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March 30, 2012

DEBBIE SCHULTZ GROUNDS GUYS LLC (THE) 1010-1020 N UNIVERSITY PARKS DR PO BOX 3146 WACO, TX 76707

Re: F-6389 GROUNDS GUYS LLC (THE) GROUND GUYS (THE) F/A

Dear Ms. Schultz:

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.

The franchisor is not required to escrow franchise fees, post a Franchise Surety Bond or defer receipt of franchise fees during this registration period.

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

Sincerely,

MIKE ROTHMAN Commissioner

By:

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

MR:DES:dlw



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

IN THE MATTER OF THE REGISTRATION OF: GROUND GUYS (THE) F/A By GROUNDS GUYS LLC (THE)

> ORDER AMENDING REGISTRATION

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

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the registration dated April 20, 2010, 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: March 30, 2012





UNIFORM FRANCHISE REGISTRATION APPLICATION

State: _	Minnesota	

APPLICATION FOR (Check only one):

- INITIAL REGISTRATION OF AN OFFER AND SALE OF FRANCHISES
- X RENEWAL APPLICATION OR ANNUAL REPORT
- **PRE-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT**
- **POST-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT**
- Full legal name of Franchisor: 1.

The Grounds Guys LLC

2. Name of franchise offering:

THE GROUNDS GUYS™

3. Franchisor's principal business address:

> 1010-1020 N. University Parks Dr. Waco, Texas 76707

4. Name and address of Franchisor's agent in this State authorized to receive process.

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

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

Name, address, telephone and facsimile numbers of person to whom communications regarding 4. this application should be directed:

Debbie Schultz, Paralegal Franchise Registration 1010 North University Parks Drive P. O. Box 3146 Waco, TX 76707 Telephone: 254/548-2542 ų – Fascimile: 254/745-2413

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File No. F-6389

Fee: \$ 200.00

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