

NOTE: This disposition is nonprecedential.

**United States Court of Appeals  
for the Federal Circuit**

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**HIP, INC.,**  
*Plaintiff-Appellant*

v.

**HORMEL FOODS CORPORATION, HORMEL  
FOODS CORPORATE SERVICES, LLC, OSCEOLA  
FOOD, LLC, ROCHELLE FOODS, LLC, DOLD  
FOODS, LLC,**  
*Defendants-Appellees*

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2019-2076

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Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Delaware in No. 1:18-cv-00615-CFC, Judge Colm F. Connolly.

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**JUDGMENT**

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JERRY ROBIN SELINGER, Patterson & Sheridan LLP, Dallas, TX, argued for plaintiff-appellant. Also represented by JAMES BENDER, Greensboro, NC.

KURT JOHN NIEDERLUECKE, Fredrikson & Byron, PA, Minneapolis, MN, argued for defendants-appellees. Also

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MARCHEVSKY, TIMOTHY MICHAEL O'SHEA.

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THIS CAUSE having been heard and considered, it is

ORDERED and ADJUDGED:

PER CURIAM (PROST, *Chief Judge*, BRYSON and  
WALLACH, *Circuit Judges*).

**AFFIRMED. See Fed. Cir. R. 36.**

ENTERED BY ORDER OF THE COURT

March 6, 2020  
Date

/s/ Peter R. Marksteiner  
Peter R. Marksteiner  
Clerk of Court