

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® Franchise Agreement

Between

Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc.
11711 N. College Avenue, Suite 146
Carmel, Indiana 46032
(317) 571-7100

And

Name of Franchisee

Street

City

State

Zip Code

Area Code

Telephone

Effective Date:

(To be completed by Us)

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WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

This Agreement is made and entered into by and between Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc., an Indiana corporation, with its principal office at 11711 N. College Avenue, Suite 146, Carmel, Indiana 46032 (“we” or “us”) and the individual(s) or entity set forth in Appendix A (“you”), with an Effective Date as noted on the Cover Page.

RECITALS

A. We, as a result of the expenditure of time, skill, effort and money, have developed a proprietary system for developing businesses specializing in the retail marketing of birdfeeders, birdseed and other nature-related items to the general public through WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED stores.

B. We own the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® trademark and other trademarks, service marks, logo types and other commercial symbols used in connection with the operation of a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store.

C. You desire to own and operate one WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store, offering the products and services we authorize and approve and using the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED trademark, and we, in reliance on your representations, agree to grant you the right to operate a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

D. You acknowledge that you have conducted an independent investigation of the business contemplated by this Agreement and recognize that it involves business risks that make the success of the venture largely dependent upon your abilities.

In consideration of the foregoing and the mutual covenants and consideration below, you and we agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1. DEFINITIONS

Section 1.01 Affiliate. “Affiliate” means, with respect to a party hereto, any person or entity that directly or indirectly owns or controls the referenced party, that is directly or indirectly owned or controlled by the referenced party, or that is under common control with the referenced party. The term “control” of an entity means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of such entity, whether through ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise.

Section 1.02 Gross Sales. “Gross Sales” are the revenues and receipts from the sale of all merchandise and services sold, including cash sales, charge sales and exchanges or trades of every kind and nature, including any bulk or pre-paid customer sales made at or from your WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store or any temporary site and includes mail, internet, email or telephone orders received or filled at the premises. Refunds and allowances to customers must be deducted from the sale price of merchandise sold and charges made for services performed. Each sale upon installment, credit, or lay-away must be treated as a sale upon receipt of payment from the customer. The term “Gross Sales” does not include any sums collected and paid out for any sales, occupation, excise or other tax based upon or measured by the sale or sales price of merchandise, which is levied by the federal, any state, or local government, provided that no deduction from Gross Sales will be allowed for internet participation fees, credit card processing fees, income taxes, gross receipt taxes or other similar taxes.

Section 1.03 Marks. “Marks” means the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Trademark and Service Mark that have been registered in the United States, Canada and elsewhere and the trademarks, service marks and trade names set forth on Appendix B, as we may modify and change from time to time, and the trade dress and other commercial symbols used in the Store. Trade dress includes the designs, color schemes and image we authorize you to use in the operation of the Store from time to time.

Section 1.04 Store. “Store” means the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store you develop and operate pursuant to this Agreement.

Section 1.05 System. “System” means the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED System, which consists of distinctive birdfeeding and other nature related products and services offered in a setting of a distinctive exterior and interior facility, layout, signage and materials, all of which we may change from time to time, and using service focused on providing the customer with advice, top quality products and services and a pleasant shopping experience.

Other terms are defined throughout this Agreement.

ARTICLE 2. GRANT OF FRANCHISE

Section 2.01 Your Representations. The franchise granted is based on the application, financial statements and other documents you submit to us and you represent and warrant:

- (a) that all such documents are accurate and complete as of the dates of submission and as of the date of this Agreement; and
- (b) such submissions do not omit the statement of any material fact necessary to make them not misleading.

Section 2.02 Grant. Subject to the conditions of this Agreement, we grant to you the right to develop and operate a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store and to use the Marks as we now or in the future specifically designate for use in operating one WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store located at the address described in the attached Appendix A. As long as you are not in default under this Agreement, we will not establish or operate or grant a franchise to establish and operate other retail “brick and mortar” WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store at any physical location within the geographical area described in Appendix A (the “Designated Territory”). However, in determining where to locate your Store within the Designated Territory, you should be aware that designated territories will sometimes abut one another. Accordingly, franchised stores could be located in close proximity to one another if the stores are located near their common territory boundary. For this reason, you should investigate the location of stores within neighboring designated territories in making a site selection.

Customers residing in your Designated Territory may, from your Store, from the MyWBU Store online platform, or from any other WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store, including stores located in designated territories assigned to other WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED franchisees: view or receive marketing materials and/or purchase merchandise and other products or services, including arranging for merchandise delivery to, or provision of services (including onsite consultation services (FeederScaping®)) at, the customer’s home or place of business. You receive no compensation regarding such in-territory product or services sales or activities via another franchisee’s online store or physical store. For avoidance of doubt, you acknowledge that customers may order and purchase products or services from any online or physical

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store regardless of location and may receive marketing materials, products and services from any such online or physical WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store.

The license is limited to the right to develop and operate one Store located in the Designated Territory. This license does not include (i) any right to sell products and services identified by the Marks at (1) any location other than any Store authorized under this Agreement; or (2) through any other unapproved channels or methods of distribution, including through a website owned and operated by any entity other than us or (ii) any right to exclude, control or impose conditions on our development of future franchised, company or Affiliate owned stores at any time or at any location outside of the Designated Territory.

Section 2.03 Our Reservation of Rights. You acknowledge and agree that we and our Affiliates have the right: (i) outside of the Designated Territory to grant other franchises or develop and operate company or Affiliate owned WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED stores, notwithstanding their proximity to the Designated Territory or your Store, or their actual or threatened impact on your sales at your Store, and (ii) within or outside the Designated Territory to offer, sell or distribute any products or services associated with the System (now or in the future) under the Marks or any other trademarks, service marks or trade names or through any distribution channel or method, all without compensation to any franchisee. We reserve the right to establish other channels of distribution, including mail order catalogs and the internet, within your Designated Territory for the products and services offered by you under the same trade name and trademarks.

Section 2.04 Your Obligations. You must diligently develop and operate the Store. You must maintain and operate the Store in the Designated Territory in accordance with our system standards and the terms of this Agreement. You may use the Store only for the purpose designated in this Agreement.

Section 2.05 Our Services. We will:

- (a) make available to you the benefit of our knowledge in your development and operation of the Store;
- (b) assist you with site selection and lease evaluation;
- (c) provide you with standard layouts and specifications for fixtures, furnishings, interior design and decor, signs and equipment required for the Store;
- (d) make available a representative(s) to advise in the operations of the Store including sales techniques, Store management and operations and bookkeeping;
- (e) provide our regular and continuing support services and periodic inspections and evaluations of your operations; and
- (f) provide to you a list of approved suppliers of birdfeeders, birdseed, nature-related products and other required items.
- (g) furnish to you, from time to time, such merchandising and operating aids and services and printed material.
- (h) from time to time, send representatives to your Store to consult with you or your managing partner or shareholder relative to the operation, and will inspect your premises (with or without prior notice) to, among other things, measure the efficiency and quality of the operation and general compliance with the Operating Handbook (as further defined in Section 6.01).

(i) on your reasonable written request and as we determine, furnish services to you to assist you in specific operational matters that you encounter that are beyond the scope of our obligations set forth in this Section 2.05. You must reimburse us promptly for our actual time expended and our actual expenses incurred in rendering such assistance to you.

ARTICLE 3. INITIAL TERM AND RENEWAL

Section 3.01 Initial Term. The term of this Agreement commences on the date the parties sign this Agreement (the “Effective Date”) and expires on the 10th anniversary of such date (the “Expiration Date”).

Section 3.02 Renewal Term and Conditions of Renewal. You may renew your license for unlimited, additional terms of 5 years, provided that you meet the following criteria:

(a) You give us written notice of your intention to renew not less than 6 months and not more than 12 months, prior to the Expiration Date.

(b) You are not, when notice is given, in default of any provision of this Agreement, any amendment or subsequent Agreement or amendment, or any other agreement between you and us, and have substantially complied with the terms and conditions of all such agreements during the term (including beyond your renewal notice and up through the Expiration Date).

(c) You sign within 30 days of receipt our then-current form of franchise agreement. The terms of the then-current form of franchise agreement may differ substantially from the terms of this Agreement, including higher fees and other modifications, including changes to your designated territory, and changes to reflect that the renewal agreement relates to the grant of a renewal.

(d) You perform such remodeling, repairs, replacements and redecoration as we may require to cause the Store, equipment, fixtures, furnishings and furniture to conform to the plans and specifications being used for new or remodeled WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED stores on the Expiration Date.

(e) You are able to maintain possession of the premises of the Store or in the alternative, that you are able to secure and develop substitute premises suitable to us in accordance with Section 4.01 of this agreement.

(f) The inventory and services in connection with the operation of the Store meets our then-current specifications for a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store.

(g) Except to the extent limited or prohibited by applicable law, you sign a release, in form and substance satisfactory to us, of any and all claims against us arising under the expiring Agreement.

(h) If required by us, you complete our training program within 180 days of the effective date of the renewal.

If you renew, the term of the then-current franchise agreement will, unless sooner terminated, commence upon the Expiration Date of the then-current term which will then become the new Effective Date and end on the 5th anniversary of such date, which will become the new Expiration Date of the

Agreement, unless otherwise specified in a Renewal Addendum you will execute in connection with the renewal.

In the event that we determine that you do not have the right to renew the franchise, we will give written notice to you of our determination at least 120 days before the Expiration Date or we will extend the Expiration Date to 120 days after such notice.

ARTICLE 4. PREMISES AND EQUIPMENT

Section 4.01 Premises, Location and Lease. You own, lease or sublease the premises described in Appendix A, which we have reviewed and consented to as an acceptable Store site. If the premises are leased, you agree: (1) to furnish us with a copy of your lease for the premises prior to the execution of the lease; (2) to include in said lease a provision that permits you (or us, upon your failure), to fulfill the requirements of Section 12.02; and (3) that any lease that you sign will contain language whereby we may assume the obligations of the lease upon termination of this Agreement. If your lease for the premises of the Store terminates or expires without your fault prior to the expiration of the term of the Agreement, or if in our judgment and your judgment there is a change in the character of the location of the Store sufficiently detrimental to its business potential to warrant its relocation, we will grant permission for relocation of the Store to a location we approve. Any relocation under this circumstance will be at your sole expense. We may charge you a reasonable per diem expense to assist in site location, as well as reimbursement for our out-of-pocket costs.

Section 4.02 Construction of WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store. We will furnish site layout plans for the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store together with advice and consultation concerning same but you must bear the cost of adapting such plans to your premises. The building and improvements must be constructed in compliance with the plans and specifications we provide. You must obtain all customary contractors' sworn statements and partial and final waiver, obtain all necessary permits, licenses and architectural seals and comply with applicable legal requirements relating to the building, signs, equipment and premises, including, but not limited to, the Americans With Disabilities Act. You also must obtain and maintain all required building, utility, sign permits and licenses and any other required permits and licenses and use reasonable efforts to keep aware of any zoning changes. It is your responsibility to comply with the foregoing condition. You must commence operation of the Store as soon as reasonably possible after (1) completion of construction and installation of furnishings and equipment required to satisfy the terms and conditions of this Agreement and (2) receipt of opening inventory required by us.

In the event the Store is damaged or rendered totally or partially untenable by fire or other casualty, you must repair or restore the premises to its former condition within a reasonable time, not to exceed 6 months after the date of the fire or casualty, unless you receive our prior written consent. We will not require you to repair or restore the premises if such damage occurs during the final year of the Agreement unless we agree to renew the Franchise pursuant to Section 3.02. If you are required under this Agreement to restore the premises, the proceeds of the insurance required by Section 10.02(a)(ii) must be applied to the cost of repairing or restoring the premises, and you must pay the balance, if any.

Section 4.03 Installation of Equipment and Furnishings. You may only install and use in and about the Store premises such equipment (including computer equipment, Point of Sale software, and other hardware and software items we may specify), fixtures, furnishings, interior and/or exterior signs and other personal property that we require and that conforms to our uniform standards and specifications as we may revise from time to time. Such equipment is sometimes referred to collectively as "Equipment and Furnishings." You must install Equipment and Furnishings listed on the equipment and furnishings list in the Operating Handbook (as described below). You may be required to license software from us, our affiliate, or a third party, and you also may be required to sign software license agreements and pay

software licensing or user fee(s) in connection with your use of the software. We have the right to inspect all Equipment and Furnishings and their installation to assure your compliance with our standards and specifications. It is your responsibility to make sure that you are in compliance with all laws that are applicable to the software or other technology used in the operation of your Store, including all data protection or security laws as well as payment card industry compliance.

Section 4.04 Maintenance of Premises, Equipment and Furnishings. You must maintain the condition and appearance of your Store consistent with the image of a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store as an attractive, clean and efficiently operated retail store, offering a variety of high quality birdfeeders, birdseed and other nature-related products and services, with efficient and courteous service. You must affect such refurbishing and maintenance of the Store, and such modifications and additions to its layout, decor and general theme, as is required from time to time to maintain such condition, appearance, efficient operation and overall image. This may include, without limitation, replacement of worn out or obsolete fixtures, equipment, furniture, signs, repair of the interior and exterior of the Store and appurtenant parking areas, and periodic cleaning and redecorating consistent with our requirements for other WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED stores. We will take into account the age of your Store, remaining lease term, remaining franchise term and other reasonable considerations when requiring any such changes. If at any time in our reasonable judgment, the general state of repair, appearance or cleanliness of the premises of your Store or its fixtures, equipment, furniture or signs do not meet our standards, we will so notify you, specifying the action you must take to correct such deficiency. If you fail or refuse, within 30 days after receipt of such notice, to initiate and thereafter continue in good faith and with due diligence, a bona fide program to undertake and complete any such required maintenance or refurbishing, we may affect such maintenance and refurbishing on your behalf. You must pay the entire cost to us on demand.

Section 4.05 Purchase of Equipment and Furnishings. A list of the Equipment and Furnishings which we have approved as being in accordance with our standards and specifications is contained in the Operating Handbook. You must purchase and install only such Equipment and Furnishings as are on our approved equipment and furnishings list or we otherwise approved in writing. The specifications and standards for such listed Equipment and Furnishings will be provided to you. If you desire to purchase or install any item not so listed or approved, you must submit to us a written request for approval of such item, or request the supplier of such item to do so. We have the right to require, among other things, that a sample of the item be delivered (or otherwise be made available in a manner acceptable to us) to us for testing prior to responding to the request for approval. You must pay to us a charge not to exceed the cost of such testing by you or by the supplier of such item. We will not be liable for any damage to equipment or furnishings that may result from the testing process. We reserve the right to retest any items previously approved, and to revoke any prior approval if the item fails to continue to meet our standards and specifications. Upon our notification, through revision of the Operating Handbook or otherwise, that we have revoked the approval for use in the Store of any item, you may not thereafter purchase or, if we so direct, use such item.

ARTICLE 5. PRODUCTS AND SUPPLIERS

Section 5.01 Purchase of Products and Suppliers. You agree and acknowledge that the reputation and goodwill of WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED stores is based upon, and can be maintained only by, the sale of distinctive, high quality products and services. All products and services offered at your Store must meet our standards and specifications. Although you are not required to obtain our approval for suppliers of those products and services, you are encouraged to use our approved suppliers, as they have been identified as suppliers who meet our standards and specifications.

You agree:

- (a) to sell only such birdseed, birdfeeders and other nature-related products as we may approve from time to time;
- (b) to maintain in sufficient supply at all times and to sell and offer to sell only such approved products;
- (c) to discontinue selling or offering for sale any such items as we may disapprove in writing at any time; and
- (d) to provide to customers only such services, including onsite consulting services at customer's home or place of business, as we may from time to time authorize.

Section 5.02 Product Testing. In the event you desire to offer any product we have not approved, you may offer such product provided that:

- (a) the product does not materially deviate from our then-current standard specifications for products; and
- (b) within a reasonable amount of time, you request approval of such products pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.03 below.

Section 5.03 Approved Products and Services. You may (except as specifically stated for products that have a single designated source) purchase all approved products to be sold through your Store from any sources, provided the quality conforms to our specifications and quality standards. All private label products must be purchased from suppliers we approve from time to time (which may include us and/or our Affiliates). You acknowledge and agree that certain approved products may only be available from one source, and we or our Affiliates may be that source. Any products you purchase from us or an Affiliate will be at the then-current price in effect. You must remain current with all obligations owed to all suppliers. We may from time to time modify the list of approved products and services, and you shall not, after receipt of written notice of such modification, reorder any product that we have disapproved. If you propose to use any item or any product or offer to customers any service which is not then approved, you must, subject to the provision of Section 5.02 above, notify us and submit sufficient information, specifications and samples (if applicable) concerning such product or service for our determination whether such product or service complies with our specifications and standards. We will, within a reasonable time, notify you whether or not we approve the proposed product or service.

ARTICLE 6. OPERATING STANDARDS

Section 6.01 Operating Standards.

- (a) During the term of this Agreement, we will make available to you via our Intranet system the Operating Handbook for WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED stores, which may consist of one or more manuals and other written materials containing specifications, standards and operating procedures (the "Operating Handbook"). We have the right to add to, and otherwise modify, the Operating Handbook from time to time to reflect changes in authorized products and services, standards of product quality and services or the operation of a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store. You must comply with each new or changed requirement. The Operating Handbook at all times is our sole property, and your right to access or use the Operating Handbook ceases immediately upon termination, expiration or cancellation of this Agreement. You must at all

times treat the Operating Handbook, and the information it contains as secret and confidential, and must use all reasonable efforts to maintain the information as secret and confidential. We may choose to provide this modification to you on paper or by a digital method such as internet or other currently unknown digital technology. Any required standards exist to protect our interests in the System and the Marks and not for the purpose of establishing any control or duty to take control over those matters that are reserved to you. The required standards generally will be set forth in the Operating Handbook or other written materials. The Operating Handbook also will include guidelines or recommendations in addition to required standards. In some instances, the required standards will include recommendations or guidelines to meet the required standards. You may follow the recommendations or guidelines or some other suitable alternative, provided you meet and comply with the required standards. In other instances, no suitable alternative may exist. In order to protect our interests in the System and Marks, we reserve the right to determine if you are meeting a required standard and whether an alternative is suitable to any recommendations or guidelines.

(b) If we loan you a hard copy of the Operating Handbook, you must keep your copy of the Handbook current. In the event of a dispute relative to the contents of the Operating Handbook (whether hard copy or otherwise), the master copy we maintain at our principal office controls.

(c) You must promptly pay when due all taxes levied or assessed including, without limitation, unemployment and sales taxes, on the franchise in the conduct of the business franchised under this Agreement. In the event of any bona fide dispute as to liability for taxes assessed, you may contest the validity or the amount of the tax in accordance with procedures of the taxing authority or applicable law; however, in no event may you permit a tax sale or seizure by levy of execution or similar writ or warrant or attachment by a creditor, to occur against the premises of your Store, or any improvements of your franchised business.

(d) You must comply with all federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations, and must timely obtain any and all permits, certificates or licenses necessary for the full and proper conduct of the business franchised under this Agreement, including, without limitation, building and other required construction and occupancy permits, licenses to do business and fictitious name registration, sales tax permits, health and sanitation permits and ratings, and fire code clearances.

(e) You acknowledge that you are an independent business and responsible for control and management of your Store, including, but not limited to, the hiring and discharging of your employees and setting and paying wages and benefits of your employees. You acknowledge that we have no power, responsibility or liability in respect to the hiring, discharging, setting and paying of wages or related matters. No employee of yours will be deemed to be an employee of ours for any purpose whatsoever, and nothing in any aspect of the System or the Marks in any way shifts any employee or employment related responsibility from you to us.

(f) As between us and you, you are solely responsible for the safety and well-being of your employees and the customers of your Store.

Section 6.02 Operating Hours. During the term of this Agreement and absent our prior written consent, your Store must be open and in normal operation for at least 8 hours per day Monday through Saturday with an additional 4 hours per week for a total of 52 hours per week (our recommendation is that those additional 4 hours be on Sunday), except where law may prohibit or where such operation is impossible because of acts of God or similar circumstances beyond your control.

Section 6.03 Training; Annual Conference. Prior to the opening of the Store, we will furnish, and you or the managing partner or your shareholder must attend, our new store training program, furnished at such place and time as we may designate. Existing franchisees opening additional stores must attend the training program if it has been more than 18 months since they attended the training program. During the term of this Agreement, we will impose no training fee for additional franchises purchased by you. Training fees are set forth in Section 7.03 of this Agreement. Anyone participating in the training program who is not a franchisee or a guarantor of a franchise agreement must sign a confidentiality agreement in a form acceptable to us. During the first year of this Agreement, you also must attend our annual conference and pay the then current conference fee. If you fail to attend the conference, you will be required to pay a \$500.00 conference non-attende fee and will be required to attend the next annual conference and pay the then current conference fee. The conference fee for your attendance at the annual conference during the first year of this Agreement will be due and payable upon registration for the conference. After the first year of this Agreement, if you choose to attend the annual conference, the conference fee will be payable upon your registration for the annual conference. Any time you attend the annual conference, you will be responsible for all costs and expenses associated with travel, lodging, food and similar expenses associated with attendance at the annual conference.

Any training provided by us to any of your workers will be limited to training or guidance regarding the delivery of approved products and services to customers in a manner that reflects the customer service standards of the System. You are, and will remain, the sole employer of your employees at all times, including during all training programs, and you are solely responsible for all employment decisions and actions related to your workers. You are solely responsible for ensuring that your workers receive adequate training.

Section 6.04 Store Management. At all times during the term of this Agreement, the Store must be under the direct control and supervision of you, a managing partner (if you are a Partnership), managing shareholder (if you are a corporation) or designated manager, who has successfully completed our new store training program (the "Store Manager"). The Store Manager must personally participate in the operations of the Store on a full time basis and may not engage in any other business activity, directly or indirectly, that would require any management responsibility or time commitments that may conflict or otherwise interfere with the Store Manager's ability to properly and adequately supervise the Store operation or cause you to fail to fulfill any obligation under this Agreement. If you are a corporation, partnership or limited liability company, you may not engage in any business or activities, other than the ownership and operation of the Store and the development, ownership and operation of other WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Stores pursuant to franchise agreements granted by us.

Section 6.05 Online Sales. You must participate in our e-commerce platform, My WBU Store, pursuant to which you will accept and fulfill online product or services orders and provide product delivery and product Store pick up services to your customers. Participation in the MyWBU Store requires that you sign a MyWBU Store (ecommerce platform) Authorization and Participation Agreement and pay an upfront fee of currently \$830 (\$500 to us and \$330 to a supplier of signage) and a monthly license fee of currently \$100. A franchisee's MyWBU Store will be able to accept customer orders regardless of where the customer is located (whether inside or outside such franchisee's designated territory), and so you may lose sales as a result of a neighboring franchisee's participation in the MyWBU Store program. Except through My WBU Store, you may not fulfill any orders for products or services or transact sales of any products or services by means of the internet, or any global, regional or other computer network ("online sales") or otherwise conduct, participate in or assist others in the conduct of online sales. Subject to Section 6.07, you agree to comply with any minimum advertised prices that we may from time to time impose with respect to any sales made through the MyWBU Store.

Section 6.06 Participation in Internet Websites or Other Online Communications. We reserve the right to require you to participate, at your expense, in our WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED website, any intranet or extranet system we may develop, or other online communications as we may require. We have the right to determine the content and use of our website and any intranet or extranet system we may develop and will establish the rules under which franchisees may or must participate. You may not (i) separately register any domain name containing any of the Marks, (ii) operate your own website selling bird seed and nature related products or services (whether or not they contain our Marks) other than the required MyWBU Store online platform as set forth in Section 6.05, or (iii) absent our prior approval, which we may grant or deny in our sole business judgment, develop, participate in or use any current or future electronic mechanism that promotes, enhances or offers social networking access or opportunities (such as, but not limited to, Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn) and that displays the Marks and/or relates to the Store. We retain all rights relating to our website and any intranet or extranet system we may develop and may alter or terminate our website, intranet or extranet system. Your general conduct on our website, intranet and extranet system or other online communications (including, without limitation, blogs, chat rooms, Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn and other current or future social media and digital marketing platforms) and specifically your use of the Marks or any advertising is subject to the provisions of this Agreement and the rules or requirements we from time to time impose. We reserve the right to pre-approve, and establish rules, procedures and policies relating to, digital marketing or any website or social media account or other online communication platform you create or wish to use in connection with the advertising or operation of your Store. You acknowledge that certain information related to your participation in our website, intranet or extranet system may be considered confidential information, including access codes and identification codes. Your right to participate in our website, intranet and extranet system, or otherwise use the Marks or System on the internet or other online communications, will terminate when this Agreement expires or terminates. You acknowledge and agree that you do not have any right to use the Marks in digital marketing or on any website or any social media platform except as expressly approved by us in writing.

Section 6.07 Suggested Pricing Policies. We may, from time to time, make suggestions to you with regard to your pricing policies. Any list or schedule of prices we furnish to you may, unless otherwise specifically stated, be treated as a recommendation only and failure to accept or implement any such suggestion will not in any way affect the relationship between you and us. Although you generally have the right to establish prices for the products and services you sell, we reserve the right to establish and enforce prices, both minimum and maximum, to the extent permitted by applicable law, including with respect to online sales as provided in Section 6.05.

Section 6.08 Gift Card Program. We may require you to participate in our gift card program (“Gift Card Program”), pursuant to which you will have the right to issue to customers of the Store prepaid gift cards bearing the Marks (the “Gift Cards”). Your participation in the Gift Card Program will be subject to compliance with the terms and conditions we from time to time specify. Without limiting the foregoing, you must comply with the Gift Card Program’s terms and conditions and procedures where a customer purchases a Gift Card from one franchisee’s store and redeems the Gift Card at another franchisee’s store. You acknowledge that you will be the issuer of the Gift Cards under the Gift Card Program and you will be responsible for compliance with all applicable laws and regulations (including, without limitation applicable state laws, rules and regulations regarding licensing, bonding, reporting, unclaimed property and taxes). We may provide, directly or through a designated or approved third-party vendor, Gift Card processing services for the Gift Card Program, and you will be required to pay (either to us or the approved vendor) the fees associated with such services. You will be required to execute a Gift Card Automated Clearing House (ACH) Agreement (in the form attached hereto as Appendix E (“ACH Agreement”)) and to maintain a segregated bank account to hold an amount equal to or greater than your outstanding Gift Card liability. In order to implement the Gift Card Program at the Store, you may be required to purchase, at your own cost, from us or our approved or designated suppliers, certain

equipment, supplies, software and materials and provide access and assistance to us and our approved vendor(s) in connection with such implementation. You may not issue any gift cards outside of our authorized Gift Card Program. Your indemnification obligations under this Agreement apply to your obligations under the Gift Card Program and any personal guarantees executed pursuant to this Agreement apply to all of your payment and other liabilities under the Gift Card Program. We have the right to audit, in accordance of the audit provisions of this Agreement, your Gift Card account to ensure your compliance with the Gift Card Program. We may modify or terminate the Gift Card Program at any time. A failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the Gift Card Program will be a default under this Agreement. Your participation in the Gift Card Program will terminate upon termination or nonrenewal of this Agreement. Upon termination of your participation, you must maintain sufficient funds in your Gift Card account to cover all outstanding Gift Card liabilities and you must continue to honor all Gift Cards presented at the Store and maintain your authorization under the ACH Agreement until such time as we confirm that you have no outstanding Gift Card liabilities.

Section 6.09 Crisis Situations. In the interest of protecting the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED brand, Marks and the System, we have the sole and absolute right to determine a response, including what steps will be taken and what communications will be made, in instances of a Crisis, and you agree to comply with and implement our directions in response to a Crisis. "Crisis" means an event or development that negatively impacts the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED brand or System in such a way that we determine may cause substantial harm or injury to the Marks, System, or the reputation or image of the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED brand.

ARTICLE 7. FEES AND ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES

Section 7.01 Initial Franchise Fee. You must pay us a non-refundable Initial Franchisee Fee of \$40,000. If you sign a Reservation Agreement, you must pay \$10,000 upon your signing of the Reservation Agreement and the remaining \$30,000 is due when you sign this Agreement. If you do not sign a Reservation Agreement, the entire \$40,000 is due upon your signing this Agreement. In the event that this Agreement is for an additional WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store with an existing Franchisee, the Initial Franchise Fee is an amount equal to one-half of the Initial Franchise Fee then being offered by us to new franchisees. If you are an existing Franchisee and are granted an option to purchase a franchise for an additional Wild Birds Unlimited store, you must pay us a reservation fee of \$5,000 for a 6 month option period. If you do purchase an additional store during such option period, that reservation fee will be applied toward your Initial Franchise Fee.

Section 7.02 Royalty. You must pay a Royalty equal to 4% of the Store's Gross Sales. The Royalty is paid monthly based on the immediately preceding month's Gross Sales, and must be received at our headquarters by close of business on the 10th day of the following month. A report of the Gross Sales of the franchised business for the preceding month, which must be delivered to us in the form and within the time frame set forth in the Operating Handbook or otherwise as we specify in writing, must be submitted to us for each payment.

Section 7.03 Training Fee. Except as noted below, you must pay a non-refundable training fee of \$5,000. We will waive the training fee in the event that you are an existing Franchisee acquiring the rights to operate an additional franchised store or if you are renewing your existing Wild Birds Unlimited franchise. However, in every instance, you must pay for travel, lodging and food expenses related to the training.

Section 7.04 Advertising Fees and Expenditures.

(a) You must make a monthly National Contribution equal to 1% of your Gross Sales (the “National Contribution”) for advertising and marketing programs. We reserve the right to increase the percentage up to 2%, upon 60 days written notice to you. Payment must be made in the same manner and timeframe applicable to the Royalty, as noted in Section 7.02 above.

(b) In addition to the amount specified in 7.04(a) above, you must expend an amount not less than 2% of your Gross Sales for local advertising (the “Local Advertising Expenditure”). You must submit your report of advertising expenses to us on a quarterly basis, or as we otherwise may reasonably require.

(c) You may be required to participate in a local or regional advertising cooperative that we (at our option) would establish, and contribute to the cooperative up to a maximum of 2% of your annual Gross Sales (the “Regional Contribution”), upon 60 days written notice from us. The notice will designate the time, place, and amounts of the cooperative payments. All amounts contributed to the advertising cooperative will be credited toward the Local Advertising Expenditure required pursuant to Section 7.04(b). Payments to the advertising cooperative shall commence upon 60 days prior written notice from us.

(d) Upon signing of this Agreement, you must pay us \$1,000 (the “Marketing Implementation Fee”), for which we will provide you assistance with developing, customizing, and implementing the grand opening or re-opening advertising campaign for your Store. The Marketing Implementation Fee will be in addition to any other costs or expenses (including third party vendor costs) you may incur in implementing the grand opening or re-opening advertising campaign.

Section 7.05 Point of Sale System Fees. You must implement and use, in connection with the operation of your Store, the point of sale (“POS”) system that we from time to time designate and pay to us or to our designee (as we determine) the associated fees. As of the Effective Date, our designated POS system and the associated fees and payment terms are set forth on Appendix A. We have the right to change the amount of the POS system fees on 30 days’ prior notice to you.

Section 7.06 Net Promoter Score Fee; Mystery Shopper Fee. We reserve the right to designate one or more third-party sources that you must engage to measure customer satisfaction and loyalty metrics for your Store, such as Net Promoter Score. We also reserve the right to require you to participate in a mystery shopper program. If we require you to participate in such customer satisfaction programs, you must achieve satisfactory ratings as established from time to time under such programs, and you may be required to pay to the designated third-party source their then-current fee for such participation.

Section 7.07 Computations and Remittances. Except for the Initial Franchise Fee, you must compute all amounts due and owing to us at the end of each month’s operation and remittance for the amounts must be made received by us at our headquarters, by close of business, on the 10th day of the following month. You must certify the computation of the amounts in the manner and form we specify and submit the reports required by Section 9.02 of this Agreement to us at our headquarters, by close of business, on or before the 5th day of the following month, and you must supply to us any supporting or supplementary materials as we reasonably require to verify the accuracy of remittances. You waive any and all existing and future claims and offsets against any amounts due under this Agreement, which amounts you must pay when due. We have the right to apply or cause to be applied against amounts due to us or any of our Affiliates any amounts that we or our Affiliates may hold from time to time on your behalf or that we or our Affiliates owe to you.

Section 7.08 Late Payment Charges. All royalty fees, advertising contributions, amounts due for purchases from us or our Affiliates and other amounts that you owe to us or our Affiliates, which are not received by the due date, will be assessed a late fee of \$35 plus interest at an annual interest rate of 2% in excess of the Prime Rate (as published from time to time by the *Wall Street Journal*). Notwithstanding the foregoing, such interest rate will not exceed the highest applicable legal rate for open business credit in the state in which your Store is located. You acknowledge that this Section 7.08 does not constitute our Agreement to accept such payments after same are due, our commitment to extend credit to or otherwise finance your operation of your Store or a waiver of any right we may have to terminate the Agreement as provided in Article 12 below.

Section 7.9 Credit Cards, Retail Financing Plans and Other Methods of Payment. You shall at all times have arrangements in existence with Visa, Master Card, American Express and such other credit card issuers or sponsors, check verification services systems as we designate from time to time, in order that the Store or online service may accept customers' credit cards and checks.

Section 7.10 Electronic Transfer of Funds. We may require you to sign an electronic transfer of funds authorization, to authorize and direct your bank or financial institution to transfer electronically, on a monthly basis, directly to our account or our Affiliates' and to charge to your account all amounts due to us or our Affiliates. If we exercise our right to institute electronic transfer of funds, you must maintain a balance in your account sufficient to allow us and our Affiliates to collect the amounts owed when due. You must pay for any penalties, fines or other similar expenses associated with the transfer of funds described in this subparagraph.

Section 7.11 Tax Gross Up on Non-Royalty Payments. If your Store is located in a jurisdiction that requires us to pay a tax (other than income tax) on any or all fees that we collect from you now or may collect in the future (other than Royalty Fees), you will be required to pay to us such additional amount hereunder so that after application of the required tax, we actually receive from you hereunder the full, unreduced amount of the fees (other than Royalty Fees) that you are required to pay to us as if no such tax applied.

ARTICLE 8. ADVERTISING

Section 8.01 Origination and Approval of Advertising.

(a) You are required by Section 7.04(b) to conduct, at your expense, advertising to promote and increase the demand for birdseed, birdfeeders and other nature-related products and services of your Store. All such advertising shall either have been prepared, or previously approved, by us, in writing. You may not market your Store or your products or services by means of catalogs or the internet, except as we approve in writing and as provided in Section 6.06. The foregoing notwithstanding, we reserve the right to manage digital marketing activities with respect to your Store.

(b) Recognizing the value of advertising, and the importance of the standardization of advertising to the furtherance of the goodwill and public image of the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED franchise system, you agree that we or our designee will conduct, determine, maintain and administer all national and regional advertising and marketing as may be instituted from time to time, and will direct all such advertising and marketing using the concepts, materials, media, nature, type, scope, frequency, place, form, copy, layout and context as we specify. You understand and acknowledge that the Advertising Contributions which may be required to be paid pursuant to Section 7.04(a) are intended to maximize general public recognition and acceptance of all WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED stores, and we and our designee(s) make no representation or

warranty that any particular store, including your Store, will benefit directly or pro-rata from such advertising.

(c) You acknowledge and agree that we may require you to participate in marketing and customer goodwill programs such as the MyWBU Store, the Daily Savings Club[®] Customer Loyalty Program, and other similar marketing and customer goodwill programs (“Customer Programs”). You agree to comply with all standards, guidelines, requirements, and restrictions concerning your participation in the Customer Programs as we may from time to time specify. You acknowledge and agree that you may be required to purchase, at your cost, from our approved vendors certain supplies and materials and/or license software as part of your participation in these Customer Programs, and you may be required to complete training related to such programs. A failure to abide by the terms applicable to the Customer Programs will constitute a default under this Agreement. In addition, we may limit or suspend your participation in the Customer Programs if you are in default of any provision of this Agreement. We may change, modify or discontinue any Customer Program at any time. Your participation in any Customer Programs terminates upon the termination or non-renewal of this Agreement. Upon termination of your participation, you must return to us any materials related to the relevant Customer Program that we previously provided to you.

Section 8.02 Use of Advertising Funds. We have the right to delegate and redelegate our responsibilities and duties with respect to advertising to any designee(s) of our choosing, provided that we retain the right of final approval of all advertising programs. The books and business records of accounts for the advertising programs will be open for you to inspect upon reasonable notice. We own and manage the advertising fund. The advertising fund is not a trust or escrow account, and we have no fiduciary obligation to franchisees with respect to the advertising fund. We have the right to determine the expenditures of the amounts collected and the methods of marketing (including digital marketing), advertising, media employed and contents, terms and conditions of marketing and advertising campaigns and promotional programs. We may use the advertising fund to conduct advertising and marketing activities, which may be local, regional or national in scope. We are not required to spend a prorated amount on each Wild Birds Unlimited store or in each advertising market. The advertising fund will be accounted for separately from our other funds and will not be used to defray any of our general operating expenses, except for such reasonable salaries, administrative costs and overhead as we may incur in activities reasonably related to the administration or direction of such fund and its advertising and promotional programs.

Section 8.03 Reach of Advertising into Other Territories. You acknowledge and agree that the media in which any Store advertises may be distributed or otherwise enter into the designated territory of another franchisee. You acknowledge and agree that we have no control over the distribution and reach of such media and that we cannot prohibit another franchisee from placing advertising in any media that might reach outside of its designated territory and into your Designated Territory.

Section 8.04 Customer Data.

(a) You may only use Customer Information (as defined below) to the extent necessary to perform your obligations under this Agreement during the term hereof and subject to such restrictions as we may from time to time impose and in compliance with all data privacy, security and other applicable laws. “Customer Information” means any contact information (including name, address, phone and fax numbers, and e-mail addresses), sales and payment history, and all other information about any customer, including any information deemed “personal information” under applicable law. As used in this Agreement, the term “customer” refers to any person or entity (i) included on any marketing or customer lists you develop or use;

(ii) who has purchased or purchases products or services at the Store (including through the MyWBU Store); or (iii) whom you have solicited to purchase any products or services at the Store (or via the MyWBU Store). We may use the Customer Information as we deem appropriate, including sharing it with our Affiliates.

(b) Without limiting the foregoing, you agree to comply with applicable law in connection with your collection, storage and your use and our use of such Customer Information, including, if required under applicable law, obtaining consents from customers to our and our Affiliates' use of the Customer Information. You must comply with all laws and regulations relating to data protection, privacy and security, including data breach response requirements ("Privacy Laws"), as well as data privacy and security policies, procedures and other requirements we may periodically establish. You must notify us immediately of any suspected data breach at or in connection with the Store or the business operated at the Store (and through the MyWBU Store). You must fully cooperate with us and our counsel in determining the most effective way to meet our standards and policies pertaining to Privacy Laws within the bounds of applicable law. You are responsible for any financial losses you incur or remedial actions that you must take as a result of breach of security or unauthorized access to Customer Information in your control or possession.

(c) If the California Consumer Privacy Act ("CCPA"), Cal. Civ. Code § 1798.100, et seq., or any federal or state Privacy Law applies to the Store or the business operated at the Store (including MyWBU Store), whenever and to the extent you operate as a "Service Provider" under the CCPA, a data processor, or in a similar capacity under any federal or state Privacy Law, you represent, warrant, and covenant that:

(1) You will not sell, make available or otherwise disclose any Customer Information to any third party for valuable consideration;

(2) You will retain, use, or disclose Customer Information only for the specific purpose of operating the Store as specified in this Agreement, and not any commercial or noncommercial purpose other than operating the Store as specified in this Agreement;

(3) You will not retain, use, or disclose Customer Information outside of the direct business relationship between you and us;

(4) You will delete any Customer Information upon our request unless you can prove that such request is subject to an exception under applicable law; and

(5) If you receive a Customer Information data request (e.g. a request to delete Customer Information) directly from a consumer (e.g., a California resident under the CCPA, or a resident of another jurisdiction under other applicable Privacy Law), you shall inform us of that request within one business day and cooperate with us to ensure that the consumer receives an appropriate and timely acknowledgement and response. As an example, currently under the CCPA, an acknowledgement is typically required within 10 business days and a final response is required within 45 calendar days.

(d) You certify that you understand the restrictions in Paragraphs (1) – (5) of this section and will comply with them. You also acknowledge and agree that we may modify these restrictions from time to time by written notice to you, by issuing updates to our standards and

policies pertaining to Privacy Laws, including by adding other similar restrictions that may be required under other state or federal Privacy Laws, and you agree to comply with the same.

ARTICLE 9. BOOKS, RECORDS, CONTROL PROCEDURES

Section 9.01 Bookkeeping System. We may furnish to you cost control procedures to which you must adhere. We will also furnish to you a required format for a chart of accounts, statement of earnings and balance sheet, and you must adhere to these formats in reporting to us.

Section 9.02 Required Bookkeeping Service. If you are opening your first Wild Birds Unlimited Store pursuant to this Agreement or if you have purchased an existing WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store, you must use our designated bookkeeping vendor to perform bookkeeping functions for the Store for the first 12 months of operation. You hereby authorize the designated vendor to submit on a monthly basis your Store data to us for review.

Section 9.03 Reports. You must submit to us, for review or auditing, such forms, reports, records and financial statements as we may reasonably designate, in the form and at the times and places we reasonably required, upon our request from time to time.

Section 9.04 Marketing Information. We have the right from time to time to require and you have the obligation to furnish requested marketing information based on your records, including the Monthly Marketing Activity Report which must be submitted to us on or before the 10th day of each month and must track your advertising activities for your Store during the preceding calendar month. We will use this information in making surveys and analyses designed to benefit and improve the System and your and other franchisees business and operating results.

Section 9.05 Your Records. You must maintain, during the term of this Agreement, complete and accurate books, records and accounts, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. We will prescribe, from time to time, the type of information and period of time to be covered, as well as the form and manner in which it is to be kept.

Section 9.06 Inspection of Your Records.

(a) We have the right to examine and audit your records, accounts and books at reasonable times and places (including, without limitation, your Store or your principal place of business). You must pay our audit fees, charges and expenses (including, without limitation, travel expenses and reasonable accounting and legal fees) with respect to any periodic or annual audit that reveals an understatement of Gross Sales in excess of 2%.

(b) If required payments or reports are delinquent, or if an inspection reveals that you have understated your Gross Sales reported to us, you must immediately pay to us the amount overdue, unreported or understated, in addition to the late fee and interest from the date due at the rate set forth in Section 7.08. The foregoing will be in addition to any other rights we may have.

(c) Any evaluation or inspection we conduct is not intended to exercise control over your day-to-day operation of the Store or to assume any responsibility for your obligations under this Agreement.

ARTICLE 10. INSURANCE – INDEMNITY

Section 10.01 Indemnity. You must indemnify and hold us and our subsidiaries, Affiliates, stockholders, directors, officers, employees, agents and assignees harmless against, and to reimburse them for, any loss, liability, taxes or damages (actual or consequential) and all reasonable costs and expenses of defending any claim brought against any of them or any action in which any of them is named as a party (including, without limitation, reasonable accountants', attorneys' and expert witness fees, costs of investigation and proof of facts, court costs, other litigation expenses and travel and living expenses) which any of them may suffer, sustain or incur by reason of, arising from or in connection with your ownership or operation of the Store. This indemnity shall not apply if such loss, liability or damage is due solely to our negligence (or the negligence of any of our Affiliates) without any contributing negligence on your part. It is the intention of the parties to this Agreement that we shall not be deemed a joint employer with you for any reason; however, if we incur any cost, liability, loss or damage as a result of any actions or omissions of you or your employees, including any that relate to any party making a finding of any joint employer status, you will fully indemnify us for any such cost, liability, loss and damage. The indemnity obligation set forth in this Section 10.01 shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

Section 10.02 Your Insurance.

(a) You must, at all times during the term of this Agreement, maintain at your sole expense the following insurance coverage:

(i) Comprehensive Public Liability insurance, Broad Form Contractual Liability insurance, and Product Liability insurance (and motor vehicle liability insurance, if a motor vehicle is employed in the operation of the Store) against claims for bodily and personal injury, death and property damage caused by or occurring in conjunction with the operation of the Store or otherwise in conjunction with the conduct of your business pursuant to this Agreement. The coverage to be maintained must aggregate \$2,000,000. The coverage must be carried under one or more policies of insurance containing minimum liability protection of \$1,000,000 per person per occurrence for bodily and personal injury and death and \$1,000,000 per occurrence for property damage (or such greater amounts or such additional coverage as may be required by the lease for the premises of your Store).

(ii) You must carry property insurance keeping the premises of your Store and its contents insured against loss or damage by fire and such other risks covered in the Standard Extended Coverage Endorsement, in an amount not less than 100% of the full replacement cost of such assets.

(iii) You must maintain insurance coverage against loss of income as a result of an insured peril.

(b) You acknowledge that we may increase the minimum coverage and policy limits required by this section for our own and your protection and you must comply with such new requirements promptly upon receipt of our written notice to you.

(c) The insurance policy or policies required by this section must be written by an insurance company acceptable to us, must name us as an additional insured and must contain a waiver of the insurance company's right of subrogation against us.

(d) Worker's Compensation, Unemployment Compensation, Disability Insurance, Social Security and other insurance coverage must be maintained in such amounts as are now or in the future required by any applicable law.

(e) Your obligation to obtain and maintain the foregoing policy or policies in the amounts specified will not be limited by reason of any insurance that we may maintain, nor will your performance of such obligation relieve you of liability under the indemnity provisions set forth in Section 10.01 of this Agreement.

Section 10.03 Evidence of Insurance. You must deliver or cause to be delivered certificates (or copies) of all insurance required by this Article 10 to us. You also must deliver to us evidence of payment of all insurance premiums.

Section 10.04 Notice. All insurance policies must provide for notice to us of any cancellation, termination or non-renewal 30 days prior to termination or non-renewal of coverage and for our right to cure any default in payment of premiums within 10 days after written notice. We do not have any duty to cure such default, provided, however, if we do cure such default, we have the right to charge you the cost of curing such default, together with a reasonable fee for our expenses, which charges you must pay immediately upon notice.

ARTICLE 11. OWNERSHIP AND LIMITATION OF USE OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Section 11.01 Ownership of Marks, Patents and Trade Secrets. You acknowledge that we are the owner of the Marks, patents, trade secrets, instruction manuals, Operating Handbook (collectively, our "intellectual property") and all associated goodwill. Your right to use the intellectual property and all other portions of the System is derived solely from this Agreement and is limited to the conduct of your business pursuant to and in compliance with this Agreement and all our applicable standards, specifications and operating procedures during the term of the Franchise. Your unauthorized use of the intellectual property will constitute an infringement of our rights in and to the intellectual property. You agree that your use of the Marks and any goodwill established inures to our exclusive benefit, and you acknowledge that this Agreement does not confer upon you any goodwill or other interest in our intellectual property. You may not, during or after the term of this Agreement, engage in any conduct directly or indirectly that would infringe upon, harm or contest our rights in any of the Marks or the goodwill associated with the Marks, including any use of the Marks in a derogatory, negative, or other inappropriate manner in any media, including but not limited to print or electronic media.

Section 11.02 Mark Use. You may not use, or permit the use of, any trademarks, trade names or service marks in connection with the Store except those set forth in Appendix B or except as we otherwise direct in writing. You may use the Marks only in connection with such products and services as we specify and only in the form and manner we prescribe in writing. You must comply with all trademark, trade name and service mark notice marking requirements. You may use the Marks only in association with products and services approved by us and that meet our standards or requirements with respect to quality.

Section 11.03 Store Identification. You must use the name WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED as the trade name of the Store and you may not use any other mark or words to identify the Store without our prior written consent. You may not use the words WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED or any of the other Marks as part of the name of your corporation, partnership, limited liability company or other similar entity. You may use the Marks on various materials, such as business cards, stationery and checks, provided you (i) accurately depict the Marks on the materials, (ii) include a statement on the materials indicating that the business is independently owned and operated by you, (iii) do not use the Marks in connection with any other trademarks, trade names or service marks unless we specifically approve in writing prior to such use, and

(iv) make available to us, upon our request, a copy of any materials depicting the Marks. You must post a prominent sign in the Store identifying you as a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED franchisee in a format we deem reasonably acceptable, including an acknowledgment that you independently own and operate the Store and that the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Mark is owned by us and your use is under a license we have issued to you.

Section 11.04 Notification of Infringements and Claims. You must notify us immediately of any apparent infringement of or challenge to your use of any Mark, patent or our copyrighted materials, or claim by any person of any rights in any intellectual property. We have the right to take such action as we deem appropriate and the right to exclusively control any litigation, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office proceeding or other administrative proceeding arising out of any such infringement, challenge or claim or otherwise relating to any intellectual property. You must sign any and all instruments and documents, and things as may be necessary or advisable to protect and maintain our interests in any such litigation, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office proceeding or other administrative proceeding or to otherwise protect and maintain our interests in our intellectual property.

Section 11.05 Indemnification of Franchisee/Discontinuance of Use of Marks. We will indemnify you against, and reimburse you for, all damages for which you are held liable in any proceeding arising out of your use of our WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® mark pursuant to and in compliance with this Agreement and for all costs you reasonably incur in the defense of any such claim brought against you in any such proceeding in which you are named as a party, provided that you have notified us of such claim or proceeding within 15 days of such challenge or claim and have otherwise complied with this Agreement. If, however, the challenge or claim results from your misuse of the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® mark in violation of this Agreement, you must reimburse us for our fees and expenses we incur in any proceeding.

Section 11.06 Changes. You may not make any changes or substitutions to the Marks unless we direct in writing. We reserve the right to change the Marks at any time. Upon receipt of our notice to change the Marks, you must cease using the former Marks and commence using the changed Marks at your expense.

Section 11.07 Non-Disclosure of Trade Secrets and Confidential Information.

(a) We possess certain proprietary know-how, methods, techniques, drawings, specifications, procedures, information, systems and knowledge and experience in the operation of a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store and the purchase, preparation and sale of authorized and approved products and services (the “Know-How”). We will disclose the Know-How to you in furnishing you with layouts, specifications and guidance in the development and operation of the Store, the training program, the Operating Handbook and in guidance furnished to you during the term of this Agreement. The Know-How may be in electronic form.

(b) You acknowledge and agree that you will not acquire any interest in the Know-How, other than the right to utilize it in the development and operation of the Store during the term of this Agreement and that the use or duplication of the Know-How in any other business would constitute an unfair method of competition. You acknowledge and agree that the Know-How is proprietary and, except to the extent known in the relevant industry or trade, is a trade secret of ours and is disclosed to you solely for your use in the development and operation of the Store during the term of this Agreement and on the condition that you agree that you, during and after the term of this Agreement:

- (i) will not use the Know-How in any other business or capacity;
- (ii) will maintain the confidentiality of the Know-How;

(iii) will not make unauthorized copies of any portion of the Know-How disclosed in written or electronic form; and

(iv) will adopt and implement all reasonable procedures we prescribe from time to time to prevent unauthorized use or disclosure of the Know-How, including without limitation, restrictions on disclosure to employees of the Store.

Section 11.08 Covenant Not to Compete. You acknowledge and agree that we would be unable to protect our trade secrets against unauthorized use or disclosure if you were permitted to hold interests in businesses similar to WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED stores. Therefore, during the term of the Franchise, neither you, any shareholder or partner (in the event you are a corporation or partnership), nor any member of your or their immediate families may have any interest as an owner, investor, partner, director, officer, employee, consultant, representative or agent, or in any other capacity, in any business offering birdfeeders and/or birdfeed, or any other nature oriented store offering products or services for birds or birdfeeding except for other WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED stores operated under franchise agreements we grant or the ownership of securities listed on a stock exchange or traded on the over-the-counter market that represent 1% or less of that class of stock. You must obtain a signed Confidentiality and Non-Competition Agreement in the form attached as Appendix C, as we may revise from time to time, from every general partner if you are a partnership, from every stockholder if you are a corporation, or from every member if you are a limited liability company, and must forward same to us prior to the commencement of training and prior to the acquisition of any such interest by a third party at any time during the term of this Agreement and any renewal. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, the terms of Article 13 apply to you.

Section 11.09 Survival. The covenants set forth in this Article 11 shall survive the termination or expiration of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 12. TERMINATION

Section 12.01 Events of Default.

(a) Subject to applicable law, you acknowledge and agree that each of following events constitutes a material default of the obligations imposed by this Agreement and that such a material default provides us with good cause to issue a written notice of immediate termination of this Agreement, without providing you with any opportunity to cure:

(i) your conviction of (or pleading no contest to) a felony, a crime involving moral turpitude, or any other crime or offense that is reasonably likely, in our sole opinion, to adversely affect the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED franchise system, or that brings or tends to bring any of the Marks into disrepute or impairs or tends to impair your reputation or the goodwill of any of the Marks or your Store;

(ii) your failure to satisfactorily complete the initial training program, and if necessary the next training program;

(iii) your failure to actively operate the Store as required under this Agreement, or your conduct in abandoning the Store, which is defined as the failure to continuously operate the Store for a period of 5 or more days without our prior written approval;

(iv) your unauthorized assignment or transfer of this Agreement, your Store or an ownership interest in you;

(v) your using the Know-How or Operating Handbook other than in the operation of the Franchise or disclosing the Know-How or Operating Handbook in violation of your confidentiality obligations hereunder;

(vi) your becoming insolvent, filing or having filed against you a petition in bankruptcy, reorganization, or similar proceeding under the bankruptcy laws of the United States; a permanent or temporary receiver of the business, assets or property of you or any partners or shareholders is appointed by any court of competent authority; you or any partners or shareholders request the appointment of a receiver or make a general assignment for the benefit of creditors; a final judgment against you or any partners or shareholders in the amount of \$10,000 or more remains unsatisfied of record for 60 days or longer; the bank accounts, property or receivables of you or any partners or shareholders are attached and such attachment proceedings are not dismissed within a 60 day period; or if execution is levied against the business or property of you or any partner or shareholder, and is not dismissed within 60 days;

(vii) your failing or refusing on 3 or more separate occasions within any 12 consecutive month period to submit when due any of the following: financial statements; reports or other data upon our reasonable written request; other information or supporting records upon our reasonable written request; payments; advertising contributions; amounts due for products and services purchased from us, our Affiliates or other suppliers; or any other payment due to us;

(viii) your submitting to us, at any time during the term of this Agreement, a report, financial statement, tax return or schedule or other information or supporting record which intentionally understates Gross Sales for the period covered by such report by more than 2%;

(ix) your failing or refusing to comply with this Agreement on 4 separate occasions within any consecutive 12 month period, whether or not such failures or refusals are corrected after notice is delivered to you; or

(x) your submitting any information to us which is materially misleading or omitting to provide any material information or other information necessary to make any other information submitted not misleading in connection with the qualifying to become a franchisee.

(b) Subject to the provisions of Section 12(a) and applicable law, you acknowledge and agree that each of the following events constitutes a material default of this Agreement and, unless cured within 30 days of notice to you, provides us with good cause to issue a written notice of termination of the Agreement:

(i) your failure to substantially comply with any of the requirements imposed by the Agreement, or to carry out the terms of this Agreement in good faith;

(ii) your failure or refusal to promptly pay any amounts owed to us or our subsidiaries or Affiliates when due, or to submit the financial information we require, or

your making any false statements in connection with payments owed or other financial information;

(iii) your failure to maintain the standards that we require as set forth in the Operating Handbook or otherwise as we direct in writing;

(iv) your failure or refusal to obtain our prior written approval or consent as required by this Agreement;

(v) your misuse or making of any unauthorized use of the Marks or otherwise materially impairing the goodwill of the Marks, the System or your Store; and

(vi) your failure to comply with any other provision of this Agreement or any mandatory specification or standard operating procedure we prescribe.

(c) If you are in substantial compliance with this Agreement and we materially breach this Agreement and fail to cure such breach within 30 days after you deliver notice to us, you may, at your option, terminate this Agreement. Your termination of this Agreement for any reason other than our material breach and our failure to cure such breach within 30 days after receipt of written notice will constitute your termination without cause.

(d) The termination rights, including cure periods, if any, specified in this Section 12.01 are subject to any applicable mandatory provisions of state law, which state law provisions will supersede and govern over the terms of this Section 12.01.

Section 12.02 Effect of any Termination, Cancellation or Expiration of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any termination, cancellation or expiration of this Agreement, you must provide us with a complete accounting of all amounts owed us and our Affiliates and, within 30 days of the effective date of termination or expiration of the Agreement, pay to us, our Affiliates and subsidiaries any and all sums owed. In the event of termination for any default by you, such sums include all damages, costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees we incur as a result of the default, which obligation gives rise to and remains, until paid in full, a lien in favor of us against any and all of the assets of the franchised business you own at the time of default.

(b) All of your rights under this Agreement terminate upon termination, cancellation or expiration of this Agreement for any reason. You may not thereafter use or adopt any trade secrets or other Know-How disclosed to you or any emblems, signs, displays or other property on which our name or Marks or anything confusingly similar are imprinted. You must remove from the Store premises all signs, emblems and displays identifying it as associated with us or the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED franchise system. You must take such actions as may be required to cancel all fictitious or assumed name or equivalent registrations relating to use of any of the Marks. You must cease to use and must return to us all copies of the Operating Handbook and all other manuals, instructions or materials (whether in written or electronic form) and must relinquish your WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store telephone number and notify the telephone service provider and all listing agencies of the termination or expiration of your right to use any telephone number or any telephone directory listings associated with the Marks and to authorize transfer of the same to us or at our direction.

(c) Upon termination, cancellation or expiration of this Agreement, unless we otherwise direct in writing, you must make changes in signs, buildings and structures as we

reasonably direct, so as to effectively distinguish the same from its former appearance and from any other WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store, and if you fail or refuse to comply, then we have the right to enter upon the premises of your Store for the purpose of making or causing to be made such changes at your expense, which expense you must pay on demand. No business may be conducted in the former WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store building until such modifications have been completed.

(d) Upon termination, cancellation, or expiration of this Agreement, you must cease to hold yourself out in any way as a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED franchisee or do anything that would indicate any relationship between you and us.

(e) The covenants set forth in subsections (a), (b), (c) and (d) of this Section 12.02 and Article 13 will survive the termination, cancellation or expiration of this Agreement.

(f) All rights, claims and indebtedness that may accrue to us prior to termination, cancellation or expiration of this Agreement will survive termination, cancellation or expiration and be enforceable by us.

(g) Within 30 days after the effective date of termination, cancellation or expiration of this Agreement, you must furnish evidence satisfactory to us of your compliance with the obligations of this Section 12.02.

Section 12.03 Our Option to Purchase.

(a) Upon termination or expiration of this Agreement, if you are unable to sell your assets to a purchaser we approve within 60 days after said termination or expiration, or such longer period as we both agree, we have the right and option to purchase all or a portion of the Store assets, including, but not limited to, all inventory, supplies, signs and any and all insignia bearing our Marks, at the lesser of cost or fair market value at the date of the expiration or termination of the Agreement. Unless otherwise agreed to by you, the underlying real estate of the Store (or lease of the Store premises) will not be included in such purchase. If the parties cannot agree on the fair market value of the purchased assets within a reasonable time, such dispute shall be resolved by three (3) appraisers – one chosen by you, one chosen by us, and the third selected by the two appraisers designated by the parties. Each party will bear the cost of its designated appraiser and the parties will share equally the costs of the third appraiser. The majority decision of the appraisers will govern. If we elect to exercise any option to purchase as provided in this Section, we have the right to set off all amounts due from you under this Agreement and cost of the appraisal, if any, against any payment therefor.

(b) If we request, you must furnish us with an affidavit and other instruments required by applicable laws or other statutes to evidence and effectuate such sale and purchase.

(c) We may exercise the option set forth in this Section 12.03 by giving you written notice within 60 days (or such longer period as we both agree) of termination or expiration of this Agreement (if you have not sold said assets to a purchaser we approve within such 60 day period (or such longer period as we both agree)).

(d) In addition to the other remedies granted, we shall be entitled to specific performance of the options granted in this Agreement.

ARTICLE 13. COVENANT NOT TO COMPETE AFTER EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

Upon the expiration of this Agreement or our termination of this Agreement in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement or by you without cause, you agree that for a period of 2 years, commencing on the effective date of termination, or the date on which you cease to conduct the business conducted pursuant to this Agreement, whichever is later, you (and each shareholder or partner, if you are a corporation or partnership) will not have any direct or indirect interest as an owner, investor, partner, director, officer, employee, consultant, representative or agent, or in any other capacity, in any business offering birdfeeders and/or birdseed or any other nature oriented store offering products or services for birds or birdfeeding (i) at your Store location; (ii) located or operating within your Designated Territory or (iii) within a radius of 10 miles of any other Store in operation on the effective date of expiration or termination, except for other Stores you operate under franchise agreements we grant to you. You agree that the length of time in this Article will be tolled for any period during which you are in breach of the covenants or any other period during which we seek to enforce this Agreement. This provision does not apply to the ownership of securities listed on a stock exchange or traded on the over-the-counter market that represent 1% or less of that class of stock. Further, the parties acknowledge and agree that, if any part of this Article 13 is deemed inconsistent with applicable law, this Article 13 automatically will be modified and construed in a manner that conforms to applicable law.

ARTICLE 14. ASSIGNMENTS

Section 14.01 Assignment by Us. We may sell, assign, transfer, encumber or give away all or any part of our rights, interests or obligations under this Agreement, to any person or legal entity, without your consent.

Section 14.02 Assignment by Franchisee.

(a) You understand and acknowledge that the rights and duties created by this Agreement are personal to you and that we have granted this Franchise to you in reliance upon your individual or collective character, skill, aptitude, attitude, business ability and financial capacity; provided, however, that nothing in this Agreement may be construed in any manner as preventing a spouse, domestic partner or heir of yours from becoming your successor so long as the criteria of this Article 14 of this Agreement are satisfied. Therefore, except as described with respect to an assignment to a corporation or limited liability company, neither the Franchise nor the Store (or any interest) nor any part or all of your ownership may be voluntarily, involuntarily, directly or indirectly, assigned, sold, subdivided, subfranchised or otherwise transferred by you or your owners (including without limitation, by merger or consolidation, by issuance of additional securities representing an ownership interest in you, by conversion of a general partnership to a limited partnership, by transfer or creation of an interest as a general partner of a partnership, by transfer of an interest in you or in this Agreement in a divorce proceeding, or in the event of your death or death of an owner, by will, declaration of or transfer in trust or the laws of intestate succession) without our prior written approval, which consent will not be unreasonably withheld, and the payment to us of an assignment fee equal to 50% of the then current Initial Franchise Fee, and any such assignment or transfer without such approval constitutes a breach of this Agreement and conveys no rights to or interests in the Franchise or the Store.

(b) You acknowledge and agree that the restrictions on transfer imposed are reasonable and necessary to protect the Marks, trade secrets, operating procedures, and quality, as well as our reputation and image, and are for the protection of us, you, and other franchisees of us. Any assignment or transfer permitted by this Section will not take effect until we issue our

written consent, following our receipt and review of a completely signed copy of all transfer documents.

(c) We will not unreasonably withhold our consent to any assignment subject to the restrictions of this Section following our receipt and review of completely signed copies of all relevant documents. We have the right to condition our consent on the satisfaction of the following requirements:

(i) All your and your owners' obligations incurred in connection with the Agreement have been assumed by the assignee;

(ii) You or your Affiliate have paid such Royalty Fees, Advertising Contributions, amounts owed for your purchases from us or our Affiliates, and any other amounts owed to us or our Affiliates under this or any other agreement, which are then due and unpaid;

(iii) The assignee agrees to complete the training program required of new franchisees and pays our then-current training fee;

(iv) If required, the lessor of the premises of the Store has consented to your assignment or sublease of the premises to the proposed assignee;

(v) The assignee (and, if a corporation or partnership, its owners), at our option, have signed and agreed to be bound by:

(1) an assignment and assumption agreement satisfactory to us, whereby the assignee assumes your obligations under this Agreement; or

(2) the form of franchise agreement and such ancillary agreements as we then customarily use in the grant of franchises for stores, which will provide for the same Royalty Fees and Advertising Contributions required under this Agreement and a term equal to the remaining term of the Franchise;

(vi) You or your assignee have paid our then-current standard assignment fee to us to defray expenses we incur in connection with the assignment, including, without limitation, legal and accounting fees, credit and other investigation charges and evaluation of the assignee and the terms of the assignment;

(vii) Except to the extent limited or prohibited by applicable law, you (and each of your owners, if you are a corporation or partnership) have signed a general release, in form and substance satisfactory to us, of any and all claims against us and our Affiliates, officers, directors, employees and agents;

(viii) We have approved the material terms and conditions of such assignment;

(ix) You (and each shareholder, member or partner, if you are a corporation, a limited liability company or partnership, respectively) have signed a non-competition covenant in favor of us and the assignee, with the content as described in Article 13;

(x) You have entered into an agreement with us agreeing to subordinate such assignee's obligations to us, including, without limitation, any Royalty Fees and

Advertising Contributions, any obligations of such assignee to make installment payments of the purchase price to you;

(xii) The assignee meets our then-current standards for new franchises generally, including with respect to the assignee's character, business experience, aptitude, and financial resources;

(xiii) You are in full compliance with all terms and conditions of the Agreement; and

(xiv) The terms of the assignment do not place an undue financial burden on the assignee.

(d) Upon 30 days' prior written notice to us, you and the assets and liabilities of the Store may be assigned, by an agreement in form and substance we approve, to a corporation or limited liability company that conducts no business other than the Store (or other Stores under franchise agreements granted by us), which you actively manage and in which you own and control all of the equity and voting power of all issued and outstanding capital stock. Such an assignment does not relieve you of any obligations under the Agreement, and you will remain jointly and severally liable. The articles of incorporation, by-laws and other organizational documents of any corporation or limited liability company which is yours must recite that the issuance and assignment of any interest of the corporation or entity is restricted by the terms of this Agreement and all issued and outstanding stock certificates of such corporation or operating agreement of such limited liability company must bear a legend reflecting or referring to the restrictions of Section 14.02(e)(5).

Any person who is or becomes a shareholder of yours or has or acquires beneficial ownership of any shares of stock of yours must sign an agreement in a form we furnish or approve undertaking to be bound jointly and severally by all provisions of this Agreement. You must furnish to us at any time upon request a certified copy of the articles of incorporation or operating agreement of a limited liability company and a list, in such form as we may require, of all shareholders of record and all persons having beneficial ownership of shares of stock, reflecting their respective interests in you.

(e) In the event you, including any successors, are a partnership, corporation or limited liability company:

(i) The Articles of Partnership, Partnership Agreement, Articles of Incorporation, the By-laws and other organizational documents must recite that the issuance and transfer of any interest in the Franchise is restricted by the terms of the Agreement, and copies must be furnished to us upon request (together with copies of the Resolutions of the Board of Directors authorizing its entry into this Agreement).

(ii) All general partners and all direct and indirect holders of a beneficial interest in your corporation must sign a written agreement with us, personally guaranteeing the full payment and performance of your obligations to us and individually undertaking to be bound, jointly and severally, by all terms of this Agreement, including, without limitation, the restrictions on assignment in this Section.

(iii) You may not use the name WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, any other Mark, or any name deceptively similar, in a public offering of your securities, except to reflect

your franchise relationship with us. Any prospectus or registration statement proposed to be used in such a public offering must be submitted to us within a reasonable time prior to the filing and effective date for the limited purpose of permitting us to verify your compliance with this requirement.

(iv) You must furnish us, at the time of execution of this Agreement and upon all transfers subject to the provisions of this Section thereafter, a list of all stockholders and/or partners having an interest in the franchise which reflects the percentage interest of each stockholder or partner, and the number of shares directly and indirectly owned or controlled by each stockholder.

(v) You, if you are a corporation, must maintain stop transfer instructions against the transfer on your records of any securities with voting rights, and must have the following legend printed conspicuously upon the face of each certificate for outstanding voting securities:

“The transfer of this stock is subject to the terms and conditions of certain Agreement(s) with Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. Reference is made to said Agreement(s) and to the restrictive provisions of the Articles and By-Laws of this corporation.”

(f) Our consent to a transfer of any interest subject to the restrictions of this Article does not constitute a waiver of any claims we may have against the assignor, nor may it be deemed a waiver of our right to demand exact compliance with any of the terms of this Agreement by the assignee.

Section 14.03 Death and Disability. In the event of the death or disability of an individual Franchisee or the shareholder or partner of yours, we will consent to the transfer of the decedent’s interest in the franchise to his or her surviving spouse, domestic partner, heirs or estate (“Your Heirs”) whether such transfer is made by will or by operation of law, for a reasonable time after the occurrence of the death or disability without payment of our then-current standard assignment fee, provided that Your Heirs maintain all standards of Stores and agree to be bound by all the terms and provisions of this Agreement.

In the event Your Heirs are unable to maintain such standards or do not agree to be bound by the terms and provisions of this Agreement, they must within 12 months from the date of death or permanent disability transfer the interest in the franchise to a person we approve. Such transfer is subject to all terms and conditions for assignments and transfers set forth in this Article 14. Failure to transfer or assign such interest in accordance with the provisions of this Section constitute grounds for termination under Section 12.01(a).

Section 14.04 Our Right of First Refusal. Except in the event of a partial ownership change or partial transfer of the Store, if you or your owner at any time determine to sell the Franchise to any third party, you or your owner must obtain a bona fide, signed written offer from a responsible and fully disclosed purchaser and must submit an exact copy of such offer to us. We have the option, exercisable by written notice delivered to you or your owner within 30 days from the date of delivery of an exact copy of such offer to us, to purchase such interest in the Store or such ownership interest in you for the price and on the terms and conditions contained in such offer, provided that we may substitute cash for any form of payment proposed in such offer and we have not less than 30 days from the date of delivery of our notice to exercise our option, to prepare for closing. Any change in the terms of an offer prior to closing constitutes a new offer, subject to our same right of first refusal as in the case of an initial offer. Our failure to exercise the option afforded by this Section 14.04 does not constitute a waiver of any other

provision of this Agreement, including any of the requirements of this Section with respect to the proposed transfer, or of our right of first refusal with respect to any subsequent offer.

ARTICLE 15. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Section 15.01 Arbitration. Except as qualified below, any dispute between you and us or any of our or your Affiliates arising under, out of, in connection with or in relation to this Agreement, any lease for the Store, the parties' relationship, or the business must be submitted to binding arbitration under the authority of the Federal Arbitration Act and must be arbitrated in accordance with the then-current rules and procedures and under the auspices of the American Arbitration Association. The arbitration must take place in Indianapolis, Indiana, or at such other place as may be mutually agreeable to the parties. Any arbitration must be resolved on an individual basis and not joined as part of a class action or the claims of other parties. The arbitrators must follow the law and not disregard the terms of this Agreement. The decision of the arbitrators will be final and binding on all parties to the dispute; however, the arbitrators may not under any circumstances: (i) stay the effectiveness of any pending termination of this Agreement; (ii) assess punitive or exemplary damages; or (iii) make any award which extends, modifies or suspends any lawful term of this Agreement or any reasonable standard of business performance that we set. A judgment may be entered upon the arbitration award by any state or federal court in Indiana or the state of the Authorized Location.

Section 15.02 Injunctive Relief. Notwithstanding Section 15.01 above, you recognize that the Store is one of a large number of stores and stores identified by the Marks and similarly situated and selling to the public similar products and services, and the failure on the part of a single franchisee to comply with the terms of its agreement could cause irreparable damage to us and/or to some or all of our other franchisees. Therefore, it is mutually agreed that in the event of a breach or threatened breach of any of the terms of this Agreement by you, we will forthwith be entitled to an injunction restraining such breach or to a decree of specific performance, without the posting of a bond or showing or proving any actual damage, together with recovery of reasonable attorneys' fees and other costs incurred in obtaining said equitable relief, until such time as a final and binding determination is made by the arbitrators. Similarly, it is mutually agreed that in the event of our breach or threatened breach of any of the terms of this Agreement, you will forthwith be entitled to seek an injunction restraining such breach or to a decree of specific performance, without the posting of a bond or showing or proving any actual damage, together with recovery of reasonable attorneys' fees and other costs incurred in obtaining said equitable relief, until such time as a final and binding determination is made by the arbitrators. The foregoing equitable remedies are in addition to, and not in lieu of, all other remedies or rights that the parties might otherwise have by virtue of any breach of this Agreement by the other party. Finally, we and our Affiliates have the right to commence a civil action against you or take other appropriate action for the following reasons: to compel your compliance with trademark standards and requirements to protect the goodwill of the Marks; to compel you to compile and submit required reports to us; or to permit evaluations or audits authorized by this Agreement.

ARTICLE 16. GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 16.01 Improvements to System. Any and all improvements in our basic system of operation you or your employees develop ("Improvements") must be fully and completely disclosed to us, and, if such improvements require the adaptation of an existing element of the basic system for implementation, they will become our property, except that you will receive a royalty-free, nonexclusive license of the Improvements from us for the term of this Agreement and any renewal thereof. We may incorporate the same in the system and have the sole and exclusive right to copyright, register and protect Improvements in our own name.

Section 16.02 Severability. Should one or more sections of this Agreement be held void or unenforceable for any reason by any court of competent jurisdiction, such clause or clauses will be deemed to

be separable in such jurisdiction and the remainder of this Agreement is valid and in full force and effect and the terms of this Agreement must be equitably adjusted so as to compensate the appropriate party for any consideration lost because of the elimination of such clause or clauses. It is the intent and expectation of each of the parties that each provision of this Agreement will be honored, carried out and enforced as written. Consequently, each of the parties agrees that any provision of this Agreement sought to be enforced in any proceeding must, at the election of the party seeking enforcement and notwithstanding the availability of an adequate remedy at law, be enforced by specific performance or any other equitable remedy.

Section 16.03 Independent Contractor.

(a) You and we acknowledge and agree that this Agreement does not create a fiduciary relationship between us, that you are an independent contractor and that nothing contained in this Agreement makes either party an agent, legal representative, partner, or employee of the other. You do not have any right or power to and may not attempt to bind or obligate us in any way or manner whatsoever, nor represent that you have the right to do so.

(b) You have sole responsibility for, and must promptly pay when due, all taxes levied or assessed by reason of your operation and performance under this Agreement, including, but not limited to, local, state and federal, property, license, sales, use leasehold, excise and income taxes. You have the right to contest in good faith the amount or validity of such payments by appropriate legal proceedings. You are responsible for all loss or damage and contractual liabilities to third persons originating in or in connection with the operation of your Store and for all claims or demands for damages to property or for injury, illness or death of persons directly or indirectly resulting therefrom. You further must indemnify and save us harmless from or with respect to any such claims for taxes and other liabilities, loss, expense or damage.

(c) In all building directories, public records and in your relationship with other persons, you must indicate your independent ownership of your business and that you are only our Franchisee and that you independently own and operate your business location. You must file, and/or any permitted assignee must file, and keep on file at all times in the proper public office for the locality involved, a statement showing your actual name as the proprietor of your business, if such is required and/or permitted by the law of the state and for the locality where your place of business is located.

Section 16.04 Article and Section Titles. Article and section titles are used for convenience only and shall not affect the meaning or construction of any provision.

Section 16.05 Entire Agreement. The preamble recitals are incorporated and made a part of this Agreement which, together with the Appendices, constitute the entire agreement of the parties (and which supersedes all prior negotiations, commitments, representations and undertakings of the parties with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement). Nothing in this Agreement requires you to waive reliance on the representations made in the FDD.

Section 16.06 Obligations of Interested Parties.

(a) Except as otherwise provided, all acknowledgments, promises, covenants, agreements and obligations you make or undertake are jointly and severally undertaken by you, all persons signing this Agreement in their individual capacities, and by all guarantors.

(b) You must obtain a signed Confidentiality and Non-Competition Agreement in the form attached as Appendix C, which we may revise from time to time, from every general partner, if you are a partnership, or from every stockholder if you are a corporation, or from every member if you are a limited liability company, and must forward same to us prior to the commencement of training and prior to the acquisition of any such interest by a third party at any time during the term of this Agreement and any extension of this Agreement.

Section 16.07 Written Approval, Waiver and Non-Waiver.

(a) Whenever this Agreement requires our prior approval or consent, which consent will not be unreasonably withheld, you must make a timely written request, and such approval must be obtained in writing. We make no warranties or guarantees upon which you may rely, and assume no liability or obligation to you, by providing any waiver, approval, consent, or suggestion to you in connection with this franchise or by any neglect or delay in furnishing the same.

(b) Our failure to exercise any power reserved to us by this Agreement, or our insistence upon your strict compliance with any obligation or condition of this Agreement, and no custom or practice of the parties at variance with the terms, will constitute a waiver of our right to demand exact compliance with any of the terms of this Agreement. Our waiver of any particular default by you will not affect or impair our rights with respect to any subsequent default of the same, similar or different nature, nor will any delay, forbearance, or omission of us to exercise any power or right arising out of your breach or default of any of the terms, provisions, or covenants of this Agreement, affect or impair our right to exercise the same, nor will such constitute our waiver of any right under this Agreement, or the right to declare any subsequent breach a default and to terminate this Agreement prior to the expiration of its term. Our subsequent acceptance of any payments due to us will not be deemed to be our waiver of any preceding breach by you of any terms, covenants or conditions of this Agreement.

(c) No right or remedy conferred upon or reserved to us or you by this Agreement is intended to be, nor will be deemed exclusive of any other right or remedy in this Agreement or by law or equity provided or permitted; but each will be cumulative of every other right or remedy.

(d) No amendment, change or variance from this Agreement will be binding on either party unless mutually agreed by the parties and signed in writing.

Section 16.08 Designated Agent of Franchisee and Notices. You designate the person listed in Appendix A to act on your behalf and sign all documents in all transactions with us. All actions by such designee will be binding upon you if a corporation and will be valid and binding on any partnerships as if done by each and every partner. We have no duty to deal with anyone other than the designee; however, any documents submitted to us signed by any other officer or partner will be valid and binding upon you. You must promptly notify us in writing of any change in your designated agent. Any notice required or permitted to be given under this Agreement will be sufficient if given in writing and mailed by certified or registered mail to us or your designated agent to the address listed in Appendix A, or to such other address as specified by written notice given pursuant to this section.

If notice is to be provided to us, it must be sent to:

Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc.
11711 N. College Avenue, Suite 146
Carmel, Indiana 46032
Attn: Franchise Development Department

Section 16.09 Specific Performance. Nothing in this Agreement bars our or your right to seek specific performance of the provisions of this Agreement and injunctive relief against threatened conduct that will cause either party loss or damages, under customary equity rules, including applicable rules for obtaining restraining orders and preliminary injunctions.

Section 16.10 Costs and Attorneys' Fees. If a claim for amounts you owe to us or our Affiliates is asserted in any proceeding before a court of competent jurisdiction, or in arbitration, or if we or you must enforce this Agreement in a judicial or arbitration proceeding, the party prevailing in such proceeding will be entitled to reimbursement of its costs and expenses, including reasonable accounting and legal fees.

Section 16.11 Interpretation of Rights and Obligations. The following provisions apply to and govern the interpretation of this Agreement, the parties' rights under this Agreement, and the relationship between the parties:

1. Applicable Law and Waiver. Subject to our rights under federal trademark laws and the parties' rights under the Federal Arbitration Act in accordance with Section 15.01 of this Agreement, the parties' rights under this Agreement, and the relationship between the parties is governed by, and will be interpreted in accordance with, the laws (statutory and otherwise) of the state in which your Store is located. Further, you waive the rights and protections that might be provided through the laws of Indiana relating to franchises or dealerships or business opportunities, unless you are an Indiana resident or your Store is located in Indiana.

2. Our Rights. Whenever this Agreement provides that we have a certain right, that right is absolute and the parties intend that our exercise of that right will not be subject to any limitation or review. We have the right to operate, administrate, develop, and change the System in any manner that is not specifically precluded by the provisions of this Agreement, although this right does not modify any express limitations set forth in this Agreement.

3. Our Reasonable Business Judgment. Except in the event of a transfer or assignment in which case we will not unreasonably withhold our consent, whenever we reserve discretion in a particular area or where we agree to exercise our rights reasonably or in good faith, we will satisfy our obligations whenever we exercise Reasonable Business Judgment in making our decision or exercising our rights. Our decisions or actions will be deemed to be the result of Reasonable Business Judgment, even if other reasonable or even arguably preferable alternatives are available, if our decision or action is intended, in whole or significant part, to promote or benefit the System generally even if the decision or action also promotes our financial or other individual interest. Examples of items that will promote or benefit the System include, without limitation, enhancing the value of the Marks, improving customer service and

satisfaction, improving product and services quality, improving uniformity, enhancing or encouraging modernization and improving the competitive position of the System.

Section 16.12 Venue. The parties agree that any suit, action or proceeding with respect to this Agreement must be brought in an appropriate state court located in Hamilton County in the State of Indiana or an appropriate Federal court located in Marion County in the State of Indiana, and the parties waive any questions of personal jurisdiction or venue for the purposes of carrying out this provision. This choice of jurisdiction and venue does not preclude the enforcement by the parties of any judgment or award obtained in such jurisdiction in other appropriate jurisdictions.

Section 16.13 Force Majeure. Neither we nor you will be liable for loss or damage or deemed to be in breach of this Agreement to the extent the failure to perform the parties' respective obligations results from: 1) transportation shortages, the inadequate supply of labor, materials, or energy, and/or the voluntary foregoing of the right to acquire or use transportation, labor, materials or energy in order to accommodate or comply with the orders, requests, regulations, recommendations or instructions of any federal, state or municipal government or any department or agency; 2) compliance with any law, ruling, order, regulation, requirement or instruction of any federal, state or municipal government or any department or agency; 3) acts of God; 4) fires, strikes, embargoes, war, or riot; or 5) any other similar event or cause that is beyond the control of and occurs without the fault of the party claiming force majeure. Any delays resulting from any of said causes shall extend performance accordingly or excuse performance, in whole or in part, as may be reasonable. Nothing in this provision shall excuse a party from any obligations, or deprive any party of rights, that survive the termination of this Agreement, including, without limitation noncompetition restrictions and indemnification obligations.

Section 16.14 Jury Waiver. All parties hereby waive any and all rights to a trial by jury in connection with the enforcement or interpretation by judicial process of any provision of this Agreement, and in connection with allegations of state or federal statutory violations, fraud, misrepresentation or similar causes of action or any legal action initiated for the recovery of damages for breach of this Agreement.

Section 16.15 Waiver of Punitive Damages. You and us and our Affiliates waive, to the fullest extent permitted by law, the right to or claim for any punitive or exemplary damages against the other and agree that in the event of any dispute between them, each will be limited to the recovery of actual damages sustained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have signed this Agreement on the date set forth below, and the Agreement is effective on the date set forth on the Cover Page.

“US”: WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By: _____

Date: _____

Print Name: _____

“YOU”:

If a partnership or sole proprietorship:

By: _____
Signature

By: _____
Signature

Print Name

Print Name

Date

Date

If a corporation or limited liability company:

_____, a(n) S-Corp C-Corp LLC company, of the
(print name of corporation/LLC) *(select one)*

State of _____

Attest:

By: _____

Name & Title: _____

Date: _____

APPENDIX A
TO WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

FRANCHISEE INFORMATION SHEET

1. FRANCHISEE INFORMATION:

A. Type of Franchisee:

_____ Individual(s) _____ Partnership _____ Corporation _____ LLC

B. Name (if not Individual(s)): _____

C. List each individual franchisee or shareholder, partner or manager of your entity identified in A above:

NAME _____
STREET _____
CITY, STATE, ZIP _____
% OF OWNERSHIP _____

NAME _____
STREET _____
CITY, STATE, ZIP _____
% OF OWNERSHIP _____

NAME _____
STREET _____
CITY, STATE, ZIP _____
% OF OWNERSHIP _____

NAME _____
STREET _____
CITY, STATE, ZIP _____
% OF OWNERSHIP _____

2. STORE INFORMATION:

A. Store Address:

STREET _____
CITY _____
STATE/ZIP _____

B. Designated Territory Description:

3. TERM OF FRANCHISE AGREEMENT:

A. The Effective Date of this Agreement is _____
The Expiration Date of this Agreement is _____

4. YOUR AGENT FOR NOTICES:

A. Name: _____

B. Address (if different from Store address in 2A above):

STREET _____

CITY _____

STATE/ZIP _____

5. POINT OF SALE SYSTEM

A. POS System required as of the Effective Date:

€ RMS

€ ERPLY

i. POS System installation/training fee:

€ RMS: \$ _____¹

€ ERPLY: \$ _____²

ii. POS System ongoing fees (fee are subject to change):

As of the Effective Date:

€ RMS: first year's fees included in installation/training fee. After first year, currently \$360 per year, plus \$180 per license per year.

€ ERPLY: POS Technology Fee, currently \$300/month (includes \$100/month MyWBU Store fee), due at the same time as royalty fees).

B. If applicable, anticipated migration date to ERPLY: prior to 12/31/2022, but subject to change upon notice from Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. After migration to ERPLY, the POS Technology Fee will apply.

¹ \$3,660, subject to a discount of up to \$1,400

² New Stores: \$3,200, subject to a discount of up to \$1,400. Transfers or renewals: \$0.

APPENDIX B
TO WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

MARKS

You have the right to use the following trademarks and service marks in accordance with the attached Franchise Agreement.

We may amend this Appendix B from time to time in order to make available additional trademarks or service marks or to delete those that become unavailable. You must use only those trademarks and service marks that are then currently authorized.

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED word mark	Registered 12/4/84 Reg. No. 1,307,988 Principal Register
WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED word mark	Registered 6/9/92 Reg. No. 1,691,873 Principal Register
WE BRING PEOPLE AND NATURE TOGETHER word mark	Registered 8/31/93 Reg. No. 1,790,379 Principal Register
YOUR BACKYARD BIRDFEEDING SPECIALIST word mark	Registered 8/09/94 Reg. No. 1,848,684 Principal Register
WBU Service mark	Registered 8/31/99 Reg. No. 2,274,242 Principal Register
Birdfeeder Logo Trademark	Registered 9/21/99 Reg. No. 2,279,535 Principal Register
Pathways to Nature	Registered 10/16/01 Reg. No. 2,498,785 Principal Register
BirdTracks Trademark	Registered 10/17/2000 Reg. No. 2,395,047 Principal Register
FeederCam Service Mark	Registered 2/22/2000 Reg. No. 2,322,570 Supplemental Register
Advanced Pole System Trademark	Registered 10/31/2000 Reg. No. 2,401,113 Supplemental Register
Birdfeeder Misc. Design 3 dimensional	Registered 6/15/04 Reg. No. 2,852,855 Principal Register
Discover a Refuge in Your Own Backyard word mark	Registered 9/6/05 Reg. No. 2,991,526 Principal Register

Daily Savings Club word mark	Registered 9/27/05 Reg. No. 3,003,020 Supplemental Register
Jim's Birdacious	Registered 1/23/2007 Reg. No. 3,202,221 Principal Register
Now, Every Tree is a Birdfeeder!	Registered 5/15/07 Reg. No. 3,242,028 Principal Register
Birdfeeder Logo Design Only	Registered 5/29/01 Reg. No. 2,455,911 Principal Register
Bark Butter	Registered 2/13/2007 Reg. No. 3,208,258 Principal Register
Naturally Nuts	Registered 6/3/97 Reg. No. 2,067,002 Principal Register
Simply Suet	Registered 6/24/97 Reg. No. 2,073,661 Principal Register
Fruit Cakes	Registered 4/8/97 Reg. No. 2,051,715 Supplemental Register
Almond Munch	Registered 6/10/97 Reg. No. 2,069,404 Principal Register
Cravin' Raisin	Registered 3/23/99 Reg. No. 2,233,170 Principal Register
Ecotough	Registered 12/15/09 Reg. No. 3,725,078 Principal Register
BugBerry Blend	Registered 11/16/10 Reg. No. 3,878,318 Supplemental Register
Stackables	Registered 10/19/10 Reg. No. 3,866,189 Supplemental Register
Nutty for Nuts	Registered 5/31/11 Reg. No. 3,971,845 Principal Register
Ecoclean	Registered 5/17/11 Reg. No. 3,963,055 Principal Register

TREENUTTY	Registered 5/29/12 Reg. No. 4,151,737 Principal Register
FLYING START	Registered 7/23/13 Reg. No. 4,371,911 Principal Register
E-mP ³	Registered 5/27/14 Reg. No. 4,536,209 Principal Register
Feederscaping	Registered 6/4/19 Reg. No. 5,770,868 Principal Register
SUNFIRE	Registered 3/5/19 Reg. No. 5,693,714 Principal Register
FIERY FEAST	Registered 9/24/19 Reg. No. 5,869,418 Principal Register
SUPERSUET	Registered 5/7/19 Reg. No. 5,747,766 Supplemental Register
SUPER BLEND	Registered 5/7/19 Reg. No. 5,747,765 Supplemental Register
BUGS & BITS	Registered 5/7/19 Reg. No. 5,747,763 Supplemental Register
QUICK BITES	Registered 2/6/19 Reg. No. 5,687,610 Principal Register
TREATTRAY	Registered 4/19/11 Reg. No. 3,949,608 Supplemental Register
JELLY JUBILEE	Filed 11/2/2020 Serial No. 90,292,780
SAVE THE SONG BIRDS	Filed 12/22/2020 Serial No. 88,784,898

Each of the above trademarks and service marks may be used only in the manner specified by us and in connection with the goods and services specified by us. No deviations will be permitted.

APPENDIX C
TO WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

CONFIDENTIALITY AND
NON-COMPETITION AGREEMENT

I, _____, acknowledge that:

(A) the business of Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. (“WBU”) and its franchisees is a unique business consisting of a retail marketing system created by WBU for the sale and distribution of birdfeeding and nature related products and services and that I will come into contact with and have access to confidential and proprietary information and “know-how” which is owned by WBU as well as information concerning individual franchisee owned stores, all of which may include marketing plans, vendors and retail operating training manuals (the “Confidential Information”);

(B) disclosure of the Confidential Information to any third party will cause damage to WBU’s and its franchisee’s business; and

(C) WBU is relying upon my good faith in the use and handling of the Confidential Information that I learn or have access to and to insure that it is not used improperly or to the disadvantage of WBU or any of its franchisees.

Therefore, in consideration of receiving the Confidential Information and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I agree that:

1. I shall not divulge, furnish or make accessible to anyone (other than in the regular course of WBU’s or its franchisees’ business) any of the Confidential Information, as now or hereafter constituted, without the express written consent of WBU. Upon termination of my employment or association with any franchisee of WBU, whether or not the termination is voluntary, I will immediately return to WBU or its designee, all books, manuals, documents, reports, correspondence, notes, samples, or other such materials which contain Confidential Information.

2. Upon the expiration of the Agreement or termination of the Agreement by WBU in accordance with the provisions of the Agreement or by Franchisee without cause, I agree that for a period of 2 years, commencing on the effective date of termination, or the date on which Franchisee ceases to conduct the business conducted pursuant to the Agreement, whichever is later, I will not have any direct or indirect interest as an owner, investor, partner, director, officer, employee, consultant, representative or agent, or in any other capacity, in any store providing principally birdfeeders and/or birdseed or any other nature oriented store offering products and services for birds or birdfeeding located or operating within Franchisee’s Designated Territory or a radius of 10 miles of any other Store in operation on the effective date of expiration or termination, except for other Stores operated by Franchisee under franchise agreements granted by WBU or the ownership of securities listed on a stock exchange or traded on the over-the-counter market that represent 1% or less of that class of stock. If any part of this Section 2 is deemed inconsistent with applicable law, this Section 2 automatically will be modified and construed in a manner that conforms to applicable law.

3. In addition to any other remedies which may be available to WBU, it shall be entitled to injunctive and/or other equitable relief to prevent or remedy a breach of this Agreement, and to secure its

enforcement. For this purpose, I agree to submit to the exclusive jurisdiction and venue of the courts of the state of Indiana.

4. The remedies provided for in this Agreement are cumulative and not exclusive to each other. I understand that WBU may exercise the remedies set forth in paragraph 2 as well as any other remedies which it may have, at any time, from time to time or at the same time, and the failure to exercise any remedy will not constitute a waiver of this Agreement. Remedies may only be waived in writing and signed by an officer of WBU.

5. The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Agreement shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the remaining provisions, and this Agreement shall be construed as if such invalid or unenforceable provisions were omitted.

6. Nothing in this Agreement is intended or shall be deemed to create (i) any employment relationship between me and WBU, or (ii) any right or privilege to receive additional or further information, training or materials from WBU.

SIGNATURE

DATE

STORE NAME

STREET ADDRESS

PRINT NAME

CITY STATE ZIP CODE

APPENDIX D
TO WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

PERSONAL GUARANTEE OF FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, Guarantor(s) has/have requested that Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. (“WBU”) enter into a Franchise Agreement with, or permit the assignment of a Franchise Agreement to _____ (“Franchisee”), for the Wild Birds Unlimited Franchise located at _____ (the “Franchise Agreement”); and

WHEREAS, as an inducement for WBU to enter into the aforesaid transaction, Guarantor(s) desire to personally and unconditionally guarantee the obligations of Franchisee under the Franchise Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of WBU entering into the aforesaid transaction, in addition to other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Guarantor(s) hereby agree as follows:

1. GUARANTEE OF FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS. The undersigned Guarantor(s), for themselves, their heirs, successors and assigns, do jointly, individually and severally hereby absolutely and unconditionally guarantee the payment of any and all amounts referenced in, or arising from Franchisee’s performance of all of the covenants, terms, conditions, agreements and undertakings contained and set forth in the Franchise Agreement and in any other agreement(s) now in effect between Franchisee and WBU or to which Franchisee and WBU become a party, and agree that this Guarantee shall be construed as though the undersigned and each of them signed agreement(s) containing the identical terms and conditions of the Franchise Agreement and any other such agreement(s) which give rise to the obligation of any and all amounts due.
2. MODIFICATION OF OBLIGATIONS/CHOICE OF PARTIES. The undersigned Guarantor(s) hereby agree that, without the consent of or notice to any of the undersigned and without affecting any of the obligations of the undersigned hereunder: (a) any term, covenant or condition of the Franchise Agreement may be amended, compromised, released or otherwise altered by WBU and Franchisee, and the undersigned do guarantee and promise to pay any and all amounts due by the Franchisee under the Franchise Agreement as so amended, compromised, released or altered; (b) any guarantor of or party to the Franchise Agreement may be released, substituted or added; (c) any right or remedy under the Franchise Agreement, this Guarantee or any other instrument or agreement between WBU and Franchisee may be exercised, not exercised, impaired, modified, limited, destroyed or suspended; and (d) WBU or any other person may deal in any manner with Franchisee, any of the undersigned Guarantor(s), any party to the Franchise Agreement or any other person. Each of the undersigned waives: (1) notice of demand for payment of any indebtedness hereby guaranteed; (2) protest and notice of default to any party respecting the indebtedness or nonperformance of any obligations hereby guaranteed; and (3) any right he/she may have to require that an action be brought against the Franchisee or any other person as a condition of liability.
3. SEVERAL LIABILITY. Should Franchisee be in breach or default under the Franchise Agreement or any other agreement(s) by and between Franchisee and WBU, WBU may proceed directly against any or each of the undersigned Guarantor(s) without first proceeding against Franchisee and without proceeding against or naming in such suit any other signatory to the

Franchise Agreement, others of the undersigned Guarantors or any other guarantor of the Franchise Agreement.

4. RELEASE. The cessation of or release from liability of Franchisee or any of the undersigned shall not relieve any other Guarantor(s) from liability hereunder, under the Franchise Agreement, or under any other agreement(s) between WBU and Franchisee, except to the extent that the breach or default has been remedied or monies owed have been paid.
5. NO WAIVER. Any waiver, extension of time or other indulgence granted by WBU or its agents, successors or assigns, with respect to the Franchise Agreement or any other agreement(s) by and between Franchisee and WBU, shall in no way modify or amend this guarantee, which shall be continuing, absolute, unconditional and irrevocable. In addition, each of the undersigned consents and agrees that: (a) the undersigned's liability will not be contingent or conditioned upon our pursuit of any remedies against the Franchisee or any other person; and (b) such liability will not be diminished, relieved or otherwise affected by Franchisee's insolvency, bankruptcy or reorganization, the invalidity, illegality or unenforceability of all or any part of the Franchise Agreement, or the amendment or extension of the Franchise Agreement with or without notice to the undersigned.
6. WBU SUCCESSORS. It is understood and agreed by the undersigned that the provisions, covenants and conditions of this Guarantee shall inure to the benefit of WBU, its successors and assigns. This Guarantee may be assigned by WBU voluntarily or by operation of law without reducing or modifying the liability of the undersigned.
7. SEVERABILITY. Should any one or more provisions of this Guarantee be determined to be illegal or unenforceable, all other provisions shall nevertheless be effective.

In all other respects, the Franchise Agreement is hereby ratified and reaffirmed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the undersigned has signed this Guarantee effective as of the date of the Franchise Agreement.

Name

Name

Address

Address

Date

Date

APPENDIX E
TO WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

ACH Agreement

**WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED GIFT CARD PROGRAM
AUTOMATED CLEARING HOUSE (ACH) AND CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT**

Pursuant to the merchant Agreement between Wild Birds Unlimited and its affiliates, if any, and Givex Corporation and its affiliates, it will be necessary for each Wild Birds Unlimited location or franchise (a "Participant") to provide Givex with its banking information to facilitate funds transfer by ACH from one Participant to another as part of the sales and redemption process for those gift cards that are sold by a Participant and redeemed, in whole or part, by another Participant. It is each Participant's obligation to inform Givex of any changes to the banking information it provided. Neither Wild Birds Unlimited nor Givex will be liable for any funds incorrectly transferred as a result of errors in banking information that directly resulted from information provided by a Participant. Each Participant must activate and/or redeem the gift cards as specified by Givex and Wild Birds Unlimited in order for controlled, accurate tracking of the gift cards as outlined in the Gift Card Participation Agreement. All information obtained as part of the gift card program will only be used for administration of the Gift Card Program. Each Participant must provide valid credit card information as a secondary form of payment in the event of a failed ACH transfer, whether due to insufficient funds or for any other reason. By providing its credit card information and signing below Company authorizes such payment. Company also authorizes payment to Givex of fees specified in the Gift Card Participation Agreement.

Company Details

Location Name:		Contact Name:	
Store Number (SID):		Outlet ID (internal use only)	
Address Line 1:			
Address Line 2:			
City:		Telephone:	
State:		Fax:	
Zip Code:		Email:	

Bank Account Information: In order to be a participant in the Wild Birds Unlimited Gift Card Program, the Company must establish a secondary bank account pursuant to the Gift Card Participation Agreement.

Pursuant to the Gift Card Participation Agreement with Wild Birds Unlimited, Company hereby authorizes Givex, in its own capacity and as agent for other Participants, to initiate debit entries to the Company's account shown below. It is hereby acknowledged that the origination of ACH transactions must comply with applicable provisions of U.S. law and that this authorization is to remain in full force and effect until Givex has received written revocation from the Company in such time and manner as to afford Givex and the listed bank a reasonable opportunity to act on the revocation.

Bank Name:			
City:		State:	
Bank Routing Number (9 digits):		Account Number:	
Account Type: Checking: () Savings: ()		Note: Please ensure an account type is selected. Incomplete forms will not be processed.	
EXAMPLE: In this example, the Bank Transit/Routing Number is "124574001", and the Account Number is "784512"		* 000000 * * [124574001] 784512 *	

*****TO ENSURE ACCURACY, PLEASE SUBMIT OR FAX A VOIDED CHECK COPY*****

FAX TO: 317-571-7110 ATTN: AMY MOORE

Authorized Signature _____	Date _____
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ADDENDUM TO
WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED®
FRANCHISE AGREEMENT FOR THE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

This Addendum pertains to franchises sold in the State of California and is for the purpose of complying with California statutes and regulations. Notwithstanding anything which may be contained in the body of the Franchise Agreement to the contrary, the Agreement is amended as follows:

1. Article 13 of the Franchise Agreement contains a covenant not to compete which extends beyond the term of the franchise. This provision may not be enforceable under California law.

2. California Business and Professions Code Sections 20000 through 20043, the California Franchise Relations Act, provide rights to the franchisee concerning termination, transfer or non-renewal of a franchise. If the franchise agreement contains a provision that is inconsistent with the law, the law will control.

3. In all other respects, the Franchise Agreement will be construed and enforced according to its terms.

YOU: _____

WE: WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By _____

By _____

Title _____

Title _____

Date _____

Date _____

ADDENDUM TO
WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED®
FRANCHISE AGREEMENT FOR THE
STATE OF ILLINOIS

This Addendum pertains to franchises sold in the State of Illinois and is for the purpose of complying with Illinois statutes and regulations. Notwithstanding anything which may be contained in the body of the Franchise Agreement to the contrary, the Agreement is amended as follows:

1. The second sentence of Section 16.07(a) of the Agreement is deleted in its entirety.
2. The first sentence of Section 16.12 is deleted in its entirety, and the following is substituted:

Subject to Section 15.01, any cause of action, claim, suit or demand allegedly arising from or related to the terms of this Agreement or the relationship of the parties must be brought in the Illinois federal or state court for the Designated Area in which you are located.

3. The Acknowledgment Addendum attached to the Franchise Agreement (and specifically stating that it is not for use in the State of Illinois) is unenforceable under Illinois law because it may have the effect of forcing a franchisee to waive or release certain rights that you as a franchisee have under the Illinois Franchise Disclosure Act, 815 IL § 705.

4. Section 16.11(1) is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

Applicable Law and Waiver. Subject to our rights under federal trademark laws and the parties' rights under the Federal Arbitration Act in accordance with Section 15.01 of this Agreement, the parties' rights under this Agreement, and the relationship between the parties is governed by, and will be interpreted in accordance with, the laws (statutory and otherwise) of Illinois.

5. Section 41 of the Illinois Franchise Disclosure Act provides that any condition, stipulation, or provision purporting to bind any person acquiring any franchise to waive compliance with any provision of the Illinois Franchise Disclosure Act or any other law of the State of Illinois is void. This Section shall not prevent any person from entering into a settlement agreement or executing a general release regarding a potential or actual lawsuit filed under any of the provisions of the Illinois Franchise Disclosure Act, nor shall it prevent the arbitration of any claim pursuant to the provisions of Title 9 of the United States Code.

6. Except as amended herein, the Franchise Agreement will be construed and enforced in accordance with its terms.

Each of the undersigned hereby acknowledges having read and understood this Addendum and consents to be bound by all of its terms.

YOU: _____

WE: WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By _____

By _____

Title _____

Title _____

Date _____

Date _____

ADDENDUM TO
WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED®
FRANCHISE AGREEMENT FOR THE
STATE OF MARYLAND

This Addendum pertains to franchises sold in the State of Maryland and is for the purpose of complying with Maryland statutes and regulations. Notwithstanding anything which may be contained in the body of the Franchise Agreement to the contrary, the Agreement is amended as follows:

1. The following sentence is hereby added to the end of Section 3.02, Renewal Term and Conditions of Renewal:

The general release required as a condition of renewal shall not apply to any liability under the Maryland Franchise Registration and Disclosure Law.

2. The following sentence is hereby added to the end of Section 14.02(c)(vii), Assignments:

The general release required as a condition of assignment/transfer shall not apply to any liability under the Maryland Franchise Registration and Disclosure Law.

3. The following sentence is hereby added to the end of Section 16.07, Written Approval, Waiver and Non-Waiver:

Nothing in this Section 16.07, however, will act as a release, estoppel or waiver of any liability incurred under the Maryland Franchise Registration and Disclosure Law.

4. Section 16.12, Venue, is amended to provide that you may bring a lawsuit in Maryland for claims arising under the Maryland Franchise Registration and Disclosure Law. Section 16.12 is further amended to provide that any claims arising under the Maryland Franchise Registration and Disclosure Law must be brought within three (3) years after the date of the Franchise Agreement.

5. Any provision in the Agreement that requires you to disclaim the occurrence and/or acknowledge the non-occurrence of acts that would constitute a violation of the Maryland Franchise Registration and Disclosure Law is not intended to nor will it act as a release, estoppel or waiver of any liability incurred under the Maryland Franchise Registration and Disclosure Law.

6. Except as amended herein, the Franchise Agreement will be construed and enforced in accordance with its terms.

Each of the undersigned hereby acknowledges having read and understood this Addendum and consents to be bound by all of its terms.

YOU: _____

WE: WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By _____

By _____

Title _____

Title _____

Date _____

Date _____

ADDENDUM TO
WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED®
FRANCHISE AGREEMENT FOR THE
STATE OF MINNESOTA

This Addendum pertains to franchises sold in the State of Minnesota and is for the purpose of complying with Minnesota statutes and regulations. Notwithstanding anything which may be contained in the body of the Franchise Agreement to the contrary, the Agreement is amended as follows:

1. We will undertake the defense of any claim of infringement by third parties involving the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED mark, and you will cooperate with the defense in any reasonable manner prescribed by us with any direct cost of such cooperation to be borne by us.

2. Minnesota law provides franchisees with certain termination and nonrenewal rights. As of the date of this Franchise Agreement, Minn. Stat. Sec. 80C.14, Subd. 3, 4 and 5 require, except in certain specified cases, that a franchisee be given 90 days' notice of termination (with 60 days to cure) and 180 days' notice for nonrenewal of the franchise agreement.

3. The second sentence of Section 15.02 of the Agreement is deleted in its entirety and will have no further force and effect and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

Therefore, it is mutually agreed that in the event of a breach or threatened breach of any of the terms of this Agreement by you, we will forthwith be entitled to seek an injunction restraining such breach or to a decree of specific performance, without showing or proving any actual damage, together with recovery of reasonable attorneys' fees and other costs incurred in obtaining said equitable relief, until such time as a final and binding determination is made by the arbitrators.

4. Section 16.12 is modified to reflect that Minn. Stat. Sec. 80C.21 and Minn. Rule 2860.4400J prohibit us from requiring litigation to be conducted outside of Minnesota. To the extent the Franchise Agreement requires litigation to be conducted outside of Minnesota, such provision is void.

5. Section 16.14 is hereby deleted in its entirety.

6. No release language set forth in the Franchise Agreement shall relieve Franchisor or any other person, directly or indirectly, from liability imposed by the laws concerning franchising of the State of Minnesota, provided, that this part will not bar the voluntary settlement of disputes.

7. Except as amended herein, the Franchise Agreement will be construed and enforced in accordance with its terms.

Each of the undersigned hereby acknowledges having read and understood this Addendum and consents to be bound by all of its terms.

YOU: _____

WE: WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By _____

By _____

Title _____

Title _____

Date _____

Date _____

ADDENDUM TO
WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED®
FRANCHISE AGREEMENT FOR THE
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

This Addendum pertains to franchises sold in the State of North Dakota and is for the purpose of complying with North Dakota statutes and regulations. Notwithstanding anything which may be contained in the body of the Franchise Agreement to the contrary, the Agreement is amended as follows:

1. The covenant not to compete upon termination or expiration of this Agreement contained in Article 13 may be unenforceable, except in certain circumstances provided by law;

2. Your consent to jurisdiction and venue in Indiana contained in Section 16.12 may be inapplicable; provided, however, that such inapplicability in the State of North Dakota will not be construed to mean that venue in Indiana is improper, or that Franchisee and its officers, directors and shareholders are not subject to jurisdiction in Indiana or in any other state;

3. Your consent to the application of Indiana law contained in Section 16.11 may be inapplicable; provided, however, that such inapplicability in the State of North Dakota will not be construed to mean that Indiana law is improper, or that Franchisee and its officers, directors and shareholders are not subject to Indiana law or the laws of any other state;

4. The provisions of Section 15.01 requiring arbitration hearings to take place in Indianapolis, Indiana, will be inapplicable and in the event of arbitration between Franchisor and Franchisee, such arbitration will be conducted in Fargo, North Dakota, or at a mutually agreed upon location;

5. The parties' waiver of their right to trial by jury, as set forth in Section 16.14, may not be enforceable under North Dakota law;

6. The parties' waiver of their right to claim punitive damages, as set forth in Section 16.15, may not be enforceable under North Dakota law; and

7. You may not be required to sign a general release as a condition of renewal under Section 3.02(g) of the Franchise Agreement.

8. Nothing contained in Article 12 of the Franchise Agreement shall be construed as to require the Franchisee to consent to any termination penalties, as such penalties are unfair, unjust and inequitable within the intent of Section 51-19-09 of the North Dakota Franchise Investment Law.

9. Except as amended herein, the Franchise Agreement will be construed and enforced in accordance with its terms.

Each of the undersigned hereby acknowledges having read and understood this Addendum and consents to be bound by all of its terms.

YOU: _____

WE: WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By _____

By _____

Title _____

Title _____

Date _____

Date _____

ADDENDUM TO
WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED®
FRANCHISE AGREEMENT FOR THE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

This Addendum pertains to franchises sold in the State of Rhode Island and is for the purpose of complying with Rhode Island statutes and regulations. Notwithstanding anything which may be contained in the body of the Franchise Agreement to the contrary, the Agreement is amended as follows:

1. The Rhode Island Franchise Investment Act (the “Act”) at Section 19-28.1-14 provides that “a provision in a franchise agreement restricting jurisdiction or venue to a forum outside of this state or requiring the application of the laws of another state is void with respect to a claim otherwise enforceable under this Act.” The parties agree that to the extent that any provision in any of the Contracts entered into by the parties are inconsistent with the Act, the provisions of the Act shall control. They furthermore expressly agree that Rhode Island law shall be applied to, and govern, any claim between the parties that alleges violation of the Act.

2. Except as amended herein, the Franchise Agreement will be construed and enforced in accordance with its terms.

Each of the undersigned hereby acknowledges having read and understood this Addendum and consents to be bound by all of its terms.

YOU: _____

WE: WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By _____

By _____

Title _____

Title _____

Date _____

Date _____

ADDENDUM TO
WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED®
FRANCHISE AGREEMENT FOR THE
STATE OF VIRGINIA

This Addendum pertains to franchises sold in the State of Virginia and is for the purpose of complying with Virginia statutes and regulations. Notwithstanding anything which may be contained in the body of the Franchise Agreement to the contrary, the Agreement is amended as follows:

1. All cross default provisions of the Franchise Agreement and their corresponding disclosures in Item 17 of the Disclosure Document are hereby deleted in their entirety.

2. Except as amended herein, the Franchise Agreement will be construed and enforced in accordance with its terms.

Each of the undersigned hereby acknowledges having read and understood this Addendum and consents to be bound by all of its terms.

YOU: _____

WE: WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By _____

By _____

Title _____

Title _____

Date _____

Date _____

ADDENDUM TO
WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED®
FRANCHISE AGREEMENT FOR THE
STATE OF WASHINGTON

This Addendum pertains to franchises sold in the State of Washington and is for the purpose of complying with Washington statutes and regulations. Notwithstanding anything which may be contained in the body of the Franchise Agreement to the contrary, the Agreement is amended as follows:

1. In the event of a conflict of laws, the provisions of the Washington Franchise Investment Protection Act, Chapter 19.100 RCW will prevail.

2. RCW 19.100.180 may supersede the franchise agreement in your relationship with the franchisor including the areas of termination and renewal of your franchise. There may also be court decisions which may supersede the franchise agreement in your relationship with the franchisor including the areas of termination and renewal of your franchise.

3. In any arbitration or mediation involving a franchise purchased in Washington, the arbitration or mediation site will be either in the state of Washington, or in a place mutually agreed upon at the time of the arbitration or mediation, or as determined by the arbitrator or mediator at the time of arbitration or mediation. In addition, if litigation is not precluded by the franchise agreement, a franchisee may bring an action or proceeding arising out of or in connection with the sale of franchises, or a violation of the Washington Franchise Investment Protection Act, in Washington.

4. A release or waiver of rights executed by a franchisee may not include rights under the Washington Franchise Investment Protection Act or any rule or order thereunder except when executed pursuant to a negotiated settlement after the agreement is in effect and where the parties are represented by independent counsel. Provisions such as those which unreasonably restrict or limit the statute of limitations period for claims under the Act, or rights or remedies under the Act such as a right to a jury trial, may not be enforceable.

5. Transfer fees are collectable to the extent that they reflect the franchisor's reasonable estimated or actual costs in effecting a transfer.

6. Pursuant to RCW 49.62.020, a noncompetition covenant is void and unenforceable against an employee, including an employee of a franchisee, unless the employee's earnings from the party seeking enforcement, when annualized, exceed \$100,000 per year (an amount that will be adjusted annually for inflation). In addition, a noncompetition covenant is void and unenforceable against an independent contractor of a franchisee under RCW 49.62.030 unless the independent contractor's earnings from the party seeking enforcement, when annualized, exceed \$250,000 per year (an amount that will be adjusted annually for inflation). As a result, any provisions contained in the franchise agreement or elsewhere that conflict with these limitations are void and unenforceable in Washington.

7. RCW 49.62.060 prohibits a franchisor from restricting, restraining, or prohibiting a franchisee from (i) soliciting or hiring any employee of a franchisee of the same franchisor or (ii) soliciting or hiring any employee of the franchisor. As a result, any such provisions contained in the franchise agreement or elsewhere are void and unenforceable in Washington.

The undersigned does hereby acknowledge receipt of this addendum.

YOU: _____

WE: WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By _____

By _____

Title _____

Title _____

Date _____

Date _____

ADDENDUM TO
WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED®
FRANCHISE AGREEMENT FOR THE
STATE OF WISCONSIN

This Addendum pertains to franchisees in the State of Wisconsin and is for the purpose of complying with Wisconsin statutes and regulations. Notwithstanding anything which may be contained in the body of the Franchise Agreement to the contrary, the Agreement is amended as follows:

1. Notwithstanding anything which may be contained in the body of the Franchise Agreement to the contrary, Section 12.01 of the Agreement pertaining to "Termination by Us" is extended as follows:

We will provide you at least 90 days' prior written notice of termination, cancellation, or substantial change in competitive circumstances. The notice will state all the reasons for termination, cancellation, or substantial change in competitive circumstances and will provide that you have 60 days in which to rectify any claimed deficiency. If the deficiency is rectified within 60 days, the notice will be void. If the reason for termination, cancellation, or substantial change in competitive circumstances is nonpayment of sums due under the franchise, you will be entitled to written notice of such default, and will have not less than 10 days in which to remedy such default from the date of delivery or posting of such notice.

2. Ch. 135, Stats., the Wisconsin Fair Dealership Law, supersedes any provisions of this Agreement or a related document between you and us inconsistent with the Law.

3. Except as amended herein, the Franchise Agreement will be construed and enforced in accordance with its terms.

Each of the undersigned hereby acknowledges having read and understood this Addendum and consents to be bound by all of its terms.

YOU: _____

WE: WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By _____

By _____

Title _____

Title _____

Date _____

Date _____

Exhibit D

INITIAL FRANCHISE FEE AMENDMENT (ADDITIONAL STORE)

**INITIAL FRANCHISE FEE AMENDMENT
(Additional Store)**

This Amendment is entered into on _____, _____, by and between _____ (“you”) and Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc., an Indiana corporation (“we” or “us”) for the purpose of amending the Franchise Agreement granted to Franchisee on _____, 20____ (the “Franchise Agreement”) for the operation of a Wild Birds Unlimited in _____ (the “Franchise”).

We and you acknowledge and agree that, for good and valuable consideration, the Franchise Agreement is hereby amended as follows:

1. **Initial Fee (Sect. 7.01)**. Replace the existing Section 7.01 of the Franchise Agreement with:

You must pay us a non-refundable Initial Franchisee Fee of \$20,000, paid to us as follows:

- (i) if you sign a Reservation Agreement, \$5,000 upon your signing of the Reservation Agreement and \$15,000 upon your signing of the Franchise Agreement; or
- (ii) if you do not sign a Reservation Agreement, \$20,000 upon your signing of the Franchise Agreement.

The parties execute this Amendment effective as of the date first written above.

YOU:

US:

Signature

By: _____

Title: _____

Print Name and Title

Date: _____

As officer of _____

Date: _____

Exhibit E

**MyWBU STORE (ECOMMERCE PLATFORM)
AUTHORIZATION AND PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT**

MyWBU Store (ecommerce platform) Authorization and Participation Agreement

In consideration of Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. (“**Franchisor**”) permitting the franchisee identified below (“**Franchisee**” or “**you**”) to participate in the MyWBU Store e-commerce platform program described below (the “**Program**”), and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, Franchisor and Franchisee agree as follows:

1. **Franchise Agreement.** Franchisor and Franchisee are parties to a Wild Birds Unlimited (“**WBU**”) Franchise Agreement (“**Franchise Agreement**”) pursuant to which Franchisee is authorized to operate a WBU retail store identified on the signature page hereto (the “**Retail Store**”) selling birdfeeders, birdseed and other nature-related items to the general public (the “**WBU Products**”).

2. **Franchisee Participation.** The parties wish to amend the Franchise Agreement and expand the Franchisee’s rights under the Franchise Agreement to include Franchisee’s right to market, offer and sell authorized WBU Products (“**Products**”) via a Franchisee-specific version of Franchisor’s MyWBU online store e-commerce software platform (the “**Online Store**”). Franchisee hereby agrees to participate in the Program and operate the Online Store in accordance with the terms and conditions of this MyWBU Store (ecommerce platform) Authorization and Participation Agreement, including, without limitation the Exhibits attached hereto, which Exhibits are incorporated herein and made a part hereof (collectively this agreement and the Exhibits, the “**Agreement**”), and Franchisor agrees to grant to Franchisee the right to participate in the Program and operate the Online Store, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

3. **Program Description.** Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, Franchisee agrees to market, offer and sell Products via the Online Store to customers (the “**Customers**”) who order such Products via the Online Store and designate either (i) Product delivery to a designated location within or outside the Franchisee’s Designated Territory (as such term is defined in the Franchise Agreement) or (ii) Product pick up at Franchisee’s Retail Store. Franchisee agrees to timely deliver the Products to such Customer designated location (whether within or outside Franchisee’s Designated Territory), or make Products available for pick up at its Retail Store, as applicable. The Online Store is owned and will be set up and hosted by Franchisor, will be identified by Franchisor’s trademarks, service marks or logos and will be accessible by Customers via Franchisee’s authorized WBU webpage (the “**WBU Webpage**”) or via other marketing channels approved by Franchisor, including but not limited to emails, social media channels or digital publications.

4. **Franchisee Acknowledgements.** Franchisee acknowledges and agrees that:

a. Franchisee will be the seller of all Products ordered via the Online Store by Customers, and Franchisee will be solely responsible for compliance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations (“**Laws**”) applicable to Franchisee’s use of and activities related to the Online Store. Without limiting the foregoing, Franchisee is solely responsible for collecting and paying all applicable sales and other taxes arising from any transactions conducted by Franchisee via the Online Store or related to Franchisee’s participation in the Program. Franchisee will be solely responsible for the implementation of the Program at its WBU franchised business and its integration with its Retail Store.

b. Franchisor will not be deemed the seller of any products under the Program, has no fiduciary or other responsibilities under the Program (except those obligations expressly stated in this Agreement), and only facilitates Franchisee’s participation in the Program by providing or arranging for the support services identified on Exhibit 2 hereto, which services Franchisor may modify from time to time in its discretion (the “**Support Services**”). Franchisor is only a service provider making the Online Store available to Franchisee as contemplated hereunder and providing the Support Services for the Online

Store, as set forth herein, either directly or through third party providers designated by Franchisor. Franchisor will have no responsibility or liability to any Customer in connection with Franchisee's participation in the Program.

c. Franchisee is responsible for using administrative tools provided with the Online Store to ensure that information presented on the Online Store is accurate and timely. Any errors in pricing, Product availability or Product delivery information are the sole responsibility of Franchisee, and Franchisor shall not be liable for any costs or damages associated with such errors.

d. FRANCHISEE WILL RECEIVE NO TERRITORIAL PROTECTION WITH RESPECT TO THE ONLINE STORE SALES, AND A CUSTOMER IN FRANCHISEE'S DESIGNATED TERRITORY MAY ORDER AND PURCHASE PRODUCTS FROM A DIFFERENT WBU FRANCHISEE'S ONLINE OR PHYSICAL STORE, AND FRANCHISEE WILL RECEIVE NO COMPENSATION WHATSOEVER REGARDING SUCH IN-TERRITORY PRODUCT SALES VIA ANOTHER WBU FRANCHISEE'S ONLINE STORE OR SUCH SALES AT ANOTHER FRANCHISEE'S PHYSICAL STORE. FOR AVOIDANCE OF DOUBT, FRANCHISEE ACKNOWLEDGES THAT CUSTOMERS MAY ORDER AND PURCHASE PRODUCTS AT ANY WBU PHYSICAL OR ONLINE STORE REGARDLESS OF LOCATION AND MAY RECEIVE MARKETING MATERIALS FROM ANOTHER WBU ONLINE OR PHYSICAL STORE.

e. Franchisor is not responsible for the timeliness, misdelivery, deletion or failure to store any information uploaded (or attempted to be uploaded) by Franchisee. Franchisor makes no warranty as to the accuracy or completeness of the information and services provided through the Online Store or the results of Franchisee's use of the Online Store, or that the Online Store is free from errors. Franchisee acknowledges that it is Franchisee's responsibility to evaluate the accuracy, completeness and usefulness of all information obtained or provided through the Online Store.

f. The internet is not a reliable means of communication and Franchisor does not warrant the security of any information transmitted through the Internet. Certain functions of the Online Store may use industry-standard, SSL (Secure Socket Layer) encryption and decryption methodology to protect information while in transit to and from Franchisor servers.

5. Requirements. Franchisee understands and agrees that its participation in the Program is conditioned on its compliance with the following requirements:

a. At all times during the Program Term, Franchisee will provide electronic access and assistance to Franchisor and its service providers in order to allow them to perform Franchisor's obligations hereunder and to enable Franchisor to verify Franchisee's compliance with the terms and conditions hereof.

b. At all times during the Program Term, Franchisee agrees to comply with the terms and conditions of the MyWBU Store Handbook, which Franchisor will make available to Franchisee and which may consist of one or more manuals and other written materials and communications from Franchisor containing specifications, rules, instructions, policies, standards and operating procedures regarding the Program (including, without limitation, Franchisor's recommended accounting procedures, inventory reporting codes, return policy requirements, and participation in the auto-poll program), as such MyWBU Store Handbook may be modified or updated by Franchisor from time to time (collectively, as so updated or modified, the "**MyWBU Store Handbook**"). For purposes of this Agreement, the MyWBU Store Handbook shall be deemed the Operating Handbook under the terms of the Franchise Agreement. The MyWBU Store Handbook will be deemed to be a part of this Agreement.

c. Franchisee will promptly implement a branding and merchandising plan provided by Franchisor for the Online Store, using the Branding Collateral (as defined below) and other Franchisor-approved materials.

d. From time to time during the Program Term, Franchisor may develop various marketing and promotional programs and campaigns for the Online Store, including, without limitation the Daily Savings Club Program, testing and implementing free shipping thresholds, and using Franchisor-approved shipping vendors, and Franchisor may require and/or recommend that Franchisee participate in such programs and campaigns. Franchisor recognizes the seasonality of bird and product offerings and will be sensitive to timing on such participation requirements. Franchisee agrees to participate in any such required programs or campaigns and comply with Franchisor's policies and instructions related to any programs or campaigns in which Franchisee participates.

e. Franchisee agrees not to use any other online ecommerce platform during the Program Term, except as approved in writing by Franchisor.

f. Subject to applicable Laws, at all times during the Program Term, Franchisee will comply with any Minimum Advertised Price (“MAP”) policies implemented by Franchisor and updated by Franchisor from time to time with respect to the marketing of Products via the Online Store.

g. Franchisee agrees to offer and sell gift cards via the Online Store, in accordance with Franchisor's Gift Card Program.

6. Program Costs. Franchisee agrees to make the following investments and incur the following costs in connection with its participation in the Program:

a. Branding Collateral. To promote the Online Store, prior to the roll-out of the Online Store at Franchisee's WBU franchised business, Franchisee agrees to purchase from Franchisor (or an approved third-party vendor) designated Program branding collateral and other Program-related marketing materials (collectively, “**Branding Collateral**”). The current cost of the Branding Collateral is set forth on Exhibit 1.

b. Set Up Fee. As consideration for Franchisor's set up of the Online Store for Franchisee hereunder, Franchisee will pay Franchisor, in a lump sum upon signing this Agreement, a one-time Initial Online Store Set Up Fee, in the amount set forth on Exhibit 1.

c. Monthly Support Fees; Taxes. As consideration for Franchisor's ongoing support of the Online Store and Franchisee's continued access thereto, Franchisee will pay Franchisor a Monthly Support Fee in the amount set forth on Exhibit 1. This fee will be due the following month for the prior month's access to the Online Store. Additionally, if any governmental authority requires the payment of a tax, including, but not limited to sales tax, on the Monthly Support Fee, Franchisee must pay the amount of that tax to Franchisor so that Franchisor can remit the tax fees to the governmental authority.

d. Royalties and Other Fees. For avoidance of doubt, all of Franchisee's revenues from sales via the Online Store will be included in Gross Sales and Franchisee will pay royalty fees and other fees on such sales as provided in the Franchise Agreement.

e. POS System and other Equipment. If Franchisee does not have installed at its Retail Store the currently approved version of the WBU Point of Sale system (“**WBU POS System**”), then, prior to participating in the Program, Franchisee must purchase the WBU POS System or appropriate upgrade from the approved supplier and pay the Franchisor the then-current POS Installation Fee (the current amount of

such fee is set forth on Exhibit 1) for which Franchisor will install the WBU POS System at Franchisee's Retail Store. In addition, Franchisee acknowledges that the currently approved WBU POS System will be replaced by a new approved WBU POS System in the near future (the migration to the new WBU POS System is anticipated to occur prior to the end of 2022), and Franchisee understands and acknowledges that continued participation in the Program will require migration to the new WBU POS System in accordance with a timeline specified by Franchisor (and Franchisee will bear associated costs to purchase and install such new WBU POS System). In addition, Franchisee must install and use such other equipment and technology, including computer equipment, hardware, software, Internet service, firewall, etc., as may be required by Franchisor from time to time in order to access, use and operate the Online Store.

f. Credit Card Processing. Franchisee agrees to set up an account with, and pay associated fees to, Franchisor's approved Online Store third party credit card processor (as Franchisor may from time to time designate), to process Customer payments for purchases of Products via the Online Store. For avoidance of doubt, Franchisee may keep its current credit card processor for in-Retail Store product sales.

g. Shipping Scale. If Franchisee's Retail Store does not currently have an approved shipping scale, Franchisee agrees to purchase it from a Franchisor approved third-party vendor to use in connection with the processing of Product orders placed via the Online Store. The approximate current cost of the shipping scale is set forth on Exhibit 1.

h. Other Costs; Changes to Costs and Fees. For avoidance of doubt, all costs and expenses of Franchisee related to its participation in the Program are exclusively costs and expenses of Franchisee. FRANCHISEE ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE COSTS AND FEES IDENTIFIED ON EXHIBIT 1 ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE UPON 30 DAYS' NOTICE FROM FRANCHISOR.

7. License; Customer Information.

a. License. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, Franchisor hereby grants to Franchisee for the Program Term a non-exclusive, non-sublicensable, limited, non-transferable, fully paid-up and revocable license to copy, run, access and use the software to operate the Online Store and use and make a copy of the documentation associated with the Online Store solely for its internal business purposes. Any such copies of the Online Store and documentation remain Franchisor's exclusive property and must contain all copyright and other proprietary rights notices.

b. Customer Information.

(i) Franchisor owns all Customer Information (as defined below). Franchisee may only use Customer Information to the extent necessary to operate and market the Online Store and the Retail Store and otherwise perform its obligations under this Agreement and the Franchise Agreement during the term hereof and thereof and subject to such restrictions as Franchisor may from time to time impose and in compliance with all data privacy, security and other applicable laws. "Customer Information" means any contact information (including name, address, phone and fax numbers, and e-mail addresses), sales and payment history, and all other information about any customer, including any information deemed "personal information" under applicable law. As used in this Agreement and the Franchise Agreement, the term "customer" refers to any person or entity (i) included on any marketing or customer lists Franchisee develops or uses; (ii) who has purchased or purchases products or services at the Retail Store or through the Online Store; or (iii) whom Franchisee has solicited to purchase any products or services at the Retail Store or via the Online Store. Franchisor may use the Customer Information as it deems appropriate, including sharing it with its affiliates.

(ii) Without limiting the foregoing, Franchisee agrees to comply with applicable law in connection with its collection, storage and its use and Franchisor's use of Customer Information, including, if required under applicable law, obtaining consents from customers to Franchisor's and its affiliates' use of the Customer Information. Franchisee must comply with all laws and regulations relating to data protection, privacy and security, including data breach response requirements ("Privacy Laws"), as well as data privacy and security policies, procedures and other requirements Franchisor may periodically establish. Franchisee must notify Franchisor immediately of any suspected data breach at or in connection with the Retail Store or the business operated at the Retail Store, including through the Online Store. Franchisee must fully cooperate with Franchisor and its counsel in determining the most effective way to meet Franchisor's standards and policies pertaining to Privacy Laws within the bounds of applicable law. Franchisee is responsible for any financial losses it incurs or remedial actions that it must take as a result of breach of security or unauthorized access to Customer Information in Franchisee's control or possession.

(iii) If the California Consumer Privacy Act ("CCPA"), Cal. Civ. Code § 1798.100, et seq., or any federal or state Privacy Law applies to the Retail Store or the business operated at the Retail Store, including the Online Store, whenever and to the extent Franchisee operates as a "Service Provider" under the CCPA, a data processor, or in a similar capacity under any federal or state Privacy Law, Franchisee represents, warrants, and covenants that:

(1) Franchisee will not sell, make available or otherwise disclose any Customer Information to any third party for valuable consideration;

(2) Franchisee will retain, use, or disclose Customer Information only for the specific purpose of operating the Retail Store and the Online Store as specified in this Agreement and the Franchise Agreement, and not any commercial or noncommercial purpose other than operating the Retail Store and the Online Store as specified in this Agreement and the Franchise Agreement;

(3) Franchisee will not retain, use, or disclose Customer Information outside of the direct business relationship between Franchisee and Franchisor;

(4) Franchisee will delete any Customer Information upon Franchisor's request unless Franchisee can prove that such request is subject to an exception under applicable law; and

(5) If Franchisee receives a Customer Information data request (e.g. a request to delete Customer Information) directly from a consumer (e.g., a California resident under the CCPA, or a resident of another jurisdiction under other applicable Privacy Law), Franchisee shall inform Franchisor of that request within one business day and cooperate with Franchisor to ensure that the consumer receives an appropriate and timely acknowledgement and response. As an example, currently under the CCPA, an acknowledgement is typically required within 10 business days and a final response is required within 45 calendar days.

(iv) Franchisee certifies that it understands the restrictions in Paragraphs (1) – (5) of this Section 7.b. and will comply with them. Franchisee also acknowledges and agrees that Franchisor may modify these restrictions from time to time by written notice to Franchisee, by issuing updates to Franchisor's standards and policies pertaining to Privacy Laws, including by adding other similar restrictions that may be required under other state or federal Privacy Laws, and Franchisee agrees to comply with the same.

8. Term; Termination. This Agreement becomes effective on the Effective Date noted on the signature page hereto and will continue in effect until the termination of the Program as provided herein or the expiration or earlier termination of the Franchise Agreement (for any reason), whichever occurs first (the “**Program Term**”). Franchisor may terminate the Program and this Agreement at any time upon 30 days’ prior written notice to Franchisee. This Agreement and Franchisee’s participation in the Program may also be terminated or suspended by Franchisor immediately upon written notice by Franchisor to Franchisee if: (a) Franchisee ceases to operate the Retail Store under its WBU Franchise Agreement, (b) Franchisee is in breach of or default under the terms of this Agreement, any Franchise Agreement, any other agreement between Franchisor and Franchisee (including, without limitation, if Franchisee is delinquent in paying any amount due to Franchisor, or if Franchisee does not comply with the terms or conditions of the Program) and fails to cure the default within the applicable cure period (if any) specified in the Franchise Agreement or such other agreement between the parties, or (c) if Franchisor determines, in its business judgment, that, due to financial or other factors affecting Franchisee, Franchisee is no longer a suitable participant in the Program.

Upon termination of the Program Term for any reason, Franchisee agrees to (a) honor and process all pending Online Store product purchase orders placed prior to such termination; (b) cease all new transactions via the Online Store; and (c) comply with all applicable post-termination obligations set forth in the Franchise Agreement, including, without limitation: (i) provide to Franchisor a complete accounting of all amounts owed to Franchisor and its affiliates and promptly pay all such amounts owed; (ii) remove from Franchisee’s WBU Webpage as well as the Retail Store all marketing and other materials promoting or otherwise related to the Online Store; and (iii) return to Franchisor the WBU Handbook and any other proprietary materials made available by Franchisor hereunder; and (iv) ensure that all Customer Information in Franchisee’s possession is transferred to Franchisor and Franchisee does not retain any personal copies of such Customer Information.

9. Incorporation of Franchise Agreement Terms. Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, Franchisee acknowledges and agrees that the terms and conditions of the Franchise Agreement for the Retail Store will apply to Franchisee’s use and operation of the Online Store. The definition of a “Store” and business franchised under the Franchise Agreement shall include the Online Store, except for provisions that relate to the physical retail location characteristics and requirements of the Retail Store. Without limiting the foregoing, the following provisions of the Franchise Agreement shall apply to Franchisee’s activities with respect to the Online Store and Franchisee’s participation in the Program, and such provisions are hereby incorporated herein (the below section references are references to sections of the Franchise Agreement):

- a. Definitions (Article 1);
- b. Products and Suppliers (Article 5);
- c. Operating Standards (Article 6);
- d. Computations and Remittances; Late Payment Charges; Credit Cards, Retail Financing Plans and Other Methods of Payment; Electronic Transfer of Funds (Article 7);
- e. Advertising (Article 8);
- f. Books, Records, Control Procedures (Article 9);
- g. Insurance - Indemnity (Article 10);

- h. Ownership and Limitation of Use of Intellectual Property (Article 11);
- i. Events of Default and Effect of any Termination, Cancellation or Expiration of Agreement (Sections 12.01 and 12.02);
- j. Covenant Not to Compete After Expiration or Termination (Article 13);
- k. Assignments (Article 14);
- l. Dispute Resolution (Article 15); and
- m. General Provisions (Article 16).

For avoidance of doubt, Franchisee acknowledges and agrees that a breach of or default under this Agreement by Franchisee will also constitute a breach of and default under the Franchise Agreement and vice versa. In addition, Franchisee's obligations to protect and indemnify Franchisor (and related parties) under the Franchise Agreement shall apply to any losses, liabilities, taxes or damages and all reasonable costs and expenses of defending any claim brought against Franchisor (or related parties) arising from or in connection with Franchisee's participation in the Program, Franchisee's use and operation of the Online Store and otherwise Franchisee's activities under this Agreement, and such indemnification obligations are hereby incorporated herein by this reference. Further, any personal guarantees signed pursuant to the Franchise Agreement by individuals associated with Franchisee shall apply to all Franchisee payment and other liabilities and obligations under this Agreement.

10. Severability. Should one or more sections of this Agreement be held void or unenforceable for any reason by any arbitrator or court of competent jurisdiction, such clause or clauses will be deemed to be separable in such jurisdiction and the remainder of this Agreement is valid and in full force and effect and the terms of this Agreement must be equitably adjusted so as to compensate the appropriate party for any consideration lost because of the elimination of such clause or clauses. It is the intent and expectation of each of the parties that each provision of this Agreement will be honored, carried out and enforced as written. Consequently, each of the parties agrees that any provision of this Agreement sought to be enforced in any proceeding must, at the election of the party seeking enforcement and notwithstanding the availability of an adequate remedy at law, be enforced by specific performance or any other equitable remedy.

11. Entire Agreement. This Agreement, the Franchise Agreement and the exhibits attached hereto and thereto contain the entire agreement of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and replace and supersede in their entirety any prior or contemporaneous agreements, whether written, oral or otherwise. Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, this Agreement may be amended only by an instrument in writing signed by both parties. Nothing in this Agreement or any related agreement is intended to disclaim the representations we made in the franchise disclosure document.

FRANCHISEE:

Franchisee Legal Business Name: _____

By: _____

Title: _____

Franchisee's Retail Store Address: _____

FRANCHISEE GUARANTORS:

FRANCHISOR:

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By: _____

Title: _____

Effective Date: _____

Exhibit 1

MyWBU Store (ecommerce platform) Program Participation Requirements

In order to participate in the MyWBU Store Program, Franchisee (“I”) acknowledges and agrees to the following:

1. **I agree to comply with the terms and conditions of the *MyWBU Store Handbook*.** The MyWBU Handbook details the methods and procedures for implementing and operating the Program and is subject to change.
2. **I agree to adhere to the *MyWBU Store Customer Terms and Conditions, Privacy Policy and Rules, which includes the Privacy Policy, found in the MyWBU Store Handbook*.** I agree to review these documents so that I can answer questions posed by customers regarding their participation in the Program.
3. **I agree to purchase the required supplies for implementing and operating the Program and submit any necessary/required payment(s) to the Franchise Support Center (FSC) or approved vendor(s) (as applicable) in a timely manner.** The supplies for the Program include the external and internal branding material, point of purchase materials to promote the Program, initial set up fee and ongoing monthly support fees, as noted below. Additional computer equipment may be necessary based on my current configuration and this will be assessed by Franchisor prior to my participation in the Program. **Costs and fees set forth below are subject to change upon 30 days’ written notice to you:**
 - a. Branding Kit cost to promote the program: \$330
 - b. Initial Set Up Fee: one-time fee of \$500
 - c. Monthly Support Fee: \$100/month
 - d. Computer equipment cost (incl. POS Installation Fee, if any): \$ _____ (TBD based on my current configuration/version of POS software)
 - e. Scale cost: approximately \$354
4. **I agree to implement the branding and merchandising plan for the Program provided by Franchisor.** The merchandising plan includes recommended placement of the point of purchase materials included in the Program Branding Kit.
5. **I agree to participate in Free Shipping thresholds (i.e., \$75) and other marketing promotions to determine what would drive my customers to order more products via the MyWBU Store and to implement these Free Shipping promotions if required by Franchisor.**
6. **I agree to set up and utilize the Franchisor-approved shipping vendor(s) (currently Fed Ex) account. I understand that I may use a different shipping vendor(s), if that vendor(s) meet(s) the delivery standards, including, but not limited to, timing of customer delivery, professional reputation, etc., of the current Franchisor-approved shipping vendor, with appropriate insurance coverage if necessary.**
7. **I agree to offer In Store/Curbside Pickup services at my retail WBU store.**
8. **I agree to utilize Franchisor-required Point of Sale System with the most current RMS version and I understand and agree that I will migrate, if required by Franchisor, to the new cloud-based WBU POS system which will have additional installation and monthly fees that I will be required to pay.**
9. **I agree to participate in the Daily Savings Club Program.**
10. **I agree to set up an account with Franchisor’s designated third party credit card processor, to process payments for MyWBU Store (ecommerce platform).** I understand that I can still keep my current credit card processor for in retail Store purchases.

11. **I agree to add the MyWBU Store link to my retail WBU store’s website to facilitate online orders via the MyWBU Store.**
12. **I understand that I must be in full compliance with my Wild Birds Unlimited Franchise Agreement to participate in the MyWBU Store ecommerce platform.**
13. **I understand that I must ensure that MyWBU Store is in adherence with all applicable sales taxation requirements, including as it relates to shipping in and out of state.** I agree to partner with Franchisor-recommended tax software partner to ensure appropriate sales tax is recorded, collected and paid.
14. **I agree to adhere to Minimum Advertised Price (MAP) for MyWBU Store product prices for my “market area” as it may be updated by Franchisor from time to time.** This means that any merchandise I choose for my MyWBU Store (ecommerce platform) cannot be advertised below MAP.
15. **I understand that I must have the proper Seed and other Inventory Reporting Codes set up in my POS system and participate in the Auto-Poll program. I agree to update/record seed costs per Franchisor’s Best Practices guidelines for the POS system.**
16. **I agree to select my merchandise assortment from a Franchisor-approved master merchandise catalog managed by the Franchise Support Center.** The master catalog will be reviewed regularly and adjusted to account for new products, trends and seasonal needs.
17. **I agree to follow the return policy terms listed on MyWBU Store and provided to the customer after each order.**
18. **I understand that MyWBU Store online promotions may be different from recommended in-store promotions.**
19. **I understand that I must pay for all shipping fees to approved shipping vendors, even when offering required free or discounted shipping fee promotions to my customers.**
20. **I agree to keep the MyWBU Store open and operational at all times during the Program Term, including during non-business hours and on weekends and holidays, subject only to any Franchisor-scheduled website maintenance of the MyWBU Store or failures of third-party IT provider’s equipment, services, systems, or technology that are outside of my control and without my fault.**

Exhibit 2

Support Services

Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement and the Franchise Agreement, and conditioned on Franchisee's compliance therewith, during the Program Term, Franchisor will provide to Franchisee Franchisor's standard customer support services as described in this Section 10 (the "Services"):

a. Scope of Services. During the Program Term, Franchisor will use commercially reasonable efforts to resolve any incidents reported by Franchisee ("Incidents"). Franchisor, in its sole discretion, will determine the amount of time it will need to spend to attempt to resolve any specific Incident.

b. Response Time. During the Program Term, Franchisor will use commercially reasonable efforts to RESPOND to Incidents within seven (7) business days of a call by Franchisee to the Franchisor's service line (1-888-302-2473).

c. Remote Services. Franchisee acknowledges and agrees that Franchisor may provide remote services to Franchisee to assist in analyzing and resolving any Incident. Franchisee agrees to provide Franchisor with access to Franchisee's network and computers to install and use remote access software ("**Remote Access Software**") necessary for Franchisor to provide the remote services to Franchisee.

d. Exceptions. Franchisor has no obligation to provide the Services relating to any Incident that, in whole or in part, arises out of or results from any of the following:

- (i) software, or the media on which it is provided, that is modified or damaged by Franchisee or any third party;
- (ii) any third-party materials;
- (iii) any negligence, abuse, misapplication, or misuse of the Online Store other than by Franchisor personnel, including any Franchisee's use of the Online Store other than as expressly authorized in writing by Franchisor;
- (iv) the operation of, or access to, Franchisee's or a third party's system or network;
- (v) any breach of or noncompliance with any provision of this Agreement or the Franchise Agreement by Franchisee or any of its representatives;
- (vi) Franchisee's failure to install and use the required WBU POS System and other equipment and technology, including computer equipment, software, hardware, internet service, firewall, etc., as is required from time to time by Franchisor in connection with the access, use and operation of the Online Store; or
- (vii) any force majeure event.

e. Data Back-up. Franchisee agrees to back up all data, files, and information prior to the performance of any Services and hereby assumes sole responsibility for any lost or altered data, files, or information.

Exhibit F

**LIST OF EXISTING FRANCHISEES AND TERMINATED FRANCHISEES AND THOSE
WHO HAVE OTHERWISE LEFT THE SYSTEM AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2020**

**If you buy this franchise, your contact information will be included in this Exhibit and
therefore disclosed to other buyers, including if you leave the franchise system.**

List of Existing Franchisees as of December 31, 2020

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AL	Hal & Laura Smith	1550 Opelika Road, Suite 27	Auburn	AL	36830	USA	(334) 826-9230	villagebirds@charter.net
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	Martha Terry & Caldwell Terry	6345-C Airport Blvd.	Mobile	AL	36608	USA	(251) 380-0280	wbumobile@att.net
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AR	Eric & Sara Dalrymple	7645 N. Oracle Rd., #110	Tucson	AZ	85704	USA	(520) 878-9585	wbuoracle@gmail.com
	Robin Muther & Ruth Darling	745 E. Joyce Blvd. Suite 220	Fayetteville	AR	72703	USA	(479) 435-6366	Ozarkmountainbirds@gmail.com
	Jim Allen	1818 N. Taylor Street	Little Rock	AR	72207	USA	(501) 666-4210	pointman@aristotle.net
	Robin Muther & Ruth Darling	2011 Promenade Blvd. Suite 430	Rogers	AR	72758	USA	(479) 246-0217	wbu.rogers@gmail.com
CA	Silvia Slemmer	2624 El Camino Real, Ste. F	Carlsbad	CA	92008	USA	(760) 720-1906	wildbirdscarlsbad@gmail.com
	Chris & Angelica Verma	911 W. Foothill Blvd.	Claremont	CA	91711	USA	(909) 626-2266	wbu.claremont@verizon.net
	Mary Ann & Bruce Kirk	119 Neal St.	Grass Valley	CA	95945	USA	(530) 272-7744	wildbird@ncws.com
	Jonathan & Michelle Gottlieb	7171 Warner Avenue, Suite H	Huntington Beach	CA	92647	USA	(714) 375-1333	wbusurfcity@gmail.com
	Alan & Maggie Barry and David Brandt	24451 Alicia Parkway, Suite 9B	Mission Viejo	CA	92691	USA	(949) 472-4928	wbu-mv@sbcglobal.net
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	Michael Gedney, Shih-Po Hsu & Jack Gedney	104 Vintage Way, Ste. A-7	Novato	CA	94945	USA	(415) 893-0500	wbumarin@gmail.com
	Michael & Anne Eliot	692 Contra Costa Blvd.	Pleasant Hill	CA	94523	USA	(925) 798-0303	wbupleasanthill@gmail.com
	Bob & Roberta Shanman	1886 1/2 S. Pacific Coast Hwy	Redondo Beach	CA	90277	USA	(310) 326-2473	wburedondo@gmail.com

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	Tim Stewart	71 Brookwood Avenue	Santa Rosa	CA	95404	USA	(707) 576-0861	wbusantarosa@sonic.net
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	Frank DeMartino	4020 E. Main Street Unit B-1-1	Ventura	CA	93003	USA	(805) 765-4594	wbuventura@gmail.com
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CO	David & Kathy Menough	7370 W. 88th Avenue, Unit A	Arvada	CO	80021	USA	(303) 467-2644	redtailone1@msn.com
	Greg & Meg Watkins	18666 E. Hampden Ave.	Aurora	CO	80013	USA	(720) 519-1374	wbu.aurora@gmail.com
	Joan Crowe	320 W. Allen Street	Castle Rock	CO	80108	USA	(719) 641-1767	wbucastlerockco@gmail.com
	Eric & Dana Breier	3350 N. Union Blvd.	Colorado Springs	CO	80907	USA	(719) 596-1819	wbu023@pcsisys.net
	Tina and Dean Seifert	2720 S. Wadsworth	Denver	CO	80227	USA	(303) 987-1065	wbu@WildBirdsColorado.com
	Lauren DeRosa & Lynn Raymond	3636 S. College Avenue, Suite C	Ft. Collins	CO	80525	USA	(970) 225-2557	wbufortcollins@gmail.com
	Larry & Carol Collins	2454 Hwy 6 & 50 #116	Grand Junction	CO	81505	USA	(970) 242-2843	lcollins1@bresnan.net
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	Joe & Pat Warren	One Ledge Road	Darien	CT	06820	USA	(203) 202-2669	wbudarien@optonline.net
	Chris Petherick & Sue Shunta	2246 Black Rock Turnpike, Ste. 1	Fairfield	CT	06825	USA	(203) 916-7733	wbufairfield@gmail.com
	Roger & Jennifer Fontaine	2848A Main Street Griswold Shopping Plaza	Glastonbury	CT	06033	USA	(860) 633-5211	wbuglastonbury44@gmail.com
	David & Karen Hughes	190 Flanders Road, Unit 1	Niantic	CT	06357	USA	(860) 739-7302	wbuniantic@sbcglobal.net
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	Richard & Karen Duncan	2455 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd (Hwy 77)	Panama City	FL	32405	USA	(850) 640-1354	LilBirdhouse.wbupc@gmail.com
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	Laura & Jason Peliwo	5856 Red Bug Lake Road	Winter Springs	FL	32708	USA	(407) 695-0526	wbu370@outlook.com
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	Joel Lehmann	Chastain Square Shopping Center, 4279 Roswell Rd, Suite 603	Atlanta	GA	30342	USA	(404) 257-0084	wbudecatur@gmail.com
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	Jeff Stroburg	12631 Stone Village Way	Midlothian	VA	23113	USA	(804) 464-4242	wburichmond@gmail.com
	Trisha & Brandon Lohman	620 Hilltop West Shopping Ctr.	Virginia Beach	VA	23451	USA	(757) 422-3215	thewildside2015@gmail.com
	George & Valerie Copping	Settlers Market 4625 Casey Blvd, Ste 300	Williamsburg	VA	23188	USA	(757) 253-0873	cvalerieanne@cs.com
	Glenn and Angela Harriman	3103 Valley Avenue, Ste. 110	Winchester	VA	22601	USA	(540) 722-9407	wbuwinchester@gmail.com
	Gregory & Kristin Millslagle	3120 Kiln Creek Pkwy, Unite A	Yorktown	VA	23693	USA	(757) 875-1936	wbuphotos@gmill.hrcoxmail.com
WA	Andy Waters & Rhonda Ham	15858 First Avenue South #106	Burien	WA	98148	USA	(206) 241-3201	wbussea@wbuburien.com
	Paul & Lori Clark	27177 185 th Avenue SE. Ste. D109	Covington	WA	98042	USA	(253) 639-6378	cedar2greenbirds@comcast.net
	Shannon & James Bailey	4821 Evergreen Way	Everett	WA	98203	USA	(425) 252-2220	wbueverett2@gmail.com
	Shirley Hendricson	5565 Van Barr Place Suite AB	Freeland	WA	98249	USA	(360) 341-1404	wbu@whidbey.com
	Marc & Christie Lassen	275953 Highway 101	Gardiner	WA	98382	USA	(360) 797-7100	marcl2377@msn.com
	Greg & Kecia Cole	6820 Kimball Dr., Ste. A7	Gig Harbor	WA	98335	USA	(253) 851-2575	wbugigharbor@gmail.com
	Amy Legg & Kellie Watts	17171 Bothell Way NE, #A007	Lake Forest Park	WA	98155	USA	(206) 367-1950	alegg33@outlook.com
Leann Jacobson	19677 State Rt. 2, Suite 111	Monroe	WA	98272	USA	(360) 863-9173	monroewbu@netscape.net	

State	Franchisee	Address	City	State	Zip	Country	Phone	Email
	Greg Pettibone	Cooper Point Mktpl, Ste. 304 1200 Cooper Point Rd SW	Olympia	WA	98502	USA	(360) 352-5458	wbuolywa@hotmail.com
	Greg & Kecia Cole	4621 S. Meridian Street Suite 825	Puyallup	WA	98373	USA	(253) 845-5434	wbu.puyallup@gmail.com
	Diane Drisch	15155 NE 24th St.	Redmond	WA	98052	USA	(425) 747-8908	ddrisch@gmail.com
	Hanna & David Goss	474 Keene Road	Richland	WA	99352	USA	(509) 579-5440	wbu.tricitiesWA@gmail.com
	Hanna & David Goss	2925 East 29th Ave, Ste. B	Spokane	WA	99223	USA	(509) 862-4715	wbuspokane1@gmail.com
	Greg & Kecia Cole	Coming Soon	University Place	WA		USA	(253) 845-5434	Wbu.universityplace@gmail.com
	Patrick & Mabel Bodell	212 Fifth St., Ste. 10	Wenatchee	WA	98801	USA	(509) 888-0513	wbuwenatchee@gmail.com
WV	Scott Cavallaro	1074 Suncrest Towne Center Drive	Morgantown	WV	26505	USA	(304) 241-4370	wbumorgantown@gmail.com
WI	Larry & Carol Gjerseth & Debi Hornburg	19555 W. Bluemound Road #4	Brookfield	WI	53045	USA	(262) 789-8226	wbubrookfieldwi@gmail.com
	Debbi Triplett	3173 Golf Road	Delafield	WI	53018	USA	(262) 646-4128	wbudelafield@hotmail.com
	Nancy Paul	2285 D South Oneida St.	Green Bay	WI	54304	USA	(920) 489-2684	wbugreenbay@gmail.com
	Marty & Mary Wacha	3000 Milton Avenue #102	Janesville	WI	53545	USA	(608) 758-2565	wbu@wildbirdsjanestown.com
	Dan Panetti	11004 N. Port Washington Rd.	Mequon	WI	53092	USA	(262) 241-8483	dan@wildbirdmandan.com
	Bob & Janet Ross	8402 Old Sauk Road	Middleton	WI	53562	USA	(608) 664-1414	wbumadison@gmail.com
	Jackie Crivello	4454 S. 108th Street	Milwaukee	WI	53228	USA	(414) 529-4644	aspenglow22@aol.com
	Karen & Gaylord Perry	9348 State Hwy 16, Ste 214	Onalaska	WI	54650	USA	(608) 781-5088	wildbirds165@gmail.com
	Lori & Rocky Schubring	226021 Rib Mountain Drive	Wausau	WI	54401	USA	(715) 298-3140	wbuwausau@gmail.com
CANADA								
AB	Janis Chapman & David Cleary	12204 107th Avenue N.W.	Edmonton	AB	T5M 4A8	Canada	(587) 521-2473	wbuedmonton@gmail.com
BC	Jennifer Houssian & Richard Dunn	#13-33324 South Fraser Way	Abbotsford	BC	V2S 2B4	Canada	(604) 852-1960	dunnr@shaw.ca
	Jennifer Houssian & Richard Dunn	8810-C Young Road	Chilliwack	BC	V2P 4P5	Canada	(604) 792-1239	dunnr@shaw.ca
	Jennifer Houssian & Richard Dunn	#2-6131 200th Street	Langley	BC	V2Y 1A2	Canada	(604) 510-2035	dunnr@shaw.ca
	Kurtis Huston	Coming Soon	Kamloops North	BC		Canada	(604) 716-7451	wbukamloops@gmail.com
	Mark & Laura Eburne	1190 Marine Drive	Vancouver	BC	V7P 1S8	Canada	(604) 988-2121	vancouver_bc118@wbu.com
	Cathy Steele	2421 King George Blvd.	Surrey	BC	V4P 1H8	Canada	(604) 536-4011	wbu109@shaw.ca
	Mark & Laura Eburne	1302 W. Broadway (at Birch)	Vancouver	BC	V6H 1H2	Canada	(604) 736-2676	wbu118@telus.net

State	Franchisee	Address	City	State	Zip	Country	Phone	Email
	Don Wuest & Alanna Goebel	3631 Shelbourne Street	Victoria	BC	V8P 4H1	Canada	(250) 595-3595	wbuvictoria@shaw.ca
MB	Richard & Jennifer Gobeil	Unit 45 11 Reenders Drive	Winnipeg	MB	R2C 5K5	Canada	(204) 667-2161	wildbird@mts.net
ON	Kristen Martyn & Cameron Hogarth	515 Bryne Drive, Unit B	Barrie	ON	L4N 9P7	Canada	(705) 726-7600	wbubarrie@gmail.com
	Dave Wood	3350 Fairview St.	Burlington	ON	L7N 3L5	Canada	(905) 634-7700	wbu1@bellnet.ca
	Paul Grant & Val Wyatt	987 Gordon Street	Guelph	ON	N1G 4W3	Canada	(519) 821-2473	wellbirds@bellnet.ca
	Kindell & Josh Tomie	420 Hazeldean Road, Unit 11	Kanata	ON	K2L 4B2	Canada	(613) 836-2888	wbukanata@gmail.com
	Cathy Hale	4391 King St. East, Unit 4B	Kitchener	ON	N2P 2G1	Canada	(519) 650-9800	wbukitchenerwaterloo@gmail.com
	Norm & Marilyn Morton	502 Springbank Drive	London	ON	N6J 1G8	Canada	(519) 657-0745	wbu-london@pobox.com
	Kristen Martyn & Caeron Hogarth	16655 Yonge Street, Unit #2	Newmarket	ON	L3X 1V6	Canada	(905) 868-9696	wbunewmarket@gmail.com
	Eric & Margo Garrison	Blue Heron Mall 1500 Bank Street	Ottawa	ON	K1H 7Z1	Canada	(613) 521-7333	wbu@bellnet.ca
	Debbie Neale	Unit 4 - 7960 Yonge Street	Thornhill	ON	L4J 1W1	Canada	(905) 709-3775	feathered_friendship@bellnet.ca
	Jim & Lynda Mackiewicz	5468 Dundas Street West	Toronto	ON	M9B 6E3	Canada	(416) 233-3558	wildbirdsunlimited@rogers.com
SK	Keith & Denise Giroux	330A 2600 8th Street East	Saskatoon	SK	S7H 0V7	Canada	(306) 955-2473	wildbirds@sasktel.com

**Franchise Agreements Signed
But Not Yet Operational as of December 31, 2020**

<u>State/ Province</u>	<u>Franchisee</u>	<u>Store Location</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State/Province</u>	<u>Zip/Postal Code</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>Phone</u>
BC	Kurtis Huston	Coming Soon	Kamloops	BC		Canada	(604) 716-7451
CA	Richard Armerding & Catherine Bourne	Coming Soon 19500 Plummer St. Unit D3	Northridge	CA	91324	USA	(805) 379-3901
FL	Joline & Brian Bidwell	Coming Soon	St. Augustine	FL		USA	(904) 246-6832
NJ	Richard Elliott	Coming Soon	Princeton	NJ		USA	(908) 233-5004
NY	Scott Gunther	Coming Soon	Rockland County	NY		USA	(201) 599-0099
	Matt Kosty	Coming Soon	Camillus	NY		USA	(315) 637-0710
PA	Heather Peterson	Coming Soon	Wayne	PA		USA	(610) 246-1958
TX	Cheryl Miller	Coming Soon	Plano	TX		USA	(972) 472-2022
	Jeff Glattly	Coming Soon	Clear Lake	TX		USA	(281) 461-4420
	Tommy & Darla Reeder	Coming Soon	Temple	TX		USA	(903) 327-6105
WA	Greg & Kecia Cole	Coming Soon	University Place	WA		USA	(253) 845-5434

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**Franchisees That Ceased to do Business Under a Franchise Agreement
or Had an Outlet Terminated, Cancelled, or Not Renewed During our Last Fiscal Year,
Or Who Have Not Communicated With WBU Within 10 Weeks of the Issuance Date
As of December 31, 2020**

State	Franchisee	Store Location	City	State	Zip	Country	Phone	Reason for Leaving the System
AR	Mary Lynn Jordan	2011 Promenade Blvd. Suite 430	Rogers	AR	72758	USA	(479)619-5049	Transferred to New Owner
CO	Scott and Sandy Menough	2720 S. Wadsworth	Denver	CO	80227	USA	(303) 358-1096	Transferred to New Owner
IA	Dick and Dell Woltz	801 73 rd	Des Moines	IA	50324	USA	(515) 777-0157	Transferred to New Owner
MI	Dan Cruz	G4208 Corunna Road	Flint	MI	48532	USA	(810) 394-8541	Mutual Termination
MO	Robin Muther & Ruth Darling	650 N. Branson Landing Blvd.	Branson	MO	65616	USA	(513) 582-8400	Transferred to New Owner
NC	Mike Graziano & Pam Pepsin	Woodcroft Shopping Center 4711 Hope Valley Rd, Ste. 6D	Durham	NC	27707	USA	(919) 676-4209	Transferred to New Owner
	Tom & Elizabeth Schmid	1589 Skeet Club Road, Ste 134	High Point	NC	27265	USA	(336) 549-2274	Transferred to New Owner
	Jim and Carol Oldham	2029 South Glenburnie Rd. Crossroads Shopping Center	New Bern	NC	28562	USA	(252) 571-7560	Transferred to New Owner
PA	Michael & Jeanne O'Shea	PO Box 663 4920 York Road	Buckingham	PA	18912	USA	(215) 795-8052	Transferred to New Owner
	Frank & Cheryl Zalik	21607 Teepleville Flats Road	Cambridge Springs	PA	16403	USA	(814) 449-9562	Mutual Termination
SC	Julia and Sean Dennis	45 Pembroke Dr, Ste 130	Hilton Head Island	SC	29926	USA	(843) 707-5618	Transferred to New Owner
VA	Bruce and Meredith Bass	3404 Pump Road	Henrico	VA	23233	USA	(802) 662-5589	Transferred to New Owner
	Bruce and Meredith Bass	12631 Stone Village Way	Midlothian	VA	23113	USA	(802) 662-5589	Transferred to New Owner
	Bruce and Dolores Johnson	3103 Valley Avenue, Ste. 110	Winchester	VA	22601	USA	(540) 409-6544	Transferred to New Owner
WA	Bob & Katie Gundlach	Cooper Point Mktp, Ste. 304 1200 Cooper Point Rd SW	Olympia	WA	98502	USA	(360) 705-0527	Transferred to New Owner

Canada								
Province	Franchisee	Store Location	City	State	Zip	Country	Phone	Reason for Leaving the System
ON	Liz Evans & Dave Weston	16655 Yonge Street, Unit #2	Newmarket	ON	L3X 1V6	Canada	(905) 830-1544	Transferred to New Owner

**If you buy this franchise, your contact information may be disclosed to other buyers
when you leave the franchise system.**

Exhibit G

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS



FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND
INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

December 31, 2020, 2019 and 2018

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

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Independent Auditors' Report

Board of Directors and Stockholder
Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc., which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2020, 2019, and 2018, and the related statements of income and retained earnings (accumulated deficit) and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditors consider internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. as of December 31, 2020, 2019, and 2018, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Katz, Sapper & Miller, LLP

Indianapolis, Indiana
February 17, 2021

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

BALANCE SHEETS
December 31, 2020, 2019 and 2018

ASSETS

	2020	2019	2018
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash	\$ 2,591,240	\$ 557,201	\$ 715,455
Accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$65,000 in 2020, 2019 and 2018	1,907,158	1,263,437	1,308,447
Notes receivable - current	12,181	12,990	11,602
Other current assets	413,939	269,779	418,560
Total Current Assets	<u>4,924,518</u>	<u>2,103,407</u>	<u>2,454,064</u>
OTHER ASSETS			
Notes receivable - long-term	14,027	18,795	29,647
Software development costs, net	107,601	65,878	131,350
Property and equipment, net	262,669	284,674	125,793
Total Other Assets	<u>384,297</u>	<u>369,347</u>	<u>286,790</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u><u>\$ 5,308,815</u></u>	<u><u>\$2,472,754</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 2,740,854</u></u>

LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY (DEFICIT)

CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable	\$ 291,834	\$ 47,922	\$ 12
Other accrued liabilities	734,085	640,740	523,026
Deferred franchise fee revenue - current	284,810	277,110	255,110
Total Current Liabilities	<u>1,310,729</u>	<u>965,772</u>	<u>778,148</u>
OTHER LIABILITIES			
Deferred rent and lease liability	108,301	101,023	
Deferred franchise fee revenue - long-term	1,374,993	1,469,703	1,467,214
Total Other Liabilities	<u>1,483,294</u>	<u>1,570,726</u>	<u>1,467,214</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>2,794,023</u>	<u>2,536,498</u>	<u>2,245,362</u>
STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY (DEFICIT)			
Common stock, without par value; 1,000 shares authorized, 100 shares issued and outstanding	3,000	3,000	3,000
Additional paid-in capital	395,169	395,169	395,169
Retained earnings (accumulated deficit)	2,116,623	(461,913)	97,323
Total Stockholder's Equity (Deficit)	<u>2,514,792</u>	<u>(63,744)</u>	<u>495,492</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY (DEFICIT)	<u><u>\$ 5,308,815</u></u>	<u><u>\$2,472,754</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 2,740,854</u></u>

See accompanying notes.

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS (ACCUMULATED DEFICIT)
Years Ended December 31, 2020, 2019 and 2018

	2020	2019	2018
REVENUE	\$ 14,544,429	\$ 11,228,911	\$ 10,119,101
OPERATING EXPENSES	<u>10,266,315</u>	<u>8,521,406</u>	<u>7,489,001</u>
Income from Operations	4,278,114	2,707,505	2,630,100
INTEREST INCOME	1,486	1,073	768
LOSS ON DISPOSAL OF EQUIPMENT			<u>(47)</u>
NET INCOME	4,279,600	2,708,578	2,630,821
DISTRIBUTIONS TO STOCKHOLDER	(1,701,064)	(3,267,814)	(2,229,536)
RETAINED EARNINGS (ACCUMULATED DEFICIT)			
Beginning of Year	<u>(461,913)</u>	<u>97,323</u>	<u>(303,962)</u>
End of Year	<u>\$ 2,116,623</u>	<u>\$ (461,913)</u>	<u>\$ 97,323</u>

See accompanying notes.

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
Years Ended December 31, 2020, 2019 and 2018

	2020	2019	2018
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Net income	\$ 4,279,600	\$ 2,708,578	\$ 2,630,821
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:			
Depreciation of property and equipment	78,086	54,484	36,675
Amortization of software development costs	15,277	91,663	91,663
Loss on disposal of equipment			47
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:			
Accounts receivable	(654,430)	45,010	(267,360)
Other current assets	(144,160)	148,781	(216,026)
Accounts payable	243,912	47,910	(116,122)
Other accrued liabilities	93,345	117,714	261,643
Deferred rent and lease liability	7,278	1,023	
Deferred franchise fee revenue	(87,010)	24,489	147,388
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	<u>3,831,898</u>	<u>3,239,652</u>	<u>2,568,729</u>
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Software development costs incurred	(57,000)	(26,190)	(24,410)
Purchases of property and equipment	(56,081)	(113,366)	(48,468)
Decrease in notes receivable	16,286	9,464	8,164
Net Cash Used by Investing Activities	<u>(96,795)</u>	<u>(130,092)</u>	<u>(64,714)</u>
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Cash distributions to stockholder	<u>(1,701,064)</u>	<u>(3,267,814)</u>	<u>(2,229,536)</u>
Net Cash Used by Financing Activities	<u>(1,701,064)</u>	<u>(3,267,814)</u>	<u>(2,229,536)</u>
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH	2,034,039	(158,254)	274,479
CASH			
Beginning of Year	<u>557,201</u>	<u>715,455</u>	<u>440,976</u>
End of Year	<u>\$ 2,591,240</u>	<u>\$ 557,201</u>	<u>\$ 715,455</u>
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES			
Noncash investing activities:			
Accounts receivable converted to notes receivable	\$ 10,709		\$ 17,904
Increase in property and equipment related to lease incentive allowance		\$ 100,000	

See accompanying notes.

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2020, 2019 and 2018

NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. (the Company) is based in Carmel, Indiana and sells Wild Birds Unlimited franchise rights and provides certain services to retail bird feeding and nature related stores throughout the United States of America and Canada. Franchisees pay an initial fee for a ten-year franchise right, a monthly royalty calculated on a percentage of sales, and various other fees as described in the franchise agreements.

Estimates: Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses. Actual results could vary from those estimates.

Cash: The Company maintains its cash in bank deposit accounts which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts.

Receivables and Credit Policies: Accounts receivable are uncollateralized customer obligations due under normal trade terms requiring payment by the 10th day of the month following the royalty and ad fund period covered. Late fees are assessed at management's discretion on overdue balances. Notes receivable, which are also uncollateralized, are stated at the unpaid principal balance and represent significant franchisee accounts receivable that have been converted from normal trade receivables. Notes receivable entered into from 2018 to 2020 accrue interest at the prime rate at the date of origin plus 2% or as defined in the note agreement. Outstanding notes receivable at December 31, 2020 have interest rates ranging from 5.25% to 6.50%. Interest is recognized as income when received.

Payments of accounts receivable are allocated to the specific period identified by franchisees with their monthly royalty and ad fund reports or, if unspecified, are applied to the earliest unpaid amount. Payments of notes receivable are allocated first to the oldest unpaid principal and interest payment due with the remainder allocated to the next oldest outstanding principal and interest balance.

The carrying amount of accounts receivable is reduced by an allowance that reflects management's best estimate of the amounts that will not be collected. Management individually reviews all accounts and notes receivable balances and, based on an assessment of current creditworthiness, estimates the portion, if any, of the balances that will not be collected.

Property and Equipment are recorded at cost and are depreciated using primarily accelerated methods over the estimated useful lives of the respective assets. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the shorter of the estimated useful lives of the respective assets or the term of the lease. Amortization of leasehold improvements is included in depreciation expense. The Company's policy is to capitalize any property and equipment with a cost over \$500.

The Company's property and equipment are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of an asset may not be recoverable. Recoverability is measured by comparison of the carrying amount to future net undiscounted cash flows expected to be generated by the related asset. If such assets are considered to be impaired, the impairment to be recognized is measured by the amount by which the carrying amount exceeds the fair market value of the assets. No adjustments to the carrying amount of property and equipment were required in 2020, 2019, and 2018.

NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Software Development Costs include those costs incurred by the Company to develop and enhance its software products. These costs are capitalized and amortized over three years. Capitalized software development costs totaled \$382,589, \$325,589, and \$299,399 at December 31, 2020, 2019, and 2018, respectively. The Company begins amortization of software development costs when the software is determined to be commercially feasible. Amortization totaled \$15,277, \$91,663, and \$91,663 for the years ended December 31, 2020, 2019, and 2018, respectively. The software development costs being amortized were fully amortized during the year ended December 31, 2020.

During the years ended December 31, 2020, 2019, and 2018, the Company capitalized additional software costs of \$57,000, \$26,190, and \$24,410, respectively. These costs were determined to be in the application development phase; therefore no costs were amortized in the year ended December 31, 2020. Related amortization expense in the next five years has not been determined as the software has not yet been placed in service.

Revenue Recognition: The Company's primary revenue sources are royalty revenue, franchise fee revenue and other revenue. Revenue is recognized as described below:

- **Royalty Revenue:** The Company recognizes revenue, including continuing monthly royalty fees and ad fund fees, at a point in time when the related revenue from the franchisee is reported and the royalty revenue can be reasonably estimated. Royalty revenue is recorded based upon a percentage of franchisee revenue in the same month in which the franchisee records the related revenue. Franchisee revenue is reported monthly to the Company. Ad fund fees are to be used exclusively for national advertising campaigns.
- **Franchise Fee Revenue:** The Company recognizes revenue over the term of the franchise agreement and any subsequent renewals, transfers, or extension, if applicable. The general term of franchise agreements is 10 years. Franchise revenue is recorded on a straight-line basis over the 10 year franchise term, as the franchise agreement represents symbolic intellectual property for which the Company has a performance obligation over the full agreement term. Deferred revenue is recorded for the portion of the franchise agreement term which has not passed, based on the month in which the franchise agreement was signed. Franchise fees are paid to the Company up-front by the franchisee, which generates a difference in timing of when consideration is received and when revenue is earned. When a transfer of a franchise occurs, the existing franchise agreement term is taken over by the new franchisor. The recognition of transfer fees as revenue is consistent with franchise fee revenue recognition.
- **Other Revenue:** The Company has various fees which are generally billed monthly to franchisees and are recognized at a point in time. Certain fees are one time fees with a single performance obligation and are also recognized at a point in time when the performance obligation has been met, such as registration fees for events.

Advertising Costs are expensed in the year incurred and totaled \$1,838,472 in 2020, \$843,642 in 2019 and \$815,663 in 2018.

Income Taxes: The Company, with the consent of its stockholder, has elected under the U.S. Internal Revenue Code to be taxed as an S Corporation. The stockholder of an S Corporation is directly taxed on the Company's taxable income. This election is also valid for the state of Indiana and the other states in which the Company files tax returns. Therefore, no provision or liability for income taxes has been included in the financial statements. Certain specific deductions and credits flow through the Company to its stockholder.

NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

The Company files income tax returns in the U.S. federal jurisdiction and various state jurisdictions. Generally, the Company is no longer subject to U.S. federal and state income tax examinations by tax authorities for years before 2017. The Company is not required to file an income tax return in Canada; however, Canadian franchisees remit a 10% tax on royalty payments to the Canadian taxing authority.

Financial Instruments: The Company's financial instruments include cash, accounts and notes receivable, accounts payable, and certain other accrued liabilities. All financial instruments are carried at cost, which approximates their fair value.

Subsequent Events: The Company has evaluated the financial statements for subsequent events occurring through February 17, 2021, the date the financial statements were available to be issued. See Note 8.

NOTE 2 - REVENUE, ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE AND CONTRACT LIABILITIES

At December 31, 2020, 2019 and 2018, revenue by major category was as follows:

	2020	2019	2018
Point in Time Revenue:			
Royalty revenue	\$11,524,315	\$ 8,590,648	\$ 7,881,541
Other revenue	2,527,604	2,303,753	1,993,950
Over Time Revenue:			
Franchise fee revenue	<u>492,510</u>	<u>334,510</u>	<u>243,610</u>
Total Revenue	<u>\$14,544,429</u>	<u>\$11,228,911</u>	<u>\$10,119,101</u>

Accounts receivable and contract liabilities as of December 31, 2020, 2019, 2018 and 2017 were as follows:

	2020	2019	2018	2017
Accounts receivable, net	<u>\$1,907,158</u>	<u>\$1,263,437</u>	<u>\$1,308,447</u>	<u>\$ 1,058,841</u>
Contract Liabilities:				
Deferred revenue - current	\$ 284,810	\$ 277,110	\$ 255,110	\$ 222,510
Deferred revenue - long-term	<u>1,374,993</u>	<u>1,469,703</u>	<u>1,467,214</u>	<u>1,352,426</u>
Total Deferred Franchise Fee Revenue	<u>\$1,659,803</u>	<u>\$1,746,813</u>	<u>\$1,722,324</u>	<u>\$1,574,936</u>

NOTE 3 - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment consisted of the following as of December 31, 2020, 2019 and 2018:

	2020	2019	2018
Leasehold improvements	\$ 223,257	\$ 218,678	\$ 118,678
Furniture and equipment	<u>659,185</u>	<u>607,683</u>	<u>494,318</u>
	882,442	826,361	612,996
Less: Accumulated depreciation	<u>(619,773)</u>	<u>(541,687)</u>	<u>(487,203)</u>
Total Property and Equipment, net	<u>\$ 262,669</u>	<u>\$ 284,674</u>	<u>\$ 125,793</u>

NOTE 4 - DEBT AND CREDIT AGREEMENTS

The Company has a line of credit for short-term bank borrowings of up to \$400,000 with interest computed on the outstanding borrowings at the Bank's prime lending rate plus .25% (3.50% at December 31, 2020). Such borrowings are secured by substantially all of the Company's assets and are payable on demand. The Company had no line of credit borrowings outstanding at December 31, 2020, 2019 and 2018.

NOTE 5 - OPERATING LEASE

The Company leases its office space under a long-term operating lease that includes scheduled rent increases and requires the Company to share in common area expenses and real estate taxes. The lease expires on May 31, 2026. At December 31, 2020, future minimum rental payments required by this lease were as follows:

Payable In	Rental Payments
2021	\$ 270,353
2022	278,913
2023	287,473
2024	296,033
2025	304,593
Thereafter	<u>128,402</u>
	<u>\$1,565,767</u>

Expenses relating to this lease were \$281,021 in 2020, \$223,478 in 2019 and \$211,869 in 2018.

NOTE 6 - OPERATING FRANCHISE ACTIVITY

Following is a summary of the changes in the number of operating Wild Birds Unlimited franchises during each of the years in the three-year period ended December 31, 2020:

	2020	2019	2018
Operating franchises at beginning of year	343	338	327
New franchises opened during the year	7	10	15
Franchises closed during the year	(2)	(4)	(4)
Franchises ceasing operations during the year	<u>0</u>	<u>(1)</u>	<u>0</u>
Operating franchises at end of year	<u>348</u>	<u>343</u>	<u>338</u>

NOTE 7 - EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLAN

The Company sponsors a defined contribution 401(k) retirement plan covering all of its employees who meet eligibility requirements. Plan participants may elect to contribute a percentage of their annual compensation to the Plan. The Company matches 50% of participant contributions up to 6% of their annual compensation. The Company may also elect to contribute a discretionary profit-sharing component. The Company made contributions to the Plan of \$108,938 in 2020, \$89,767 in 2019 and \$74,744 in 2018.

NOTE 8 - COMMITMENTS

The Company entered into a license agreement with a software firm in May 2018 related to the Company's customer relationship management system. The agreement includes a quarterly license fee of \$13,000 through May 2023.

NOTE 8 - COMMITMENTS (CONTINUED)

The Company entered into an agreement with a software firm in December 2020 related to ongoing development and maintenance of the Company's eCommerce platform. The agreement includes a monthly fee of \$23,000 through March 2021.

The Company entered into an agreement with a software firm in January 2021 related to email marketing tools and services for its franchise store owners. The agreement includes a semi-annual fee of \$183,000 through January 2026.

NOTE 9 - UNCERTAINTY RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS

On January 30, 2020, the World Health Organization declared a global health emergency over the novel coronavirus known as COVID-19. The COVID-19 outbreak is disrupting supply chains and affecting production and sales across a range of industries. The extent of the impact of COVID-19 on the Company's operational and financial performance will depend on certain developments, including the duration and spread of the outbreak and the impact on the franchisees and its employees, all of which are uncertain and cannot be predicted. While the franchisees are operating near full capacity as local regulations permit, the outbreak could cause delinquencies, and possible nonpayment, of monthly royalty payments owed to the Company. The ultimate impact of the outbreak to the Company's financial results and operations cannot be determined at this time; however, management is taking actions to mitigate the impact of the outbreak to the Company.

Exhibit H

FRANCHISEE ACKNOWLEDGMENT ADDENDUM

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT ADDENDUM TO
WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® FRANCHISE AGREEMENT**

As you know, you and we are entering into a Franchise Agreement for the operation of an WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED franchise. Please review each of the following statements carefully and confirm their accuracy or advise us of their inaccuracy.

Acknowledgments and Representations. I, the undersigned, hereby acknowledge and represent to Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc., as follows:

1. I have received a copy of Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc.’s Franchise Disclosure Document (and all exhibits and attachments) (the “Disclosure Document”) at least fourteen calendar days prior to signing the Wild Birds Unlimited® Franchise Agreement (the “Franchise Agreement”). If I am a resident of Iowa or New York, I acknowledge that I received the Disclosure Document at the earlier of the first personal meeting or at least 10 business days before the execution of any franchise or other agreement or payment of any consideration that relates to the franchise relationship. If I am a resident of Michigan, I acknowledge that I received the Disclosure Document at least 10 business days before the execution of any binding franchise or other agreement or the payment of any consideration, whichever occurs first.

If not accurate, please comment: _____

2. I acknowledge that, if Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. made unilateral material changes to the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Franchise Agreement and/or Reservation Agreement (e.g., Exhibit A to Franchise Agreement, etc.), I received executable forms of those agreements at least seven calendar days before I signed any agreement or paid Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. any money.

If not accurate, please comment: _____

3. I have reviewed carefully the Disclosure Document and Franchise Agreement and have had an opportunity to discuss all questions and concerns with Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc., and I understand all the information contained in both the Disclosure Document and Franchise Agreement.

If not accurate, please comment: _____

4. No oral, written or visual claim or representation was made to me that contradicted the disclosures in the Disclosure Document.

If not accurate, please state in detail the oral, written or visual claim or representation: _____

5. Other than as expressly stated in Item 19 of the Disclosure Document, no employee or other person speaking on behalf of Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. has made any oral, written or visual claim, statement, promise or representation to me that stated, suggested, predicted or projected sales, revenues, expenses, earnings, income or profit levels at any WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED store, or the likelihood of success at my franchised store. I understand that some outlets have earned the amounts disclosed in Item 19 of the Disclosure Document but my individual results may differ and there is no assurance that I will earn as much.

If not accurate, please state in detail the oral, written or visual claim or representation: _____

6. No employee or other person speaking on behalf of Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. has made any statement or promise regarding the costs involved in operating a franchise that is not contained in the Disclosure Document or that is contrary to, or different from, the information contained in the Disclosure Document.
If not accurate, please comment: _____
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7. I understand that while I will be granted a Designated Territory within which Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. will not grant another franchise for, or operate another, retail “brick and mortar” WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® store, the city in which my store will be located may be geographically smaller or larger than such Designated Territory. I also understand that the Designated Territory may be changed at the time that I sign my next renewal Franchise Agreement.
If not accurate, please comment: _____
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8. I understand that I am required to implement the MyWBU Store online platform in my Store when signing the Franchise Agreement. I understand that a franchisee’s MyWBU Store online platform will be able to accept customer orders regardless of where the customer is located (whether outside or inside such franchisee’s designated territory), and so I may lose sales as a result of a neighboring franchisee’s participation in the MyWBU Store online platform.
If not accurate, please comment: _____
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9. The Franchise Agreement (which includes any attached addenda and appendices) contains the entire agreement between me and Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. concerning the franchise for the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store, although nothing in the Franchise Agreement is intended to disclaim the representations made in the Disclosure Document.
If not accurate, please comment: _____
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10. I acknowledge and agree that in entering into the Franchise Agreement I have not relied on and am not relying on any representations, warranties or other statements whatsoever, whether written or oral other than those included in the Franchise Agreement and the Disclosure Document (including any exhibits, addenda, amendments and attachments).
If not accurate, please comment: _____
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11. I understand that there are risks specific to this industry, such as the Avian Flu and other bird related diseases, weather impact on birdfeeder activity, and certain local community restrictions or bans on bird feeding. Further, I understand that the economic and business factors that exist at the time I open my WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store may change.
If not accurate, please comment: _____
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12. I understand that I am responsible for developing my own business plan for my WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store, including capital budgets, financial statements, projections and other elements appropriate to your particular circumstances, and as part of my planning, I need to take into account the expenses I will incur. Expenses that I may incur include, but are not limited to, royalty and marketing fees, interest on debt service, insurance, legal and accounting charges, and depreciation/ amortization. I have been advised to consult with my professional advisors to assist me to identify the expenses I likely will incur, to prepare my budgets, and to assess the likely or potential financial performance of my Store. In developing the business plan, I understand that I should make necessary allowance for changes in financial results to income,

expenses, or both, that may result from operation of my store during periods of, or in geographic areas suffering from, economic downturns, inflation, unemployment, or other negative economic influences.

If not accurate, please comment: _____

13. I understand that I am bound by the non-compete covenants (both in-term and post-term) and that an injunction is an appropriate remedy to protect the interest of the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED system if I violate the covenant(s). Further, I understand that any actions in violation of the covenants by those holding any interest in the franchisee entity may result in an injunction, default and termination of the Franchise Agreement.

If not accurate, please comment: _____

14. I understand that any training, support, guidance or tools Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. provides to me as part of the franchise are for the purpose of protecting the WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED brand and trademarks and to assist me in the operation of my business and not for the purpose of controlling or in any way intended to exercise or exert control over my decisions or day-to-day operations of my business, including my sole responsibility for the hiring, wages and other compensation (including benefits), training, supervision and termination of my employees and all other employment and employee related matters.

If not accurate, please comment: _____

15. On the receipt pages of my Disclosure Document I identified _____

as the franchise sellers involved in this franchise sales process (these are the company representatives who offered me my franchise). The franchise sellers identified above are the only franchise sellers involved with this transaction.

If not accurate, please identify any additional franchise sellers involved with this transaction: _____

16. I understand that Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. owns the data related to customers of the Store, and I may only use such data during the term of the Franchise Agreement to the extent necessary to operate the Store and subject to compliance with applicable laws.

If not accurate, please comment: _____

17. I have been advised to seek professional assistance, to have legal, financial and/or other professional advisors review the documents, and to consult with other franchise owners regarding the risks associated with the purchase of the franchise.

If not accurate, please comment: _____

IF MORE SPACE IS NEEDED TO RESPOND TO ANY REPRESENTATION, CONTINUE ON A SEPARATE SHEET AND ATTACH.

I UNDERSTAND THAT MY ANSWERS ARE IMPORTANT AND THAT WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC. WILL RELY ON THEM. BY SIGNING THIS ADDENDUM, I REPRESENT THAT I HAVE CONSIDERED EACH REPRESENTATION CAREFULLY AND RESPONDED FULLY AND TRUTHFULLY.

NOTE: IF THE RECIPIENT IS A CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP, LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY OR OTHER ENTITY, EACH OF ITS PRINCIPAL OWNERS MUST EXECUTE THIS ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

_____, individually

Date

All representations requiring prospective franchisees to assent to a release, estoppel or waiver of liability are not intended to nor shall they act as a release, estoppel or waiver of any liability incurred under the Illinois Franchise Disclosure Act or the Maryland Franchise Registration and Disclosure Law.

Exhibit I

FORM OF GENERAL RELEASE

FORM OF GENERAL RELEASE
(Subject to Change by Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc.)

For and in consideration of the Agreements and covenants described below, Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. (“WBU”) and _____ (“Franchisee”) enter into this Release of Claims (“Agreement”).

RECITALS

- A. WBU and Franchisee entered into a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® Franchise Agreement dated _____, ____.
- B. [NOTE: Describe the circumstances relating to the release.]
- C. Subject to and as addressed with greater specificity in the terms and conditions outlined below, WBU and Franchisee now desire to settle any and all disputes that may exist between them relating to the Franchise Agreement.

AGREEMENTS

1. **Consideration.** [NOTE: Describe the consideration paid.]
- 2-3. [NOTE: Detail other terms and conditions of the release.]
4. **Release of Claims by WBU.** Except as noted in this Section 4, and subject to your compliance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, including the payment of \$ _____ to WBU, WBU, for itself, its predecessors, successors, assigns, affiliates, directors, officers, shareholders, and employees (collectively and individually referred to as the “Franchisor Parties”), hereby release and forever discharge Franchisee, its heirs, successors and assigns, affiliates, directors, officers and shareholders, and any other party claiming an interest through them (collectively and individually referred to as the “Franchisee Parties”) from any and all claims, debts, liabilities, demands, obligations, costs, expenses, actions and causes of action, whether known or unknown, vested or contingent, which you may now or in the future own or hold, that in any way relate to the Franchise Agreement (collectively, “Claims”), for known or unknown damages or other losses including but not limited to, any alleged violations of any deceptive or unfair trade practices laws, franchise laws, or other local, municipal, state, federal, or other laws, statutes, rules or regulations, and any alleged violations of the Franchise Agreement or any other related agreement between you and Franchisor or your affiliate and Franchisor.

The Franchisor Parties do not release the Franchisee Parties from any obligations arising by virtue of this Agreement and the Franchisee Parties’ failure to comply with those obligations. Further, the Franchisor Parties do not release the Franchisee Parties from any Claims related to Franchisee’s (i) indemnification obligations under Section ___ of the Franchise Agreement, (ii) non-disclosure obligations under Section ___ of the Franchise Agreement, and (iii) post-

termination non-compete obligations under Section ___ of the Franchise Agreement, each of which remain in full force and effect and are incorporated by reference in this Agreement.

5. **Release of Claims by Franchisee.** In consideration of the other terms and conditions of this Agreement, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Franchisee Parties release and forever discharge the Franchisor Parties of and from any and all Claims, for known or unknown damages or other losses including but not limited to, any alleged violations of any deceptive or unfair trade practices laws, franchise laws, or other local, municipal, state, federal, or other laws, statutes, rules or regulations, and any alleged violations of the Franchise Agreement or any other related agreement between you and Franchisor or your affiliate and Franchisor.

The Franchisee Parties do not release the Franchisor Parties from any obligations arising by virtue of this Agreement and the Franchisor Parties' failure to comply with those obligations.

6. **Acknowledgement.** The releases of Claims outlined in Section 4 and Section 5 are intended by the Franchisor Parties and the Franchisee Parties (collectively, the "Parties") to be full and unconditional general releases, as that phrase is used and commonly interpreted, extending to all claims of any nature, whether or not known, expected or anticipated to exist in favor of the one of the Parties against the other Party regardless of whether any unknown, unsuspected or unanticipated claim would materially affect settlement and compromise of any matter mentioned in this Agreement. In making this voluntary express waiver, the Parties acknowledge that claims or facts in addition to or different from those which are now known to exist with respect to the matters mentioned in this Agreement may later be discovered and that it is the Parties' respective intentions to hereby fully and forever settle and release any and all matters, regardless of the possibility of later discovered claims or facts. This Release is and shall be and remain a full, complete and unconditional general release. The Parties further acknowledge and agree that no violation of this Agreement shall void the releases outlined in this Agreement.

7. **Reservation of Claims Against Non-Settling Parties.** WBU and Franchisee expressly reserve their right and claims against any non-settling persons, firms, corporations, or other entities for whatever portion or percentage their damages are found to be attributable to the wrongful conduct of said non-settling parties.

8. **Entire Agreement.** This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties relative to the subject matter contained in this Agreement, and all prior understandings, representations and agreements made by and between the parties relative to the contents contained in this Agreement are merged into this Agreement.

9. **Voluntary Nature of Agreement.** The parties acknowledge and agree that they have entered into this Agreement voluntarily and without any coercion. The parties further represent that they have had the opportunity to consult with an attorney of their own choice, that they have read the terms of this Agreement, and that they fully understand and voluntarily accept the terms.

10. **Governing Law and Jurisdiction.** This Agreement will be construed and enforced in accordance with the law of the state of _____.

11. **Attorneys' Fees.** All rights and remedies under this Agreement shall be cumulative and none shall exclude any other right or remedy allowed by law. In the event of a breach of this Agreement that requires one of the parties to enforce the terms and conditions of this Agreement, the non-prevailing party shall pay the prevailing party's attorneys' fees and costs incurred by reason of the breach.

Dated: _____, 20__

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By _____

Title _____

Dated: _____, 20__

FRANCHISEE: _____

By _____

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Exhibit K
SBA ADDENDUM



ADDENDUM TO FRANCHISE¹ AGREEMENT

THIS ADDENDUM (“Addendum”) is made and entered into on _____, 20____, by and between Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. (“Franchisor”), located at 11711 N. College Avenue, Suite 146, Carmel, Indiana 46032, and _____ (“Franchisee”), located at _____.

Franchisor and Franchisee entered into a Franchise Agreement on _____, 20__ (such Agreement, together with any amendments, the “Franchise Agreement”). Franchisee is applying for financing(s) from a lender in which funding is provided with the assistance of the U. S. Small Business Administration (“SBA”). SBA requires the execution of this Addendum as a condition for obtaining SBA-assisted financing.

In consideration of the mutual promises below and for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which the parties acknowledge, the parties agree that notwithstanding any other terms in the Franchise Agreement or any other document Franchisor requires Franchisee to sign:

CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP

- If Franchisee is proposing to transfer a partial interest in Franchisee and Franchisor has an option to purchase or a right of first refusal with respect to that partial interest, Franchisor may exercise such option or right only if the proposed transferee is not a current owner or family member of a current owner of Franchisee. If the Franchisor’s consent is required for any transfer (full or partial), Franchisor will not unreasonably withhold such consent. In the event of an approved transfer of the franchise interest or any portion thereof, the transferor will not be liable for the actions of the transferee franchisee.

FORCED SALE OF ASSETS

- If Franchisor has the option to purchase the business personal assets upon default or termination of the Franchise Agreement and the parties are unable to agree on the value of the assets, the value will be determined by an appraiser chosen by both parties. If the Franchisee owns the real estate where the franchise location is operating, Franchisee will not be required to sell the real estate upon default or termination, but Franchisee may be required to lease the real estate for the remainder of the franchise term (excluding additional renewals) for fair market value.

¹While relationships established under license, jobber, dealer and similar agreements are not generally described as “franchise” relationships, if such relationships meet the Federal Trade Commission’s (FTC’s) definition of a franchise (see 16 CFR § 436), they are treated by SBA as franchise relationships for franchise affiliation determinations per 13 CFR § 121.301(f)(5).

COVENANTS

- If the Franchisee owns the real estate where the franchise location is operating, Franchisor has not and will not during the term of the Franchise Agreement record against the real estate any restrictions on the use of the property, including any restrictive covenants, branding covenants or environmental use restrictions. If any such restrictions are currently recorded against the Franchisee's real estate, they must be removed in order for the Franchisee to obtain SBA-assisted financing.

EMPLOYMENT

- Franchisor will not directly control (hire, fire or schedule) Franchisee's employees. For temporary personnel franchises, the temporary employees will be employed by the Franchisee not the Franchisor.

As to the referenced Franchise Agreement, this Addendum automatically terminates when SBA no longer has any interest in any SBA-assisted financing provided to the Franchisee.

Except as amended by this Addendum, the Franchise Agreement remains in full force and effect according to its terms.

Franchisor and Franchisee acknowledge that submission of false information to SBA, or the withholding of material information from SBA, can result in criminal prosecution under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and other provisions, including liability for treble damages under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. §§ 3729-3733.

Authorized Representative of Franchisor:

Authorized Representative of Franchisee:

Signature

Signature

Print Name

Print Name

Title

Title

Date

Date

Note to Parties: This Addendum only addresses "affiliation" between the Franchisor and Franchisee. Additionally, the applicant Franchisee and the franchise system must meet all SBA eligibility requirements.

Exhibit L

ASSIGNMENT AND CONSENT AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and among _____ (“Franchisee”), _____ and _____ [*insert name(s) of personal guarantors*] (each, a “Franchisee Principal”) (Franchisee and Franchisee Principals collectively referred to as “Assignor”), _____ [*insert name of buyer*] (“Assignee”), and Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. (“Franchisor,” “we,” or “us”). All capitalized terms not defined in this Agreement have the respective meanings set forth in the Old Franchise Agreement (as defined below). This Agreement is effective on the date we sign below (the “Effective Date”).

RECITALS

A. Franchisor and Assignor are parties to a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED® Franchise Agreement dated _____ (the “Old Franchise Agreement”), pursuant to which Assignor was granted the right to operate, during the term of the Old Franchise Agreement, a WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED Store located at _____ (the “Store”).

B. Assignor desires to assign to Assignee all of Assignor’s right, title and interest in and to the Store, including the franchise rights for the operation of the Store, as part of a[n] [*asset/stock*] purchase transaction (the “Assignment”); Assignee wishes to accept the Assignment and, as of the Effective Date, assume all of the duties, obligations, and liabilities of Assignor related thereto.

C. Assignor represents and warrants that there is no dispute related to the offer and sale of the Old Franchise Agreement or the Store and further represents that Assignor has no claims against Franchisor under the applicable franchise laws.

[Use for CA:

C. Assignor represents and warrants that there is no dispute related to the offer and sale of the Old Franchise Agreement or the Store and further represents that Assignor has no claims against Franchisor under the California Franchise Investment Law or the California Franchise Relations Act.]

[Use for WA:

C. Assignor represents and warrants that there is no dispute related to the offer and sale of the Old Franchise Agreement or the Store and, after consulting with counsel of its choice, represents that Assignor has no claims against Franchisor under the Washington Franchise Investment Protection Act.]

D. In consideration of Assignor’s request for the Assignment and the representations set forth in Recital C, Franchisor is willing to consent to the Assignment as of the Effective Date, subject to the provisions stated below, and Assignor agrees to settle all known and unknown disputes it may have against Franchisor, if any, that exist as of the Effective Date.

AGREEMENTS

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

1. Assignment and Assumption. Assignor assigns to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Store, including the franchise rights for the operation of the Store. Assignee unconditionally assumes and accepts the Assignment, and agrees to be bound by, assume and perform all duties, obligations, and liabilities of the Assignor related thereto.

2. Signing of Current Form of Franchise Agreement. As a condition of Franchisor's consent to the Assignment, Assignee agrees to sign Franchisor's then-current form of franchise agreement (the "New Franchise Agreement"). Assignee acknowledges that the terms and conditions of the New Franchise Agreement may be different from the terms and conditions of the Old Franchise Agreement. Further, the New Franchise Agreement will be modified to reflect a term equal to the Term remaining under the Old Franchise Agreement. Prior to the Effective Date, Assignee shall deliver to Franchisor two signed copies of the New Franchise Agreement, along with the executed copies of this Agreement.

3. Termination of Old Franchise Agreement. All parties agree that the Old Franchise Agreement is terminated as of the effective date of the New Franchise Agreement with no further force and effect, except for Assignor's post-termination obligations identified in Section 11 below.

4. Status of Assignor Following Assignment. Upon and after the Effective Date and subject to the remainder of this Section 4 and Section 11 below, Assignor will have no rights or interest in, and will no longer be responsible or liable for (a) the Store, (b) the franchise rights for the Store, or (c) the Old Franchise Agreement. Assignor, however, will remain liable for any responsibilities, obligations, and liabilities related to the Old Franchise Agreement or the Store arising, incurred or existing prior to or as of the Effective Date, including all monetary obligations due to Franchisor, its affiliates, and other third parties under the Old Franchise Agreement (or related agreements) that have accrued as of the Effective Date and all post-termination obligations identified in Section 11 below.

5. Assignee Principals. If Assignee is an entity, Assignee represents and warrants to Franchisor and Assignor that the following individuals and/or entities are the sole owners of Assignee (the "Assignee Principals") with the ownership interests in Assignee as set forth herein:

Name of Principal Owner	Percentage of Ownership in Assignee (total must equal 100%)
<i>[Note: Write "N/A" if inapplicable]</i>	

Total	100%

6. Payment of Assignment Fee. On or before the Effective Date, Franchisor must receive an assignment fee in the amount of \$ _____, as referenced in Section ___ of the Old Franchise Agreement.

7. Payment of Fees Owed to Franchisor. On or before the Effective Date, all fees owed by Assignor to Franchisor under or related to the Old Franchise Agreement (the “Fees Owed”) must be paid in full. Accordingly, on or before the Effective Date, Assignor or Assignee must deliver to Franchisor the full amount of Fees Owed, together with corresponding reports, and along with three fully executed copies of this Agreement.

8. Personal Guarantee. Assignee, and as applicable, each Assignee Principal, must execute a personal guarantee in the form attached to the New Franchise Agreement and deliver same to Franchisor along with the executed copies of the New Franchise Agreement.

9. Representations.

- A. Each of Assignor and Assignee represents and warrants that they have the authority and capacity to execute and perform this Agreement.
- B. Assignor represents and warrants to Franchisor and Assignee that it owns all right, title and interest in and to the Store and the Old Franchise Agreement, free and clear of any mortgage, lien, security interest or claims, and it has not assigned any or all of its interest in the Store or the Old Franchise Agreement to any third party.
- C. Assignee represents and warrants that it has had ample opportunity to conduct its due diligence on the Store, including its operational and financial aspects.
- D. Each of Assignor and Assignee represents and warrants to Franchisor that they have consummated the [asset/stock] purchase transaction effecting the Assignment as of the Effective Date.

10. Indemnification.

- A. Assignor, for itself, its heirs, affiliates, successors and assigns, agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Franchisor, its affiliates, successors, assigns, officers, directors, employees, agents, and each of them, against any and all liabilities, damages, actions, claims, costs (including reasonable attorneys’ fees), or expenses of any nature resulting, directly or indirectly, from any of the following: (i) any misrepresentations or breach of warranty by Assignor under this Agreement; (ii) the Assignment; or (iii) any claim, suit or proceeding initiated by or for a third party(s), now or in the future, that arises out of or

relates to the Old Franchise Agreement or the Store operated by Assignor prior to the Effective Date.

- B. Assignee, for itself, its heirs, affiliates, successors and assigns, agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Franchisor, its affiliates, successors, assigns, officers, directors, employees, agents, and each of them, against any and all liabilities, damages, actions, claims, costs (including reasonable attorneys' fees) or expenses of any nature resulting, directly or indirectly, from any of the following: (i) any misrepresentations or breach of warranty by Assignee under this Agreement; or (ii) the Assignment.

11. Assignor's Post-Termination Obligations. Assignor agrees that, upon transfer of its interest in the Store to Assignee, Assignor will comply with all post-termination obligations set forth in Sections ____, ____ and ____¹ of the Old Franchise Agreement, which obligations are hereby incorporated herein by reference. Further, Assignor shall comply with any other provisions of the Old Franchise Agreement which, by their nature, survive termination or expiration of the Old Franchise Agreement.

12. Consent to Assignment. Subject to Assignor's and Assignee's compliance with all of the terms of this Agreement, Franchisor consents to the Assignment in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Franchisor's consent to the Assignment will not result in any waiver of any rights nor be deemed a release under the Old Franchise Agreement or New Franchise Agreement and is not a consent to any additional or subsequent transfers or assignments.

13. Release and Settlement of Claims.

- A. Except as may be prohibited by applicable law, Franchisee and Franchisee Principals (individually and as owners of Franchisee) and each of their respective heirs, successors, assigns, affiliates, shareholders, directors, employees, and agents, and on behalf of any other party claiming an interest through them (collectively and individually referred to as the "Assignor Parties" for purposes of this Section 13 and Sections 15 and 16 below), release and forever discharge us, our predecessors, successors, affiliates, directors, officers, shareholders, agents, employees and assigns (collectively and individually referred to as the "Franchisor Parties" for purposes of this Section 13 and Sections 14 and 15) of and from any and all claims, debts, liabilities, demands, obligations, damages, costs, expenses, actions and causes of action, whether known or unknown, vested or contingent, which Assignor Parties may now or in the future own or hold, that in any way relate to the Old Franchise Agreement, any other agreement between Assignor and us, the Store, or the relationship between Assignor and us through the Effective Date (collectively, "Claims"), for known or unknown damages or other losses including, but not limited to, any alleged violations of any deceptive or unfair trade practices laws, franchise laws, or other local, municipal, state, federal, or other laws, statutes, rules or regulations, and any alleged violations of the Old Franchise Agreement or any other related agreement between Assignor and us through and including the Effective Date or any Claims related to any dealings

¹ Note: Include reference to indemnification, post-term non-compete, and non-disclosure obligations.

or agreements by or between the Assignee Parties and the Assignor Parties related to the Assignment.

- B. Except as noted herein, the Franchisor Parties hereby release the Assignor Parties from any Claims (the “Franchisor Claims” for purposes of this Section 13.B and 15) through and including the Effective Date. The Franchisor Parties do not release the Assignor Parties from any outstanding obligations under Sections ____, ____ and ____² of the Old Franchise Agreement or any other provisions which, by their nature, survive termination or expiration of the Old Franchise Agreement. Further, the Franchisor Parties do not release the Assignor Parties from any obligations arising by virtue of this Agreement and Claims arising from the Assignor Parties’ failure to comply with those obligations, including, without limitation, the obligations under Sections 10, 11 and 16 of this Agreement.

14. Release by Assignee. Except as noted in this Section 14, Assignee, Assignee Principals (if any), and their respective affiliates, successors, assigns, officers, directors, employees, agents, and on behalf of any other party claiming an interest through them (collectively and individually referred to as the “Assignee Parties” for purposes of this Section 14 and 15 below), release and forever discharge the Franchisor Parties of and from any and all claims, debts, liabilities, demands, obligations, damages, costs, expenses, actions and causes of action, whether known or unknown, vested or contingent, which Assignee Parties may now or in the future own or hold, that in any way relate to the Assignment, any agreements between Assignee and Assignor, or the relationship between Assignee and Assignor through and including the Effective Date (collectively referred to as “Assignee Claims” for purposes of this Section 14 and 15).

For avoidance of doubt, the Assignee Parties and Franchisor Parties acknowledge and agree that the release by the Assignee Parties does not relate to the offer and sale of the New Franchise Agreement.

15. Acknowledgement of Releasors. The release of Assignor Claims set forth in Section 13.A, Franchisor Claims in Section 13.B, and Assignee Claims in Section 14 are intended by the Assignor Parties, Franchisor Parties, and Assignee Parties (collectively, the “Releasors”) to be full and unconditional general releases, as that phrase is used and commonly interpreted, extending to all claims of any nature, whether or not known, expected or anticipated to exist in favor of one of the Releasors against any other Releasor regardless of whether any unknown, unsuspected or unanticipated claim would materially affect settlement and compromise of any matter mentioned herein. In making this voluntary express waiver, the Releasors acknowledge that claims or facts in addition to or different from those which are now known to exist with respect to the matters mentioned herein may later be discovered and that it is the Releasors’ intention to hereby fully and forever settle and release any and all matters, regardless of the possibility of later discovered claims or facts.

[FOR USE IN CALIFORNIA:]

The Releasors, for themselves, their heirs, successors, and assigns, hereby expressly, voluntarily and knowingly waive, relinquish and abandon each and every right, protection, and benefit to which they would be entitled, now or at any time hereafter under Section 1542 of the Civil Code of the State of California, as well as under any other statutes or common law principles of similar effect to said Section 1542, whether now or hereinafter existing under the laws of California or any other applicable federal

² Include reference to indemnification, post-term non-compete, and non-disclosure obligations.

and state law with jurisdiction over the parties' relationship. The Releasors acknowledge that Section 1542 of the Civil Code of the State of California provides as follows:

“A general release does not extend to claims that the creditor or releasing party does not know or suspect to exist in his or her favor at the time of executing the release and that, if known by him or her, must have materially affected his or her settlement with the debtor or released party.”]

The Releasors acknowledge that they have had adequate opportunity to gather all information necessary to enter into this Agreement and Release and need no further information or knowledge of any kind that would otherwise influence the decision to enter into this Agreement. This Release is and shall be and remain a full, complete, and unconditional general release. The Releasors acknowledge and agree that the foregoing waiver is an essential, integral and material term of this Agreement. The Releasors further acknowledge and agree that no violation of this Agreement shall void the releases set forth in Sections 13, 14 and this Section 15.

16. Confidentiality. Assignor, on behalf of Assignor Parties, and Assignee, on behalf of Assignee Parties, acknowledge and agree that this Agreement and matters discussed in relation thereto are entirely confidential. It is therefore understood and agreed by Assignor and Assignee that they will not reveal, discuss, publish or in any way communicate any of the terms, amount or fact of this Agreement to any person, organization or other entity, except to their respective officers, employees or professional representatives who need to know, or as required by law.

17. Miscellaneous. This Agreement, and the documents referred to herein, constitute the entire agreement among the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof. No amendment will be binding unless in writing and signed by the party against whom enforcement is sought. All representations, warranties, agreements and all other provisions of this Agreement which by their terms or by reasonable implication are intended to survive the closing of this transaction will survive it.

18. Representation by Counsel. The parties have had adequate opportunity to consult with an attorney of their own choice, including with respect to the release of claims set forth herein.

[FOR WASHINGTON: The parties acknowledge and agree that they have been represented by independent legal counsel of their respective choice, including with respect to the full and final release of claims set forth herein.]

19. Governing Law/Venue. This Agreement will be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Indiana, without regard to principles of conflicts of law. The parties further agree that any legal proceeding relating to this Agreement or the enforcement of any provision herein shall be brought or otherwise commenced only in the State or Federal courts of Indiana.

20. Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in more than one counterpart, each of which shall constitute an original copy.

(Signatures appear on the following page.)

ASSIGNOR:

By: _____

[Print Name]

Title: _____

Date: _____

_____, individually and on
behalf of Assignor

Signed: _____

Date: _____

_____, individually and on
behalf of Assignor

Signed: _____

Date: _____

ASSIGNEE:

By: _____

[Print Name]

Title: _____

Date: _____

_____, individually and on
behalf of Assignee

Signed: _____

Date: _____

_____, individually and on
behalf of Assignee

Signed: _____

Date: _____

FRANCHISOR:

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By: _____

Name:

Title:

Effective Date: _____

Exhibit M
RENEWAL ADDENDUM

RENEWAL ADDENDUM

This RENEWAL ADDENDUM (this “Addendum”) is entered into by and between Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc., an Indiana corporation having a principal place of business at 11711 N. College Avenue, Suite 146, Carmel, Indiana 46032 (“Franchisor”), and _____, individually, having an address of _____ (“Franchisee”) as of the date Franchisor executes this Addendum.

WHEREAS, Franchisor and Franchisee have entered into a franchise agreement dated as of _____ (the “Original Franchise Agreement”) pursuant to which Franchisee received the right and the obligation to establish and operate a Wild Birds Unlimited® franchised business using the Marks and the System at the following location _____ (the “Location”);

WHEREAS, on the terms set forth below, Franchisor and Franchisee desire to terminate and cancel the Original Franchise Agreement, and Franchisor and Franchisee have contemporaneously herewith entered into a franchise agreement pursuant to which Franchisor has granted Franchisee a renewal franchise, granting Franchisee the right and the obligation to continue operation of the franchise using the Marks and the System at the Location (the “Renewal Agreement”); and

WHEREAS, the parties have agreed to alter the terms stated in the Renewal Agreement as provided herein to reflect the terms of the renewal.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

1. Termination of Original Franchise Agreement. The Original Franchise Agreement is hereby terminated by mutual agreement and Franchisee hereby releases and assigns to Franchisor, and Franchisor hereby accepts assignment of, all rights under the Original Franchise Agreement, but Franchisor assumes none of the liabilities of Franchisee arising out of or related in any way to Franchisee’s operations under the Original Franchise Agreement.

2. This Addendum Prevails. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Renewal Agreement, in the event of a conflict between the provisions of the Renewal Agreement and the provisions of this Addendum, the provisions of this Addendum shall prevail and control. The parties agree that the Renewal Agreement remains fully effective in all respects except as specifically modified herein, and all of the respective rights and obligations of Franchisee and Franchisor remain as written in the Renewal Agreement unless modified specifically herein.

3. Conditions to Renewal. Franchisee hereby represents and warrants to Franchisor that all necessary actions for the execution of this Addendum and the Renewal Agreement have been taken.

4. The Term of the Renewal Agreement. Franchisee and Franchisor acknowledge that the Renewal Agreement is a renewal term # ____.

If Franchisee is executing the Renewal Agreement prior to the expiration date of the then-current term of the Original Franchise Agreement (such expiration date, the “Original FA Expiration Date”), then the term of the Renewal Agreement is hereby amended to begin on the Effective Date

of the Renewal Agreement and end on the Original FA Expiration Date, plus 5 years. (For example, if the Renewal Agreement was signed 6 months before the Original Franchise Agreement expires, the term of the Renewal Agreement would be 5 years and 6 months).

For avoidance of doubt, the expiration date of the Renewal Agreement shall be _____.

5. Initial Franchise Fee. Section 7.01, Initial Franchise Fee, is amended to provide that no initial franchise fee shall be due upon execution of the Renewal Agreement.

6. Marketing Implementation Fee. Section 7.04(d) is hereby deleted, as no Marketing Implementation Fee shall be due upon execution of the Renewal Agreement.

7. Representation. Each person executing this Addendum on behalf of any of the parties hereto represents and warrants that he or she has been fully empowered to execute this Addendum and that all necessary action has been taken.

8. Successors and Assigns. The provisions of this Addendum shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the heirs, successors and permitted assigns of the parties, subject to the transfer and assignment provisions of the Renewal Agreement.

9. Severability. If any provision of this Addendum shall for any reason be held violative of any applicable law, governmental rule or regulation, or if the Addendum is held to be unenforceable or unconscionable, then the invalidity of such specific provision(s) herein shall not be held to invalidate the remaining provisions of this Addendum.

(Signatures appear on the following page.)

FRANCHISEE: _____

By: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By: _____

Title: _____

Effective Date: _____

Exhibit N-1

ERPLY POS AUTHORIZATION AND PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

**ERPLY POS
AUTHORIZATION AND PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT**

(BETWEEN WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC AND WBU FRANCHISEE)

WBU ERPLY POS Authorization and Participation Agreement

In consideration of Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. ("**Franchisor**") permitting the franchisee identified below ("**Franchisee**" or "**you**") to use the ERPLY POS System (as defined below), and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, Franchisor and Franchisee agree as follows:

1. **Franchise Agreement.** Franchisor and Franchisee are parties to a Wild Birds Unlimited ("**WBU**") Franchise Agreement ("**Franchise Agreement**") pursuant to which Franchisee is authorized to operate a WBU retail store identified on the signature page hereto (the "**Retail Store**") selling birdfeeders, birdseed and other nature-related items to the general public (the "**WBU Products**").

2. **Franchisee Participation.** Pursuant to the terms of the Franchise Agreement, Franchisee is required to implement and use, in the operation of the Retail Store, a point of sale system as from time to time designated by Franchisor. Pursuant to this Agreement, Franchisor requires Franchisee to implement and use, in connection with Franchisee's operation of the Retail Store, the ERPLY Point Of Sale system (the "**ERPLY POS System**") to conduct retail sales transactions, and manage customers, products, suppliers, and inventory. Franchisee hereby agrees to install and subsequently subscribe to the ERPLY POS System, and Franchisor agrees to grant to Franchisee the right to operate the ERPLY POS System at the Retail Store, subject to the terms and conditions as described herein. In addition to the terms and conditions described herein, Franchisee is required to enter into a separate agreement (such agreement, the "**Franchisee POS Agreement**") with the provider of the ERPLY POS System ("**Vendor**") and Franchisee's use of the ERPLY POS System is also subject to the terms and conditions of the Franchisee POS Agreement.

3. **ERPLY POS System Description.** Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, Franchisee agrees to install, train staff, and subscribe to the ERPLY POS System with which to automate and manage the retail sales and operations of the Franchisee's WBU business. The ERPLY POS System includes the following retail platform modules:

- **Point of sale** (The capability to conduct retail sale and service transactions)
- **Warehouse management solution** (The capability to manage inventory warehouse operations where applicable)
- **Inventory management** (The capability to manage store merchandise inventory levels)
- **Purchasing** (The capability to manage purchase orders, receiving, and adjusting landed cost of goods of items sold)
- **Promotions** (The capability to manage sale promotions (customer benefits from purchase behaviors, meant to increase sales volume) across items, departments, categories, all in an efficient manner)
- **Price lists** (The capability to adjust item prices based on conditional attributes and/or timeframes)
- **Customer loyalty.** The capability to incorporate adoption of the WBU Daily Savings Club loyalty program as defined by WBU supplied attributes business rules, customer point system, and redemption policies)
- **Billing** (The capability to bill to and manage customer accounts)
- **Customer CRM** (The capability to manage customer attributes effectively, for analytics, and export to customer reporting and marketing utilities)
- **Reporting** (The capability to do ad hoc reporting of customers, items, suppliers, purchase orders, as well as develop a battery of standard reports with which to analyze employee management)
- **ERPLY public REST API (application programming interface)** (The capability to integrate the core ERPLY system with custom application developed tools, third party external systems)
- **Document editor (label designer)** (The capability to customize forms, labels, and special documents)

4. Franchisee Acknowledgements. Franchisee acknowledges and agrees that:

a. Franchisee will (in addition to the Vendor) be the sole administrator of the use at the Retail Store of the ERPLY POS System, and acknowledges that Franchisee's use of the ERPLY POS System requires Franchisee's compliance with any/all/future changes to the operations and scope of the ERPLY POS System. Franchisee will be solely responsible for compliance with the Franchisee POS Agreement and all applicable laws, rules and regulations ("**Laws**") applicable to Franchisee's use of and activities related to the use of the ERPLY POS System. Without limiting the foregoing, Franchisee is solely responsible for collecting and paying all applicable sales and other taxes arising from any transactions conducted by Franchisee via the ERPLY POS System. Franchisee will be solely responsible for the implementation of the ERPLY POS System at its WBU franchised business.

b. Franchisor will not be deemed the seller of any products, has no fiduciary or other responsibilities under this Agreement (except those obligations expressly stated in this Agreement), and only facilitates Franchisee's use of the ERPLY POS System by providing or arranging for the support services identified on Exhibit 2 hereto, which services Franchisor may modify from time to time in its discretion (the "**Support Services**"). Franchisor is only a reseller for the service provider making the ERPLY POS System available to Franchisee as contemplated hereunder and providing the Support Services for the ERPLY POS System, as set forth herein, either directly or through third party providers designated by Franchisor. Franchisor will have no responsibility or liability to any Customer in connection with Franchisee's use or implementation of the ERPLY POS System.

c. Franchisee is responsible for using store-level administrative tools provided with the ERPLY POS System to ensure that information presented to the customer and maintained/managed within the ERPLY POS System is accurate and timely. Any errors in pricing, product availability or product delivery information are the sole responsibility of Franchisee, and Franchisor shall not be liable for any costs or damages associated with such errors.

d. Franchisor is not responsible for the timeliness, mis-delivery, deletion or failure to store any information uploaded (or attempted to be uploaded) by Franchisee. Franchisor makes no warranty as to the accuracy or completeness of the information and services provided through the ERPLY POS System or the results of Franchisee's use of the ERPLY POS System, or that the ERPLY POS System is free from errors. Franchisee acknowledges that it is Franchisee's responsibility to evaluate the accuracy, completeness and usefulness of all information obtained or provided through the ERPLY POS System.

e. The internet is not a reliable means of communication and Franchisor does not warrant the security of any information transmitted through the Internet. Certain functions of the ERPLY POS System may use industry-standard, SSL (Secure Socket Layer) encryption and decryption methodology to protect information while in transit.

5. Requirements. Franchisee understands and agrees that its access to and use of the ERPLY POS System are conditioned on its compliance with the following requirements:

a. **Gift Card Program Participation**. If as of the date of this Agreement Franchisee is not participating in Franchisor's gift card program, Franchisee agrees to start participating in Franchisor's gift card program, in accordance with the terms thereof, within 30 days of the ERPLY POS System go live date.

b. **Auto-Poll Participation**. If as of the date of this Agreement Franchisee is not participating in the WBU Auto-poll system whereby sales information is automatically provided to the Franchisor via automated electronic means, Franchisee agrees to immediately begin participating and comply with the terms and conditions thereof.

c. **Loyalty Program Participation**. If as of the date of this Agreement Franchisee is not participating in the Daily Savings Club program, Franchisee agrees to begin participating and comply with the terms and conditions of that program within 30 days of ERPLY POS System go live date. If as of the date of this Agreement Franchisee is participating in the Seed Storage program, the Frequent Feeder Cards program and/or any other loyalty program other than the Daily Savings Club program (collectively, "Non-

DSC Loyalty Programs”), Franchisee agrees to cease promotion of and any activity under all such Non-DSC Loyalty Programs effective the day of ERPLY POS System go live date.

d. **eCommerce Program (“MyWBU”).** If as of the date of this Agreement Franchisee is not participating in the Franchisor’s eCommerce Program (the “MyWBU Store”), Franchisee agrees to begin participating and comply with the terms and conditions of that program within 60 days of ERPLY POS System go live date. All references to the Retail Store herein shall include the MyWBU Store implemented by Franchisee pursuant to the Franchisor’s eCommerce Program.

e. **Customer Survey Program participation.** If as of the date of this Agreement Franchisee is not participating in the Franchisor-approved Customer Survey program, Franchisee agrees to enroll in that program [within 30 days of ERPLY POS System go live date] and be subject to its terms and conditions and agree to any standard customer-facing survey formats, either on receipts, written, or online.

f. **At all times during the Program Term,** Franchisee will provide electronic access and assistance to Franchisor and its service providers, including Vendor, in order to allow them to perform Franchisor’s and/or Vendor’s obligations hereunder and under the Franchisee POS Agreement, as applicable, and to enable Franchisor and Vendor to verify Franchisee’s compliance with the terms and conditions hereof and thereof.

g. **Failover Internet Backup.** If as of the date of this Agreement Franchisee has not deployed a Failover Internet Backup technology solution and service, Franchisee agrees to implement such a service, at its own cost, within 30 days of ERPLY POS System go live date, and provide proof of same to Franchisor (including service details) upon request.

h. **At all times during the Program Term,** Franchisee agrees to comply with the terms and conditions of the ERPLY POS Resource Center, which Franchisor will make available to Franchisee and which may consist of one or more manuals and other written materials and communications from Franchisor containing specifications, rules, instructions, policies, standards and operating procedures regarding the ERPLY POS System (including, without limitation, Franchisor’s recommended accounting procedures, inventory reporting codes, return policy requirements, and participation in the auto-poll program), as such ERPLY POS Resource Center may be modified or updated by Franchisor from time to time (collectively, as so updated or modified, the “**ERPLY POS Resource Center**”). The ERPLY POS Resource Center shall be deemed part of the Operating Handbook under the terms of the Franchise Agreement. The ERPLY POS Resource Center will be deemed to be a part of this Agreement.

i. **Franchisee agrees not to use any other point of sale or similar system during the Program Term, except as approved in writing by Franchisor.**

j. **Subject to applicable Laws, at all times during the Program Term,** Franchisee will comply with any Minimum Advertised Price (“**MAP**”) policies implemented by Franchisor and updated by Franchisor from time to time with respect to the marketing of Products.

6. **Fees and Costs.** Franchisee agrees to make the following investments and pay the following fees in connection with its use of the ERPLY POS System:

a. **Set Up Fee.** As consideration for Franchisor’s set up of the ERPLY POS System for Franchisee hereunder, Franchisee will pay Franchisor, in a lump sum upon signing this Agreement, a one-time Initial ERPLY POS System Set Up Fee, in the amount set forth on Exhibit 1.

b. **Monthly Support Fees; Taxes.** As consideration for Franchisor’s (and its service provider’s, including Vendor’s) ongoing provision and support of the ERPLY POS System and Franchisee’s continued access thereto, Franchisee will pay Franchisor a Monthly Support Fee in the amount set forth on Exhibit 1. This fee will be due by the 10th of the month for the prior month’s access to the ERPLY POS System. “Access to the system” is defined by having the Franchisee’s WBU store data uploaded to the system and accesses given to the store to begin processing information, regardless of whether the store chooses to conduct business. Additionally, if any governmental authority requires the payment of sales tax on the

Monthly Support Fee, Franchisee must pay the amount of the sales tax to Franchisor so that Franchisor can remit the sales tax fees to the governmental authority.

c. Royalties and Other Fees. For avoidance of doubt, all of Franchisee's applicable revenues from sales via the ERPLY POS System will be included in Gross Sales and Franchisee will pay royalty fees and other fees on such sales as provided in the Franchise Agreement.

d. POS System and other Equipment. Franchisee must install and use Franchisor-approved equipment and technology, including computer equipment, hardware, and software.

e. Credit Card Processing. Franchisee agrees to set up an account with, and pay associated fees to, Franchisor's approved ERPLY POS System third party credit card processor (as Franchisor may from time to time designate), to process Customer payments for purchases of Products via the ERPLY POS System. Further, Franchisee is required to comply and adopt any Franchisor Master Agreement terms and conditions that the Franchisor has negotiated with the approved credit card processor.

f. Shipping Scale. If Franchisee's Retail Store does not currently have an approved shipping scale, Franchisee agrees to purchase it from a Franchisor approved third-party vendor to use in connection with the processing of WBU Product orders. The approximate current cost of the shipping scale is set forth on Exhibit 1.

g. Other Costs; Changes to Costs and Fees. For avoidance of doubt, all costs and expenses of Franchisee related to its implementation and use of the ERPLY POS System are exclusively costs and expenses of Franchisee. FRANCHISEE ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE COSTS AND FEES IDENTIFIED ON EXHIBIT 1 ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE UPON 30 DAYS' NOTICE FROM FRANCHISOR.

7. Data Ownership; License. Franchisor owns all Customer Data and may use same as Franchisor deems appropriate (subject to applicable Laws). Franchisee may only use Customer Data to the extent necessary to perform its obligations under this Agreement and the Franchise Agreement during the term hereof and subject to such restrictions as Franchisor may from time to time impose and subject to compliance with all data privacy, security and other applicable Laws. Without limiting the foregoing, Franchisee agrees to comply with applicable Law in connection with the collection, storage and use of Customer Data, including, if required under applicable Law, obtaining consents from Customers. Franchisee must comply with all Laws relating to data protection, privacy and security policies, including data breach response policies that Franchisor may periodically establish. Franchisee must notify Franchisor immediately of any suspected data breach at or in connection with the ERPLY POS System. As used herein, the term "**Customer Data**" means contact information (including name, address, phone and fax numbers, and e-mail addresses), sales and payment history, and all other information about any person who has purchased or purchases WBU Products from Franchisee during the term hereof and whom Franchisee has solicited to purchase any WBU Products.

8. Term; Termination. This Agreement becomes effective on the Effective Date noted on the signature page hereto and will continue in effect until the termination as provided herein or the expiration or earlier termination of the Franchise Agreement (for any reason) or the Franchisee POS Agreement (for any reason), whichever occurs first (the "**Program Term**"). Franchisor may terminate this Agreement at any time upon 30 days' prior written notice to Franchisee. This Agreement and Franchisee's access to and use of the ERPLY POS System may also be terminated or suspended by Franchisor immediately upon written notice by Franchisor to Franchisee if: (a) Franchisee ceases to operate the Retail Store under its WBU Franchise Agreement, or (b) Franchisee is in breach of or default under the terms of this Agreement, any Franchise Agreement, any other agreement between Franchisor and Franchisee (including, without limitation, if Franchisee is delinquent in paying any amount due to Franchisor, or if Franchisee does not comply with the terms or conditions of the ERPLY POS Resource Center) and fails to cure the default within the applicable cure period (if any) specified in the Franchise Agreement or such other agreement between the parties. .

Upon termination of the Program Term for any reason, Franchisee agrees to (a) honor and process all pending ERPLY POS System product purchase orders placed prior to such termination; (b) cease all new

transactions via the ERPLY POS System; (c) comply with all applicable post-termination obligations set forth in the Franchisee POS Agreement; (d) provide to Franchisor a complete accounting of all amounts owed to Franchisor and its affiliates and promptly pay all such amounts owed; and (e) return to Franchisor the ERPLY POS Operations Handbook and any other proprietary materials made available by Franchisor hereunder.

9. Incorporation of Franchise Agreement Terms. The governing law, dispute resolution and notice provisions of the Franchise Agreement shall apply to this Agreement. Franchisee acknowledges and agrees that a breach of or default under this Agreement by Franchisee will also constitute a breach of and default under the Franchise Agreement and vice versa. In addition, Franchisee's obligations to protect and indemnify Franchisor (and related parties) under the Franchise Agreement shall apply to any losses, liabilities, taxes or damages and all reasonable costs and expenses of defending any claim brought against Franchisor (or related parties) arising from or in connection with Franchisee's implementation, use and operation of the ERPLY POS System and otherwise Franchisee's activities under this Agreement, and such indemnification obligations are hereby incorporated herein by this reference. Further, any personal guarantees signed pursuant to the Franchise Agreement by individuals associated with Franchisee shall apply to all Franchisee payment and other liabilities and obligations under this Agreement.

10. Assignment. Franchisee may not assign or transfer its rights or obligations under this Agreement, in part or in whole, including without limitation, in connection with a change in ownership or change in control transaction or by operation of law, except in connection with a permitted transfer of the Franchise Agreement and upon Franchisor's written consent.

11. Severability. Should one or more sections of this Agreement be held void or unenforceable for any reason by any arbitrator or court of competent jurisdiction, such clause or clauses will be deemed to be separable in such jurisdiction and the remainder of this Agreement is valid and in full force and effect and the terms of this Agreement must be equitably adjusted so as to compensate the appropriate party for any consideration lost because of the elimination of such clause or clauses. It is the intent and expectation of each of the parties that each provision of this Agreement will be honored, carried out and enforced as written. Consequently, each of the parties agrees that any provision of this Agreement sought to be enforced in any proceeding must, at the election of the party seeking enforcement and notwithstanding the availability of an adequate remedy at law, be enforced by specific performance or any other equitable remedy.

12. Entire Agreement. This Agreement, the Franchise Agreement and the exhibits attached hereto and thereto contain the entire agreement of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and replace and supersede in their entirety any prior or contemporaneous agreements, whether written, oral or otherwise. Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, this Agreement may be amended only by an instrument in writing signed by both parties. Nothing in this Agreement or any related agreement is intended to disclaim the representations we made in the franchise disclosure document.

FRANCHISEE:

Franchisee Legal Business Name: _____

By: _____

Title: _____

Franchisee's Retail Store Address: _____

FRANCHISEE GUARANTORS:

FRANCHISOR:

WILD BIRDS UNLIMITED, INC.

By: _____

Title: _____

Effective Date: _____

Exhibit 1

ERPLY POS System Requirements

Without limiting the terms and conditions of the ERPLY POS AUTHORIZATION AND PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT, in order to receive access to and the right to use the ERPLY POS System, the undersigned Franchisee ("I") acknowledges and agrees to the following:

1. **I agree to comply with the terms and conditions within the *ERPLY POS System Resource Center*.** The handbook details the methods and procedures for implementing and operating the ERPLY POS System and is subject to change.
2. **I agree to make all required payment(s) to the WBU Franchise Support Center (FSC) or approved vendor(s) (as applicable) in a timely manner. Costs and fees set forth below are subject to change upon 30 days' written notice to you:**
 - a. Initial Set Up Fee: one-time fee of \$500 (unless waved by Franchisor in writing)
 - b. Monthly POS Technology Fee of \$300, which consists of:
 - \$125 ERPLY POS fee (paid by Franchisor to ERPLY),
 - \$100 WBU eCommerce (MyWBU) service fee, and
 - \$75 POS Maintenance Fee (replaces the previous \$360/annual POS Maintenance Fee)
3. **I agree to participate in the Daily Savings Club Program, and cease proliferation of any other such program such as Seed Storage program or the Frequent Feeder Cards program.**
4. **I agree to set up an account with Franchisor's designated third party credit card processor, to process payments for the ERPLY POS System.** I agree that I may, when the capability is developed and available, be required to consolidate payment processors for both ERPLY POS System and the MyWBU Online Store to a single payment processor that is determined by the Franchisor.
5. **If I have not done so, I agree to add the MyWBU Store link to my retail WBU store's website to facilitate online orders via the MyWBU Store, and to actively participate in the MyWBU Store Program no later than 60 days after the first live transaction is performed within the ERPLY POS System.**
6. **I understand that I must ensure that the ERPLY POS System is in adherence with all applicable sales taxation requirements, including as it relates to shipping in and out of state.** I agree to partner with Franchisor-recommended tax software partner to ensure appropriate sales tax is recorded, collected and paid.
7. **I agree to adhere to Minimum Advertised Price (MAP) for MyWBU Store product prices for my "market area" as it may be updated by Franchisor from time to time.**
8. **I agree to follow any Franchisor's required return policy terms as may be published in the ERPLY POS Resource Center and provided to the customer after each order.**
9. **I understand that MyWBU Store online promotions may be different from recommended in-store promotions.**
10. **I understand that I must pay for all shipping fees to approved shipping vendors, even when offering required free or discounted shipping fee promotions to my customers.**
11. **I agree to conform to any receipt formats as specified and required by the Franchisor.**

- 12. I agree that any/all equipment used in connection with the ERPLY POS System must comply with Franchisor approved models and be acquired only from Franchisor-approved vendors. Any deviation requires pre-authorization in writing from the Franchisor. I agree that any equipment purchased that does not comply should be returned at my cost.**
- 13. I agree to participate in the Customer Survey Program as required by the Franchisor and to abide by any receipt format changes that may occur as the Customer Survey Program evolves over time.**

Exhibit 2

Support Services

Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement and the Franchise Agreement, and conditioned on Franchisee's compliance therewith, during the Program Term, Franchisor will, itself or through a service provider, provide to Franchisee Franchisor's standard customer support services as described in this Exhibit 10 (the "**Services**");

a. Scope of Services. During the Program Term, Franchisor will use commercially reasonable efforts to resolve any incidents reported by Franchisee ("**Incidents**"). Franchisor, in its sole discretion, will determine the amount of time it will need to spend to attempt to resolve any specific Incident.

b. Response Time. During the Program Term, Franchisor will use commercially reasonable efforts to RESPOND to Incidents within seven (7) business days of a call by Franchisee to the Franchisor's service line (1-888-302-2473).

c. Remote Services. Franchisee acknowledges and agrees that Franchisor may provide remote services to Franchisee to assist in analyzing and resolving any Incident. Franchisee agrees to provide Franchisor with access to Franchisee's network and computers to install and use remote access software ("**Remote Access Software**") necessary for Franchisor to provide the remote services to Franchisee.

d. Exceptions. Franchisor has no obligation to provide the Services relating to any Incident that, in whole or in part, arises out of or results from any of the following:

- (i) software, or the media on which it is provided, that is modified or damaged by Franchisee or any third party;
- (ii) any third-party materials;
- (iii) any negligence, abuse, misapplication, or misuse of the ERPLY POS System other than by Franchisor personnel, including any Franchisee's use of the ERPLY POS System other than as expressly authorized in writing by Franchisor;
- (iv) the operation of, or access to, Franchisee's or a third party's system or network;
- (v) any breach of or noncompliance with any provision of this Agreement or the Franchise Agreement by Franchisee or any of its representatives;
- (vi) Franchisee's failure to install and use the required equipment and technology, including computer equipment, software, hardware, internet service, firewall, etc., as is required from time to time by Franchisor in connection with the access, use and operation of the ERPLY POS System; or
- (vii) any force majeure event.

e. Data Back-up. Franchisee agrees to back up all data, files, and information prior to the performance of any Services and hereby assumes sole responsibility for any lost or altered data, files, or information.

Exhibit N-2

ERPLY POS SOFTWARE-AS-A-SERVICE AGREEMENT



**ERPLY POS SOFTWARE-AS-A-SERVICE AGREEMENT
FOR WBU FRANCHISEE**

(BETWEEN ERPLY AND WBU FRANCHISEE)

Information Detail	Instruction	Your Information Response
FRANCHISE STORE ID	Enter your Store Identification No.	
FRANCHISEE NAME	List your legal business entity name	
LEGAL FORM	List the type of business (eg. Corporation)	
INCORPORATED OR FORMED	Select Incorporated or Formed	
COUNTRY/STATE	Enter your Country and State	
MUNICIPALITY	Enter your city or municipality	
EFFECTIVE DATE	Enter Day 1 of the upcoming month that you will Go Live.	

This software-as-a-service agreement is between

Point of Sale Inc., a Delaware corporation based in New York, NY, file no 4899215 (“the **Supplier**”), and [FRANCHISEE NAME], a [LEGAL FORM], [INCORPORATED/FORMED] under the laws of [COUNTRY/STATE], based in [MUNICIPALITY] under [FRANCHISE REGISTERED NUMBER] (“the **Customer**”).

Recitals

- A. The Supplier provides ERPLY point of sale (POS) and inventory management software and has licensed this software to Wild Birds Unlimited Inc. (“WBU”) for use as the principal POS

solution in WBU franchise stores and in conjunction with WBU's e-commerce platform software.

- B. The agreement between the Supplier and WBU gives WBU franchisees the opportunity to enjoy certain sub-user functionality of the above POS solution at WBU's expense, provided that they enter into a "franchisee software-as-a-service agreement" with the Supplier and have an arrangement with WBU as to their payment to WBU of the fees and expenses that WBU incurs in connection with their use of ERPLY software and services.
- C. The Customer is a WBU franchisee wishing to enjoy the benefits described in recital B and there is an agreement in place between the Customer and WBU concerning the above-referenced fees and expenses.

1. Interpretation

- 1.1. The following words and phrases, if capitalized herein, have the meanings assigned to them below:

"Agreement" – the contract between the Parties, comprising the Terms and all Appendices;

"Appendix" – an appendix to the Terms;

"Customer Data" – the User Data maintained under a Customer User Account;

"Documentation" – the current technical documentation and user guidance pertaining to the Software, as published and periodically updated on the Supplier's Software support pages and in Software release notes (currently located at <https://help.erply.com> and <https://erply.com/release-notes> respectively) or as the Supplier may otherwise from time to time provide;

"Effective Date" – The date with which this agreement will commence is on or after [EFFECTIVE DATE]

"Feature" – a component, property or an aspect of the Service;

"Franchisor" – Wild Birds Unlimited Inc, an Indiana corporation based in Carmel, IN, business ID 198306-224;

"Franchisor SaaS Agreement" – a contract between the Supplier and the Franchisor providing for the Supplier's undertaking to authorize the Customer's use of certain Features under a Service Plan that the Franchisor has purchased (as specified for the time being in the Sign-up Form but as may change from time to time) and the Supplier's consideration therefor;

"Intellectual Property" – any and all trademarks, service marks, domain names and business names, brands, rights pertaining to inventions, designs, databases and proprietary information (including, without limitation, trade secrets and know-how), patents, copyrights (including both economic and moral rights) as well as any and all other items treated as intellectual property or rights thereof under applicable law;

"Location" – a shop, store, sales space or any other separate sales location of the Customer;

"Party" – each of the Customer and the Supplier (collectively, "the **Parties**");

"Personal Data" – any information relating to an identified or identifiable living natural person (a living individual);

"Service" – depending on the context, either: (a) the Supplier's providing (i) the Software and/or (ii) one or more resources or other benefits for use in conjunction with the Software

and/or (iii) technical support services concerning the foregoing; or (b) the above items collectively, any of them separately or any combination of any of them, notwithstanding that the item(s) in question may not consist in a service (as, e.g., in the case of locally installable Software);

“**Service Plan**” – a subscription to a particular set of Features offered by the Supplier;

“**Sign-up Form**” – Appendix A to the Terms, setting out the Parties’ details and identifying the applicable Service Plan;

“**Software**” – ERPLY point of sale and inventory management software and such Supplier-developed computer programs as the Supplier may make available in conjunction therewith, including such patches, updates, upgrades, other modifications and replacements thereof as the Supplier may from time to time provide. Each of the foregoing may take the form of an on-demand service, a local installation or a combination thereof;

“**Terms**” – the main body of the Agreement, i.e., this software-as-a-service agreement with all Appendices removed;

“**User**” – anyone whom the Customer permits or causes to have access to the Service, whether through a User Account or otherwise, including anyone who downloads, saves, installs, uses, accesses, interacts with, or receives the Service on the Customer’s behalf but excluding the Supplier and anyone acting for it;

“**User Account**” – a Service user account whose purpose is to allow its holder to enjoy the end-user benefits of one or more Features;

“**User Data**” – any data, including Personal Data, that the Customer or a User processes (e.g., collects, enters, records, stores, alters, arranges, deletes, uses, transmits, discloses or makes available) through a Customer User Account or otherwise by means of the Service.

- 1.2. In this Agreement: (a) words such as “herein”, “hereto”, “hereof”, “hereunder” and “hereby” refer to the Agreement; (b) except where the context clearly otherwise determines, the word “item” means any legal object, i.e., anything tangible or intangible (including any electronic object and any right or other benefit) that is capable of being the object of a right, duty or a capacity.
- 1.3. This Agreement, as amended from time to time, constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties relating to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior agreements and understandings between the Parties with respect to that subject matter.

2. Term

- 2.1. The Agreement shall enter in force on the Effective Date and is made for the remaining term of the Franchisor SaaS Agreement (which may be a fixed-term or an indefinite-term contract), unless terminated earlier as provided herein.
- 2.2. The Agreement is contingent on the Franchisor SaaS Agreement remaining in force and obliging the Supplier to provide the Customer with the benefits described herein.

3. License

- 3.1. Subject to the terms set forth herein, the Supplier hereby grants to the Customer and the latter accepts, for the term hereof, the following limited, non-exclusive and restrictedly-transferable rights:
 - (a) the right to use the Features available to the Customer under the Franchisor’s Service Plan in a manner and by means consistent with that Service Plan and the Customer’s user privileges thereunder, including the right to access and use such User Accounts as may be

provided to the Customer, or as the Customer may be permitted to create, under this Agreement or the Franchisor's Service Plan;

- (b) if any of the above Features takes the form of a locally installable Software product, the right to install, store and use the respective product copy on a device for which it is intended; and
- (c) the right to use the above Features in conjunction with the Franchisor's e-commerce software (MyWBU).

Each of the above rights shall be exercised solely for the Customer's or the Franchisor's own internal legitimate purposes and none of these rights shall be sublicensed, assigned, encumbered or otherwise disposed of, save if and to the extent otherwise permitted under section 16.1.

- 3.2. The Service is intended for normal end use, respecting the rights, freedoms and legitimate interests of others, and may only be accessed through the interfaces that the Supplier has provided or authorized therefor.
- 3.3. Where Documentation is available concerning a particular Feature, the Feature should be used in accordance with that Documentation.
- 3.4. Reproduction of the Software by persons other than the Supplier is only allowed for the purposes of Software installation and backup, and only to the extent that such reproduction is necessary for using the Software in accordance with this Agreement.

4. Service

- 4.1. The Supplier will provide the Customer with the benefit of all Features that the Customer is authorized to use under the Franchisor's Service Plan.
- 4.2. The level of Service to which the Customer is entitled (including the nature, scope, availability, means of provision and accessing, and other particulars of the Supplier's Software-related technical support services) will depend on the Franchisor's Service Plan.
- 4.3. The Customer acknowledges and agrees that the Service (a) has not been designed to meet the Customer's specific requirements, (b) may from time to time suffer interruptions and be occasionally unavailable, (c) has and will continue to have certain bugs and vulnerabilities, and (d) should not be relied upon in inherently dangerous circumstances.
- 4.4. The Service may provide links, references or access to third-party websites, resources or services and these may provide the same in relation to the Service. The Supplier is not responsible for the existence, absence or qualities (including the availability, reliability and security) of such third-party sites, resources or services, does not endorse them and shall not be liable for any loss, damage, expenses or other undesirable consequences attributable thereto.
- 4.5. Unless otherwise expressly provided herein, the Supplier has no obligation to enhance, modify or replace any part of the Service, or continue developing or releasing new versions thereof.
- 4.6. The Customer may contact the Supplier for technical support through the Supplier's dedicated telephone or email helpline or by using such error reporting or customer feedback features as may be available via the Service.

5. Modification and suspension

- 5.1. The Supplier may modify the Service or any part thereof at any time and for any reason, provided, however, that: (a) no such modification shall have a material negative impact on the functionality or availability of the Features authorized under the Customer's Service Plan; and (b) any substantial modification of the Features mentioned under subsection (a) shall be notified to Customer at least 30 days in advance.
- 5.2. Unless otherwise expressly agreed, the use of any new features, versions, releases, updates or other modifications that the Supplier may make available in connection with the Service shall be subject to the Agreement. The Customer's continued use of the Service after any such modification shall constitute the Customer's consent to the respective modification(s).

- 5.3. The Supplier may suspend performance under the Agreement in whole or in part with immediate effect if: (a) legally compelled to do so, provided that, insofar as legally permitted and feasible in the given circumstances, the Customer is warned of the suspension in advance; (b) the Customer is in breach of any of its obligations hereunder and fails to discontinue or remedy such breach within 15 days after notice from the Supplier specifying the breach and requiring it to be discontinued or remedied; or (c) the Franchisor's payment for the Service is overdue for a period longer than specified under the Franchisor SaaS Agreement.
- 5.4. The Supplier may suspend or restrict access to the Service for any User whose use of the Service conflicts with the Agreement or may suspend or restrict the availability of Features in relation to the relevant User Account.

6. User accounts

- 6.1. The Customer shall be responsible for the activity that occurs under its User Accounts, including all data processing and other acts performed through or by means of such User Accounts, and must notify the Supplier promptly upon learning of any security breach relating to, or unauthorized use of, any Customer User Account.
- 6.2. Each of the Customer and a User must maintain their respective usernames, passwords, access tokens and similar credentials in confidence.
- 6.3. The Supplier has no obligation to monitor or access any User Account but may do so where reasonably warranted (e.g., to provide technical support, prevent illegal or harmful activity, perform its duties hereunder, or comply with applicable law).
- 6.4. The Supplier may, in its reasonable discretion, temporarily or permanently disable, close or restrict access to any User Account that is used for infringing on anyone's Intellectual Property or proprietary or personal rights or to perform any of the acts mentioned in subsection 12.3(e), and shall not be liable for any undesirable consequences, including any loss or damage, resulting therefrom. Where legally permitted and feasible, the Supplier will not disable, close or restrict access to the Customer's User Account without first having provided the Customer a reasonable opportunity to take such corrective or remedial action as may be appropriate in the given circumstances.

7. Fees

- 7.1. The Supplier's consideration for the Features that the Customer is entitled to enjoy under the Franchisor's Service Plan has been arranged for in the Franchisor SaaS Agreement. The Customer will not be charged for those Features.

8. Intellectual property

- 8.1. As between the Parties, all Service-related Intellectual Property shall vest in, and is retained by, the Supplier. The Customer shall not acquire any right thereto or otherwise in connection with the Service, except for the limited rights of use expressly set forth in this Agreement.
- 8.2. With respect to any feedback or suggestion regarding the improvement, enhancement or other modification of the Service the Supplier shall be deemed to have been granted a non-exclusive, royalty-free, worldwide, perpetual (save as limited by law), irrevocable, freely transferable and fully sublicensable right to use, distribute, reproduce, modify, adapt, publish, translate, transmit, publicly perform, display and make available the same (in whole or in part) and to incorporate it into other items, including works and inventions, in any form or medium now known or hereafter developed. The Customer warrants that anyone making such a contribution on the Customer's behalf or through a Customer User Account is authorized to do so and that neither the Customer nor the contributor nor any author of any item embedded in the contribution will seek any compensation or reimbursement in connection therewith.

9. Data rights

- 9.1. As between the Parties, Customer Data belong to the Franchisor and the Franchisor's instructions as to those data override any conflicting instructions from the Customer or a User. The Customer acknowledges this and shall not hold the Supplier responsible for any undesirable

consequences that the Customer or anyone else may suffer due to the Supplier's disposal or processing of Customer Data pursuant to the Franchisor's instructions.

- 9.2. The Customer also acknowledges that the control which the Customer or a User can exercise in relation to Customer Data, including the ability to access, process and dispose of the same, may be limited by user privileges determined by others. There may be other users under the Franchisor's Service Plan, including but not limited to the Franchisor, whose status or privileges permit them to enable, disable, limit, suspend or terminate, or whose decisions may otherwise affect, the Customer's or Users' access to and their rights concerning Customer Data. The same applies in relation to the Customer's User Accounts and the Features available in connection with those accounts.
- 9.3. If the Supplier reasonably believes that User Data or the Customer's or a User's processing of those data violate/s the law or otherwise conflict/s with this Agreement, it may, in its absolute discretion: (a) ask the Customer or the User to take such action as the Supplier considers is necessary to remedy the matter (which, where feasible and legally permitted, will be the preferred option); or (b) remove, disable, restrict access to, or delete the data concerned without being liable for any loss, damage or other undesirable consequences resulting therefrom.
- 9.4. The Customer shall make sure that each User is aware of the matters described under this part 9.

10. Data protection

- 10.1. The Customer acknowledges that certain Personal Data and other information about the Customer and Users (each of the above hereinafter a "**Data Subject**") are collected and processed through or in connection with the Service.
- 10.2. The Customer agrees and shall ensure that each of the other Data Subjects also agrees that:
 - (a) the Supplier may collect information (including Personal Data) about the Data Subject (i) during the negotiation, conclusion and variation of agreements between the Data Subject or their principal and the Supplier (the information collected may include the data provided in such agreements and any data furnished for the purposes of negotiating, concluding or amending the same), (ii) when the Data Subject submits queries to or otherwise contacts the Supplier, fills in forms via Features, creates or modifies a user profile or enters or modifies other information associated with a User Account (the information thus provided), (iii) when the Data Subject visits the Supplier's website (the Data Subject's IP address, location, entry and exit pages, referral sites and keywords, session time and duration, activities on the site, history of visits, and certain technical information about the Data Subject's device, such as its name, the type and version of its operating system and those of its web browser), (iv) when the Data Subject downloads, saves, installs, updates or uninstalls Software or uses, accesses or interacts with Features (the location, manner, means and duration of such activity as well as other information that the Data Subject may provide), and (v) when otherwise knowingly made available to the Supplier (the information that the Data Subject provides);
 - (b) when visiting the Supplier's website, cookies, web beacons or pixels may be stored within the visitor's device;
 - (c) the Supplier may process the Data Subject's Personal Data and such other information about them as described under subsection (a) (collectively, "**Relevant Data**") for the purposes of (i) providing the Service and otherwise performing the Agreement, (ii) improving or otherwise modifying Features and notifying the Data Subject thereof, (iii) customizing the content, layout or other properties of the relevant website or Feature for the particular visitor or user, (iv) replying to the Data Subject's communications (v) contacting the Data Subject on matters relating to the Service, the Agreement or the agreements referenced in subsection 10.2(a)(i), (vi) performing its duties to the Data Subject, (vii) exercising and enforcing its rights hereunder or its statutory rights and

- freedoms, (viii) user statistics and other Service-related analyses, provided that the data concerned are anonymous or de-identified or anonymized, and (ix) such other purposes as legally required or permitted;
- (d) Relevant Data may be processed in the country where the Data Subject is domiciled or stays, the United States, the Swiss Confederation and any country participating in the European Economic Area;
 - (e) the Supplier will not disclose the Data Subject's Personal Data to third parties, except when, to the extent and to persons (i) expressly allowed by the Data Subject, (ii) legally required, or (iii) necessary for performing the Supplier's legal obligations or its obligations under the Agreement or the agreements referenced in subsection 10.2(a)(i), exercising its rights under the above agreements or its statutory rights and freedoms or defending against claims or other process;
 - (f) subsection (e) notwithstanding, the Supplier may disclose the Data Subject's Personal Data to its corporate affiliates for the purposes specified in subsection (c), including for such affiliates' performance of the respective activities on the Supplier's behalf or in cooperation with the Supplier. The Supplier shall be responsible for the respective affiliates' processing of those data as it is responsible for its own data processing operations hereunder.
- 10.3. The Supplier shall maintain adequate technical and organizational measures to ensure such level of security in its processing of Personal Data as appropriate in the given circumstances. Upon assessing whether a measure is adequate and which level of security is appropriate the Supplier will consider the nature of the Personal Data concerned and the nature of the processing operations it performs, the risks to which Data Subjects are exposed by the Supplier's processing of their Personal Data, the state of the art, the costs of implementation and such other matters as may be relevant in the particular circumstances.
- 10.4. The measures referenced in the preceding section particularly address the following: (a) the protection of Personal Data against unauthorized or unlawful processing and against accidental loss, alteration or destruction; (b) the integrity and confidentiality of Personal Data; (c) the availability and resilience of the Features pertinent to the processing of Personal Data; and (d) the Supplier's ability to restore the availability and access to Personal Data in a timely manner after a Service failure.
- 10.5. However, it must be appreciated that no security measure is perfect. Notwithstanding the Supplier's efforts, it cannot guarantee that Personal Data, during transmission over the internet or while stored in the Supplier's systems or those of its service providers or while otherwise in the Supplier's care, will be absolutely safe from unauthorized or unlawful processing or accidental loss, alteration or destruction, or that they will indeed be intact and confidential at all times or shortly available after any Service incident.
- 10.6. The Supplier undertakes to: (a) ensure that the persons whom it authorizes to process Data Subjects' Personal Data commit themselves to confidentiality or will be under an appropriate statutory obligation of confidentiality with respect to these data; and (b) notify the Customer without undue delay upon learning of any data breach involving Personal Data that the Supplier maintains about the Customer or its authorized users.
- 10.7. If a Data Subject participates in the Supplier's mailing or similar program, the Supplier may use their Personal Data to send them information about products, services, events and other matters that the Supplier believes may be of interest to them. Any subscription to such a program may be cancelled at will.
- 10.8. The Supplier may send the Customer and Users certain communications relating to the Service, such as, e.g., technical and administrative messages, without offering them the opportunity to opt out of receiving the same. The Supplier will ensure that such communication complies with applicable law.

11. Non-disclosure

- 11.1. The Parties acknowledge that, in the course of their dealings hereunder, each Party or its associates may disclose or make available to the other Party information whose further disclosure or misuse could harm the disclosing Party or its associate(s) or whose nature is otherwise such as to cause the disclosing Party to have a legitimate interest that the respective information be maintained in confidence and/or that it only be used in a specific manner. Consequently, each Party undertakes to:
- (a) use at least reasonable endeavors to prevent the disclosure to third parties of any non-public information it acquires, becomes familiar with or controls during the term hereof and which it knows or reasonably must realize is a trade secret or a similar asset of the other Party or its associate or information entrusted to the other Party or its associate in confidence (“**Confidential Information**”);
 - (b) use Confidential Information in good faith and solely for the purposes for which the other Party or its associate disclosed such information or caused it to be available;
 - (c) upon the other Party’s request, promptly delete or destroy, or, at the requesting Party’s expense, deliver to the latter, all Confidential Information in its possession or control, save to the extent it is legally required to retain the information concerned (e.g., in order to comply with accounting standards, tax regulations or rules of legal procedure) or needs the same to defend its rights hereunder in an ongoing or a pending dispute between the Parties or in case such a dispute arises;
 - (d) upon any termination hereof or any transfer of a Party’s rights and obligations hereunder, continue to adhere to the provisions of this part 11 for such period of time thereafter as reasonably required for the protection of the other Party’s legitimate interests but in no event less than 3 years. For the avoidance of doubt, the purpose of this subsection (d) upon the transfer of a Party’s rights and obligations is to govern the relations of those who were parties hereto prior to the transfer.
- 11.2. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, it shall not be a breach of this Agreement to disclose Confidential Information if compelled to do so by law, provided that: (a) such disclosure does not exceed what is legally required to be disclosed and is restricted to persons with a right to know; and (b) where possible, the other Party is notified in advance thereof, providing it a reasonable opportunity to object to the requirement to disclose.
- 11.3. Unless required under the laws, regulations or stock exchange rules applicable to it, neither Party shall make any press release about the Parties’ entry into this Agreement or otherwise in connection with the Parties’ relations without the other Party’s prior consent.
- 11.4. Upon the Customer’s prior consent, the Supplier may include the Customer’s name and logo in customer listings, user stories and case studies.
- 11.5. Nothing in this part 11 shall be construed to relieve either Party of any of its statutory non-disclosure or non-use obligations.

12. Representations and warranties

- 12.1. Each Party represents and warrants that:
- (a) it is a business duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of its state of incorporation or formation;
 - (b) it has all requisite corporate power, financial capacity, other resources and authority to execute and perform this Agreement;
 - (c) it will comply in all material respects with all local, state, national, international and other laws, rules and regulations applicable to that Party in its performance of the Agreement;
 - (d) there is no outstanding litigation, arbitrated matter or other dispute to which it is a party which, if decided unfavorably to it, would reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on its ability to fulfil its obligations under this Agreement;
 - (e) it will act in good faith in its dealings with the other Party.
- 12.2. The Supplier represents and warrants that:

- (a) the Service will be provided in a professional, workmanlike manner, consistent with the standards generally associated with the Supplier's industry;
- (b) it has the expertise and resources (financial, human and other) to properly provide the Service;
- (c) its employees, contractors and subcontractors possess the skills and experience required for the performance of the Supplier's obligations under this Agreement;
- (d) (i) the Software is fit for the purposes described in this Agreement and does not contain any viruses; (ii) it is properly authorized to license the Software for the Customer's use; (iii) the Software does not infringe upon any third party's Intellectual Property; and (iv) the Software conforms in all material respects to the Documentation;
- (e) (i) its processing of Customer Data complies with all relevant laws, rules and regulations, including those on privacy; (ii) Customer Data will not be assigned or commercially exploited without the Customer's consent; (iii) it has reasonable safeguards in place to prevent unauthorized access to or disclosure of Customer Data; (iv) upon learning of any unauthorized access to Customer Data it will notify the Customer thereof without undue delay; (v) all Customer Data will be continuously backed-up;
- (f) it has a reasonable business continuity management plan to provide for the continuity of critical business functions at reasonable service levels in the event of the loss, disablement, impairment or suspension of key facilities, resources, technologies or suppliers due to a force majeure event.

12.3. The Customer represents and warrants that:

- (a) (i) the information that the Customer or any User provided or will provide for the purposes of negotiating this Agreement or any amendment hereto, or upon opening any User Account, ordering any Service Plan or creating or modifying any user profile on the Service, or otherwise when transacting with the Supplier in connection with the Service is true, accurate and up-to-date; and (ii) if any of the above information becomes outdated or incorrect, the Customer will correct the same or have it corrected without undue delay;
- (b) User Data are lawful and acquired properly;
- (c) it will comply, and will cause each User to comply, with all legal requirements applicable to the Customer's or, respectively, the User's, use of the Service, handling of User Data and other activities hereunder (including export control provisions and requirements as to the processing of Personal Data);
- (d) it will not use the Service for sending unsolicited communications (save as permitted under applicable law) or uploading, transmitting, delivering, running, controlling or storing harmful code, malware or illegal content, and that no User will do so;
- (e) without prejudice to any of its statutory obligations the Customer will not, nor shall any User: (i) interfere with the proper functioning of the Service; (ii) impose an unreasonable load on the Service or its infrastructure; (iii) reproduce the Software, except as expressly permitted hereunder; (iv) translate, adapt, arrange or otherwise alter the Software or reproduce the results of any such activity; (v) distribute or redistribute, including sell, rent, lease, lend or otherwise make available, the Software (neither the original Software nor any copy thereof) or any other part of the Service; (vi) decompile, disassemble or otherwise reverse engineer the Software; (vii) remove, alter, hide or obscure any copyright notice, trademark or other proprietary rights notice embedded in, appearing on or otherwise pertaining to any part of the Service; (viii) create or attempt to create any product or service that is substantially similar to, or performs the same or substantially similar functions as, or otherwise competes with any part of the Service, or purports to be created, provided or approved by the Supplier or any of its licensors; or (ix) cause anyone else to do any of the foregoing.

- 12.4. All representations and warranties not expressly stated herein shall be deemed withheld. The Supplier disclaims, to the extent permitted under applicable law, all statutory and implied warranties and course of performance, course of dealing and usage related expectations with respect to the Service.
- 12.5. Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing, and save as otherwise explicitly set forth in this Agreement, the Supplier makes no representation and gives no warranty or guarantee: (a) that the Service is accurate, timely, of satisfactory quality, enjoyable, or available regardless of jurisdiction; (b) that access to or the operation or use of the Service will be uninterrupted, secure or error-free; (c) that any means by which the Service is accessed or used is free of undesirable objects, such as malware or other harmful or annoying components; or (d) with respect to any third-party item.
- 12.6. The Supplier's disclaimers in connection with the Service apply both to the Service as a whole and each component thereof.

13. Indemnification

- 13.1. The Customer shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Supplier, its officers, directors, employees, contractors, agents and representatives from and against all claims made by and all damages, liabilities, penalties, fines, costs and expenses payable to any third party that arise from the Customer's or a User's: (a) breach of any obligation, representation or warranty hereunder; (b) misuse of any Feature; (c) processing of User Data; or (d) infringement of anyone's Intellectual Property or proprietary or personal rights.
- 13.2. The Supplier shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Customer, its officers, directors, employees, contractors, agents and representatives from and against all claims made by and all damages, liabilities, penalties, fines, costs and expenses payable to any third party that arise from the Supplier's: (a) breach of any obligation, representation or warranty hereunder; (b) misuse of Customer Data or any User's Personal Data; or (c) infringement of anyone's Intellectual Property or proprietary or personal rights.

14. Limitation of liability

- 14.1. To the extent not prohibited by applicable mandatory law and subject to section 14.2:
 - (a) the Supplier shall not be liable (under any theory of liability), neither to the Customer nor anyone else, for any undesirable consequences, including any loss or damage of whatever nature, whether foreseeable or not and even if advised of the danger thereof, that result from (i) any installation, implementation, upgrade, downgrade, modification or customization of the Software not carried out by the Supplier, (ii) failure to use a Feature in accordance with the Documentation, the Agreement or applicable law, (iii) using a third-party item in conjunction with a Feature not in accordance with the relevant third-party documentation or instructions, (iv) not applying an available fix, patch, update, service pack or upgrade that would have avoided the harmful event, or (v) anything attributable to anyone other than the Supplier;
 - (b) where subsection (a) does not apply, the Supplier shall not be liable (under any theory of liability), neither to the Customer nor anyone else, for any loss of profit, business or opportunity, or any special, consequential, incidental, indirect, punitive or non-patrimonial loss or damages, whether foreseeable or not and even if advised of the danger thereof. The Supplier may only be held liable for the Customer's direct financial loss;
 - (c) the Supplier's total cumulative liability arising out of, related to, or in connection with this Agreement, the Service, the Documentation, the processing of Customer Data or anyone's Personal Data, or anything else, shall not exceed the total financial consideration (exclusive of value added and sales taxes and other public dues) that the Franchisor paid to the Supplier in connection with the Service during the two months immediately preceding the month in which the liability event (i.e., the event/s or circumstance/s underlying the Supplier's liability) occurred;

- (d) the Customer shall not be liable (under any theory of liability) for any loss of profit, business or opportunity, or any special, consequential, incidental, indirect, punitive or non-patrimonial loss or damages, whether foreseeable or not and even if advised of the danger thereof (the Customer may only be held liable for direct financial loss);
 - (e) this section is without prejudice to the exclusions and limitations of liability that apply by operation of other provisions hereof.
- 14.2. Subsections 14.1(a) – 14.1(d) shall neither exclude nor limit either Party’s liability: (a) under part 13 hereof; or (b) for any (i) willful breach by that Party of any of its obligations or (ii) death or personal injury caused by a defective item produced by that Party.
- 14.3. Neither Party shall be liable for breaching its obligations due to a circumstance that is beyond its control and which it reasonably could not have foreseen or avoided and which, or whose consequences, it reasonably cannot be expected to overcome, such as, for example, a force of nature, conduct of public authorities, war, civil unrest, act of terror, nontrivial cyberattack, failure of a third-party hosting, internet or utility service or any other circumstance qualifying as force majeure under applicable law – to the extent that the respective circumstance prevented or hindered the Party’s performance.
- 14.4. The protection afforded to the Supplier hereunder and any statutory protection that the Supplier may enjoy also extends to anyone who acts on the Supplier’s behalf, exercises its rights or performs its duties or assists the Supplier in doing the same.

15. Termination

- 15.1. This Agreement may be terminated: (a) at any time by the Parties’ agreement; (b) by the Customer with at least 10 days’ notice; (c) by the Supplier upon (i) the Franchisor’s request or (ii) the Supplier’s ceasing to be obliged under the Franchisor SaaS Agreement to provide the Customer with the benefits described herein – in either case, with such notice as feasible; (d) upon a Party’s material breach of Agreement – by the other Party without prior notice.
- 15.2. A material breach of Agreement shall, inter alia, be deemed to have occurred if a Party, having breached any of its material obligations hereunder, fails to discontinue or remedy such breach within 30 days after notice from the other Party specifying the breach and requiring it to be discontinued or remedied.
- 15.3. Any termination or invalidity of the Franchisor SaaS Agreement shall, as of the date thereof, automatically terminate this Agreement.
- 15.4. Any termination of the Agreement shall be without prejudice to the Parties’ rights and remedies that have accrued prior to the termination.
- 15.5. The Customer understands and agrees that upon any termination of this Agreement: (a) all rights that the Customer has been granted hereunder will terminate; (b) the Customer must cease all activities authorized by the Agreement; (c) it will receive no refund, exchange or other compensation for any unused time or credit on a subscription, any data associated with any User Account, or for anything else; (d) all its Software-related obligations hereunder will survive until the Customer fully and permanently removes all Software from its systems, devices, storage media and repositories; (e) the preceding subsection applies respectively in relation to everything that forms part of the Service and which the Customer retains after the termination hereof.
- 15.6. Those provisions of the Agreement that either by express language or reasonable construction are intended to survive its termination shall so survive and will be enforceable notwithstanding any termination hereof.

16. Assignment and other disposals

With regard to assignment, sublicensing and other disposals, the Parties have agreed that:

- 16.1. The Customer shall not, without the Supplier’s prior explicit consent, sublicense, assign, encumber or otherwise dispose of any of its rights or obligations hereunder, except that the Customer may, without seeking the Supplier’s consent: (a) dispose of its financial claims, i.e.,

claims whose sole object is the payment of money to the Customer; and (b) assign this Agreement, i.e., all its rights and obligations hereunder, or cause the same to be transferred, as part of the Customer's general succession (including merger, acquisition and transformation), division, transfer of the enterprise or a substantial, coherent part of the enterprise to which the Agreement pertains or divestiture of all or substantially all of its assets as a whole;

- 16.2. The Supplier may: (a) sublicense, assign, encumber and otherwise dispose of any and all of its rights hereunder; and (b) assign this Agreement, i.e., all its rights and obligations hereunder, or cause the same to be transferred: (i) to its parent, any of its wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or a wholly- or majority-owned subsidiary of its parent; or (ii) as part of the Supplier's general succession (including merger, acquisition and transformation), division, transfer of the enterprise or a part of the enterprise (e.g., a line of business or a part thereof) to which the Agreement pertains or divestiture of all or substantially all of its assets as a whole; or (iii) due to the Supplier ceasing to hold rights in the Software or the Service; or (iv) upon its assignment of the Franchisor SaaS Agreement or if the Supplier's rights and obligations thereunder are otherwise transferred;
- 16.3. The assignments and transfers permitted under subsection 16.2(b) shall not have any material negative impact on the availability of the Features authorized to the Customer;
- 16.4. Where a Party's consent is required, it shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed.

17. Form

- 17.1. The Parties have agreed that: (a) any transaction or declaration amending or terminating this Agreement shall be in writing or in electronic form, i.e., must be signed either by handwriting, electronically (digitally) or as permitted under the following subsection; (b) instead of signing by hand, a signatory may use a graphical representation (such as a scanned image) of his or her handwritten signature; (c) this Agreement and any transaction relating to this Agreement, including any amendment or termination hereof, may be executed in counterparts.

18. Notices

- 18.1. A Party may provide notice to the other by email, post or personal delivery – to such email or postal address (respectively) as specified for that other Party in the Sign-up Form or later notified to the sender pursuant to this section. The Supplier's Service-related operational notices (such as, e.g., technical and administrative messages) may also be delivered through a Feature.

19. Choice of law and jurisdiction

- 19.1. This Agreement, the Parties' relations and all matters concerning the Service shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York and the applicable U.S. federal law, without the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods applying to any of the foregoing.
- 19.2. All disputes arising from or otherwise concerning the Agreement, the Parties' relations or the Service (including disputes concerning the formation or validity hereof) shall be resolved by arbitration administered by the American Arbitration Association in accordance with its Commercial Arbitration Rules, including the Optional Rules for Emergency Measures of Protection, and judgment on the award rendered by the arbitrator(s) may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof. The venue of the arbitration shall be New York, NY.
- 19.3. The arbitration proceedings shall be conducted before a single arbitrator, unless the amount in dispute exceeds US\$100,000 (one hundred thousand United States dollars), in which case the dispute shall be heard and determined by three arbitrators.
- 19.4. The arbitrator(s) shall award to the prevailing party, if any, as determined by the arbitrator(s), all reasonable arbitration costs of that party, i.e., all reasonable pre-award expenses of the arbitration, including the arbitrator's/s' and administrative fees and necessary out-of-pocket expenses such as costs of translation and interpretation, notarization and certification, legalization and apostilling, state and court fees and reasonable experts' and attorneys' fees. Costs relating to office, copying, use of databases, internet, telephone and other means of

communication and correspondence (whether incurred by a party, its attorney, expert or a witness) shall not be awarded.

19.5. The above provisions notwithstanding, the Supplier may, in its absolute discretion, assert and seek protection of its intellectual property and rights concerning confidential information or data processing in any forum anywhere in the world (including by way of injunction and other preventive measures).

20. Signatures

This Agreement has been executed as follows:

For: Supplier

For: Customer

By: Robert Jacob

By: 

As: COO

As: 

Sig.: _____

Sig.: 

Dd.: _____

Dd.: 

APPENDIX A. SIGN-UP FORM

SUPPLIER	
Name	Point of Sale Inc.
Domicile	Delaware
File no	4899215
Address	110 West 40th Street, Suite 1801, New York, NY 10018
Email	billing@erply.com
Telephone	917-210-1251
Contact	
CUSTOMER	
Account no (Erply ID)	105-<add your store ID here>
Name	<your name>
Domicile	<your store address>
Company/file/business no	<your company legal business entity name>
Address	<your legal business address>
Email	<your email address>
Telephone	<your telephone number for agreement correspondences>
Contact	<your authorized point of contact(s)>
SERVICE PLAN	
Name	Enterprise, Tier 2 (franchisee Features)
Expected go-live date	<Add the first day of the month in which you expect to go live>
No of Locations	1 for in-store business and 1 for MyWBU ecommerce business
No of User Accounts	1
No of registers per Location	Unlimited
No of devices accessing Location	Unlimited
No of end users	Unlimited
Notes	The Service Plan or its Features may change at the Franchisor's discretion

Exhibit O

STATE EFFECTIVE DATES

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The following states have franchise laws that require that the Franchise Disclosure Document be registered or filed with the states, 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 Franchise Disclosure Document is registered, on file or exempt from registration in the following states having franchise registration and disclosure laws, with the following effective dates:

CALIFORNIA	March 30, 2021, as amended on [PENDING]
ILLINOIS	March 2, 2021, as amended on [PENDING]
INDIANA	March 21, 2021, as amended on [PENDING]
MARYLAND	March 23, 2021, as amended on [PENDING]
MICHIGAN	March 1, 2021, as amended on July 16, 2021
MINNESOTA	March 16, 2021, as amended on [PENDING]
NEW YORK	April 1, 2021, as amended on [PENDING]
NORTH DAKOTA	March 10, 2021, as amended on [PENDING]
RHODE ISLAND	March 6, 2021, as amended on [PENDING]
SOUTH DAKOTA	March 2, 2021, as amended on July 16, 2021
VIRGINIA	March 18, 2021, as amended on [PENDING]
WASHINGTON	March 22, 2021, as amended on [PENDING]
WISCONSIN	March 1, 2021, as amended on [PENDING]

Other states may require registration, filing, or exemption of a franchise under other laws, such as those that regulate the offer and sale of business opportunities or seller-assisted marketing plans.

Exhibit P

RECEIPTS

RECEIPT

This Disclosure Document summarizes certain provisions of the franchise agreement and other information in plain language. Read this Disclosure Document and all agreements carefully.

Except as noted below, if Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. offers you a franchise, we must provide this Disclosure Document to you 14 calendar days before you sign a binding agreement with, or make a payment to, us or an affiliate in connection with the proposed franchise sale.

Iowa and New York law require that Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. give you this Disclosure Document at the earlier of the first personal meeting or 10 business days before the execution of any franchise or other agreement or the payment of any consideration that relates to the franchise relationship.

Michigan requires that we give you this Disclosure Document at least 10 business days before the execution of any binding franchise or other agreement or the payment of any consideration, whichever occurs first.

If Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc. does not deliver this Disclosure Document on time or if it contains a false or misleading statement, or a material omission, a violation of federal law and state law may have occurred and should be reported to the Federal Trade Commission, Washington, D.C. 20580 and the appropriate state agency identified on Exhibit A.

The name, principal business address and telephone number of each franchise seller offering the franchise is Paul Pickett, Chief Development Officer, and Seth Holan, Manager of Franchise Development, Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc., 11711 N. College Ave., Suite 146, Carmel, IN 46032, (317) 571-7100 and _____

Issuance Date: March 1, 2021, as amended on July 16, 2021

See Exhibit A for our registered agents authorized to receive service of process.

I have received a Disclosure Document dated March 1, 2021 , as amended on July 16, 2021 that included the following Exhibits:

- State-Specific Addenda to the Franchise Disclosure Document
- A. State Agencies and Agents for Service of Process
- B. Reservation Agreement
- C. Franchise Agreement (including Appendices and State-Specific Addenda to Franchise Agreement)
- D. Initial Franchise Fee Amendment (Additional Store)
- E. My WBU Store (ecommerce platform) Program Participation Agreement
- F. List of Existing Franchisees and Terminated Franchisees and those who have otherwise left the System
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Date	Signature	Printed Name
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Date	Signature	Printed Name
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Please sign this copy of the receipt and date your signature. **KEEP THIS COPY FOR YOUR RECORDS.**

Prospective Franchisee’s Copy

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Please sign this copy of the receipt, date your signature, and return it to:

Paul Pickett
Chief Development Officer
Wild Birds Unlimited, Inc.
11711 N. College Ave., Suite 146
Carmel, IN 46032
Fax: (317) 208-4050