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SPICY PICKLE FRANCHISING, INC.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING THE AVAILABILITY OF PROXY MATERIALS FOR THE SHAREHOLDER MEETING TO BE HELD ON MAY 25, 2011

This communication presents only an overview of the more complete materials that are available to you on the Internet. We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the materials before the annual meeting. The notice of annual meeting of stockholders, proxy statement, annual report on Form 10-K and form of proxy are available at:

http://www.spicypickle.com/2011annualmeeting

If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of these documents, you must request one. There is no charge to you for requesting a copy. Please make your request for a copy by May 11, 2011 to facilitate timely delivery. The request should be made to:

Spicy Pickle Franchising, Inc. 90 Madison Street, Suite 700 Denver, Colorado 80206 Attention: Corporate Secretary

Alternatively, you may call us at 1 (800) 711-1902 or e-mail us at shareholder@spicypickle.com.

The Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Spicy Pickle Franchising, Inc. will be held on Wednesday, May 25, 2011, at 9:00 a.m., Mountain Time, at 90 Madison Street, Suite 700, Denver, Colorado 80206.

Proposals to be voted on at the meeting are listed below:

- 1. Election of Directors.
- 2. Adoption of the 2011 Stock Option Plan.
- 3. Ratification of selection of independent registered public accounting firm.

If you want to obtain directions to attend the meeting and vote in person, you may call us at 1 (800) 711-1902 or e-mail us at shareholder@spicypickle.com.

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