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## SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

FORTUNE BRANDS, INC. (Registrant)

Date: May 20, 2011

By: /s/ Mark A. Roche Name: Mark A. Roche Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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