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January 7, 2004

Ms. Deborah Hennessey
Workforce Transition Unit
Michigan Department of Career Development
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Re: WARN Notice

Dear Ms. Hennessey:

In accordance with sections 2102 and/or 2106 of the Worker Adjustment Retraining and Notification Act, The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company, Inc., and its subsidiary Borman's, Inc., d/b/a Farmer Jack (the "Company"), hereby give notice that it anticipates the Farmer Jack stores listed below will close permanently on or about March 8, 2004 and all positions will be eliminated. Accordingly, the expected date of first separation from employment with the Company is within the fourteen-day period beginning on that date. The current number of employees at these stores is approximately 660.

- Store #606 - 19150 Telegraph Rd., Detroit, MI 48219
- Store #618 - 2651 Rochester Rd., Rochester Hills, MI 48307
- Store #660 - 8000 Outer Drive, Detroit, MI 48235
- Store #670 - 8665 Rosa Park Blvd., Detroit, MI 48206
- Store #688 - 14100 Woodward Ave., Highland Park, MI 48203
- Store #720 - 9023 Joseph Campau, Hamtramck, MI 48212

For further information, please do not hesitate to contact me at the address below. My direct telephone number is (313) 270-1216.

Very truly yours,

F. J. Witt III
Vice President
Labor Relations