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Lee Ann Elliott,
Chairman, Federal Election Commission.
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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Dkt. C-3619]

Columbia/HCA Healthcare Corporation; Prohibited Trade Practices, and Affirmative Corrective Actions

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Consent order.

SUMMARY: In settlement of alleged violations of federal law prohibiting unfair acts and practices and unfair methods of competition, this consent order permits, among other things, Columbia/HCA and Healthtrust, Inc. to merge, provided that Columbia/HCA divests seven hospitals within twelve months (nine months for the divestiture of three hospitals in the Salt Lake City area), and requires the respondent to terminate its participation in a joint venture with the Orlando Regional Health System. In a modification of the consent agreement, this consent order replaces a prior-approval requirement with a prior-notice provision that requires the respondent, for ten years, to notify the Commission before acquiring another acute care hospital in any of the six market areas at issue, and before transferring an acute care hospital in any of the areas to another entity that already operates one in that area.

DATES: Complaint and Order issued October 3, 1995.¹

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Oscar Voss, FTC/S-3115, Washington, D.C. 20580. (202) 326-2750.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On Tuesday, May 23, 1995, there was published in the Federal Register, 60 FR 27292, a proposed consent agreement with analysis in the Matter of Columbia/HCA Healthcare Corporation, for the purpose of soliciting public comment. Interested parties were given sixty (60) days in which to submit comments, suggestions or objections regarding the proposed form of the order.

Comments were filed and considered by the Commission. The Commission has ordered the insurance of the complaint, made its jurisdictional findings are entered an order to divest in disposition of this proceeding.

¹ Copies of the Complaint and the Decision and order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, H-130, 6th Street & Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.

(Sec. 6, 38 Stat. 721; 15 U.S.C. 46. Interpret or apply sec. 5, 38 Stat. 719, as amended; sec. 7, 38 Stat. 731, as amended; 15 U.S.C. 45, 18) Donald S. Clark,
Secretary.

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Giant Food, Inc.; Prohibited Trade Practices and Affirmative Corrective Actions

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Set aside order.

SUMMARY: This order reopens a 1964 consent order—which prohibited Giant from inducing its suppliers to offer, or receiving from its suppliers, compensation for promotional services or facilities on terms that Giant knew were not proportionally equal to the terms those suppliers offered other retailers—and sets aside the consent order pursuant to the Commission's 1994 Sunset Policy Statement, under which the Commission presumed that the public interest requires terminating competition orders that are more than 20 years old.

DATES: Modified consent order issued April 13, 1964. Set aside order issued September 7, 1995.¹

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Daniel Ducore, FTC/S-2115, Washington, D.C. 20580. (202) 326-2526.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In the Matter of Giant Food, Inc. The prohibited trade practices and/or corrective actions are removed as indicated.

(Sec. 6, 38 Stat. 721; 15 U.S.C. 46. Interpret or applies sec. 5, 38 Stat. 719, as amended; 15 U.S.C. 45)

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Secretary.

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Illinois Tool Works Inc.; Prohibited Trade Practices, and Affirmative Corrective Actions

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Consent order.

SUMMARY: In settlement of alleged violations of federal law prohibiting

¹ Copies of the Modified Consent Order and Set Aside Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, H-130, 6th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.

unfair or deceptive acts or practices and unfair methods of competition, this consent order requires Illinois Tool Works, among other things, to divest all of Hobart Brothers' assets and businesses relating to industrial power sources and industrial engine drives to Prestolite Electric Inc. or another Commission-approved acquirer.

DATES: Complaint and Order issued April 23, 1996.¹

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ann Malester, FTC/S-2308, Washington, DC, 20580. (202) 326-2682.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On Thursday, February 8, 1996, there was published in the Federal Register, 61 FR 4778, a proposed consent agreement with analysis in the Matter of Illinois Tool Works Inc., for the purpose of soliciting public comment. Interested parties were given sixty (60) days in which to submit comments, suggestions or objections regarding the proposed form of the order.

No comments having been received, the Commission has ordered the issuance of the complaint in the form contemplated by the agreement, made its jurisdictional findings and entered an order to divest, as set forth in the proposed consent agreement, in disposition of this proceeding.

(Sec. 6, 38 Stat. 721; 15 U.S.C. 46. Interpret or apply sec. 5, 38 Stat. 719, as amended; sec. 7, 38 Stat. 731, as amended; 15 U.S.C. 45, 18) Donald S. Clark,
Secretary.

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KKR Associates, L.P.; Prohibited Trade Practices and Affirmative Corrective Actions

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Set aside order.

SUMMARY: This order reopens a 1989 consent order—which required KKR Associates to divest, within twelve months, certain assets and businesses associated with RJR Nabisco or Beatrice/Hunt-Wesson, and prohibited them from making certain acquisitions without prior Commission approval—and sets aside the prior approval provisions of the consent order pursuant to the Commission's Prior Approval Policy Statement. Under that Policy Statement, the Commission presumes that the public interest requires reopening the

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