members of the Company may be admitted to the Company at the direction of the Members. In the event that any additional members are added, this Agreement shall be construed to apply to all of the members, and the additional members shall be required to either: (i) enter into, ratify and approve this Agreement; or (ii) execute a new operating agreement after the Members have terminated this Agreement. Unless otherwise required by the Act (or any other valid law or regulation to which the Company is subject), if additional members have been added to the Company and this Agreement has not been terminated or modified, the decisions of the members owning at least a majority of the Units in the Company shall constitute the decisions of the Members for purposes of the interpretation of this Agreement.
- 12. <u>Liability of Members</u>. No holder of Units shall have any liability for any debt, obligation or liability of the Company or for the acts or omissions of any other member, director, officer, agent or employee of the Company except to the extent expressly required by the Act. The failure of any holders of the Units to observe any formalities or requirements relating to the exercise of the powers of the Members or the management of the business and affairs of the Company under this Agreement or the Act shall not, by itself, be grounds for imposing personal liability on the members for liabilities of the Company.

13. Indemnification.

- a. The Company shall indemnify the Members and such other persons as are identified by the Members by written instrument executed by the Members as entitled to be indemnified under this section for all costs, losses, liabilities and damages paid or accrued by the Members or any such other person in connection with the business of the Company, to the fullest extent provided or allowed by the laws of the State of Delaware. In addition, the Company shall advance costs of defense of any proceeding to the Members or any such other person upon receipt by the Company of an undertaking by or on behalf of the Members or such other person to repay such amount if it shall ultimately be determined that the Members or such other person are not entitled to be indemnified by the Company.
- b. Nothing in this Agreement shall serve to amend, repeal or otherwise modify the indemnification provisions set forth in the Old Agreement in any manner that would adversely affect the rights under the Old Agreement of individuals that were, immediately prior to the Closing (as defined in that certain Equity Purchase Agreement, dated as of August 19, 2017, by and among the Members, the Company, Brynwood Partners VI L.P., Mondelez BTN Holdings LLC, and the other sellers signatory thereto), managers, directors, members, officers or employees of the Company.

14. <u>Dissolution</u>.

- (a) The Company shall dissolve, and its affairs shall be wound up, upon the first to occur of the following: (i) the written direction of the Members, or (ii) the entry of a decree of judicial dissolution under Section 18-802 of the Act. The death, dissolution, retirement, resignation, expulsion or bankruptcy of the Members or the occurrence of any other event that terminates the continued membership of the Members shall not cause a dissolution of the Company.
- (b) Upon dissolution, the Company shall cease carrying on any and all activities other than the winding up of its business, but the Company is not terminated and shall continue until the winding up of the affairs of the Company is completed and a certificate of cancellation has been filed pursuant to the Act. Upon the winding up of the Company, the assets of the Company shall be distributed: (i) first to creditors, including any member if such member is a creditor, to the extent permitted by law, in satisfaction of the liabilities of the Company, whether by payment or the making of reasonable provision for payment thereof; and (ii) then to the members, pro rata based on their percentage ownership of the Company. Such distributions shall be in cash or property or partly in both, as determined by the Members.
- 15. <u>Conflicts of Interest</u>. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to limit the right of the members to enter into any transaction that may be considered to be competitive with, or a business opportunity that may be beneficial to, the Company. No member violates a duty or obligation to the Company merely because the conduct of such member furthers the interests of such member. A member may lend money to and transact other business with the Company. The rights and obligations of the members upon lending money to or transacting business with the Company are the same as those of a person who is not a member, subject to other applicable law. No transaction with the Company shall be void or voidable solely because a member has a direct or indirect interest in the transaction.
- 16. <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement shall be governed by, and interpreted and enforced in accordance with, the laws of the State of Delaware, without reference to the conflict of law rules of that or any other jurisdiction.
- 17. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement represents the entire agreement by the Members and the Company and supersedes all prior oral and written agreements by the Members and the Company pertaining to the subject matter hereof.
 - 18. Amendment. This Agreement may be amended or modified from time to time only by a written instrument executed by the Members.
- 19. <u>Rights of Creditors and Third Parties</u>. This Agreement is entered into by the Members solely to govern the operation of the Company. This Agreement is expressly not intended for the benefit of any creditor of the Company or any other person. Except and only to the extent provided by applicable statute, no such creditor or third party shall have any rights under this

Agreement or any other agreement between the Company and the Members, with respect to the subject matter hereof.

20. <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Agreement shall be binding on and inure to the benefit of the heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns of the Members.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Agreement as of the date first written above.

MEMBERS:

B&G FOODS NORTH AMERICA, INC.

By: /s/ Scott E. Lerner

Name: Scott E. Lerner

Title: Executive Vice President

BTN HOLDCO, INC.

By: /s/ Scott E. Lerner

Name: Scott E. Lerner

Title: Executive Vice President

Signature Page to Third Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement

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CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION OF BACK TO NATURE FOODS SERVCO, LLC

THIS CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION of **Back to Nature Foods ServCo, LLC** (the "<u>Company</u>") is being executed and filed by the undersigned initial organizer of the Company for the purpose of forming a limited liability company pursuant to the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act (6 Del. C. §§18-101 <u>et seq.</u>) and all amendments thereto (the "<u>Act</u>"). In furtherance of the foregoing and in accordance with §18-201 of the Act, the initial organizer of the Company does hereby certify that:

- 1. Name. The name of the Company is **Back to Nature Foods ServCo, LLC.**
- 2. Registered Office. The address of the registered office of the Company in the State of Delaware is National Registered Agents, Inc.
- 3. <u>Registered Agent</u>. The name and address of the registered agent for service of process on the Company in the State of Delaware is c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 160 Greentree Drive, Suite 101, Dover, DE 19904.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned initial organizer of the Company has caused this Certificate of Formation of Back to Nature Foods ServCo, LLC, which shall become effective upon filing, to be duly executed as of the 23rd day of September, 2013.

/s/ Marybeth O'Keefe, Esq. Marybeth O'Keefe, Esq. Authorized Person

BACK TO NATURE FOODS SERVCO, LLC SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED LIMITED LIABILTY COMPANY AGREEMENT

This SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") of BACK TO NATURE FOODS SERVCO, LLC (the "Company") is made and entered into as of this 2nd day of October, 2017, by Back to Nature Foods Company, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and BTN Foods ServCo Corporation, a Delaware corporation (each a "Member" and, collectively, the "Members"), the Members of the Company.

RECITALS:

- **A.** The Company was formed as a limited liability company under the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act, as amended from time to time (the "Act") pursuant to the filing of the Certificate of Formation (the "Certificate") with the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware.
- **B.** The Members desire to amend and restate the Company's Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Operating Agreement, dated as of July 21, 2015 (the "**Old Agreement**") to set forth certain provisions as to the governance and management of the Company.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Members, by entering into this Agreement, desire to provide for the structure and operation of the Company as a limited liability company pursuant to and in accordance with the Act, and hereby agree as follows:

- 1. <u>Purpose</u>. The object and purpose of, and the nature of the business to be conducted and promoted by, the Company is engaging in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the Act.
 - 2. <u>Place of Business</u>. The main office of the Company is located at Four Gatehall Drive, Parsippany, NJ 07054.
 - 3. <u>Members</u>. The name and address of each Member is:

Back to Nature Foods Company, LLC Four Gatehall Drive Parsippany, NJ 07054

BTN Foods ServCo Corporation Four Gatehall Drive Parsippany, NJ 07054

4. <u>Management</u>.

- (a) The business and affairs of the Company shall be managed by the Members. The Members shall have, to the fullest extent permitted by the Act, full and complete authority, power and discretion to direct, manage and control the business, affairs and properties of the Company, to make all decisions regarding such matters and to perform any and all acts and to engage in any and all activities necessary, customary or incident to the management of the business, affairs and properties of the Company. The Members shall have authority to execute on behalf of the Company all contracts, deeds, mortgages, bonds, contracts, leases and all other documents, agreements and instruments.
- (b) The Members may, by written instrument executed by the Members, appoint a board of directors, officers and agents of the Company to which the Members may delegate such duties, responsibilities and authority as shall be provided in such instrument. Any director or officer may be removed at any time by written instrument executed by the Members. Only the Members and directors, officers and agents of the Company authorized by the Members to bind the Company by written instrument executed by the Members shall have the authority to bind the Company.
- 5. <u>Units; Initial Capitalization</u>. Interests in the Company shall be represented by units of limited liability company interests (each, a "**Unit**"). The Company, as of the date hereof, shall have one authorized class of Units, which shall be composed of 1,000 Units, 990 of which as of the date hereof are owned by Back to Nature Foods Company, LLC and 10 of which as of the date hereof are owned by BTN Foods ServCo Corporation. The ownership by a holder of Units shall entitle such holder to allocations of profits and losses and other items and distributions of cash and other property as set forth herein. Units shall not be certificated. For purposes of this Agreement, Units held by the Company or any of its subsidiaries shall be deemed not to be outstanding.
- 6. <u>Title to Company Property</u>. All real and personal property shall be acquired in the name of the Company and title to any property so acquired shall vest in the Company itself rather than in the holders of the Units.
- 7. <u>Compensation of Members</u>. The Members shall be reimbursed for all expenses incurred in managing the Company and shall, at the election of the Members, be entitled to compensation for its management services, in an amount to be determined from time to time by the Members.
- 8. <u>Distributions</u>. Distributions shall be made to the Members (in cash or in kind) at the times and in the amounts determined by the Members and as permitted by applicable law.
- 9. <u>Tax Elections</u>. The Members may make any tax elections for the Company allowed under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the tax laws of any state or other jurisdiction having taxing jurisdiction over the Company.

- 10. <u>Transferability of Units</u>. The Units are transferable either voluntarily or by operation of law. All or any portion of the Units may be sold, assigned, transferred, exchanged, mortgaged, pledged, granted, hypothecated, encumbered or otherwise transferred (whether absolutely or as security). Upon the transfer of the Units, the transferee shall be admitted as a member at the time of the transfer and shall obtain all of the rights appurtenant to being a member of the Company.
- 11. Admission of Additional Members. Additional members of the Company may be admitted to the Company at the direction of the Members. In the event that any additional members are added, this Agreement shall be construed to apply to all of the members, and the additional members shall be required to either: (i) enter into, ratify and approve this Agreement; or (ii) execute a new operating agreement after the Members have terminated this Agreement. Unless otherwise required by the Act (or any other valid law or regulation to which the Company is subject), if additional members have been added to the Company and this Agreement has not been terminated or modified, the decisions of the members owning at least a majority of the Units in the Company shall constitute the decisions of the Members for purposes of the interpretation of this Agreement.
- 12. <u>Liability of Members</u>. No holder of Units shall have any liability for any debt, obligation or liability of the Company or for the acts or omissions of any other member, director, officer, agent or employee of the Company except to the extent expressly required by the Act. The failure of any holders of the Units to observe any formalities or requirements relating to the exercise of the powers of the Members or the management of the business and affairs of the Company under this Agreement or the Act shall not, by itself, be grounds for imposing personal liability on the members for liabilities of the Company.

13. Indemnification.

- a. The Company shall indemnify the Members and such other persons as are identified by the Members by written instrument executed by the Members as entitled to be indemnified under this section for all costs, losses, liabilities and damages paid or accrued by the Members or any such other person in connection with the business of the Company, to the fullest extent provided or allowed by the laws of the State of Delaware. In addition, the Company shall advance costs of defense of any proceeding to the Members or any such other person upon receipt by the Company of an undertaking by or on behalf of the Members or such other person to repay such amount if it shall ultimately be determined that the Members or such other person are not entitled to be indemnified by the Company.
- b. Nothing in this Agreement shall serve to amend, repeal or otherwise modify the indemnification provisions set forth in the Old Agreement in any manner that would adversely affect the rights under the Old Agreement of individuals that were, immediately prior to the Closing (as defined in that certain Equity Purchase Agreement, dated as of August 19, 2017, by and among B&G Foods North America, Inc., Back to Nature Foods Company, LLC, Brynwood Partners VI L.P., Mondelez BTN Holdings LLC, and the other sellers signatory thereto), managers, directors, members, officers or employees of the Company.

14. <u>Dissolution</u>.

- (a) The Company shall dissolve, and its affairs shall be wound up, upon the first to occur of the following: (i) the written direction of the Members, or (ii) the entry of a decree of judicial dissolution under Section 18-802 of the Act. The death, dissolution, retirement, resignation, expulsion or bankruptcy of the Members or the occurrence of any other event that terminates the continued membership of the Members shall not cause a dissolution of the Company.
- (b) Upon dissolution, the Company shall cease carrying on any and all activities other than the winding up of its business, but the Company is not terminated and shall continue until the winding up of the affairs of the Company is completed and a certificate of cancellation has been filed pursuant to the Act. Upon the winding up of the Company, the assets of the Company shall be distributed: (i) first to creditors, including any member if such member is a creditor, to the extent permitted by law, in satisfaction of the liabilities of the Company, whether by payment or the making of reasonable provision for payment thereof; and (ii) then to the members, pro rata based on their percentage ownership of the Company. Such distributions shall be in cash or property or partly in both, as determined by the Members.
- 15. <u>Conflicts of Interest</u>. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to limit the right of the members to enter into any transaction that may be considered to be competitive with, or a business opportunity that may be beneficial to, the Company. No member violates a duty or obligation to the Company merely because the conduct of such member furthers the interests of such member. A member may lend money to and transact other business with the Company. The rights and obligations of the members upon lending money to or transacting business with the Company are the same as those of a person who is not a member, subject to other applicable law. No transaction with the Company shall be void or voidable solely because a member has a direct or indirect interest in the transaction.
- 16. <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement shall be governed by, and interpreted and enforced in accordance with, the laws of the State of Delaware, without reference to the conflict of law rules of that or any other jurisdiction.
- 17. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement represents the entire agreement by the Members and the Company and supersedes all prior oral and written agreements by the Members and the Company pertaining to the subject matter hereof.
 - 18. Amendment. This Agreement may be amended or modified from time to time only by a written instrument executed by the Members.
- 19. <u>Rights of Creditors and Third Parties</u>. This Agreement is entered into by the Members solely to govern the operation of the Company. This Agreement is expressly not intended for the benefit of any creditor of the Company or any other person. Except and only to the extent provided by applicable statute, no such creditor or third party shall have any rights under this

Agreement or any other agreement between the Company and the Members, with respect to the subject matter hereof.

20. <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Agreement shall be binding on and inure to the benefit of the heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns of the Members.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Agreement as of the date first written above.

MEMBERS:

BACK TO NATURE FOODS COMPANY, LLC

By: /s/ Scott E. Lerner

Name: Scott E. Lerner

Title: Executive Vice President

BTN FOODS SERVCO CORPORATION

By: /s/ Scott E. Lerner

Name: Scott E. Lerner

Title: Executive Vice President

Signature Page to Second Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement

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CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF BTN FOODS SERVCO CORPORATION

The undersigned, a natural person, for the purpose of organizing a corporation for conducting the business and promoting the purposes hereinafter stated, under the provisions and subject to the requirements of the laws of the State of Delaware (particularly Chapter 1, Title 8 of the Delaware Code and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and known, identified, and referred to as the "<u>General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware</u>"), hereby certifies that:

<u>FIRST</u>: The name of the corporation (hereinafter called the "<u>Corporation</u>") is **BTN Foods ServCo Corporation.**

<u>SECOND</u>: The address, including street, number, city, and county, of the registered office of the Corporation in the State of Delaware is c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 160 Greentree Drive, Suite 101, Dover, County of Kent, DE 19904; and the name of the registered agent of the Corporation in the State of Delaware at such address is National Registered Agents, Inc.

<u>THIRD</u>: The nature of the business or purposes to be conducted by and promoted by the Corporation is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be organized under the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

<u>FOURTH</u>: The total number of shares of stock which the Corporation shall have authority to issue is five thousand (5,000) shares of Common Stock with a par value of one cent (\$.01) per share.

FIFTH: No Director of the Corporation shall be personally liable to the Corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a Director; provided, however, that the foregoing clause shall not apply to any liability of a Director (i) for any breach of the Director's duty of loyalty to the Corporation or its stockholders, (ii) for acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law, (iii) under Section 174 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, or (iv) for any transaction from which the Director derived an improper personal benefit. This Article shall not eliminate or limit the liability of a Director for any act or omission occurring prior to the time this Article became effective.

<u>SIXTH</u>: The name and mailing address of the Incorporator is as follows:

NAME: MAILING ADDRESS:

Marybeth O'Keefe, Esq. c/o Dickstein Shapiro LLP One Stamford Plaza

> 263 Tresser Blvd., Suite 1400 Stamford, CT 06901

SEVENTH: The Corporation is to have a perpetual existence.

EIGHTH: Elections of Directors need not be by written ballot unless the Bylaws of the Corporation so provide.

<u>NINTH</u>: In furtherance and not in limitation of the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Delaware, the Board of Directors of the Corporation is authorized and empowered to adopt, alter, amend and repeal the Bylaws of the Corporation in any manner not inconsistent with the laws of Delaware.

<u>TENTH</u>: The Corporation shall indemnify its officers, directors, employees and agents to the greatest extent permitted by the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

<u>ELEVENTH</u>: Meetings of the stockholders may be held within or without the State of Delaware, as the Bylaws may provide. The books of the Corporation may be kept (subject to any provision contained in the statutes) outside the State of Delaware at such place or places as may be designated from time to time by the Board of Directors or in the Bylaws of the Corporation.

TWELFTH: The Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision contained in this Certificate of Incorporation, in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by statute.

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, being the incorporator hereinbefore named, for the purpose of forming a corporation pursuant to the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, does make this Certificate of Incorporation, hereby declaring and certifying that this is my act and deed and the facts herein stated are true, and accordingly have hereunto set my hand this 23rd day of September, 2013.

/s/ Marybeth O'Keefe, Esq. Marybeth O'Keefe, Esq. Incorporator

AMENDED AND RESTATED BYLAWS

OF

BTN FOODS SERVCO CORPORATION(1)

ARTICLE I

STOCKHOLDERS

1.1. <u>Meetings</u>.

- 1.1.1. Place. Meetings of the stockholders shall be held at such place as may be designated by the board of directors.
- 1.1.2. <u>Annual Meeting</u>. An annual meeting of the stockholders for the election of directors and for other business shall be held on such date and at such time as may be fixed by the board of directors.
- 1.1.3. <u>Special Meetings</u>. Special meetings of the stockholders of the Company may be called at any time by the chief executive officer, the board of directors, or by the holders of a majority of the outstanding shares of stock of the Company entitled to vote at the meeting.
- 1.1.4. <u>Quorum</u>. The presence, in person or by proxy, of the holders of a majority of the outstanding shares of stock of the Company entitled to vote on a particular matter shall constitute a quorum for the purpose of considering such matter.
- 1.1.5. <u>Voting Rights</u>. Except as otherwise provided herein, in the certificate of incorporation or by law, every stockholder shall have the right at every meeting of stockholders to one vote for every share standing in the name of such stockholder on the books of the Company which is entitled to vote at such meeting. Every stockholder may vote either in person or by proxy.

1.1.6. <u>Notice of Meetings; Waiver.</u>

- (a) Written or printed notice of the place, date and hour of the meeting of the stockholders, and, in the case of a special meeting, the purpose or purposes for which such meeting is called, shall be delivered not less than ten nor more than sixty days prior to the meeting, either personally or by mail, by or at the direction of the board of directors or person calling the meeting, to each stockholder of record entitled to vote at such meeting. If such notice is mailed, it shall be deemed to have been delivered to a stockholder on the third day after it is deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the stockholder at his or her address as it appears on the record of stockholders of the Company, or, if he or she shall have filed with the secretary of the Company a written request that notices to him or her be mailed to some other address, then directed to him or her at such other address. Such further notice shall be given as may be required by law or otherwise provided herein.
- (b) No notice of any meeting of stockholders need be given to any stockholder who submits a signed waiver of notice, whether before or after the meeting. Neither the business to be transacted at, nor the purpose of, any regular or special meeting of the stockholders need be specified in a written waiver of notice. The attendance of any stockholder at a meeting of stockholders shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting, except when the stockholder attends a meeting for the express purpose

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of objecting, at the beginning of the meeting, to the transaction of any business on the ground that the meeting is not lawfully called or convened.

1.2. Stockholder Business and Nominations.

- 1.2.1. <u>Annual Meetings of Stockholders</u>. Nominations of persons for election to the board of directors of the Company and the proposal of business to be considered by the stockholders at an annual meeting of stockholders may be made (i) by or at the direction of the board of directors or the chairman of the board, or (ii) by any stockholder of the Company who is entitled to vote at the meeting.
- 1.2.2. <u>Special Meetings of Stockholders.</u> Only such business as shall have been brought before the special meeting of the stockholders pursuant to the Company's notice of meeting pursuant to Section 1.1.6 of these bylaws shall be conducted at such meeting. Nominations of persons for election to the board of directors may be made at a special meeting of stockholders at which directors are to be elected pursuant to the Company's notice of meeting (i) by or at the direction of the board of directors or the chairman of the board or (ii) by any stockholder of the Company who is entitled to vote at the meeting.

ARTICLE II

DIRECTORS

2.1. <u>Number and Term.</u> The number of directors shall be such as the board of directors may by resolution direct from time to time. Except as otherwise provided in the certificate of incorporation or by law, at each meeting of the stockholders for the election of directors, provided a quorum is present, the directors shall be elected by a plurality of the votes cast in such election. Each director shall hold office for a term that will expire at the annual meeting of stockholders immediately succeeding their election, and until his successor shall have been elected and shall qualify, or until his death or until he shall resign or shall have been removed in the manner hereinafter provided. The chairman of the board, if one be elected, shall be chosen from among the directors.

2.2. Meetings.

- 2.2.1. Place. Meetings of the board of directors shall be held at such place as may be designated by the board or in the notice of the meeting.
- 2.2.2. <u>Regular Meetings</u>. Regular meetings of the board of directors shall be held at such times as the board may designate. Notice of regular meetings need not be given.
- 2.2.3. <u>Special Meetings</u>. Special meetings of the board may be called by direction of the chief executive officer or any two members of the board on three days' notice to each director, either personally or by mail, telegram, electronic mail or facsimile transmission.
 - 2.2.4. Our um. A majority of all the directors in office shall constitute a guorum for the transaction of business at any meeting.
- 2.2.5. <u>Voting</u>. Except as otherwise provided herein, in the certificate of incorporation or by law, the vote of a majority of the directors present at any meeting at which a quorum is present shall constitute the act of the board of directors.
- 2.2.6. <u>Committees</u>. The board of directors may, by resolution adopted by a majority of the whole board, designate one or more committees, each committee to consist of one or more directors and

such alternate members (also directors) as may be designated by the board. Unless otherwise provided herein, in the absence or disqualification of any member of a committee, the member or members thereof present at any meeting and not disqualified from voting, whether or not such member or members constitute a quorum, may unanimously appoint another director to act at the meeting in the place of any such absent or disqualified member. Except as otherwise provided herein, in the certificate of incorporation or by law, any such committee shall have and may exercise the powers of the full board of directors to the extent provided in the resolution of the board directing the committee.

ARTICLE III

OFFICERS

- 3.1. <u>Election</u>. At its first meeting after each annual meeting of the stockholders, the board of directors shall elect a chief executive officer or president, treasurer, secretary and such other officers as it deems advisable.
- 3.2. <u>Authority, Duties and Compensation</u>. The officers shall have such authority, perform such duties and serve for such compensation as may be determined by resolution of the board of directors. Except as otherwise provided by board resolution, (i) the chief executive officer shall be the president of the Company, shall have general supervision over the business and operations of the Company, may perform any act and execute any instrument for the conduct of such business and operations and shall preside at all meetings of the board and stockholders, (ii) the other officers shall have the duties customarily related to their respective offices, and (iii) any vice president, or vice presidents in the order determined by the board, shall in the absence of the chief executive officer, have the authority and perform the duties of the chief executive officer.

ARTICLE IV

INDEMNIFICATION

4.1. Right to Indemnification. The Company shall indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to or is otherwise involved in any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative by reason of the fact that such person is or was a director, officer or trustee of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer or trustee of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, employee benefit plan, trust or other enterprise (hereinafter an "indemnitee"), against expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines, ERISA excise taxes, penalties and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with such action, suit or proceeding, whether the basis of such proceeding is alleged action in an official capacity as a director, officer or trustee or in any other capacity while serving as a director, officer or trustee, to the fullest extent authorized by the Delaware General Corporation Law, as the same exists or may hereafter be amended (but, in the case of any such amendment, only to the extent that such amendment permits the Company to provide broader indemnification rights than such law permitted the Company to provide prior to such amendment) ("Delaware General Corporation Law"); provided, that, the Company shall not be required to indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to or is otherwise involved in any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, by or in the right of the Company to procure a judgment in its favor unless such person acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, shall not, of it

person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had reasonable cause to believe that such person's conduct was unlawful.

- 4.2. <u>Advance of Expenses</u>. In addition to the right to indemnification conferred in Section 4.1 of this Article IV, expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred by an indemnitee in defending any civil, criminal, administrative or investigative action, suit or proceeding shall be paid by the Company in advance of the final disposition of such action, suit or proceeding upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of such indemnitee to repay such amount if it shall ultimately be determined that such person is not entitled to be indemnified by the Company as authorized in this Article IV.
- 4.3. <u>Indemnification Not Exclusive; Inuring of Benefit</u>. The indemnification and advancement of expenses provided by, or granted pursuant to, the other Sections of this Article IV shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which those seeking indemnification or advancement of expenses may be entitled under any law, the certificate of incorporation, these bylaws, agreement, vote of stockholders or disinterested directors or otherwise, both as to action in such person's official capacity and as to action in another capacity while holding such office, and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors and administrators of any such person.
- 4.4. <u>Insurance and Other Indemnfication</u>. The Company may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any person who is or was a director, officer, trustee, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer, trustee, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against any liability asserted against such person and incurred by such person in any such capacity, or arising out of such person's status as such, whether or not the Company would have the power to indemnify such person against such liability under the provisions of the Delaware General Corporation Law. The board of directors shall have the power to give other indemnification to the extent permitted by statute.
- 4.5. <u>Employee or Agent</u>. The Company may, to the extent authorized from time to time by the board of directors, grant rights to indemnification and to the advancement of expenses to any employee or agent of the Company to the fullest extent of the provisions of this Article IV with respect to the indemnification and advancement of expenses of directors, officers and trustees of the Company.
- 4.6. <u>Certain Defined Terms</u>. For purposes of this Article IV, references to the "Company" shall include, in addition to the resulting corporation, any constituent corporation (including any constituent of a constituent) absorbed in a consolidation or merger which, if its separate existence had continued, would have had power and authority to indemnify its directors, officers, trustees, employees or agents, so that any person who is or was a director, officer, trustee, employee or agent of such constituent corporation, or is or was serving at the request of such constituent corporation as a director, officer, trustee, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, shall stand in the same position under the provisions of this Article IV with respect to the resulting or surviving corporation as such person would have with respect to such constituent corporation if its separate existence had continued.

For purposes of this Article IV, references to "other enterprises" shall include employee benefit plans; references to "fines" shall include any excise taxes assessed on a person with respect to an employee benefit plan; and references to "serving at the request of the Company" shall include any service as a director, officer, trustee, employee or agent of the Company which imposes duties on, or involves service by, such director, officer, trustee, employee or agent with respect to an employee benefit plan, its participants or beneficiaries; and a person who acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in the interest of the participants and beneficiaries of an employee benefit plan

shall be deemed to have acted in a manner not opposed to the best interests of the Company for purposes of this Article IV.

4.7. <u>Contractual Obligation</u>. The indemnification and advancement of expenses provided by, or granted pursuant to, this Article IV shall be contract rights and shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, trustee employee or agent and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors and administrators of such a person. Any amendment, alteration or repeal of this Article IV that adversely affects any right of an indemnitee or its successors shall be prospective only and shall not limit or eliminate any such right with respect to any proceeding involving any occurrence or alleged occurrence of any action or omission to act that took place prior to such amendment, alteration or repeal.

ARTICLE V

TRANSFER OF SHARE CERTIFICATES

Transfers of share certificates and the shares represented thereby shall be made on the books of the Company only by the registered holder or by duly authorized attorney. Transfers shall be made only on surrender of the share certificate or certificates.

ARTICLE VI

AMENDMENTS

These bylaws may be amended or repealed by (i) the affirmative vote of the holders of record of a majority of the outstanding shares of the stock of the Company entitled to vote in respect thereof, given at an annual meeting or at any special meeting, provided that notice of the proposed alteration or repeal or of the proposed new bylaws be included in the notice of such meeting, or (ii) the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the board of directors, at any regular or special meeting of the board of directors.

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CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF BTN HOLDCO, INC.

The undersigned, a natural person, for the purpose of organizing a corporation for conducting the business and promoting the purposes hereinafter stated, under the provisions and subject to the requirements of the laws of the State of Delaware (particularly Chapter 1, Title 8 of the Delaware Code and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and known, identified, and referred to as the "<u>General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware</u>"), hereby certifies that:

FIRST: The name of the corporation (hereinafter called the "Corporation") is BTN Holdco, Inc.

<u>SECOND</u>: The address, including street, number, city, and county, of the registered office of the Corporation in the State of Delaware is c/o The Corporation Trust Company 1209 Orange Street, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle, State of Delaware 19801; and the name of the registered agent of the Corporation in the State of Delaware at such address is The Corporation Trust Company.

<u>THIRD</u>: The nature of the business or purposes to be conducted by and promoted by the Corporation is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be organized under the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

<u>FOURTH</u>: The total number of shares of stock which the Corporation shall have authority to issue is five thousand (5,000) shares of Common Stock with a par value of one cent (\$.01) per share.

<u>FIFTH</u>: No Director of the Corporation shall be personally liable to the Corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a Director; provided, however, that the foregoing clause shall not apply to any liability of a Director (i) for any breach of the Director's duty of loyalty to the Corporation or its stockholders, (ii) for acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law, (iii) under Section 174 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, or (iv) for any transaction from which the Director derived an improper personal benefit. This Article shall not eliminate or limit the liability of a Director for any act or omission occurring prior to the time this Article became effective.

SIXTH: The name and mailing address of the Incorporator is as follows:

NAME:

MAILING ADDRESS:

Martin A. Clarke, Esq. c/o Dickstein Shapiro LLP
One Stamford Plaza
263 Tresser Blyd Suite 14

263 Tresser Blvd., Suite 1400 Stamford, CT 06901 <u>SEVENTH</u>: The Corporation is to have a perpetual existence.

EIGHTH: Elections of Directors need not be by written ballot unless the Bylaws of the Corporation so provide.

<u>NINTH</u>: In furtherance and not in limitation of the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Delaware, the Board of Directors of the Corporation is authorized and empowered to adopt, alter, amend and repeal the Bylaws of the Corporation in any manner not inconsistent with the laws of Delaware.

<u>TENTH</u>: The Corporation shall indemnify its officers, directors, employees and agents to the greatest extent permitted by the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

<u>ELEVENTH</u>: Meetings of the stockholders may be held within or without the State of Delaware, as the Bylaws may provide. The books of the Corporation may be kept (subject to any provision contained in the statutes) outside the State of Delaware at such place or places as may be designated from time to time by the Board of Directors or in the Bylaws of the Corporation.

<u>TWELFTH</u>: The Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision contained in this Certificate of Incorporation, in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by statute.

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, being the incorporator hereinbefore named, for the purpose of forming a corporation pursuant to the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, does make this Certificate of Incorporation, hereby declaring and certifying that this is my act and deed and the facts herein stated are true, and accordingly have hereunto set my hand this 7th day of August, 2012.

/s/ Martin A. Clarke, Esq.

Martin A. Clarke, Esq. Incorporator

AMENDED AND RESTATED BYLAWS

OF

BTN HOLDCO, INC. (1)

ARTICLE I

STOCKHOLDERS

1.1. <u>Meetings</u>.

- 1.1.1. Place. Meetings of the stockholders shall be held at such place as may be designated by the board of directors.
- 1.1.2. <u>Annual Meeting</u>. An annual meeting of the stockholders for the election of directors and for other business shall be held on such date and at such time as may be fixed by the board of directors.
- 1.1.3. <u>Special Meetings</u>. Special meetings of the stockholders of the Company may be called at any time by the chief executive officer, the board of directors, or by the holders of a majority of the outstanding shares of stock of the Company entitled to vote at the meeting.
- 1.1.4. <u>Quorum</u>. The presence, in person or by proxy, of the holders of a majority of the outstanding shares of stock of the Company entitled to vote on a particular matter shall constitute a quorum for the purpose of considering such matter.
- 1.1.5. <u>Voting Rights</u>. Except as otherwise provided herein, in the certificate of incorporation or by law, every stockholder shall have the right at every meeting of stockholders to one vote for every share standing in the name of such stockholder on the books of the Company which is entitled to vote at such meeting. Every stockholder may vote either in person or by proxy.

1.1.6. <u>Notice of Meetings; Waiver.</u>

- (a) Written or printed notice of the place, date and hour of the meeting of the stockholders, and, in the case of a special meeting, the purpose or purposes for which such meeting is called, shall be delivered not less than ten nor more than sixty days prior to the meeting, either personally or by mail, by or at the direction of the board of directors or person calling the meeting, to each stockholder of record entitled to vote at such meeting. If such notice is mailed, it shall be deemed to have been delivered to a stockholder on the third day after it is deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the stockholder at his or her address as it appears on the record of stockholders of the Company, or, if he or she shall have filed with the secretary of the Company a written request that notices to him or her be mailed to some other address, then directed to him or her at such other address. Such further notice shall be given as may be required by law or otherwise provided herein.
- (b) No notice of any meeting of stockholders need be given to any stockholder who submits a signed waiver of notice, whether before or after the meeting. Neither the business to be transacted at, nor the purpose of, any regular or special meeting of the stockholders need be specified in a written waiver of notice. The attendance of any stockholder at a meeting of stockholders shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting, except when the stockholder attends a meeting for the express purpose

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of objecting, at the beginning of the meeting, to the transaction of any business on the ground that the meeting is not lawfully called or convened.

1.2. Stockholder Business and Nominations.

- 1.2.1. <u>Annual Meetings of Stockholders</u>. Nominations of persons for election to the board of directors of the Company and the proposal of business to be considered by the stockholders at an annual meeting of stockholders may be made (i) by or at the direction of the board of directors or the chairman of the board, or (ii) by any stockholder of the Company who is entitled to vote at the meeting.
- 1.2.2. <u>Special Meetings of Stockholders.</u> Only such business as shall have been brought before the special meeting of the stockholders pursuant to the Company's notice of meeting pursuant to Section 1.1.6 of these bylaws shall be conducted at such meeting. Nominations of persons for election to the board of directors may be made at a special meeting of stockholders at which directors are to be elected pursuant to the Company's notice of meeting (i) by or at the direction of the board of directors or the chairman of the board or (ii) by any stockholder of the Company who is entitled to vote at the meeting.

ARTICLE II

DIRECTORS

2.1. <u>Number and Term.</u> The number of directors shall be such as the board of directors may by resolution direct from time to time. Except as otherwise provided in the certificate of incorporation or by law, at each meeting of the stockholders for the election of directors, provided a quorum is present, the directors shall be elected by a plurality of the votes cast in such election. Each director shall hold office for a term that will expire at the annual meeting of stockholders immediately succeeding their election, and until his successor shall have been elected and shall qualify, or until his death or until he shall resign or shall have been removed in the manner hereinafter provided. The chairman of the board, if one be elected, shall be chosen from among the directors.

2.2. Meetings.

- 2.2.1. Place. Meetings of the board of directors shall be held at such place as may be designated by the board or in the notice of the meeting.
- 2.2.2. <u>Regular Meetings</u>. Regular meetings of the board of directors shall be held at such times as the board may designate. Notice of regular meetings need not be given.
- 2.2.3. <u>Special Meetings</u>. Special meetings of the board may be called by direction of the chief executive officer or any two members of the board on three days' notice to each director, either personally or by mail, telegram, electronic mail or facsimile transmission.
 - 2.2.4. Our um. A majority of all the directors in office shall constitute a guorum for the transaction of business at any meeting.
- 2.2.5. <u>Voting</u>. Except as otherwise provided herein, in the certificate of incorporation or by law, the vote of a majority of the directors present at any meeting at which a quorum is present shall constitute the act of the board of directors.
- 2.2.6. <u>Committees</u>. The board of directors may, by resolution adopted by a majority of the whole board, designate one or more committees, each committee to consist of one or more directors and

such alternate members (also directors) as may be designated by the board. Unless otherwise provided herein, in the absence or disqualification of any member of a committee, the member or members thereof present at any meeting and not disqualified from voting, whether or not such member or members constitute a quorum, may unanimously appoint another director to act at the meeting in the place of any such absent or disqualified member. Except as otherwise provided herein, in the certificate of incorporation or by law, any such committee shall have and may exercise the powers of the full board of directors to the extent provided in the resolution of the board directing the committee.

ARTICLE III

OFFICERS

- 3.1. <u>Election</u>. At its first meeting after each annual meeting of the stockholders, the board of directors shall elect a chief executive officer or president, treasurer, secretary and such other officers as it deems advisable.
- 3.2. <u>Authority, Duties and Compensation</u>. The officers shall have such authority, perform such duties and serve for such compensation as may be determined by resolution of the board of directors. Except as otherwise provided by board resolution, (i) the chief executive officer shall be the president of the Company, shall have general supervision over the business and operations of the Company, may perform any act and execute any instrument for the conduct of such business and operations and shall preside at all meetings of the board and stockholders, (ii) the other officers shall have the duties customarily related to their respective offices, and (iii) any vice president, or vice presidents in the order determined by the board, shall in the absence of the chief executive officer, have the authority and perform the duties of the chief executive officer.

ARTICLE IV

INDEMNIFICATION

4.1. Right to Indemnification. The Company shall indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to or is otherwise involved in any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative by reason of the fact that such person is or was a director, officer or trustee of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer or trustee of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, employee benefit plan, trust or other enterprise (hereinafter an "indemnitee"), against expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines, ERISA excise taxes, penalties and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with such action, suit or proceeding, whether the basis of such proceeding is alleged action in an official capacity as a director, officer or trustee or in any other capacity while serving as a director, officer or trustee, to the fullest extent authorized by the Delaware General Corporation Law, as the same exists or may hereafter be amended (but, in the case of any such amendment, only to the extent that such amendment permits the Company to provide broader indemnification rights than such law permitted the Company to provide prior to such amendment) ("Delaware General Corporation Law"); provided, that, the Company shall not be required to indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to or is otherwise involved in any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, by or in the right of the Company to procure a judgment in its favor unless such person acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, shall not, of it

person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had reasonable cause to believe that such person's conduct was unlawful.

- 4.2. <u>Advance of Expenses</u>. In addition to the right to indemnification conferred in Section 4.1 of this Article IV, expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred by an indemnitee in defending any civil, criminal, administrative or investigative action, suit or proceeding shall be paid by the Company in advance of the final disposition of such action, suit or proceeding upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of such indemnitee to repay such amount if it shall ultimately be determined that such person is not entitled to be indemnified by the Company as authorized in this Article IV.
- 4.3. <u>Indemnification Not Exclusive; Inuring of Benefit</u>. The indemnification and advancement of expenses provided by, or granted pursuant to, the other Sections of this Article IV shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which those seeking indemnification or advancement of expenses may be entitled under any law, the certificate of incorporation, these bylaws, agreement, vote of stockholders or disinterested directors or otherwise, both as to action in such person's official capacity and as to action in another capacity while holding such office, and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors and administrators of any such person.
- 4.4. <u>Insurance and Other Indemnfication</u>. The Company may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any person who is or was a director, officer, trustee, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer, trustee, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against any liability asserted against such person and incurred by such person in any such capacity, or arising out of such person's status as such, whether or not the Company would have the power to indemnify such person against such liability under the provisions of the Delaware General Corporation Law. The board of directors shall have the power to give other indemnification to the extent permitted by statute.
- 4.5. <u>Employee or Agent</u>. The Company may, to the extent authorized from time to time by the board of directors, grant rights to indemnification and to the advancement of expenses to any employee or agent of the Company to the fullest extent of the provisions of this Article IV with respect to the indemnification and advancement of expenses of directors, officers and trustees of the Company.
- 4.6. <u>Certain Defined Terms</u>. For purposes of this Article IV, references to the "Company" shall include, in addition to the resulting corporation, any constituent corporation (including any constituent of a constituent) absorbed in a consolidation or merger which, if its separate existence had continued, would have had power and authority to indemnify its directors, officers, trustees, employees or agents, so that any person who is or was a director, officer, trustee, employee or agent of such constituent corporation, or is or was serving at the request of such constituent corporation as a director, officer, trustee, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, shall stand in the same position under the provisions of this Article IV with respect to the resulting or surviving corporation as such person would have with respect to such constituent corporation if its separate existence had continued.

For purposes of this Article IV, references to "other enterprises" shall include employee benefit plans; references to "fines" shall include any excise taxes assessed on a person with respect to an employee benefit plan; and references to "serving at the request of the Company" shall include any service as a director, officer, trustee, employee or agent of the Company which imposes duties on, or involves service by, such director, officer, trustee, employee or agent with respect to an employee benefit plan, its participants or beneficiaries; and a person who acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in the interest of the participants and beneficiaries of an employee benefit plan

shall be deemed to have acted in a manner not opposed to the best interests of the Company for purposes of this Article IV.

4.7. <u>Contractual Obligation</u>. The indemnification and advancement of expenses provided by, or granted pursuant to, this Article IV shall be contract rights and shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, trustee employee or agent and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors and administrators of such a person. Any amendment, alteration or repeal of this Article IV that adversely affects any right of an indemnitee or its successors shall be prospective only and shall not limit or eliminate any such right with respect to any proceeding involving any occurrence or alleged occurrence of any action or omission to act that took place prior to such amendment, alteration or repeal.

ARTICLE V

TRANSFER OF SHARE CERTIFICATES

Transfers of share certificates and the shares represented thereby shall be made on the books of the Company only by the registered holder or by duly authorized attorney. Transfers shall be made only on surrender of the share certificate or certificates.

ARTICLE VI

AMENDMENTS

These bylaws may be amended or repealed by (i) the affirmative vote of the holders of record of a majority of the outstanding shares of the stock of the Company entitled to vote in respect thereof, given at an annual meeting or at any special meeting, provided that notice of the proposed alteration or repeal or of the proposed new bylaws be included in the notice of such meeting, or (ii) the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the board of directors, at any regular or special meeting of the board of directors.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

CLABBER GIRL CORPORATION

The undersigned incorporator, desiring to form a corporation (the "<u>Corporation</u>") pursuant to the provisions of the Indiana Business Corporation Law, as amended (the "<u>Act</u>"), executes the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I. Name

The name of the Corporation is Clabber Girl Corporation.

Act.

ARTICLE II. Purposes

The purpose for which the Corporation is formed is to transact any and all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the

ARTICLE III. Shares

Section 3.01. Number. The total number of shares which the Corporation is authorized to issue is One Thousand (1,000) shares.

Section 3.02. Classes. There shall be one (1) class of shares of the Corporation, which shall be designated as "Common Shares."

<u>Section 3.03.</u> <u>Relative Rights, Preferences, Limitations and Restrictions of Common Shares</u>. All Common Shares shall have the same rights, preferences, limitations and restrictions.

<u>Section 3.04.</u> <u>Voting Rights of Common Shares</u>. Each holder of Common Shares shall be entitled to one (1) vote for each share owned of record on the books of the Corporation on each matter submitted to a vote of the holders of Common Shares.

ARTICLE IV. <u>Registered Office and Registered Agent</u>

Section 4.01. Registered Office. The street address of the Corporation's initial registered office is 900 Wabash Avenue, Terre Haute, Indiana 47807.

Section 4.02. Registered Agent. The name of the Corporation's initial registered agent at such registered office is W. Curtis Brighton.

ARTICLE V. Incorporator

The name and address of the incorporator of the Corporation is Mark J. Richards, Ice Miller, One American Square, Box 82001, Indianapolis, Indiana 46282.

ARTICLE VI. Board of Directors

<u>Section 6.01.</u> Number. The total number of directors shall be that specified in or fixed in accordance with the bylaws. In the absence of a provision in the bylaws specifying the number of directors or setting forth the manner in which such number shall be fixed, the number of directors shall be four (4). The bylaws may provide for staggering the terms of directors by dividing the directors into two (2) or three (3) groups, as provided in the Act.

Section 6.02. <u>Initial Board of Directors</u>. The names and addresses of the initial directors of the Corporation are:

Name		Address
Anton H. George	900 Wabash Avenue Terre Haute, Indiana 47807	
Jeffrey G. Belskus	900 Wabash Avenue Terre Haute, Indiana 47807	
W. Curtis Brighton	900 Wabash Avenue Terre Haute, Indiana 47807	
Gary Morris	900 Wabash Avenue Terre Haute, Indiana 47807	

ARTICLE VII. Indemnification

Section 7.01. Rights to Indemnification and Advancement of Expenses.

- (a) The Corporation shall indemnify as a matter of right every person made a party to a proceeding because such person is or was
 - (i) a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation,
 - (ii) an officer of the Corporation, or
 - (iii) while a director or officer of the Corporation, serving at the Corporation's request as a director, officer, partner, trustee, employee, or agent of another foreign or domestic corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan, or other enterprise, whether for profit or not, (each an "Indemnitee") against all liability incurred by such person in connection with the proceeding; provided that it is determined in the specific case that indemnification of such person is permissible in the

circumstances because such person has met the standard of conduct for indemnification specified in the Act. The Corporation shall pay for or reimburse the reasonable expenses incurred by an Indemnitee in connection with any such proceeding in advance of final disposition thereof in accordance with the procedures and subject to the conditions specified in the Act. The Corporation shall indemnify as a matter of right an Indemnitee who is wholly successful, on the merits or otherwise, in the defense of any such proceeding, against reasonable expenses incurred by the Indemnitee in connection with the proceeding without the requirement of a determination as set forth in the first sentence of this paragraph.

- (b) Upon demand by a person for indemnification or advancement of expenses, as the case may be, the Corporation shall expeditiously determine whether the person is entitled thereto in accordance with this Article and the procedures specified in the Act.
- (c) The indemnification provided under this Article shall apply to any proceeding arising from acts or omissions occurring before or after the adoption of this Article.

Section 7.02. Other Rights Not Affected. Nothing contained in this Article shall limit or preclude the exercise or be deemed exclusive of any right under the law, by contract or otherwise, relating to indemnification of or advancement of expenses to any individual who is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation, or the ability of the Corporation to otherwise indemnify or advance expenses to any such individual. It is the intent of this Article to provide indemnification to directors and officers to the fullest extent now or hereafter permitted by law consistent with the terms and conditions of this Article. Therefore, indemnification shall be provided in accordance with this Article irrespective of the nature of the legal or equitable theory upon which a claim is made, including without limitation negligence, breach of duty, mismanagement, corporate waste, breach of contract, breach of warranty, strict liability, violation of federal or state securities laws, violation of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, or violation of any other state or federal laws.

<u>Section 7.03.</u> <u>Definitions.</u> For purposes of this Article:

(a) The term "director" means an individual who is or was a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation or an individual who, while a director of the Corporation, is or was serving at the Corporation's request as a director, officer, partner, trustee, employee, or agent of another foreign or domestic corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan, or other enterprise, whether for profit or not. A director is considered to be serving an employee benefit plan at the Corporation's request if the director's duties to the Corporation also impose duties on, or otherwise involve services by, the director to the plan or to participants in or beneficiaries of the plan. The term "director" includes, unless the context requires otherwise, the estate or personal representative of a director.

- (b) The term "expenses" includes all direct and indirect costs (including without limitation counsel fees, retainers, court costs, transcripts, fees of experts, witness fees, travel expenses, duplicating costs, printing and binding costs, telephone charges, postage, delivery service fees, all other disbursements or out-of-pocket expenses) actually incurred in connection with the investigation, defense, settlement or appeal of a proceeding or establishing or enforcing a right to indemnification under this Article, applicable law or otherwise.
- (c) The term "liability" means the obligation to pay a judgment, settlement, penalty, fine, excise tax (including an excise tax assessed with respect to an employee benefit plan), or reasonable expenses incurred with respect to a proceeding.
- (d) The term "party" includes an individual who was, is or is threatened to be made a named defendant or respondent in a proceeding.
- (e) The term "proceeding" means any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative and whether formal or informal.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator designated in Article V executes these Articles of Incorporation and hereby verifies subject to penalties of perjury that the facts contained herein are true.

Dated this 12th day of September, 2001.

/s/ Mark J. Richards
Mark J. Richards

This instrument was prepared by Mark J. Richards, Attorney at Law, ICE MILLER, One American Square, Box 82001, Indianapolis, Indiana 46282.

BYLAWS

OF

CLABBER GIRL CORPORATION

ARTICLE I. Records Pertaining to Share Ownership

- <u>Section 1.01.</u> <u>Recognition of Shareholders</u>. Clabber Girl Corporation (the "<u>Corporatio</u>n") is entitled to recognize a person registered on its books as the owner of shares of the Corporation having the exclusive right to receive dividends and to vote those shares, notwithstanding any other person's equitable or other claim to, or interest in, those shares.
- Section 1.02. Transfer of Shares. Shares are transferable only on the books of the Corporation, subject to any transfer restrictions imposed by the Articles of Incorporation, these Bylaws, or an agreement among shareholders and the Corporation. Shares may be so transferred upon presentation of the certificate representing the shares, endorsed by the appropriate person or persons, and accompanied by (a) reasonable assurance that those endorsements are genuine and effective, and (b) a request to register the transfer. Transfers of shares are otherwise subject to any applicable provisions of the Indiana Business Corporation Law (the "Act").
- Section 1.03. Certificates. Each shareholder is entitled to a certificate signed (manually or in facsimile) by the President or a Vice President and the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary, setting forth (a) the name of the Corporation and that it was organized under Indiana law, (b) the name of the person to whom issued, and (c) the number of shares represented. The Board of Directors shall prescribe the form of the certificate.
- Section 1.04. Lost or Destroyed Certificates. A new certificate may be issued to replace a lost or destroyed certificate. Unless waived by the Board of Directors, the shareholder in whose name the certificate was issued shall make an affidavit or affirmation of the fact that his certificate is lost or destroyed, shall advertise the loss or destruction in such manner as the Board of Directors may require, and shall give the Corporation a bond of indemnity in the amount and form which the Board of Directors may prescribe.

ARTICLE II. Meetings of the Shareholders

- <u>Section 2.01.</u> <u>Annual Meetings</u>. Annual meetings of the shareholders shall be held on such date each year as may be determined by the Board of Directors.
- Section 2.02. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the shareholders may be called by the President or by the Board of Directors. Special meetings of the shareholders shall be called upon delivery to the Secretary of the Corporation of one or more written demands for a special meeting of the shareholders describing the purposes of that meeting and signed and dated by the holders of (a) at least 25% of all the votes entitled to be cast on any issue proposed to be considered at that meeting, if the Corporation has 50 or fewer shareholders, or (b) at least 51% of

all the votes entitled to be cast on any issue proposed to be considered at that meeting, if the Corporation has more than 50 shareholders.

- Section 2.03. Notice of Meetings. The Corporation shall deliver or mail written notice stating the date, time, and place of any shareholders' meeting and, in the case of a special shareholders' meeting or when otherwise required by law, a description of the purposes for which the meeting is called, to each shareholder of record entitled to vote at the meeting, at such address as appears in the records of the Corporation and at least 10, but no more than 60, days before the date of the meeting. A shareholders' meeting shall be held at such place, either in or out of the State of Indiana, as may be specified by the Board of Directors in the respective notice for such meeting.
- Section 2.04. Waiver of Notice. A shareholder may waive notice of any meeting, before or after the date and time of the meeting as stated in the notice, by delivering a signed waiver to the Corporation for inclusion in the minutes. A shareholder's attendance at any meeting, in person or by proxy (a) waives objection to lack of notice or defective notice of the meeting, unless the shareholder at the beginning of the meeting objects to holding the meeting or transacting business at the meeting, and (b) waives objection to consideration of a particular matter at the meeting that is not within the purposes described in the meeting notice, unless the shareholder objects to considering the matter when it is presented.
- Section 2.05. Record Date. The Board of Directors may fix a record date, which may be a future date, for the purpose of determining the shareholders entitled to notice of a shareholders' meeting, to demand a special meeting, to vote, or to take any other action. A record date may not exceed 70 days before the meeting or action requiring a determination of shareholders. If the Board of Directors does not fix a record date, the record date shall be the 30th day prior to the date of the meeting or other action.
- Section 2.06. Voting by Proxy. A shareholder may appoint a proxy to vote or otherwise act for the shareholder pursuant to a written appointment form executed by the shareholder or the shareholder's duly authorized attorney-in-fact. An appointment of a proxy is effective when received by the Secretary or other officer or agent of the Corporation authorized to tabulate votes. The general proxy of a fiduciary is given the same effect as the general proxy of any other shareholder. A proxy appointment is valid for 11 months unless otherwise expressly stated in the appointment form.
- Section 2.07. Voting Lists. After a record date for a shareholders' meeting has been fixed, the Secretary shall prepare an alphabetical list of all shareholders entitled to notice of the meeting showing the address and number of shares held by each shareholder. The list shall be kept on file at the principal office of the Corporation or at a place identified in the meeting notice in the city where the meeting will be held. The list shall be available for inspection and copying by any shareholder entitled to vote at the meeting, or by the shareholder's agent or attorney authorized in writing, at any time during regular business hours, beginning 5 business days before the date of the meeting through the meeting. The list shall also be made available to any shareholder, or to the shareholder's agent or attorney authorized in writing, at the meeting and any adjournment thereof. Failure to prepare or make available a voting list with respect to any shareholders' meeting shall not affect the validity of any action taken at such meeting.

- Section 2.08. Quorum; Approval. At any meeting of shareholders, a majority of the votes entitled to be cast on a matter at the meeting constitutes a quorum. If a quorum is present when a vote is taken, action on a matter is approved if the votes cast in favor of the action exceed the votes cast in opposition to the action, unless a greater number is required by law, the Articles of Incorporation, or these Bylaws.
- Section 2.09. Action by Consent. Any action required or permitted to be taken at a shareholders' meeting may be taken without a meeting if the action is taken by all the shareholders entitled to vote on the action. The action must be evidenced by one or more written consents describing the action taken, signed by all the shareholders entitled to vote on the action, and delivered to the Corporation for inclusion in the minutes. If not otherwise determined pursuant to Section 5 of this Article II, the record date for determining shareholders entitled to take action without a meeting is the date the first shareholder signs the consent to such action.
- <u>Section 2.10.</u> <u>Presence</u>. Any or all shareholders may participate in any annual or special shareholders' meeting by, or through the use of, any means of communication by which all shareholders participating may simultaneously hear each other during the meeting. A shareholder so participating is deemed to be present in person at the meeting.
- Section 2.11. Place of Meetings. Meetings of the shareholders of the Corporation shall be held at such place, either in or out of the State of Indiana, as may be specified by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE III. Board of Directors

- <u>Section 3.01.</u> <u>Powers and Duties.</u> All corporate powers are exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the Corporation are managed under the direction of, the Board of Directors, unless otherwise provided in the Articles of Incorporation.
- Section 3.02. Number and Terms of Office; Qualifications. The Corporation shall have five (5) directors. Directors are elected at each annual shareholders' meeting and serve for a term expiring at the following annual shareholders' meeting. A director who has been removed pursuant to Section 3 of this Article III ceases to serve immediately upon removal; otherwise, a director whose term has expired continues to serve until a successor is elected and qualifies or until there is a decrease in the number of directors. A person need not be a shareholder or an Indiana resident to qualify to be a director.
- <u>Section 3.03.</u> <u>Removal</u>. Any director may be removed with or without cause by action of the shareholders taken at any meeting the notice of which states that one of the purposes of the meeting is removal of the director.
- Section 3.04. <u>Vacancies</u>. If a vacancy occurs on the Board of Directors, including a vacancy resulting from an increase in the number of directors, the Board of Directors may fill the vacancy. If the directors remaining in office constitute fewer than a quorum of the Board, the directors remaining in office may fill the vacancy by the affirmative vote of a majority of those directors. Any director elected to fill a vacancy holds office until the next annual meeting of the shareholders and until a successor is elected and qualifies.

- <u>Section 3.05.</u> <u>Annual Meetings</u>. Unless otherwise agreed by the Board of Directors, the annual meeting of the Board of Directors shall be held immediately following the annual meeting of the shareholders, at the place where the meeting of shareholders was held, for the purpose of electing officers and considering any other business which may be brought before the meeting. Notice is not necessary for any annual meeting.
- Section 3.06. Regular and Special Meetings. Regular meetings of the Board of Directors may be held pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors establishing a method for determining the date, time, and place of those meetings. Notice is not necessary for any regular meeting. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be held upon the call of the President or of any 2 directors and upon 24 hours' written or oral notice specifying the date, time, and place of the meeting. Notice of a special meeting may be waived in writing before or after the time of the meeting. The waiver must be signed by the director entitled to the notice and filed with the minutes of the meeting. Attendance at or participation in a meeting waives any required notice of the meeting, unless at the beginning of the meeting (or promptly upon the director's arrival) the director objects to holding the meeting or transacting business at the meeting and does not thereafter vote for or assent to action taken at the meeting.
- <u>Section 3.07.</u> <u>Quorum.</u> A quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the Board of Directors consists of a majority of the number of directors specified in <u>Section 2</u> of this <u>Article III</u>. If a quorum is present when a vote is taken, action on a matter is approved if the action receives the affirmative vote of a majority of the directors present.
- Section 3.08. Action by Consent. Any action required or permitted to be taken at any meeting of the Board of Directors may be taken without a meeting if the action is taken by all directors then in office. The action must be evidenced by one or more written consents describing the action taken, signed by each director, and included in the minutes. Action of the Board of Directors taken by consent is effective when the last director signs the consent, unless the consent specifies a prior or subsequent effective date.
- Section 3.09. Committees. The Board of Directors may create one or more committees and appoint members of the Board of Directors to serve on them. Each committee may have one or more members, who serve at the pleasure of the Board of Directors. The creation of a committee and appointment of members to it must be approved by the greater of (i) a majority of all the directors in office when the action is taken, or (ii) the number of directors required under Section 7 of this Article III to take action. All rules applicable to action by the Board of Directors apply to committees and their members. The Board of Directors may specify the authority that a committee may exercise; however, a committee may not (a) authorize distributions, except a committee may authorize or approve a reacquisition of shares if done according to a formula or method prescribed by the Board of Directors, (b) approve or propose to shareholders action that must be approved by shareholders, (c) fill vacancies on the Board of Directors or on any of its committees, (d) amend the Articles of Incorporation, (e) adopt, amend, or repeal these Bylaws, (f) approve a plan of merger not requiring shareholder approval, or (g) authorize or approve the issuance or sale or a contract for the sale of shares, or determine the designation and relative rights, preferences, and limitations of a class or series of shares, except the Board of Directors may authorize a committee to so act within limits prescribed by the Board of Directors.

- <u>Section 3.10.</u> <u>Presence</u>. The Board of Directors may permit any or all directors to participate in any annual, regular, or special meeting by any means of communication by which all directors participating may simultaneously hear each other during the meeting. A director so participating is deemed to be present in person at the meeting.
 - Section 3.11. Compensation. Each director shall receive such compensation for service as a director as may be fixed by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE IV. Officers

- <u>Section 4.01.</u> <u>Officers.</u> The Corporation shall have a President, one or more Vice Presidents, a Secretary, a Treasurer, and such assistant officers as the Board of Directors or the President designates. The same individual may simultaneously hold more than one office.
- Section 4.02. Terms of Office. Officers are elected at each annual meeting of the Board of Directors and serve for a term expiring at the following annual meeting of the Board of Directors. An officer who has been removed pursuant to Section 4 of this Article IV ceases to serve as an officer immediately upon removal; otherwise, an officer whose term has expired continues to serve until a successor is elected and qualifies.
- Section 4.03. <u>Vacancies</u>. If a vacancy occurs among the officers, the Board of Directors may fill the vacancy. Any officer elected to fill a vacancy holds office until the next annual meeting of the Board of Directors and until a successor is elected and qualifies.
 - Section 4.04. Removal. Any officer may be removed by the Board of Directors at any time with or without cause.
 - Section 4.05. Compensation. Each officer shall receive such compensation for service in office as may be fixed by the Board of Directors.
- Section 4.06. President. The President is the chief executive officer of the Corporation and is responsible for managing and supervising the affairs and personnel of the Corporation, subject to the general control of the Board of Directors. The President presides at all meetings of shareholders and directors. The President, or proxies appointed by the President, may vote shares of other corporations owned by the Corporation. The President has authority to execute, with the Secretary, powers of attorney appointing other corporations, partnerships, or individuals as the agents of the Corporation, subject to law, the Articles of Incorporation, and these Bylaws. The President has such other powers and duties as the Board of Directors may from time to time prescribe.
- Section 4.07. <u>Vice President</u>. The Vice President has all the powers of, and performs all the duties incumbent upon, the President during the President's absence or disability. The Vice President has such other powers and duties as the Board of Directors may from time to time prescribe.
- Section 4.08. Secretary. The Secretary is responsible for (a) attending all meetings of the shareholders and the Board of Directors, (b) preparing true and complete minutes of the

proceedings of all meetings of the shareholders, the Board of Directors, and all committees of the Board of Directors, (c) maintaining and safeguarding the books (except books of account) and records of the Corporation, and (d) authenticating the records of the Corporation. If required, the Secretary attests the execution of deeds, leases, agreements, powers of attorney, certificates representing shares of the Corporation, and other official documents by the Corporation. The Secretary serves all notices of the Corporation required by law, the Board of Directors, or these Bylaws. The Secretary has such other duties as the Board of Directors may from time to time prescribe.

Section 4.09. Treasurer. The Treasurer is responsible for (a) keeping correct and complete books of account which show accurately at all times the financial condition of the Corporation, (b) safeguarding all funds, notes, securities, and other valuables which may from time to time come into the possession of the Corporation, and (c) depositing all funds of the Corporation with such depositories as the Board of Directors shall designate. The Treasurer shall furnish at meetings of the Board of Directors, or when otherwise requested, a statement of the financial condition of the Corporation. The Treasurer has such other duties as the Board of Directors may from time to time prescribe.

Section 4.10. Assistant Officers. The Board of Directors or the President may from time to time designate and elect assistant officers who shall have such powers and duties as the officers whom they are elected to assist specify and delegate to them, and such other powers and duties as the Board of Directors or the President may from time to time prescribe. An Assistant Secretary may, during the absence or disability of the Secretary, discharge all responsibilities imposed upon the Secretary of the Corporation, including, without limitation, attest the execution of all documents by the Corporation.

ARTICLE V. Miscellaneous

Section 5.01. Records. The Corporation shall keep as permanent records minutes of all meetings of the shareholders, the Board of Directors, and all committees of the Board of Directors, and a record of all actions taken without a meeting by the shareholders, the Board of Directors, and all committees of the Board of Directors. The Corporation or its agent shall maintain a record of the shareholders in a form that permits preparation of a list of the names and addresses of all shareholders, in alphabetical order showing the number of shares held by each. The Corporation shall maintain its records in written form or in a form capable of conversion into written form within a reasonable time. The Corporation shall keep a copy of the following records at its principal office: (a) the Articles of Incorporation then currently in effect, (b) the Bylaws then currently in effect, (c) minutes of all shareholders' meetings, and records of all actions taken by shareholders without a meeting, for the past 3 years, (d) all written communications to shareholders generally during the past 3 years, including annual financial statements furnished upon request of the shareholders, (e) a list of the names and business addresses of the current directors and officers, and (f) the most recent annual report filed with the Indiana Secretary of State.

Section 5.02. Execution of Contracts and Other Documents. Unless otherwise authorized or directed by the Board of Directors, all written contracts and other documents

entered into by the Corporation shall be executed on behalf of the Corporation by the President or a Vice President, and, if required, attested by the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary.

Section 5.03. Accounting Year. The accounting year of the Corporation begins on January 1^{st} of each year and ends on the December 31^{st} immediately following.

Section 5.04. <u>Corporate Seal</u>. The Corporation has no seal.

ARTICLE VI. <u>Amendment</u>

These Bylaws may be amended or repealed only by the Board of Directors. The affirmative vote of a majority of all the directors is necessary to amend or repeal these Bylaws.

/s/ WB
Secretary's Initials
9-30-01
Date

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CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION OF VICTORIA SPECIALTY FOODS, LLC

- 1. The name of the limited liability company is Victoria Specialty Foods, LLC.
- 2. The address of its registered office in the State of Delaware is 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle. The name of its registered agent at such address is Corporation Service Company.
 - 3. The term of the company shall be perpetual.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate of Formation of Victoria Specialty Foods, LLC this 4th day of January, 2011.

/s/ Marie T. Zacny Marie T. Zacny, Authorized Person State of Delaware Secretary of State Division of Corporations Delivered 11:32 AM 05/06/2011 FILED 11:32 AM 05/06/2011 SRV 110503410 - 4917223 FILE

STATE OF DELAWARE CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF VICTORIA SPECIALTY FOODS, LLC

- 1. The name of the limited liability company is Victoria Specialty Foods, LLC.
- 2. Paragraph 1 of the Certificate of Formation of Victoria Specialty Foods, LLC is hereby amended to read as follows:
- "1. The name of the limited liability company is Victoria Fine Foods, LLC."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate of Amendment on the 5th day of May, 2011.

VICTORIA SPECIALTY FOODS, LLC

By: /s/ Peter E. Mogk

Peter E. Mogk

Vice President and Secretary

VICTORIA FINE FOODS, LLC SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED LIMITED LIABILTY COMPANY AGREEMENT

This SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY AGREEMENT (this "**Agreement**") of VICTORIA FINE FOODS, LLC (the "**Company**") is made and entered into as of this 11th day of September, 2017, by B&G Foods North America, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "**Member**"), the sole member of the Company.

RECITALS:

- **A.** The Company was formed as a limited liability company under the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act, as amended from time to time (the "Act") pursuant to the filing of the Certificate of Formation (the "Certificate") with the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware.
- **B.** The Member desires to amend and restate the Company's Limited Liability Company Agreement, dated as of December 2, 2016 (the "**Old Agreement**") to set forth certain provisions as to the governance and management of the Company.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Member, by entering into this Agreement, desires to provide for the structure and operation of the Company as a limited liability company pursuant to and in accordance with the Act, and hereby agrees as follows:

- 1. <u>Purpose</u>. The object and purpose of, and the nature of the business to be conducted and promoted by, the Company is engaging in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the Act.
 - 2. <u>Place of Business</u>. The main office of the Company is located at Four Gatehall Drive, Parsippany, NJ 07054.
 - 3. Member. The name and address of the Member are:

B&G Foods North America, Inc. Four Gatehall Drive Parsippany, NJ 07054

- 4. <u>Management</u>.
- (a) The business and affairs of the Company shall be managed by the Member. The Member shall have, to the fullest extent permitted by the Act, full and complete authority, power and discretion to direct, manage and control the business, affairs and properties of the Company, to make all decisions regarding such matters and to perform any and all acts and to engage in any and all activities necessary, customary or incident to the management of the business, affairs and properties of the Company. The Member shall have authority to execute on

behalf of the Company all contracts, deeds, mortgages, bonds, contracts, leases and all other documents, agreements and instruments.

- (b) The Member may, by written instrument executed by the Member, appoint a board of directors, officers and agents of the Company to which the Member may delegate such duties, responsibilities and authority as shall be provided in such instrument. Any director or officer may be removed at any time by written instrument executed by the Member. Only the Member and directors, officers and agents of the Company authorized by the Member to bind the Company by written instrument executed by the Member shall have the authority to bind the Company.
- 5. <u>Units; Initial Capitalization</u>. Interests in the Company shall be represented by units of limited liability company interests (each, a "**Unit**"). The Company, as of the date hereof, shall have one authorized class of Units, which shall be composed of 1,000 Units, all of which as of the date hereof, are owned by the Member. The ownership by a holder of Units shall entitle such holder to allocations of profits and losses and other items and distributions of cash and other property as set forth herein. Units shall not be certificated. For purposes of this Agreement, Units held by the Company or any of its subsidiaries shall be deemed not to be outstanding.
- 6. <u>Title to Company Property</u>. All real and personal property shall be acquired in the name of the Company and title to any property so acquired shall vest in the Company itself rather than in the holders of the Units.
- 7. <u>Compensation of Member</u>. The Member shall be reimbursed for all expenses incurred in managing the Company and shall, at the election of the Member, be entitled to compensation for its management services, in an amount to be determined from time to time by the Member.
- 8. <u>Distributions</u>. Distributions shall be made to the members (in cash or in kind) at the times and in the amounts determined by the Member and as permitted by applicable law.
- 9. <u>Tax Elections</u>. The Member may make any tax elections for the Company allowed under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the tax laws of any state or other jurisdiction having taxing jurisdiction over the Company.
- 10. <u>Transferability of Units</u>. The Units are transferable either voluntarily or by operation of law. All or any portion of the Units may be sold, assigned, transferred, exchanged, mortgaged, pledged, granted, hypothecated, encumbered or otherwise transferred (whether absolutely or as security). Upon the transfer of the Units, the transferee shall be admitted as a member at the time of the transfer and shall obtain all of the rights appurtenant to being a member of the Company.
- 11. <u>Admission of Additional Members</u>. Additional members of the Company may be admitted to the Company at the direction of the Member. In the event that any additional members are added, this Agreement shall be construed to apply to all of the members, and the additional

members shall be required to either: (i) enter into, ratify and approve this Agreement; or (ii) execute a new operating agreement after the Member has terminated this Agreement. Unless otherwise required by the Act (or any other valid law or regulation to which the Company is subject), if additional members have been added to the Company and this Agreement has not been terminated or modified, the decisions of the members owning at least a majority of the Units in the Company shall constitute the decisions of the Member for purposes of the interpretation of this Agreement.

12. <u>Liability of Members</u>. No holder of Units shall have any liability for any debt, obligation or liability of the Company or for the acts or omissions of any other member, director, officer, agent or employee of the Company except to the extent expressly required by the Act. The failure of any holders of the Units to observe any formalities or requirements relating to the exercise of the powers of the Member or the management of the business and affairs of the Company under this Agreement or the Act shall not, by itself, be grounds for imposing personal liability on the members for liabilities of the Company.

13. <u>Indemnification</u>.

- a. The Company shall indemnify the Member and such other persons as are identified by the Member by written instrument executed by the Member as entitled to be indemnified under this section for all costs, losses, liabilities and damages paid or accrued by the Member or any such other person in connection with the business of the Company, to the fullest extent provided or allowed by the laws of the State of Delaware. In addition, the Company shall advance costs of defense of any proceeding to the Member or any such other person upon receipt by the Company of an undertaking by or on behalf of the Member or such other person to repay such amount if it shall ultimately be determined that the Member or such other person is not entitled to be indemnified by the Company.
- b. Nothing in this Agreement shall serve to amend, repeal or otherwise modify the indemnification provisions set forth in the Old Agreement in any manner that would adversely affect the rights under the Old Agreement of individuals that were, immediately prior to the Closing (as defined in that certain Securities Purchase Agreement, dated as of December 2, 2016, by and among B&G Foods North America, Inc., the Member, the Stockholders of the Member listed therein and Huron Capital Partners LLC (as the sellers' representative)), managers, directors, members, officers or employees of the Company.

14. <u>Dissolution</u>.

(a) The Company shall dissolve, and its affairs shall be wound up, upon the first to occur of the following: (i) the written direction of the Member, or (ii) the entry of a decree of judicial dissolution under Section 18-802 of the Act. The death, dissolution, retirement, resignation, expulsion or bankruptcy of the Member or the occurrence of any other event that terminates the continued membership of the Member shall not cause a dissolution of the Company.

- (b) Upon dissolution, the Company shall cease carrying on any and all activities other than the winding up of its business, but the Company is not terminated and shall continue until the winding up of the affairs of the Company is completed and a certificate of cancellation has been filed pursuant to the Act. Upon the winding up of the Company, the assets of the Company shall be distributed: (i) first to creditors, including any member if such member is a creditor, to the extent permitted by law, in satisfaction of the liabilities of the Company, whether by payment or the making of reasonable provision for payment thereof; and (ii) then to the members, pro rata based on their percentage ownership of the Company. Such distributions shall be in cash or property or partly in both, as determined by the Member.
- 15. <u>Conflicts of Interest</u>. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to limit the right of the members to enter into any transaction that may be considered to be competitive with, or a business opportunity that may be beneficial to, the Company. No member violates a duty or obligation to the Company merely because the conduct of such member furthers the interests of such member. A member may lend money to and transact other business with the Company. The rights and obligations of the members upon lending money to or transacting business with the Company are the same as those of a person who is not a member, subject to other applicable law. No transaction with the Company shall be void or voidable solely because a member has a direct or indirect interest in the transaction.
- 16. <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement shall be governed by, and interpreted and enforced in accordance with, the laws of the State of Delaware, without reference to the conflict of law rules of that or any other jurisdiction.
- 17. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement represents the entire agreement by the Member and the Company and supersedes all prior oral and written agreements by the Member and the Company pertaining to the subject matter hereof.
 - 18. <u>Amendment</u>. This Agreement may be amended or modified from time to time only by a written instrument executed by the Member.
- 19. <u>Rights of Creditors and Third Parties</u>. This Agreement is entered into by the Member solely to govern the operation of the Company. This Agreement is expressly not intended for the benefit of any creditor of the Company or any other person. Except and only to the extent provided by applicable statute, no such creditor or third party shall have any rights under this Agreement or any other agreement between the Company and the Member, with respect to the subject matter hereof.
- 20. <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Agreement shall be binding on and inure to the benefit of the heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns of the Member.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Agreement as of the date first written above.

MEMBER:

B&G FOODS NORTH AMERICA, INC.

By: /s/ Scott E. Lerner

Name: Scott E. Lerner

Title: Executive Vice President

Signature Page to Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement



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August 7, 2019

B&G Foods, Inc. Four Gatehall Drive, Suite 110 Parsippany, New Jersey 07054

Re: <u>Registration Statement on Form S-3</u>

Gentlemen and Ladies:

We have acted as special counsel to B&G Foods, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), and the subsidiary guarantors listed on Schedule A hereto (each, a "Subsidiary Guarantor") in connection with the preparation and filing of a Registration Statement on Form S-3 (the "Registration Statement") filed today with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), relating to the possible offerings from time to time of the following securities of the Company and the Subsidiary Guarantors, as the case may be: (1) shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Company ("Common Stock"), (2) shares of preferred stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Company ("Preferred Stock"), (3) debt securities, which may be senior or subordinated to other obligations of the Company and which may be in one or more series (collectively, "Debt Securities"), to be issued pursuant to an indenture between the Company and a trustee to be named therein (the "Trustee") (such indenture, as may be amended or supplemented from time to time, the "Indenture"), (4) guarantees, if any, of the Debt Securities by the Subsidiary Guarantors (the "Guarantees"), (5) warrants to purchase debt or equity securities of the Company ("Warrants"), and (6) units consisting of any combination of one or more of the securities registered pursuant to the Registration Statement ("Units"). The Common Stock, Preferred Stock, Debt Securities, Guarantees, Warrants and Units are collectively referred to herein as the "Securities."

The Registration Statement provides that the Securities may be offered separately or together, in separate series, in amounts, at prices and on terms to be set forth in one or more supplements to the prospectus included in the Registration Statement (each, a "<u>Prospectus Supplement</u>"). This opinion letter is being furnished to the Company in accordance with the requirements of Item 601(b)(5) under Regulation S-K of the Securities Act, and no opinion is expressed herein as to any matter pertaining to the contents of the Registration Statement, other than as to the validity of the Securities as set forth below.

As such counsel, we have made such legal and factual examination and inquiry as we have deemed necessary for the rendering of this opinion. With your consent, we have relied upon certificates and other assurances of officers of the Company as to factual matters without having independently verified such factual matters. In making our examination we have assumed the genuineness of all signatures, the authenticity of all documents submitted to us as originals,

conformity to all authentic original documents submitted to us as copies, the legal capacity of natural persons who are signatories to the documents examined by us, and the legal power and authority of all persons signing on behalf of the parties to all documents (other than the Company and its subsidiaries).

On the basis of the foregoing and subject to the assumptions, qualifications and limitations set forth in this letter, we are of the opinion that:

- 1. The Common Stock, when (a) duly issued and sold in accordance with the Registration Statement and applicable Prospectus Supplement, or upon conversion or exchange of Debt Securities or Preferred Stock or upon exercise of Warrants as contemplated by the Registration Statement and applicable Prospectus Supplement, and (b) delivered to the purchaser or purchasers thereof against receipt by the Company of such lawful consideration therefor as the Board of Directors (or a duly authorized committee thereof) may determine and at a price per share not less than the per share par value of the Common Stock, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable.
- 2. The Preferred Stock, when (a) duly issued and sold in accordance with the Registration Statement and applicable Prospectus Supplement, upon conversion or exchange of Debt Securities or upon exercise of Warrants as contemplated by the Registration Statement and applicable Prospectus Supplement, and (b) delivered to the purchaser or purchasers thereof against receipt by the Company of such lawful consideration therefor as the Board of Directors (or a duly authorized committee thereof) may determine and at a price per share not less than the per share par value of the Preferred Stock, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable.
- 3. The Debt Securities, when (a) duly executed by the Company and authenticated by the applicable Trustee in accordance with the provisions of the applicable Indenture and issued and sold (x) in accordance with the Registration Statement and applicable Prospectus Supplement or (y) upon conversion or exchange of Preferred Stock or upon exercise of Warrants as contemplated by the Registration Statement and applicable Prospectus Supplement, and (b) delivered to the purchaser or purchasers thereof against receipt by the Company of such lawful consideration therefor as the Board of Directors (or a duly authorized committee thereof) may determine, will be valid and binding obligations of the Company enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms.
- 4. The Guarantees, when (a) duly executed by the Subsidiary Guarantors and issued and sold (x) in accordance with the Registration Statement and applicable Prospectus Supplement or (y) upon conversion or exchange of Preferred Stock or upon exercise of Warrants as contemplated by the Registration Statement and applicable Prospectus Supplement, and (b) delivered to the purchaser or purchasers thereof against receipt by the applicable Subsidiary Guarantors of such lawful consideration therefor as their respective Board of Directors or Board of Trustees, as applicable (or a duly authorized committee thereof), may determine,

will be valid and binding obligations of the applicable Subsidiary Guarantors enforceable against the applicable Subsidiary Guarantors in accordance with their respective terms.

- 5. The Warrants, when (a) duly executed, authenticated, issued and sold in accordance with the Registration Statement and applicable Prospectus Supplement and the provisions of an applicable, valid and binding warrant agreement and (b) delivered to the purchaser or purchasers thereof against receipt by the Company of such lawful consideration therefor as the Board of Directors (or a duly authorized committee thereof) may determine, will be valid and binding obligations of the Company enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms.
- 6. The Units, when (a) duly executed, authenticated, issued and sold in accordance with the Registration Statement and applicable Prospectus Supplement and the provisions of any applicable and valid and binding unit agreement, and (b) delivered to the purchaser or purchasers thereof against receipt by the Company of such lawful consideration therefor as the Board of Directors (or a duly authorized committee thereof) may determine, will be valid and binding obligations of the Company enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms.

The opinions set forth herein are subject to the following assumptions, qualifications, limitations and exceptions being true and correct at or before the time of the delivery of any Securities offered pursuant to the Registration Statement and appropriate Prospectus Supplement: (i) the Board of Directors of the Company and the respective Board of Directors or Board of Trustees, as applicable, of the Subsidiary Guarantors, including any appropriate committee appointed thereby (collectively, the "Boards"), shall have (x) duly established the terms of the Securities (and in the case of the Units, the Securities that are the components thereof), and (v) duly authorized and taken any other necessary corporate or other action to approve the creation, if applicable, issuance and sale of the Securities and related matters (including with respect to Preferred Stock, the execution, acknowledgment and filing of a Certificate of Designation stating the designation and voting rights, preferences, limitations and special rights, if any, of any such Preferred Stock in accordance with the applicable provisions of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware) and any Securities consisting of Common Stock or Preferred Stock, and any Common Stock or Preferred Stock for or into which any other Securities are exercisable, exchangeable or convertible, shall have been duly reserved for issuance and such authorizations and actions have not been rescinded; (ii) the resolutions establishing the definitive terms of and authorizing the Company and the Subsidiary Guarantors to register, offer, sell and issue the Securities shall remain in effect and unchanged at all times during which the Securities are offered, sold or issued by the Company or the Subsidiary Guarantors; (iii) the definitive terms of each class and series of the Securities not presently provided for in the Registration Statement or the certificates of incorporation or organization, bylaws and other similar formation documents of the Company and the Subsidiary Guarantors (collectively, the "Formation Documents"), and the terms of the issuance and sale of the Securities (x) shall have been duly established in accordance with all applicable law and the Formation Documents, any Indenture, underwriting agreement, warrant agreement, unit agreement and any other relevant agreement relating to the

terms and the offer and sale of the Securities (collectively, the "Agreements") and the authorizing resolutions of the Boards, and reflected in appropriate documentation reviewed by us, and (y) shall not violate any applicable law, the Formation Documents or the Agreements (subject to the further assumption that such Formation Documents and Agreements have not been amended from the date hereof in a manner that would affect the validity of any of the opinions rendered herein), or result in a default under or breach of any agreement or instrument binding upon the Company or any applicable Subsidiary Guarantor and so as to comply with any restriction imposed by any court or governmental body having jurisdiction over the Company or any applicable Subsidiary Guarantor; (iv) upon issuance of any shares of Preferred Stock or Common Stock, or, in the case of Units, of which shares of Preferred Stock or Common Stock are components, including upon exercise, conversion or exchange of Securities, the total number of shares of Preferred Stock or Common Stock issued and outstanding shall not exceed the total number of shares of Preferred Stock or Common Stock that the Company is then authorized to issue under its Second Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation; (v) the interest rate on the Debt Securities shall not be higher than the maximum lawful rate permitted from time to time under applicable law; (vi) the Securities (including any Securities issuable upon exercise, conversion or exchange of other Securities and, in the case of any Units, the Securities that are components thereof), and any certificates or instruments representing the relevant Securities (including any Securities issuable upon exercise, conversion or exchange of other Securities and, in the case of any Units, the Securities that are components thereof), have been duly authenticated, executed, countersigned, registered and delivered upon payment of the agreed-upon legal consideration therefor and have been duly issued and sold in accordance with any relevant agreement, approved by us and, if applicable, duly executed and delivered by the Company, any applicable Subsidiary Guarantor and any other appropriate party; (vii) each Indenture, warrant agreement, unit agreement and any other relevant agreement has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by, and will constitute a valid and binding obligation of, each party thereto (other than the Company and any applicable Subsidiary Guarantors); (viii) the Registration Statement, as amended (including all necessary post-effective amendments), and any additional registration statement filed under Rule 462 under the Securities Act, shall be effective under the Securities Act, and such effectiveness shall not have been terminated or rescinded; (ix) an appropriate Prospectus Supplement shall have been prepared, delivered and filed in compliance with the Securities Act and the applicable rules and regulations thereunder describing the Securities offered thereby; (x) the Securities shall be issued and sold in compliance with all federal and state securities laws and solely in the manner stated in the Registration Statement and the applicable Prospectus Supplement and there shall not have occurred any change in law affecting the validity of the opinions rendered herein; (xi) if the Securities will be sold pursuant to a firm commitment underwritten offering, the underwriting agreement with respect to the Securities in the form filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement or any post-effective amendment thereto, or incorporated by reference therein, has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Company, any applicable Subsidiary Guarantor and the other parties thereto; (xii) the Indenture shall have been duly qualified under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended; (xiii) each agreement or contract referred to herein but not filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement as of the date hereof shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York; and (xiv) in the case of an agreement or instrument pursuant to which any Securities are to be issued, there shall be no terms or provisions contained therein which would affect the validity of any of the opinions rendered herein.

Any opinion set forth herein as to enforceability of obligations of the Company or any Subsidiary Guarantor is subject to: (i) bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, fraudulent conveyance, moratorium or similar laws now or hereinafter in effect affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally, and by general principles of equity (regardless of whether enforcement is sought in a proceeding in equity or at law) and the discretion of the court or other body before which any proceeding may be brought; (ii) the unenforceability under certain circumstances under law or court decisions of provisions providing for the indemnification of, or contribution to, a party with respect to a liability where such indemnification or contribution is contrary to public policy, (iii) provisions of law that may require that a judgment for money damages rendered by a court in the United States be expressed only in United States dollars; (iv) requirements that a claim with respect to any Debt Securities denominated other than in U.S. dollars (or a judgment denominated other than in U.S. dollars in respect of such claim) be converted into U.S. dollars at a rate of exchange prevailing on a date determined pursuant to applicable law; and (v) governmental authority to limit, delay or prohibit the making of payments outside the United States or in foreign currency or composite currency.

We express no opinion as to the validity, legally binding effect or enforceability of any provision in any agreement or instrument that (i) requires or relates to payment of any interest at a rate or in an amount that a court would determine in the circumstances under applicable law to be commercially unreasonable or a penalty or forfeiture or (ii) relates to governing law and submission by the parties to the jurisdiction of one or more particular courts.

We are members of the bar of the State of New York, and the foregoing opinions are limited to the laws of the State of New York and the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

This opinion letter has been prepared for your use solely in connection with the Registration Statement. We assume no obligation to advise you of any changes in the foregoing subsequent to the effectiveness of the Registration Statement.

We hereby consent to the filing of this opinion as an exhibit to the Registration Statement and to the use of our name in the prospectus contained therein, under the caption "Legal Matters." In giving such consent, we do not thereby admit that we are in the category of persons whose consent is required under Section 7 of the Securities Act and the rules and regulations of the Commission thereunder.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Dechert LLP

Schedule A

Subsidiary Guarantors B&G Foods North America, Inc. B&G Foods Snacks, Inc. Back To Nature Foods Company, LLC Back To Nature Foods ServCo, LLC Bear Creek Country Kitchens, LLC BTN Foods ServCo Corporation BTN Holdco, Inc. Clabber Girl Corporation Spartan Foods of America, Inc. Victoria Fine Foods, LLC

William Underwood Company

Exhibit 23.2

Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

The Board of Directors B&G Foods, Inc.:

We consent to the use of our reports dated February 26, 2019, with respect to the consolidated balance sheets of B&G Foods, Inc. and subsidiaries as of December 29, 2018 and December 30, 2017, the related consolidated statements of operations, comprehensive income, changes in stockholders' equity and cash flows for the fiscal years ended December 29, 2018, December 30, 2017 and December 31, 2016, and the related notes and the schedule of valuation and qualifying accounts (collectively, the "consolidated financial statements"), and the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting as of December 29, 2018, which reports appear in the December 29, 2018 annual report on Form 10-K of B&G Foods, Inc., incorporated herein by reference and to the reference to our firm under the heading "Experts" in the prospectus.

/s/ KPMG LLP

Short Hills, New Jersey August 7, 2019

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