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August 7, 2011

LACEY D CORDERO ESQ
CHENG COHEN LLC
311 NORTH ABERDEEN SUITE 400
CHICAGO, IL 60607

Re: F-6301
SEARS AUTHORIZED INDEPENDENT AUTO CENTERS LLC
SEARS AUTO CENTER F/A

Dear Ms. Cordero:

The Annual Report has been reviewed and is in compliance with Minnesota Statute Chapter 80C and Minnesota Rules Chapter 2860.

This means that there continues to be an effective registration statement on file and that the franchisor may offer and sell the above-referenced franchise in Minnesota.

As a condition of continued registration, the franchisor is required to post a Franchise Surety Bond.

As a reminder, the next annual report is due within 120 days after the franchisor's fiscal year end, which is January 31, 2012.

Sincerely,

MIKE ROTHMAN
Commissioner

By:

Daniel Sexton
Commerce Analyst Supervisor
Registration Division
(651) 296-4520

MR:DES:dlw

F-6301

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
REGISTRATION DIVISION
(651) 296-2211

IN THE MATTER OF THE REGISTRATION OF:
SEARS AUTO CENTER F/A

By SEARS AUTHORIZED INDEPENDENT AUTO CENTERS LLC

ORDER AMENDING
REGISTRATION

WHEREAS, an application to amend the registration and amendment fee have been filed,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the registration dated December 10, 2009, is amended as of the date set forth below.



MIKE ROTHMAN
Commissioner
Department of Commerce
85 7th Place East, Suite 500
St Paul, MN 55101

Date: August 7, 2011

UNIFORM FRANCHISE REGISTRATION APPLICATIONFile No. _____
(Insert file number of immediately
Preceding filing of Applicant)

11-5301

State: MinnesotaFee: \$400.00

APPLICATION FOR (Check only one):

- INITIAL REGISTRATION OF AN OFFER OR SALE OF FRANCHISES**
- REGISTRATION APPLICATION OR ANNUAL REPORT**
- PRE-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT**
- POST-EFFECTIVE MATERIAL AMENDMENT**

8-5-11
\$300.00

1. Full legal name of Franchisor:
Sears Authorized Independent Auto Centers LLC
2. Name of the franchise offering:
Sears Auto Centers
3. Franchisor's principal business address:
3333 Beverly Road
Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60179
4. Name and address of Franchisor's agent in this State authorized to receive service of process:

Commissioner of Commerce
Department of Commerce
85 7th Street East, Suite 500
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

5. The states in which this application is or will be shortly on file:

California, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, North Dakota,
Rhode Island, South Dakota, Virginia, Washington and Wisconsin

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Sears Auto Center

2011 Initial Registration Applications

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