

OCT **2 5** 2016



Department of Business Oversight

SHIELD SECURITY SYSTEMS FRANCHISE DEVELOPMENT CORP.

(A New York Corporation) 5170 Genesee Street Bowmansville, NY 14026 (716) 681-6677 info@shieldsecurity.net www.shieldsecurity.net

Shield Security Systems businesses specialize in the sale, installation, servicing and monitoring of residential and commercial alarm systems and also intercoms, access control systems, closed circuit television, GPS tracking systems, home theater systems and central vacuum systems as incidental services.

The total investment necessary to begin operation of a Shield Security Systems franchise is from \$77,325 to \$127,500. This includes between \$49,600 – \$52,920 that may 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 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 disclosures in different formats, contact Kenneth Jezioro, Shield Security System Franchise Development Corp., 5170 Genesee Street, Bowmansville, NY 14026, 716-681-6677.

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 "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 at 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 or information on franchising.

There may be laws on franchising in your state. Ask your state agencies about them.

2777365.1



Issuance Date: October 13, 2016

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 <u>Exhibit E</u> 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:

THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT REQUIRES YOU TO RESOLVE DISPUTES WITH US BY LITIGATION/ARBITRATION/MEDIATION ONLY IN NEW YORK. OUT-OF-STATE LITIGATION/ARBITRATION/MEDIATION MAY FORCE YOU TO ACCEPT A LESS FAVORABLE SETTLEMENT FOR DISPUTES. IT MAY ALSO COST YOU MORE TO SUE/ARBITRATE/MEDIATE WITH US IN NEW YORK THAN IN YOUR OWN STATE.

THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT STATES THAT NEW YORK 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.

THE FRANCHISE OWNERS AND THEIR SPOUSES MUST EACH SIGN PERSONAL GUARANTIES MAKING EACH SPOUSE JOINTLY AND SEVERALLY LIABLE FOR ALL OBLIGATIONS OF THE FRANCHISE. THESE GUARANTIES PLACE EACH FRANCHISE OWNER'S AND EACH SPOUSE'S PERSONAL ASSETS AT RISK.

THERE MAY BE OTHER RISKS CONCERNING THIS FRANCHISE.

Effective Date: See dates noted on next page.



EFFECTIVE DATES

California Effective Date:	
Hawaii Effective Date:	
Illinois Effective Date:	
Indiana Effective Date:	-
Maryland Effective Date:	
Michigan Effective Date:	
Minnesota Effective Date:	
New York Effective Date:	
North Dakota Effective Date:	
Rhode Island Effective Date:	
South Dakota Effective Date:	
Virginia Effective Date:	
Washington Effective Date:	
Wisconsin Effective Date:	

his is a document preview downloaded from FranchisePanda.com. The full document is avee by visiting: https://franchisepanda.com/franchises/shield-security-systems	vailable fo