

## FRANCHISE DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT



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The franchises described in this disclosure document are for the operation of a business specializing in the repair of cell phones, smart phones, tablets, laptops, desktop computers, and other electronic devices under the name **Digital Doc**®.

The total investment necessary to begin operation of a Digital Doc® franchise is between \$73,300 and \$151,100. This includes a \$29,000 franchise fee that must be paid to the franchisor and between \$8,000 and \$23,000 that must be paid to Our affiliate.

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 a payment to the franchisor or an affiliate in connection with the proposed franchise sale. **Note, however, that no government 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 disclosure in different formats, contact Levi Dinkla or Matt Lucas at the above address and telephone number.

The terms of Your contract will govern Your franchise relationship. Don't rely on the disclosure document alone to understand Your contract. Read Your entire contract and this disclosure document carefully. Show Your contract and this disclosure document to an advisor, like a lawyer or 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 "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 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.

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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 B 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 MEDIATION, ARBITRATION AND LITIGATION ONLY IN KENTUCKY. OUT OF STATE ARBITRATION MAY FORCE YOU TO ACCEPT A LESS FAVORABLE SETTLEMENT FOR DISPUTES. IT MAY ALSO COST YOU MORE TO MEDIATE, ARBITRATE OR LITIGATE WITH US IN KENTUCKY THAN IN YOUR OWN STATE.

2. THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT REQUIRES THAT KENTUCKY 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. ARBITRATION WILL NOT BE USED FOR ANY DISPUTE WHICH INVOLVES A FRANCHISEE'S CONTINUED USAGE OF ANY OF THE MARKS OR ANY ISSUE INVOLVING INJUNCTIVE RELIEF AGAINST FRANCHISEE, ALL OF THESE ISSUES WILL BE SUBMITTED INITIALLY TO A COURT IN KENTUCKY. THE PARTIES CONSENT TO PERSONAL JURISDICTION IN KENTUCKY OVER ANY SUCH ISSUES NOT SUBJECT TO ARBITRATION.

## 4. THERE MAY BE OTHER RISKS CONCERNING THIS FRANCHISE.

We 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.

Effective Date: See the next page for state effective dates



## **STATE EFFECTIVE DATES:**

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, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, North Dakota, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Virginia, Washington and Wisconsin.

This Disclosure Document is either not registered or registered, on file or exempt from registration in the following states having franchise registration and disclosure laws, with the following effective dates:

California:	
Connecticut:	Trademark Exempt
Hawaii:	
Illinois:	
Indiana:	
Maine:	Trademark Exempt
Maryland:	
Michigan:	
Minnesota:	
New York:	
North Carolina:	Trademark Exempt
North Dakota:	
Rhode Island:	
South Carolina:	Trademark Exempt
South Dakota:	
Virginia:	
Washington:	
Wisconsin:	

This Disclosure Document is not required to be registered in the following states, but an exemption has been filed as required by the state's business opportunity laws and this Disclosure Document is effective as of the date specified below:

> Florida: Kentucky: Nebraska: Texas: Utah:

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