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## STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

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## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 7-1.2-402, 7-16-9 or 7-13-2 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended, the undersigned business corporation, limited liability company, or limited partnership hereby submits the following statement for authority to transact business in the state of Rhode Island under a fictitious business name:

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1.	The legal name of the applicant business corporation.  The Scotts Company LLC	on, limited liability company or limited partnership is:
2.	The fictitious business name to be used is The Root Factory	
3.	The state or territory under the laws of which it is in	corporated, organized or formed is Ohio
4.	The date of incorporation, organization or formation is December 2, 2004	
5.	5. If a business corporation, the address of its registered office within Rhode Island is 10 Weybosset Street  Providence, RI 02903	
6.	If a business corporation, the business in which it is engaged Marketing and distribution of horticultural products.	
<ol> <li>Applicant is otherwise authorized to do business in the state of Rhode Island.</li> <li>Under penalty of perjury, I declare that the information contained</li> </ol>		
		herein is true and correct.
Date: Feb. 25, 2015		The Scotts Company LLC
10:25 Am FILED		Name of Applicant Corporation, Limited Liability Company or Limited Partnership  By Signature of Authorized Officer of the Corporation
	мак <b>0 6</b> 2015 ву <u>243933</u> VM	By Signature of Authorized Person for the Limited Liability Company Aimee DeLuca
		By Signature of Authorized Person for the Limited Partnership

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