

STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
SECURITIES DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF DETERMINING) Order Number S-06-194-08-CO01
Whether there has been a violation of the)
Franchise Investment Protection Act of) CONSENT ORDER
Washington by:)
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The Christmas Light Pros, Inc.,)
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Respondent)

THE STATE OF WASHINGTON TO: The Christmas Light Pros, Inc.

INTRODUCTION

On August 14, 2008, the Securities Administrator of the State of Washington issued Statement of Charges and Notice of Intent to Issue an Order to Cease and Desist (Statement of Charges) against The Christmas Light Pros, Inc. The Securities Division and The Christmas Light Pros, Inc. do hereby agree to this Consent Order in settlement of the above captioned matter. The Securities Division has, in the Statement of Charges, made certain allegations and conclusions, set forth under the headings "Tentative Findings of Fact" and "Conclusions of Law." The Christmas Light Pros, Inc. neither admit nor deny the Tentative Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, which are hereby incorporated by reference into this Consent Order (except as to a change of business address).

CONSENT ORDER

Based upon the foregoing and finding it in the public interest:

IT IS AGREED AND ORDERED that The Christmas Light Pros, Inc., doing business as The Christmas Light Pros, and its agents and employees, shall cease and desist from offering or selling franchises in violation of RCW 19.100.020, the registration requirement provision of the Franchise Investment Protection Act of Washington.

1 IT IS FURTHER AGREED AND ORDERED that The Christmas Light Pros, Inc., doing
2 business as The Christmas Light Pros, and its agents and employees, shall cease and desist from offering
3 or selling franchises in violation of RCW 19.100.080 and RCW 19.100.170, the disclosure document and
4 antifraud provisions, respectively, of the Franchise Investment Protection Act of Washington.

5 IT IS FURTHER AGREED that The Christmas Light Pros, Inc. shall reimburse the
6 Securities Division \$750 for its costs of investigation payable prior to the Securities Division's
7 entry of this Order.

8 IT IS FURTHER AGREED that the Securities Division has jurisdiction to enter this Order.

9 IT IS FURTHER AGREED that in consideration of the foregoing that The Christmas Light Pros,
10 Inc., doing business as The Christmas Light Pros, waives its right to a hearing or judicial review of this
11 matter pursuant to Chapter 34.05 RCW.

12 The Christmas Light Pros, Inc., doing business as The Christmas Light Pros, by:

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14 /s/ Jeffrey M. Carlson
15 (Signature)

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17 /s/ Jeffrey M. Carlson Vice-President
18 (Print Name and Title)

Signed this 22nd day of April, 2009.

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21 Dated and Entered this 1st day of May, 2009.

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25 Michael E. Stevenson
Securities Administrator

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