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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS DALLAS DIVISION

In re:

\$ Chapter 11

\$ FRESH ACQUISITIONS, LLC, et al., 1 \$ Case No. 21-30721 (SGJ)

Debtors. \$ (Joint Administration Requested)

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND REQUEST FOR SERVICE OF NOTICES AND PLEADINGS

TO ALL PARTIES, PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT:

VitaNova Brands, LLC ("VNB"), by and through its undersigned counsel J. Michael Sutherland and Stephanie F. Assi, files this Notice of Appearance and Request for Service of Notices and Pleadings in the above-captioned case, pursuant to Rules 2002, 3017, 9007, and 9010 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "Bankruptcy Rules"), and 11 U.S.C. §§ 102(1), 342, and 1109(b), and requests that all notices and pleadings given or required to be served in this case be given to and served upon VNB by serving each of:

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¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases and the last four digits of each Debtor's taxpayer identification number are as follows: Alamo Fresh Payroll, LLC (1590); Fresh Acquisitions, LLC (2795); Alamo Ovation, LLC (9002); Buffets LLC (2294); Hometown Buffet, Inc. (3002); Tahoe Joe's Inc. (7129); OCB Restaurant Company, LLC (7607); OCB Purchasing, Co. (7610); Ryan's Restaurant Group, LLC (7895); Fire Mountain Restaurants, LLC (8003); Food Management Partners, Inc. (7374); FMP SA Management Group, LLC (3031); FMP-Fresh Payroll, LLC (8962); FMP-Ovation Payroll, LLC (1728); and Alamo Buffets Payroll, LLC (0998).

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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1109(b), the foregoing

request includes not only the notices and papers referred to in the Bankruptcy Rules, but also

includes, without limitation, all orders, notices, hearing dates, applications, motions, petitions,

requests, complaints, demands, replies, answers, schedule of assets and liabilities, statement of

financial affairs, operating reports, plans of reorganization, and disclosure statements, whether

formal or informal, written or oral, and whether transmitted or conveyed by mail, courier service,

delivery, telephone, facsimile, telegraph, telex, telefax, electronic mail or otherwise made with

regard to the referenced case and proceedings herein.

This Notice of Appearance and Request for Service of Notices and Pleadings shall not be

deemed or construed to be a waiver of the rights of VNB (1) to trial by jury in any proceedings

so triable in this case or any case, controversy, or proceeding related to this case, (2) to assert or

exercise any other rights, claims, actions, setoffs, or recoupments to which the above-named

parties are or may be entitled, in law or in equity, all of which rights, claims, actions, defenses,

setoffs, and recoupments VNB expressly reserves, or (3) actual or implied consent of VNB to

entry of findings of fact or final orders by any Article I tribunal.

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Date: April 23, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was served on all parties receiving ECF-Notice in this case, on this 23rd day of April, 2021.

/s/ J. Michael Sutherland

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