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In his paper “On Eigenform Relations Between Monomial Series” (2000), Eknath Ghate proves that there are finitely many pairs of full-level, degree-one eigenforms  $f$  and  $g$  whose product  $fg$  is also an eigenform. We prove a partial generalization of this theorem for degree-two Siegel modular forms. When  $FG$  is an Eisenstein series, we use the Siegel  $\Phi$  operator, a mapping from Siegel degree-two to degree-one modular forms, to show that there is only one pair of Eisenstein series eigenforms  $F$  and  $G$  for which  $FG$  is an eigenform. When  $FG$  is a cusp form, we use the Rankin-Selberg method to give a condition under which  $FG$  cannot be an eigenform. We provide one example of an eigenform product for which  $FG$  is a cusp form, and we conjecture that this is the only such example. (Received August 01, 2018)