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Empire Cleaning Supply

The franchise offered is a cleaning supply business that offers a full line of cleaning, sanitary maintenance and packaging supplies to commercial and institutional customers. Locations are fixed, stand-alone buildings that provide a retail setting offering professional advice and a wide selection of cleaning products.

The total investment necessary to begin operation of an Empire Cleaning Supply franchise is \$149,502 - \$297,805 This includes the \$40,000 franchise fee that must be paid to the franchisor or 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 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.

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 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 "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-FTCHELP or by writing to the FTC at 600 Pennsylvania.



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Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 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 OF CALIFORNIA 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 Franchisee's state

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

Please consider the following RISK FACTORS before Franchisee buy this franchise

- 1 THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT REQUIRES YOU TO RESOLVE DISPUTES WITH US BY ARBITRATION ONLY IN CALIFORNIA OUT-OF-STATE ARBITRATION MAY FORCE YOU TO ACCEPT A LESS FAVORABLE SETTLEMENT FOR DISPUTES IT MAY ALSO COST YOU MORE TO ARBITRATE WITH US IN CALIFORNIA THAN IN YOUR OWN STATE
- THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT STATES THAT CALIFORNIA 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 THIS NEW FRANCHISOR HAS BEEN IN BUSINESS FOR SUCH A SHORT PERIOD OF TIME THAT ITS FRANCHISES ARE A HIGHER RISK INVESTMENT THAN FRANCHISORS WITH A LONGER-TERM OPERATING HISTORY
- 4 THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT CONTAINS PROVISION THAT LIMIT FRANCHISEE'S RIGHTS AND MAY NOT BE ENFORECEABLE IN CALIFORNIA INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO LIMITATION OF DAMAGES AND WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL
- 5 THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT PROVIDES THAT A FRANCHISEE AGREE TO FRANCHISOR SEEKING INJUNCTIVE RELIEF WITHOUT POSTING A BOND AND AGREE TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR FRANCHISOR'S

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