

## FRANCHISE DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT

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DetailXPerts Franchise Systems, LLC is offering franchises for the operation of a business which provides mobile vehicle wash, detailing and related services.

The total estimated initial investment necessary to begin operation of a DETAILXPERTS franchise ranges from \$81,000 to \$157,000. This includes from \$64,000 to \$71,000 that must be paid to the franchisor or its affiliates. See Items 5, 6 and 7. We also offer the right to enter into a Development Agreement to open and operate multiple unit franchises within a delineated geographical area. The franchise pays a discounted initial franchise fee of \$25,000 for the second and each subsequent DetailXPerts franchises to be developed under the Development Agreement.

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 that is more convenient for you. To discuss the availability of disclosures in different formats, contact our Vice President of Administration at 440 Burroughs Street, Detroit, Michigan 48202 (313) 924-9779.

The terms of your contract will govern your franchise relationship. Don't 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.

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 "Buying a Franchise, A Consumer Guide," 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 www.ftc.gov 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.

## THE DATE OF ISSUANCE OF THIS DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT IN THE NON-REGISTRATION STATES IS:

September 12, 2016



## 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 <u>Exhibit A</u> for information about the franchisor, about other franchisors, 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 FIRST BY NON-BINDING MEDIATION THEN ARBITRATION OR, AS APPLICABLE, LITIGATION, ONLY IN MICHIGAN. OUT OF STATE MEDIATION, ARBITRATION OR, LITIGATION, AS APPLICABLE, MAY FORCE YOU TO ACCEPT A LESS FAVORABLE SETTLEMENT FOR DISPUTES. IT MAY ALSO COST YOU MORE TO MEDIATE, ARBITRATE OR, AS APPLICABLE, LITIGATE, WITH US IN MICHIGAN.
- 2. THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT STATES THAT MICHIGAN LAW GOVERNS THE AGREEMENT, AND THIS LAW MAY NOT PROVIDE THE SAME PROTECTIONS AND BENEFITS AS LOCAL LAW. YOU MAY WANT TO COMPARE THESE LAWS.
- 3. THE FRANCHISEE WILL BE REQUIRED TO MAKE AN ESTIMATED INITIAL INVESTMENT RANGING FROM \$81,000 TO \$131,000. THIS AMOUNT EXCEEDS THE FRANCHISOR'S STOCKHOLDER EQUITY AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2015, WHICH IS \$45,209.
- 4. THERE MAY BE OTHER RISKS CONCERNING THIS FRANCHISE.

We reserve the right to 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 is our agent and represents us, and 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.

The effective date of this Disclosure Document in the states with registration laws are on the following page:



## STATE EFFECTIVE DATES – REGISTRATION STATES

The following states require that the Franchise Disclosure Document be registered or filed with the state, or be exempt from registration: California, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Minnesota, New York, North Dakota, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Virginia, Washington and Wisconsin.

This Franchise Disclosure Document is registered, on file or exempt from registration in the following states having franchise registration and disclosure laws, with the following effective dates:

California: December 21, 2015	New York:	
Hawaii:	North Dakota:	
Illinois:	Rhode Island:	
Indiana: June 18, 2015	South Dakota:	
Maryland:	Virginia: January 11, 2016	
Michigan: April 12, 2015	Washington: December 30, 2015	
Minnesota: October 27, 2015	Wisconsin: June 22, 2015	
EXEMPTION/NOTICE FILING STATES:		
Connecticut:	Florida: December 29, 2015	
Kentucky:	Nebraska:	
Texas: November 5, 2015	Utah:	

In all the other states, the effective date of this Franchise Disclosure Document is the issuance date of September 12, 2016.

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