

## FRANCHISE DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT



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JDog Franchises, LLC, offers Franchises for the operation of retail junk removal businesses under the name "JDog Junk Removal & Hauling". This franchise is only offered to honorably discharged and active military personnel and their families. The total investment necessary to begin operation of a "JDog Junk Removal & Hauling" franchise is between \$29,850 and \$110,070. This includes \$10,000 to \$35,000 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 fourteen (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 to you. To discuss the availability of disclosures in different formats, please contact Jerry Flanagan at JDog Franchises, LLC, 100 Berwyn Park, 850 Cassatt Rd, Suite 225, Berwyn, PA 19312 or call us at 1.844.438.5364.

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 contracts carefully. Show your Contract and this Disclosure Document to an advisor such as 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 through the Trade Commission. You can contact the F.T.C. at 1-877-FTC-HELP or by writing the F.T.C. at 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, Northwest, Washington, DC 20580. You can also visit the F.T.C.'s homepage at <a href="www.ftc.gov">www.ftc.gov</a>. For additional information, call your state agency or visit your public library for sources of information of franchising.

There may also be laws on franchising in your state. Ask your state agency 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 THIS FRANCHISE BY A STATE DOES NOT MEAN THAT THE STATE RECOMMENDS IT OR HAS VERIFIED THE INFORMATION IN THE 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 MEDIATION/LITIGATION ONLY IN PENNSYLVANIA. OUT OF STATE LITIGATION OR MEDIATION MAY FORCE YOU TO ACCEPT A LESS FAVORABLE SETTLEMENT FOR DISPUTES. IT MAY ALSO COST YOU MORE TO MEDIATE WITH US IN PENNSYLVANIA THAN IN YOUR OWN STATE.
- 2. THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT STATES THAT PENNSYLVANIA LAW GOVERNS THE CONSTRUCTION AND INTERPRETATION OF THIS AGREEMENT, AND THIS LAW MAY NOT PROVIDE THE SAME PROTECTION AND BENEFITS AS LOCAL LAW. YOU MAY WANT TO COMPARE THESE LAWS.
- 3. YOU MUST MAKE MINIMUM ROYALTY AND ADVERTISING PAYMENTS, REGARDLESS OF YOUR SALES LEVELS. YOUR INABILITY TO MAKE THE PAYMENTS MAY RESULT IN TERMINATION OF YOUR FRANCHISE AND LOSS OF YOUR INVESTMENT
- 4. THERE MAY BE OTHER RISKS CONCERNING THIS FRANCHISE.

We may use the services of one or more of Franchise Brokers or referral sources to assist us in selling our franchise. Franchise Broker or referral sources represent 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 on a franchise.



## **STATE EFFECTIVE DATES**

The following States require that a Franchise Disclosure Document be registered 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.

The 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:

State	Effective Date
California	Pending
Connecticut (exemption)	February 20, 2015
Florida (exemption)	February 9, 2018
Hawaii	Pending
Illinois	Pending
Indiana	Pending
Kentucky (exemption)	February 26, 2015
Maryland	Pending
Michigan	March 25, 2018
Minnesota	Pending
Nebraska (exemption)	February 10, 2015
New York	Pending
North Dakota	Pending
Rhode Island	Pending
South Dakota	Pending
Texas (exemption)	February 9, 2015
Utah (exemption)	January 19, 2018
Virginia	Pending
Washington	Pending
Wisconsin	Pending

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