

### UNIFORM FRANCHISE DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT FOR PROSPECTIVE FRANCHISEES

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## INFORMATION FOR PROSPECTIVE FRANCHISEES REQUIRED BY FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

TO PROTECT YOU. WE HAVE REQUIRED YOUR FRANCHISOR TO GIVE YOU THIS INFORMATION. THIS DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT SUMMARIZES CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF YOUR FRANCHISE AGREEMENT AND OTHER INFORMATION IN PLAIN ENGLISH. THE TERMS OF YOUR AGREEMENT WILL GOVERN YOUR FRANCHISE RELATIONSHIP. WE HAVE NOT CHECKED IT. AND DO NOT KNOW IF IT IS CORRECT. IT SHOULD HELP YOU MAKE UP YOUR MIND. STUDY IT 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 PROPOSSED FRANCHISE SALE. NOTE, HOWEVER, THAT NO GOVERNMENT AGENCY HAS VERIFIED THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS DOCUMENT. WHILE IT INCLUDES SOME INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR CONTRACT, DO NOT RELY ON IT ALONE TO UNDERSTAND YOUR CONTRACT. READ YOUR CONTRACT CAREFULLY, BUYING A FRANCHISE IS A COMPLICATED INVESTMENT. TAKE YOUR TIME TO DECIDE. IF POSSIBLE. SHOW YOUR CONTRACT AND THIS INFORMATION TO AN ADVISOR, LIKE A LAWYER OR AN ACCOUNTANT, IF YOU FIND ANYTHING YOU THINK MAY BE WRONG OR ANYTHING IMPORTANT THAT HAS BEEN LEFT OUT, YOU SHOULD LET US KNOW ABOUT IT. IT MAY BE AGAINST THE LAW.

THE INFORMATION IN THIS DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT CAN HELP YOU MAKE UP YOUR MIND, MORE INFORMATION ON FRANCHISING, SUCH AS THE FTC'S "CONSUMER GUIDE TO BUYING A FRANCHISE," IS AVAILABLE FROM THE FTC. YOU CAN CONTACT THE FTC AT 1-877-FTC-HELP O RBY WRITING TO THE FTC AT 600 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20580. YOU CAN ALSO VISIT THE FTC'S HOMEPAGE AT <u>WWW.FTC.GOV</u> FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. THERE MAY ALSO BE LAWS ON FRANCHISING IN YOUR STATE. ASK YOUR STATE AGENCIES ABOUT THEM.



# FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580

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#### FRANCHISE DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT



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The franchises described in this offering circular are for the operation of a TEA STATION® Outlet ("**Outlet**") serving gourmet Asian tea, other beverages and related food items. The initial license fee is \$50,000 plus a training fee of \$7,500. The estimated initial investment required ranges from \$300,000 to \$450,000.

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 all of your contract carefully.

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 1-977-FTC-HELP or by writing to the FTC at 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20580. You can also visit the FTC's home page at <a href="www.ftc.gov">www.ftc.gov</a> 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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