

## FRANCHISE DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT



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The franchisor is PROTSHAKE, LLC ("Franchisor," "us" or "we"). We develop and offer franchises for the operation of a product distribution business that will operate under our trademark "Blint." The core business offered under this franchise is for the operation of automated vending machines ("Automated Retail Unit(s)") that will offer for sale healthy drinks and dietary supplement products prepared in a range of flavors, and other items under the name Blint<sup>TM</sup>. The Automated Retail Units will prepare and dispense, on the spot, such drinks by mixing cold water with supplement powder mixes, for immediate consumption by the customer. The Automated Retail Units may also have the ability to accept mail-orders of supplement powder mixes to be delivered directly to the consumer by the Company. In this Disclosure Document, We refer to this franchised business as the "Blint Franchise" or the "Franchised Business."

The total investment necessary to begin operation of a Blint Franchise ranges from U.S. \$ 34,005.00 to U.S. \$ 63,175.00. This includes U.S. \$ 32,100.00 to U.S. \$ 49,480.00 that must be paid to the franchisor or affiliate.

The preceding figures are based on the acquisition and operation of one Automated Retail Unit. In the event You want to acquire and operate more than one Automated Retail Unit the preceding figures will increase.

This disclosure document summarizes certain provisions of Your Franchise Agreement and other information in plain English. Read this disclosure document and all accompanying agreements carefully. You must receive this disclosure document at least 14 calendar-days before You sign a binding agreement with, or make any payment to the franchisor or an affiliate in connection with the proposed franchise sale. **Note, however, that no governmental agency has verified the information contained in this document.** 

You may wish to receive your disclosure document in another format more convenient for You. To discuss the availability of disclosures in different formats, contact the franchise sales department located at 1343 Shotgun Road, Sunrise, Florida 33326 and telephone number 954-526-4200.

The terms of your contract will govern your Franchise relationship. Do not rely on the disclosure document alone to understand your contract. Read all of your contract carefully. Show your contract and this disclosure document to an advisor, like a lawyer or an accountant.

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Buying a franchise is a complex investment. The information in this disclosure document can help you make up your mind. More information on franchising, such as "A Consumer's Guide to Buying a Franchise," which can help you understand how to use this disclosure document, is available from the Federal Trade Commission. You can contact the FTC at 1-877-FTC-HELP or by writing to the FTC at 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington D.C. 20580. You can also visit the FTC's home page at <a href="https://www.ftc.gov">www.ftc.gov</a> for additional information. Call your state agency or visit your public library for other sources of information on franchising.

There may also be laws on franchising in your state. Ask your state agencies about them.

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## **STATE COVER PAGE**

Your state may have a franchise law that requires a franchisor to register or file with a state franchise administrator before offering or selling in your state. REGISTRATION OF A FRANCHISE BY A STATE DOES NOT MEAN THAT THE STATE RECOMMENDS THE FRANCHISE OR HAS VERIFIED THE INFORMATION IN THIS DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT.

Call the state franchise administrator listed in **Exhibit A** for information about the franchisor, or about franchising in your state.

MANY FRANCHISE AGREEMENTS DO NOT ALLOW YOU TO RENEW UNCONDITIONALLY AFTER THE INITIAL TERM EXPIRES. YOU MAY HAVE TO SIGN A NEW AGREEMENT WITH DIFFERENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS IN ORDER TO CONTINUE TO OPERATE YOUR BUSINESS. BEFORE YOU BUY, CONSIDER WHAT RIGHTS YOU HAVE TO RENEW YOUR FRANCHISE, IF ANY, AND WHAT TERMS YOU MIGHT HAVE TO ACCEPT IN ORDER TO RENEW.

Please consider the following RISK FACTORS before you buy this franchise:

- 1) THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT REQUIRES YOU TO RESOLVE DISPUTES WITH US BY ARBITRATION ONLY IN FLORIDA. OUT OF STATE ARBITRATION MAY FORCE YOU TO ACCEPT A LESS FAVORABLE SETTLEMENT FOR DISPUTES. IT MAY ALSO COST MORE TO ARBITRATE WITH PROTSHAKE, LLC IN FLORIDA THAN IN YOUR HOME STATE.
- 2) THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT STATES THAT FLORIDA LAW GOVERNS THIS AGREEMENT, AND THIS LAW MAY NOT PROVIDE THE SAME PROTECTIONS AND BENEFITS AS LOCAL LAW. YOU MAY WANT TO COMPARE THESE LAWS.
- 3) THERE MAY BE OTHER RISKS CONCERNING THIS FRANCHISE.

We do not currently, but may in the future use the services of one or more FRANCHISE BROKERS or referral sources to assist us in selling our franchise. A franchise broker or referral source represents us, not you. We pay this person a fee for selling our franchise or referring you to us. You should be sure to do your own investigation of the franchise opportunity.

The effective dates of this Disclosure Document in the states with franchise registration laws in which we have sought registration appear below.

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