STATE OF MAINE SAGADAHOC, ss.

**BUSINESS AND CONSUMER DOCKET** 

Location: West Bath

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Ford Motor Co.,

Petitioner,

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**JUDGMENT** 

Darling's, et al.,

Respondents

On the jury's verdict, judgment is entered in favor of Darling's on Ford Motor Co.'s challenge to the Maine Motor Vehicle Franchise Board's determination (1) that the elimination of the 1.25% payment as part of the Blue Oval Certification program constituted a modification of Darling's franchise with Ford, and (2) that the elimination of the 1.25% payment as part of the Blue Oval Certification program substantially and adversely affected Darling's return on investment. The Board's determination on these issues is, therefore, affirmed.

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