

## FRANCHISE DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT

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We grant franchises for retail establishments that serve gourmet popcorn, chocolate and related snack foods

The total investment necessary to begin operation of a Popcornopolis franchise ranges from \$198,00 to \$395,000, including \$37,600 to \$40,000 that must be paid to us If you sign a Development Agreement, you will also pay a development fee equal to \$15,000 for each Store to be developed. The portion of the development fee allocable to each Store (which is \$15,000 for each Store) will be credited against the initial franchise fee due for that Store

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 Franchise Department at 1301 E El Segundo Ave , El Segundo, California 90245 and (800) 767-2489

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 "<u>A</u> <u>Consumer's Guide to Buying a Franchise</u>," 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, 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 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

## Risk Factors:

Please consider the following RISK FACTORS before you buy this franchise

- 1 THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT REQUIRE YOU TO RESOLVE DISPUTES WITH US BY LITIGATION ONLY IN THE STATE IN WHICH WE HAVE OUR PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS, WHICH IS CURRENTLY CALIFORNIA OUT-OF-STATE LITIGATION MAY FORCE YOU TO ACCEPT A LESS FAVORABLE SETTLEMENT FOR DISPUTES IT MAY ALSO COST YOU MORE TO SUE US IN A STATE OTHER THAN YOUR OWN STATE
- 2 THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT STATE THE AGREEMENTS ARE GOVERNED BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE WHERE WE HAVE OUR PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AT THE TIME THE ACTION IS COMMENCED (CURRENTLY CALIFORNIA), 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 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.

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