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Merger Sheet

MERGING:

BANANA SUPPLY CO., INC., a Florida corporation, J77853

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CHIQUITA BRANDS COMPANY, NORTH AMERICA, a Delaware corporation,
817449

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