

1 STATE OF WASHINGTON
2 DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
3 SECURITIES DIVISION

4 IN THE MATTER OF DETERMINING) Order Number S-09-394-10-CO01
5 Whether there has been a violation of the)
6 Franchise Investment Protection Act of) CONSENT ORDER
7 Washington by:)
8 Suspended in Time, Inc.,)
9 Respondent)
10 _____)

11 INTRODUCTION

12 Pursuant to the Franchise Investment Protection Act of Washington, RCW 19.100, the
13 Securities Division of the Department of Financial Institutions (Securities Division) and
14 Respondent, Suspended in Time, Inc., do hereby enter into this Consent Order in settlement of
15 the matters alleged herein. After conducting an investigation, the Securities Division makes the
16 Tentative Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law which are set forth below. Respondent
17 neither admits nor denies these Tentative Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

18 TENTATIVE FINDINGS OF FACT

19 RESPONDENT

20 1. Suspended in Time, Inc. is a Utah corporation with its principal place of business
21 in Orem, Utah.

22 2. Suspended in Time, Inc. offers opportunities to conduct businesses for drying,
23 preserving, framing, encasing and otherwise maintaining flowers and floral arrangements.

1 NATURE OF THE OFFERING

2 3. In January and February of 2007, respectively, Suspended in Time, Inc. entered
3 into two "License Agreements" (Agreements) with Washington residents for the operation of
4 flower preservation businesses. These sales were largely the result of an Internet-based website,
5 printed advertising, and other promotional materials.

6 4. The Agreements required the purchasers to pay an initial fee and monthly fees.
7 The purchasers were required to attend training, use the name Suspended in Time, Inc. as the
8 trade name for the business, and to adopt and use as an operational routine, the required
9 standards, procedures, techniques, and management systems designated by Suspended in Time,
10 Inc.

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12 FAILURE TO DELIVER OFFERING CIRCULAR

13 5. Suspended in Time, Inc. did not provide the Washington purchasers with a
14 disclosure document or offering circular as required by RCW 19.100.080 that contained the
15 information about the franchise required by RCW 19.100.040.

16 REGISTRATION STATUS

17 6. Suspended in Time, Inc. is not currently registered to sell its franchises in the state
18 of Washington and has not previously been so registered.

19 Based upon the Tentative Findings of Fact, the following Conclusions of Law are made:

20 CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

21 1. The offer and/or sale of the flower preservation businesses in Washington as
22 described in the above Tentative Findings of Fact constitutes the offer and/or sale of a
23 franchise as defined in RCW 19.100.010(4) and (16).
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1 IT IS FURTHER AGREED that Respondent shall reimburse the Securities Division
2 \$625, payable prior to the entry of this Consent Order, for its costs of investigation of this
3 matter.

4 IT IS FURTHER AGREED that the Securities Division has jurisdiction to enter this
5 Consent Order.

6 IT IS FURTHER AGREED that Respondent enters into this Consent Order freely and
7 voluntarily and with a full understanding of its terms and significance.
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9 IT IS FURTHER AGREED that in consideration of the foregoing, Respondent waive its
10 right to a hearing in this matter and judicial review of this Consent Order.

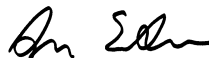
11 Signed this 21st day of June, 2010 for Suspended in Time, Inc. by:

12 _____
13 /s/
Signature

14 _____
15 Rachelle Adams
Print Name

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17 Manager/owner
Title

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20 Dated and Entered this 28th day of June, 2010 by:

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24 SUZANNE SARASON
25 Chief of Enforcement

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