

FRANCHISE DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT

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The franchise offered is for the operation of an “eco-friendly” junk removal business servicing homes and businesses under the name The Junkluggers. The franchise includes the right to use the trademarks, trade dress and operating system.

The total investment necessary to begin operation of a The Junkluggers franchise is \$18,000 to \$144,100. This includes an initial franchise fee of \$35,000 for new franchisees or \$5,000-\$35,000 for franchisees which are converting an existing junk removal business to a The Junkluggers franchise, either of which must be paid to the franchisor and/or its affiliate, as appropriate.

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 the Disclosure Document at least fourteen (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 Josh Cohen at 75 Selleck Street, Stamford, Connecticut 06902 and (800) 584-5865.

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 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 C** 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:

1. THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT REQUIRES YOU TO RESOLVE DISPUTES WITH US BY MEDIATION AND THEN ARBITRATION ONLY IN CONNECTICUT. OUT-OF-STATE MEDIATION OR ARBITRATION MAY FORCE YOU TO ACCEPT A LESS FAVORABLE SETTLEMENT FOR DISPUTES. IT MAY ALSO COST YOU MORE TO MEDIATE OR ARBITRATE WITH US IN CONNECTICUT THAN IN YOUR OWN STATE.
2. CERTAIN DISPUTES WITH US NOT SUBJECT TO MEDIATION OR ARBITRATION MUST BE RESOLVED BY LITIGATION ONLY IN CONNECTICUT. OUT-OF-STATE LITIGATION MAY FORCE YOU TO ACCEPT A LESS FAVORABLE SETTLEMENT. IT MAY ALSO COST YOU MORE TO LITIGATE WITH US IN CONNECTICUT THAN IN YOUR OWN STATE.
3. THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT STATES THAT CONNECTICUT 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.
4. THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT REQUIRES YOU TO PAY LIQUIDATED DAMAGES IF YOUR FRANCHISE AGREEMENT IS TERMINATED FOR CAUSE.
5. THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT REQUIRES THE INDIVIDUAL OWNERS OF THE FRANCHISEE AND THEIR SPOUSES SIGN A PERSONAL GUARANTY UNDER WHICH THE SPOUSE WILL BE JOINTLY AND SEVERALLY LIABLE FOR THE OBLIGATIONS OF THE FRANCHISEE WHETHER OR NOT THE SPOUSE IS INVOLVED IN THE OPERATIONS OF THE FRANCHISE. THIS REQUIREMENT PLACES THE PERSONAL AND MARITAL ASSETS OF THE FRANCHISE OWNERS AND THEIR SPOUSES AT RISK.

THERE MAY BE OTHER RISKS CONCERNING THIS FRANCHISE.

Effective Dates: See the next page for state Effective Dates.

STATE EFFECTIVE DATES

The following states require that this Disclosure Document be registered or filed with the state, or be exempt from registration: California, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, North Dakota, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Virginia, Washington and Wisconsin.

This Disclosure Document is either registered, on file or exempt from registration in the following states having franchise registration and disclosure laws, with the following effective dates:

Maryland:	June 16, 2014
New York:	May 28, 2014
Rhode Island:	May 7, 2014
Virginia:	November 10, 2014

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