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March 30, 2010

DAVID J KAUFMANN KAUFMANN GILDIN ROBBINS & OPPENHEIM LLP 777 THIRD AVENUE 24TH FLOOR •NEW YORK, NY 10017

Re: F-676

TACO BELL CORP TACO BELL CORP

Dear Mr. Kaufmann:

The Annual Report has been reviewed and Is In compliance with Minnesota Statute Chapter 80C and Minnesota Rules Chapter 2860.

This means that there continues to be an effective registration statement on file and that the franchisor may offer and sell the above-referenced franchise in Minnesota.

The franchisor is not required to escrow franchise fees, post a Franchise Surety Bond or defer receipt of franchise fees during this registration period.

As a reminder, the next annual report is due within 120 days after the franchisor's fiscal year end, which is December 31, 2010.

Sincerely,

GLENN WILSON Commissioner

By:

Daniel Sexton Commerce Analyst Supervisor Registration Division (651) 296-4520

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STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE REGISTRATION DIVISION (651) 296-4520

IN THE MATTER OF THE REGISTRATION OF: TACO BELL CORP By TACO BELL CORP

> ORDER AMENDING REGISTRATION

WHEREAS, an application to amend the registration and amendment fee have been filed,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the registration dated June 20, 1994, is amended as of the date set forth below.

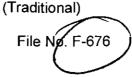
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GLENN WILSON Commissioner Department of Commerce 85 7th Place East, Suite 500 St Paul, MN 55101

Date: March 30, 2010



UNIFORM FRANCHISE REGISTRATION APPLICATION



State: Minnesota

Fee: \$300

APPLICATION FOR (Check only one):

INITIAL REGISTRATION OF AN OFFER AND SALE OF FRANCHISES

X RENEWAL APPLICATION OR ANNUAL REPORT

PRE-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT

POST-EFFECTIVE MATERIAL AMENDMENT

1. Full legal name of Franchisor:

Taco Bell Corp.

2. Name of the franchise offering:

"Taco Bell Corp.," "Taco Bell"

3. Franchisor's principal business address:

17901 Van Karman Avenue, Irvine, California 92614

Name and address of Franchisor's agent in this State authorized to receive service 4. of process:

> Minnesota Commissioner of Commerce Department of Commerce 85 7th Place East, Suite 500 St. PauL MN 55101-2198

5. The states in which this application is or will be shortly on file:

Minnesota, Wisconsin

6. Name, address, telephone and facsimile numbers, and e-mail address of person to whom communications regarding this application should be directed;

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