



NEWS ALERT

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HOT SHOT UPDATE

IDQ will not agree to a waiver program as they are using in the cake program. Therefore you should either:

1. Comply with the January 1, 2007 deadline OR
2. If you feel that your franchise agreement does not require you to put Hot Shot in your DQ/Brazier store then you should seek individual counsel to defend your rights in this regard.

TEN YEAR NMF CONTRACT

IDQ has agreed that the execution of the 10 year NMF contract will not place you in any better or any worse position than you are currently with regard to audits. The DQOA therefore recommends that if you are a DQ store that has been offered this program you should accept the offer.

Should you have any questions, please contact Harris Cooper at 612-306-1777.