SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act

August 28, 2001 Date of Report

August 16, 2001 (Date of Earliest Event Reported)

TRADING SOLUTIONS.COM, INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Nevada 333-85787 88-0425691 (State or other (Commission File No.) (IRS Employer I.D. No.) Jurisdiction)

2 Rodeo Court, Toronto, Ontario Canada M2M 4M3
 (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

416-512-2356 Registrant's Telephone Number

(Former Name or Former Address if changed Since Last Report)

Item 1. Changes in Control of Registrant.

Pursuant to an Exchange Agreement dated August 18, 2001 between the Company and Springland Beverages, Inc., 15,542,500 shares of the Company were exchanged for all of the issued and outstanding shares of Springland Beverages, Inc. making Springland Beverages, Inc. a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company. This transaction created a change in control of the Company. Mr. Ralph Moyal received 15,000,000 of the exchanged shares placing him in a position of owning 81.5% of the Company. Also, pursuant to the Exchange Agreement, Mr. Moyal will become a director of the Company and the current officers and directors will resign. In addition to the shares issued, 602,772 warrants were issued to the shareholders of Springland Beverages, Inc. to purchase an equal number of the Company's shares. The warrants expire September 16, 2001.

Item 2. Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

Pursuant to an Exchange Agreement dated August 18, 2001 between the Company and Springland Beverages, Inc., 15,542,500 shares of the Company were exchanged for all of the issued and outstanding shares of Springland Beverages, Inc. making Springland Beverages, Inc. a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company. The shares were issued to the seven original shareholders of Springland Beverages, Inc. In addition to the shares issued, 602,772 warrants were issued to the shareholders of Springland Beverages, Inc. to purchase an equal number of the Company's shares. The warrants expire September 16, 2001.

The Company will pursue the bottled water and related beverage market through Springland Beverages, Inc. The Company's new address is 2 Rodeo Court, Toronto, Ontario Canada M2M 4M3, telephone 416-512-2356. The email address rmoyal@idirect.com.

Business of the Company

The Company will operate through its wholly owned subsidiary, Springland Beverages, Inc., an Ontario corporation. Springland intends to supply natural spring water and water related beverages, initially in the U.S. market but eventually as a global operation.

Springland has secured an option to purchase land on which

an existing certified and approved source of natural spring water exists. Additionally, the Company has registered the trademarks "Springland" and "Aurora" in both the United States and Canada. The Company is in the process of negotiating the purchase of an operating beverage plant. The Company intends to identify operating beverage and beverage related companies for future acquisitions.

Natural spring water is defined by the U. S. Food and Drug Administration as "bottled water derived from an underground formation from which water flows naturally to the surface of the earth." Springland's potential source of water meets this definition as evidenced by studies conducted on the lands including a reporting letter from the Ontario Ministry of the Environment. The water source the is under the option held by Springland is located on approximately 62 acres with two major spings. The Ontario Ministry of the Environment has

issued permits allowing for 150,000 imperial gallons per day for 300 days on an annual basis. The permits were originally issued in 1984 and subsequently renewed in 1993 until the year 2003.

In the realm of nonalcoholic drinks, consumers spend more money on carbonated soft drinks than anything else. The sector is dominated by three major competitors that together control nearly 80% of the global market. Coca-Cola controls approximately 50% of the market, followed by Pepsi at about 21% and Cadbury Schweppes at 7%. For many years the nonalcoholic sector has engaged in a power struggle between the Cola War principals, Coke and Pepsi. The industry giants have begun looking to the non-carbonated beverage sector and relying on new product introduction for growth.

World wide consumption of natural spring water is a \$35 billion market. In the U.S. water sales rose 13.9% in 1999 to \$5.2 billion according to Beverage Marketing Corporation. The bottled water market is divided into two distinct categories: non-carbonated which accounts for approximately 91% of bottled water sales and carbonated which accounts for approximately 9% of bottled water sales. Bottled water continues to have increased sales. In 2000, the segment rose some 28%. Sales volume rose 8.3% to 5 billion gallons, twice what it was in 1992. Wholesale dollars increased 9.3%. Currently, per capita consumption of bottled water is at an all time high of 18.2 gallons.

Following the acquisition of an operating plant, the Company plans to initiate an aggressive marketing campaign to establish the Springland name. The Company will strive for corporate brand identification by increasing exposure within the water and water related industry. The Company intends to develop sales literature, demonstration materials and direct response promotions. In addition, the Company intends to use direct mail, fax and telemarketing campaigns for sales generation. The Company recognizes that advertising and promotion must be done aggressively in order to accomplish sales goals. Along with ad campaigns, the Company will release key press releases and reports to appropriate journals and market specific trade shows. Trade show marketing may include informational brochures and giveaways.

Facilities

Until such time as the Company complete a plant acquisition, the President of the Company, Ralph Moyal is providing office space at no cost to the Company. The address is 2 Rodeo Court, Toronto, Ontario Canada M2M 4M3, telephone 416-512-2356.

Management

Effective September 7, 2001, Mr. Ralph Moyal will be the sole officer and director. Mr. Moyal was the Chief Executive and then later was the Chairman of Blue Mountain Beverages and founder of Distribution Canada, Inc. In 1995 he retired as the President of Blue Mountain Beverages and has been self employed since that time. He has over 30 years in the food and beverage industry and was selected two years consecutively as Ontario's Top 100 Entrepreneurs by the Ontario Business Journal.

Until such time as the Company begins operations and generates revenue, Mr. Moyal will not receive any salary or compensation other than reimbursement for expenses on behalf of the Company.

Item 4. Changes in Registrant's Certifying Accountant

The Company's independent auditor for the years ended March 30, 2000 and 2001 was Richard Hawkins of Hawkins Accounting. In August 2001, the Company terminated the engagement of Hawkins Accounting as its independent auditor to lower expenses and provide an auditor located closer to the Company. The Board of Directors researched and approved the accounting firm of Freedman & Goldberg to serve as independent auditor of the Company for the year ended September 30, 2001 and any interim periods. The Company has been advised that neither Freedman & Goldberg nor any of their members or associates has any relationship with the Company or any of its affiliates, except in the firm's proposed capacity as the Company's independent auditor.

During the fiscal years ended March 30, 2000 and 2001, and any subsequent interim periods, the financial statements of the Company did not contain any adverse opinion or disclaimer of opinion from the Company's former independent auditor, and were not modified as to uncertainty, audit scope, or accounting principles, except the reports issued by Hawkins Accounting contained a statement expressing doubt about the ability of the Company to continue as a going concern due to its status as a development stage company with no significant operating results. During the year ended March 30, 2000, and from that date to the present, there were no disagreements with the former independent auditor on any matter of accounting principles, financial statement disclosure, or auditing scope or procedure which, if not resolved to the former independent auditor's satisfaction, would have caused it to make reference to the subject matter of the disagreement in connection with its audit report.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial Statements of Businesses Acquired.

Interim Financial Statements as of June 30, 2001 (unaudited)
To be filed within 60 days

Interim Financial Statements as of March 31, 2001 (unaudited)
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Interim Balance Sheet as of March 31, 2001
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Notes to Financial Statements

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

To be filed within 60 days.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit SEC Description of Exhibit Number Reference

1 2 Exchange Agreement

3 16 Letter on Change in Certifying Accountant

Item 8. Change in Fiscal Year.

On August 28, 2001, the Board of Directors determined it is in the Company's best interest to change its fiscal year to be the same as its wholly owned subsidiary. Therefore, the Company will change its fiscal year from March 31 to September 30. The Form 10-KSB for the period ending September 30, 2001 will cover the transition period.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 31, 2001 TRADING SOLUTIONS.COM, INC.

By:/s/ Ralph Moyal Ralph Moyal, President GOLDBAND & GOLDBERG, LLP

CHARTERED

Philip Goldband, B. Comm., C.A., CFP Jeff Goldberg, B.B.A., M.B.A., C.A. Leon Elmaleh, B.B.A., C.A. David Levine, BSc., B. Comm., C.A., Principal

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NOTICE TO READER

We have compiled the interim balance sheet of Springland Beverages Inc. as at March 31, 2001 and the interim statements of loss and deficit for the period October 1, 2000 to March 31, 2001 from information provided by management. We have not audited, reviewed or otherwise attempted to verify the accuracy or completeness of such information. Readers are cautioned that these statements may not be appropriate for their purpose.

TORONTO, June 13, 2001

/s/ Goldband & Goldberg, LLP CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Represented in the United States by a member firm of L A. L. P A.

INTERIM BALANCE SHEET

MARCH 31, 2001

(Unaudited - See Notice to Reader)

ASSETS

	March 31 2001 (6 Months)	September 30 2000 (12 months)
Current	(O MONENS)	(12 1110111113)
Bank Deposit on land Prepaid and sundry assets	\$ 3,400 75,000 2,492 80,892	\$ 6,430 75,000 1,946 83,376
Other (Note 1)	26,838	24,406
	\$ 107,730	\$ 107,782
LIABILITIES		
Current		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Advances from director	\$ 13,706 20,965 34,671	\$ 8,820 16,525 25,345
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	(
Capital Stock (Note 2)	110,001	110,001
Deficit	(36,942) 73,059 \$ 107,730	82,437

INTERIM STATEMENT OF DEFICIT

FOR THE PERIOD OCTOBER 1, 2000 TO MARCH 31, 2001

(Unaudited - See Notice to Reader)

	arch 31 2001 Months)	ptember 30 2000 months)
Deficit, beginning of period	\$ 27,564	\$ 5,684
Net loss	9,378	21,880
Deficit, end of period	\$ 36,942	\$ 27,564

INTERIM STATEMENT OF LOSS

FOR THE PERIOD OCTOBER 1, 2000 TO MARCH 31, 2001

(Unaudited - See Notice to Reader)

	2001	September 30 2000 (12 months)
REVENUE	\$ -	\$ -
EXPENSES		
Advertising and promotion Amortization Office and general Professional fees Rent Telephone Travel	734 558 1,545 3,160 1,500 734 1,147	2,229 634 2,402 10,069 3,000 1,784 1,762
	9,378	21,880
NET LOSS	\$(9,378)	\$(21,880)

NOTES TO INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

MARCH 31, 2001

1. OTHER

	Cost	 mulated tization	M	arch 31 2001 Net	Se	ptember 30 2000 Net
Trademark Deferred legal costs	\$ 11,978 16,355	\$ 677 818	\$	11,301 5,537	\$	8,460 15,946
	\$ 28,333	\$ 1,495	\$	26,838	\$	24,406

2. CAPITAL STOCK

Authorized

Unlimited Common shares

Unlimited Preference shares

Issued

550,001 Common shares for consideration of 110,001.

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To the Shareholders of Springland Beverages Inc.

AUDITORS'REPORT

We have audited the balance sheet of Springland Beverages Inc. as at September 30, 2000 and the statements of loss, deficit and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as at September 30, 2000 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

TORONTO, April 12,2001 CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Represented in the United States by a member firm of I.A.L.P.A.

BALANCE SHEET

SEPTEMBER 30,2000

ASSETS

Current		2000		1999			
Bank Deposit on land Prepaid and sundry assets Other (Note 3)	\$	6,430 75,000 1,946 83,376 24,406	\$	650 - - 650 6,113			
	\$	107,782	\$	6,763			
LIABILITIES							
Current							
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Advances from shareholder (Note 4)	\$	8,820 16,525 25,345	\$	6,243 6,203 12,446			
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUI	TY						
Capital Stock (Note 5)		110,001		1			
Deficit		(27,564) 82,437		(5,684) (5,683)			
	\$	107,782	\$	6,763			
APPROVED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:							
Director							
	Directo	or					

STATEMENT OF DEFICIT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,2000

Deficit, beginning of year	2000 \$ 5,684	\$ 1999 4,178
Net loss	21,880	1,506
Deficit, end of year	\$ 27,564	\$ 5,684

STATEMENT OF LOSS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,2000

	2000	1999
REVENUE	\$ -	\$ -
EXPENSES		
Advertising and promotion Amortization Office and general Professional fees Rent Telephone Travel	2,229 634 2,402 10,069 3,000 1,784 1,762 21,880	161 - 1,345 - - - 1,506
NET LOSS	\$(21,880)	\$ (1,506)

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,2000

NET INFLOW (OUTFLOW) OF CASH RELATED TO THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES	2000	1999
OPERATING Cash from operations Net loss \$	(21.880)	\$ (1,506)
Charges to earnings not involving cash: Amortization	634	161 (1,345)
Net change in non-cash working capital balances related to operations (Note 6)	. , ,	3,376 2,031
FINANCING		
Issuance of common shares	110,000	-
INVESTING		
Increase in other assets	(18,928)	(2,639)
CHANGE IN CASH DURING THE YEAR	5,413	(608)
CASH, beginning of year	650	1,258
CASH, end of year \$	6,063	\$ 650

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30,2000

1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The company was incorporated under the laws of the Province of Ontario on February 19, 1997.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Intangibles - Trademarks

The trademark "SPRINGLAND" was registered in July 1999. Trademark costs are being amortized on a straight-line basis over 40 years.

Intangibles - Deferred Legal Costs

Deferred legal costs represent legal fees incurred to date in order to accomplish a potential Initial Public Offering (IPO). These fees are being amortized on a straight-line basis over 20 years.

Foreign Currency Translation

Monetary assets and liabilities are translated into Canadian dollars at year end exchange rates. Revenue and expense items are translated at average rates of exchange during the period. Resulting exchange gains or losses are included in earnings.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that effect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

3. OTHER

		Accur	nulated	2	2000	1999
	Cost	Amort	tization		Net	Net
Trademark	\$ 8,987	\$	527	\$	8,460	\$ 6,113
Deferred legal costs	16,355		409		15,946	-
	\$ 25,342	\$	936	\$	24,406	\$ 6,113

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30,2000

4. ADVANCES FROM SHAREHOLDER

Advances from the controlling shareholder of the company are non-interest bearing, due on demand and are unsecured.

5. CAPITAL STOCK

Authorized

Unlimited Common shares Unlimited Preference shares

Issued

550,001 Common shares for consideration of \$ 110,00 1.

During the year the company issued 550,000 common shares and 611,110 warrants out of treasury for \$ 110,000. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase an additional common share for 50 cents for a period of 2 years following the expiration of any statutory holding period.

6. NET CHANGE IN NON-CASH WORKING CAPITAL

	2000	19	999
Deposit on land Prepaid and sundry assets Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Advances from shareholder	(75,000) (1,946) 2,577 9,956 (64,413)		2,751 625 3,376

7. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The company's short-term financial instruments comprising cash, deposit on land, prepaid and sundry assets, accounts payable and accrued liabilities and advances from shareholder are carried at cost, which, due to their short term nature, approximates their fair value.

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In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as at September 30, 1999 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

DON MILLS, November 16,1999

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

SPRINGLAND BEVERAGES INC. BALANCE SHEET

SEPTEMBER 30,1999

ASSETS

1999				1998
Current				
Bank	\$	650	\$	1,258
Other (Note 3)		6,113		3,635
	\$	6,763	\$	3,493
LIABILITIES				
Current				
Accounts payable and accrued liabilitie Advances from shareholder (Note 4)	s \$	6,244 6,202 12,446	\$	3,493 5,577 9,070
SHAREHOLDER'S DEFICIE	NCY			
Capital Stock (Note 5) Deficit		1 (5,684) (5,683)		1 (4,178) (4,177)
	\$	6,763	\$	4,893
APPROVED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:				
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SPRINGLAND BEVERAGES INC. STATEMENT OF DEFICIT FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,1999

		19	1998	
Deficit,	beginning of year	\$	4,178	\$ 2,425
Net loss			1,506	1,753
Deficit,	end of year	\$	5,684	\$ 4,178

STATEMENT OF LOSS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,1999

	1999		1998
REVENUE	\$	-	\$ -
EXPENSES			
Amortization		161	95
Interest and bank charges		145	120
Office and general		-	338
Professional fees		1,200	1,200
		1,506	1,753
NET LOSS	\$	1,506	\$ 1,753

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,1999

	1999		1998
NET INFLOW (OUTFLOW) OF CASH RELATED TO THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES			
OPERATING			
Cash from operations Net loss \$	(1,506)	Ф	(1 752)
Charges to earnings not involving cash:	(1,300)	Ψ	(1,733)
Amortization	161		95
	(1,345)		(1,658)
Net change in non-cash working capital			
balances related to operations (Note 6)	3,376		2,481
	2,031		823
INVESTING			
Increase in other assets	(2,639)		(812)
CHANGE IN CASH DURING THE YEAR	(608)		11
CASH, beginning of year	1,258		1,247
CASH, end of year \$	650	\$	1,258

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30,1999

1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Intangibles

The trademark "SPRINGLAND" was registered in July 1999. Trademark costs are being amortized on a straight-line basis over 40 years.

3. OTHER

		Accı	ımulated	1999	1998
	Cost	Amort	ization	Net	Net
Trademark	\$ 6,414	\$	301	\$ 6,113	\$ 3,635

4. ADVANCES FROM SHAREHOLDER

Advances from the shareholder of the company are non-interest bearing, due on demand and are unsecured.

5. CAPITAL STOCK

Authorized

Unlimited Common shares
Unlimited Preference shares

Issued

15,000,000 Common shares for consideration of \$ 1.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30,1999

6. NET CHANGE IN NON-CASH WORKING CAPITAL

1999	1	998	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 2,751	\$	830
Advances from shareholder	625		1,651
	\$ 3,376	\$	2,481

7. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Subsequent to the year end, the Company issued 550,000 common shares and 611,110 warrants out of treasury for \$ 110,000. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase an additional common share for 50 cents for a period of 2 years following the expiration of any statutory holding period.

8. YEAR 2000 READINESS

The Year 2000 Issue arises because many computerized systems use two digits rather than four to identify a year. Data-sensitive systems may recognize the year 2000 as 1900 or some other date, resulting in errors when information using year 2000 dates is processed. In addition, similar problems may arise in some systems which use certain dates in 1999 to represent something other than a date. The effects of the Year 2000 Issue may be experienced before, on or after January 1, 2000, and, if not addressed, the impact on operations and financial reporting may range from minor issues to significant systems failure which could affect an entity's ability to conduct normal business operations. It is not possible to be certain that all aspects of the Year 2000 Issue affecting the entity, including those related to the efforts of affiliates, suppliers, or other third parties will be fully resolved. The Company, however has evaluated their systems and feel that they will be compatible with the Year 2000.

AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF EXCHANGE

Between

TRADING SOLUTIONS.COM, INC.

SPRINGLAND BEVERAGES, INC.

and

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF SPRINGLAND BEVERAGES, INC.

Dated August 16, 2001

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AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF EXCHANGE

THIS AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF EXCHANGE is made and entered into as of this 16th day of August 2001, by and between TRADING SOLUTIONS.COM, INC., a Nevada corporation, SPRINGLAND BEVERAGES, INC., an Ontario corporation, and the STOCKHOLDERS of Springland Beverages, Inc., identified on individual Adherence Agreements in the form of Exhibit A.

Premises

This Agreement provides for the acquisition by TSI of all of the issued and outstanding shares and warrants of SBI solely in exchange for voting shares and warrants of TSI on the terms and conditions hereinafter provided, all for the purpose of effecting a so-called "tax-free" reorganization pursuant to section 368(a)(1)(B) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

Agreement

NOW, THEREFORE, on the stated premises and for and in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements hereinafter set forth and the mutual benefits to the Parties to be derived herefrom, it is hereby agreed as follows:

ARTICLE I

DEFINITIONS

Adverse Consequences

means all actions, suits, proceedings, hearings, investigations, charges, complaints, claims, demands, injunctions, judgments, orders, decrees, rulings, damages, dues, penalties, fines, costs, reasonable amounts paid in settlement, liabilities, obligations, taxes, liens, losses, expenses, and fees, including court costs and reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses.

Affiliate

has the meaning set forth in Rule 12b-2 of the regulations promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Agreement

means this Agreement and Plan of Exchange dated August ___, 2001.

Closing

means the acts by the Parties of issuing, executing, and/or delivering the TSI Stock, SBI Stock, TSI Warrants, SBI Warrants, certificates of officers, schedules, and other instruments provided for in Articles VI, VII, and VIII of this Agreement.

Common Stock

means the duly authorized common stock, par value \$0.001, of TSI.

Exchanged TSI Stock

means the Common Stock of TSI to be issued to the Stockholders pursuant to this Agreement.

Exchanged TSI Warrants means 602,772 warrants to purchase

common shares of TSI at an exercise price of \$0.50 per share that expire September 16, 2001, to be issued to certain Stockholders pursuant to this Agreement.

the United States **GAAP** means

generally accepted accounting principles as in effect from time to time. $\,$

Knowledge actual knowledge after means

reasonable investigation.

Material means, when used as an adjective in

conjunction with an event, condition, circumstance, effect, or other item, that there is a substantial likelihood that a reasonable person would attach importance to the event, condition, circumstance, effect, or item in evaluating the Party to which it relates and the transactions

contemplated.

Nevada Corporation Law means the corporation law of the state

of Nevada set forth in Chapter 78 of the

Nevada Revised Statutes, as amended.

Business means the ordinary course of business consistent with past custom and Ordinary Course of Business

practice (including with respect to quantity

and frequency).

Party means any one or more of TSI,

SBI, or the Stockholders, as the context

indicates.

Person

means an individual, a partnership, a corporation, an association, a joint stock company, a trust, a joint venture, an unincorporated organization, or a governmental entity (or any department, agency, or political subdivision thereof).

is Springland Beverages, Inc., SBI

an Ontario corporation and a Party to this

Agreement.

SBI Schedules the schedules of SBI means

identified in Section 2.20 of this Agreement.

SBI Stock means 15,542,500

common shares of SBI, which are all of the issued and outstanding shares of the capital

stock of SBI.

SBI Warrants means 602,772 warrants to purchase

common shares of SBI at an exercise price of \$0.50 per share that expire on September 16, which are all of the issued and

outstanding warrants of SBI.

SEC means the Securities

Exchange Commission.

Securities Act means the Securities Act of 1933,

as amended.

Security Interest means any mortgage, pledge, lien,

encumbrance, charge, or other security interest, other than: (a) mechanic's, materialmen's, and similar liens; (b) liens for taxes not yet due and payable or for taxes that the taxpayer is contesting in good faith through appropriate proceedings; (c) purchase money liens and liens securing payments under capital arrangements; and (d) other liens arising in the Ordinary Course of Business and not incurred in connection with the borrowing of money.

Stockholder(s)

is one or more of the stockholders

of SBI who are parties to this Agreement and identified either on the signature pages of this Agreement or on individual Adherence Agreements in the form of Exhibit A (who are the holders of all the SBI Stock).

Subsidiary

means any corporation with respect to which a specified Person (or a Subsidiary thereof) owns a majority of the common stock or has the power to vote or direct the voting of sufficient securities to elect a majority of the directors.

Tax

means any federal, state, local, or foreign income, gross receipts, license, payroll, employment, excise, severance, stamp, occupation, premium, windfall profits, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, franchise, profits, withholding, social security (or similar), unemployment, disability, real property, personal property, sales, use, transfer, registration, value added, alternative or addon minimum, estimated, or other tax of any kind whatsoever, including any interest, penalty, or addition thereto, whether disputed or not.

Tax Return

means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

TST

is Trading Solutions.com, Inc., a Nevada corporation and a Party to this Agreement.

TSI Schedules

means the schedules of TSI identified in Section 3.19 of this Agreement.

ARTICLE II

REPRESENTATIONS, COVENANTS, AND WARRANTIES OF SBI

As an inducement to, and to obtain the reliance of, TSI, SBI represents and warrants as follows:

Section 2.01 Organization. SBI is a corporation duly organized, validly existing, and in good standing under the laws of the province of Ontario. SBI has the corporate power and is duly authorized, qualified, franchised, and licensed under all applicable laws, regulations, ordinances, and orders of public authorities to own all of its properties and assets and to carry on its business in all material respects as it is now being conducted, including qualification to do business as a foreign corporation in the territories or provinces in which the character and location of the assets owned by it or the nature of the business transacted by it requires qualification, except in such jurisdictions, if any, where the failure to be so qualified would not, either individually or in the aggregate, have a material adverse effect on the business, properties, or assets of SBI. Included in the SBI Schedules (as hereinafter defined) are complete and correct copies of the articles of incorporation, as amended, and bylaws of SBI as in effect on the date hereof.

Section 2.02 Non-contravention. The execution and delivery of this Agreement does not, and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement in accordance with the terms hereof will not: violate any provision of the articles of incorporation, charter, or bylaws of SBI; result in the

breach of, constitute a default under, result in the acceleration of, create in any Person the right to accelerate, terminate, modify, cancel, or require any notice under, any material agreement, contract, lease, license, instrument, or other arrangement to which SBI is a party or by which it is bound or to which any of its assets is subject; or, violate any constitution, statute, regulation, rule, injunction, judgment, order, decree, ruling, charge, or other restriction of any government, governmental agency, or court to which SBI is subject.

Section 2.03 Authorization of Transaction. SBI has full power and authority, and has taken all action required by law, its articles of incorporation and bylaws, and otherwise to execute and deliver this Agreement and to perform its obligations hereunder. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the board of directors of SBI has duly authorized the execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement by SBI. This Agreement represents the valid and binding obligation of SBI enforceable in accordance with its terms, except as limited by bankruptcy and insolvency laws and by other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally.

Section 2.04 Subsidiaries. SBI has no Subsidiaries, and owns no shares of the capital stock or equity interest of any other corporation or business entity.

Section authorized 2.05 Capitalization. The capitalization of SBI consists of unlimited common shares without nominal or par value, of which 15,542,500 shares are currently issued and outstanding. All issued and outstanding shares are legally issued, fully paid, and non-assessable and not issued in violation of the pre-emptive or other rights of any Person. Except for the SBI Warrants and as otherwise disclosed herein and in the SBI Schedules, there are no existing options, warrants, calls, or commitments of any character relating to the authorized and unissued SBI common shares, except options, warrants, calls, or commitments, if any, to which SBI is not a party and by which it is not bound. Except as disclosed herein and in the SBI Schedules, there are no outstanding or authorized stock appreciation, phantom stock, profit participation, or similar rights with respect to SBI.

Section 2.06 Financial Statements.

- (a) The SBI Schedules contain the unaudited balance sheet of SBI at March 31, 2001, and the related unaudited statements of loss and cash flows for the six months then ended; and the audited balance sheets of SBI as of September 30, 2000 and 1999, and the related audited statements of loss, deficit, and cash flows for each year in the two year period ended December 31, 2000, together with the notes to such statements and the opinion of Goldband & Goldberg, LLP, chartered accountants, with respect thereto.
- (b) All such financial statements have been prepared in accordance with GAAP, which was applied on a consistent basis throughout the periods covered, present fairly as of their respective dates the financial condition of SBI and the results of operations of SBI, are correct and complete, and are consistent with the books and records of SBI (which books and records are correct and complete).
- (c) SBI did not have as of the date of its March 31, 2001 balance sheet any liabilities or obligations (whether known or unknown, asserted or unasserted, absolute or contingent, accrued or unaccrued, liquidated or unliquidated, and due or to become due), including any liability for Taxes, except for (i) liabilities set forth on said balance sheet of SBI, and (ii) liabilities disclosed in this Agreement or the SBI Schedules.

- Section 2.07 Absence of Certain Changes or Events. Except as described herein or in the SBI Schedules, since March 31, 2001, the date of the most recent balance sheet of SBI:
 - (a) There has not been (i) any material adverse change in the business, operations, properties, assets, or condition of SBI; or (ii) any damage, destruction, or loss to SBI (whether or not covered by insurance) materially and adversely affecting its business, operations, properties, assets, or financial condition.
 - (b) SBI has not (i) amended its articles of incorporation, charter, or bylaws; (ii) declared or made, or agreed to declare or make, any payment of dividends or distributions of any assets of any kind whatsoever to stockholders, or purchased or redeemed, or agreed to purchase or redeem, any of its capital stock; (iii) waived any rights of value which in the aggregate are extraordinary or material considering its business; (iv) made any material change in its method of management, operation, or accounting; (v) entered into any other material transaction; (vi) made any accrual or arrangement for payment of bonuses or special compensation of any kind or any severance or termination pay to any Person; or (vii) made any increase in any profit sharing, bonus, deferred compensation, insurance, pension, retirement, or other employee benefit plan, payment, or arrangement made to, for, or with its officers, directors, Affiliates, or employees, except in the Ordinary Course of Business.
 - (c) SBI has not (i) granted or agreed to grant any options, warrants, or other rights for its stocks, bonds, or other corporate securities calling for the issuance thereof; (ii) borrowed or agreed to borrow any funds or incurred, or become subject to, any material obligation or liability (absolute or contingent),; (iii) paid any obligation or liability (absolute or contingent) other than current liabilities reflected in or shown on the March 31, 2001 SBI balance sheet, and current liabilities incurred since that date in the Ordinary Course of Business, including, the incurred in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; (iv) sold or transferred, or agreed to sell or transfer, any of its assets, properties, or rights (except assets, properties, or rights not used or useful in its business which, in the aggregate, have a value of less than \$1,000), or canceled, or agreed to cancel, any debts or claims in excess of reserves reflected on the schedule of accounts receivable included in the Schedules and additions thereto (except debts or claims which, in the aggregate, are of a value of less than \$1,000); or (v) made or permitted any amendment or termination of any contract, agreement, or license to which it is a party if such amendment or termination is material, considering its business.
 - (d) To the Knowledge of SBI, it has not become subject to any law or regulation which materially and adversely affects, or in the future may adversely affect its business as conducted on the date hereof.

Section 2.08 Title and Related Matters. SBI has good and marketable title to all of its properties, interests in properties, and assets, real and personal, which are reflected in the March 31, 2001 SBI balance sheet or acquired after that date (except properties, interests in properties, and assets sold or otherwise disposed of since such date in the Ordinary Course of Business or as provided in this Agreement or the SBI Schedules), free and clear of all Security Interests, except as disclosed in the SBI Schedules. Except as set forth in the SBI Schedules, SBI owns free and clear of any Security Interests any and all trademarks, service marks, tradenames, copyrights, procedures, techniques, marketing plans, business plans, methods of management, intellectual property, and other information utilized in connection with its business. Except as set forth in the SBI Schedules, no Person has any right to, and SBI has not received any notice of, infringement of, or conflict with, asserted rights of others with respect to any marketing rights,

trade secrets, know-how, proprietary techniques, trademarks, service marks, tradenames, copyrights, or intellectual property, which, if the subject of an unfavorable decision, ruling, or finding, would have a materially adverse effect on the business, operations, financial condition, income, or business of SBI and its Subsidiaries, or any material portion of its properties, assets, or rights.

Section 2.09 Tax Matters.

- (a) To the Knowledge of SBI, SBI has filed, or will have filed prior to the Closing, all Tax Returns that it was required to file as of the date of Closing, except where extensions were obtained. All such Tax Returns were correct and complete in all material respects. All Taxes owed by SBI (as shown on any Tax Return) have been paid, except where extensions were obtained. SBI is not currently the beneficiary of any extension of time within which to file any Tax Return, except as disclosed in the SBI Schedules. No claim has ever been made by an authority in a jurisdiction where SBI does not file Tax Returns that it is or may be subject to taxation by that jurisdiction. There are no Security Interests on any of the assets of SBI that arose in connection with any failure (or alleged failure) to pay any Tax.
- (b) SBI has withheld and paid all Taxes required to have been withheld and paid in connection with amounts paid or owing to any employee, independent contractor, creditor, stockholder, or other Person.
- Except as disclosed in the SBI Schedules, no Stockholder, director, or officer (or employee responsible for Tax matters) reasonably expects any authority to assess against SBI any additional Taxes for any period for which Tax Returns have been filed. Except as disclosed in the SBI Schedules, there is no dispute or claim concerning any Tax liability of SBI either (i) claimed or raised by an authority in writing or, (ii) as to which any of the Stockholders, directors, and officers (and employees responsible for Tax matters) has knowledge based upon personal contact with any agent of such authority. The SBI Schedules include a list of all Tax Returns filed with respect to SBI for all taxable periods ending on or after October 1, 1998, indicates those Tax Returns that have been audited, and indicates those Tax Returns that currently are the subject of audit. SBI has made available to TSI correct and complete copies of all Tax Returns, examination reports, and statements of deficiencies assessed against or agreed to by SBI since October 1, 1998.
- (d) SBI has not waived any statute of limitations in respect of Taxes or agreed to any extension of time with respect to a Tax assessment or deficiency.

Section 2.10 Litigation and Proceedings. Except as set forth in the SBI Schedules, there are no actions, suits, proceedings, or investigations pending or, to the Knowledge of SBI, threatened by or against it or affecting its properties, at law or in equity, before any court or other governmental agency or instrumentality, domestic or foreign, or before any arbitrator of any kind. To the Knowledge of SBI, there is no material default on its part with respect to any judgment, order, writ, injunction, decree, award, or ruling of any court, arbitrator, or governmental agency or instrumentality.

Section 2.11 Contracts.

(a) Except as included or described herein or in the SBI Schedules, there are no contracts, agreements, franchises, license agreements, or other commitments to which SBI is a party or by which its properties are bound.

- (b) All contracts, agreements, franchises, license agreements, and other commitments to which SBI is a party or by which its properties are bound and which are material to its operations are valid and enforceable by it in all respects, except as limited by bankruptcy and insolvency laws and by other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally.
- Except as included or described in the SBI Schedules or reflected in the March 31, 2001 SBI balance sheet, SBI is not a party to any oral or written: (i) contract for the employment of any officer or employee which is not terminable on 30 days or less notice; (ii) profit sharing, bonus, deferred compensation, stock option, severance pay, pension benefit or retirement plan, agreement, or arrangement; (iii) agreement, contract, or indenture relating to the borrowing of money; (iv) guaranty of any obligation, other than one on which it is a primary obligor, for the borrowing of money or otherwise, excluding endorsements made for collection and other guaranties of obligations which, in the aggregate, do not exceed \$1,000; (v) consulting or other similar contracts with an unexpired term of more than one year or providing for payments in excess of \$1,000 in the aggregate; (vi) collective bargaining agreement; (vii) agreement with any present or former officer or director; or (viii) contract, agreement, or other commitment involving payments by it of more than \$25,000 in the aggregate.

Section 2.12 Material Contract Defaults. Except as disclosed in the SBI Schedules, SBI is not in default in any respect under the terms of any outstanding contract, agreement, lease, or other commitment which is material to its business, operations, properties, assets, or business condition, and there is no event of default or other event which, with notice or lapse of time or both, would constitute a default in any material respect under any such contract, agreement, lease, or other commitment in respect of which it has not taken adequate steps to prevent such a default from occurring.

Section 2.13 Governmental Authorizations. Except as set forth in the SBI Schedules, SBI has all licenses, franchises, permits, and other governmental authorizations that are legally required to enable it to conduct its business in all material respects as conducted on the date hereof. Except for compliance with the Securities Act contemplated by Section 5.03 of this Agreement, no material authorization, approval, consent, or order of, or registration, declaration, or filing with, any court or other governmental body is required in connection with the execution and delivery by SBI of this Agreement and the consummation by SBI of the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.14 Compliance With Laws and Regulations. SBI has complied with all applicable statutes and regulations of any country, state, provincial, municipal, or local governmental entity or agency thereof, except to the extent that noncompliance would not materially and adversely affect the business, operations, properties, assets, or business condition of SBI, and except to the extent non-compliance would not result in any material liability. SBI will deliver at closing, a legal opinion as to the issuance of its shares and the corporate status of SBI.

Section 2.15 Insurance. All the insurable properties of SBI are insured in accordance with industry standards against all risks customarily insured against by persons operating similar properties in localities where such properties are located and under valid and enforceable policies by insurers of recognized responsibility.

Section 2.16 Transactions With Affiliates. Set forth in the SBI Schedules is a description of every material contract, agreement, or arrangement between SBI and any Affiliate during the period beginning October 31, 1998, and ending on the date of Closing.

- Section 2.17 Labor Relations. SBI has not had a work stoppage resulting from labor problems. No union or other collective bargaining organization is organizing or attempting to organize any employee of SBI.
- Section 2.18 Foreign Business Practices. To the Knowledge of SBI, no officer, director, employee, Affiliate, or Stockholder of SBI has made any offer, payment, promise to pay, or authorization of the payment of any money, or offer, gift, promise to give, or authorization of the giving of anything of value for the purpose of assisting SBI in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any Person, to:
 - (a) Any foreign official for purposes of, (i) influencing any act or decision of such foreign official in his official capacity, (ii) inducing such foreign official to do or omit to do any act in violation of the lawful duty of such official, or (iii) inducing such foreign official to use his influence with a foreign government or instrumentality thereof to affect or influence any act or decision of such government or instrumentality;
 - (b) Any foreign political party or official thereof or any candidate for foreign political office for purposes of, (i) influencing any act or decision of such party, official, or candidate in its or his official capacity, (ii) inducing such party, official or candidate to do or omit to do an act in violation of the lawful duty of such party, official, or candidate, or (iii) inducing such party, official, or candidate to use its or his influence with a foreign government or instrumentality thereof to affect or influence any act or decision of such government or instrumentality; or
 - (c) To any Person, while knowing that all or a portion of such money or thing of value will be offered, given, or promised, directly or indirectly, to any foreign official, to any foreign political party or official thereof, or to any candidate for foreign political office, for purposes of, (i) influencing any act or decision of such foreign official, political party official, or candidate in his or its official capacity, (ii) inducing such foreign official, political party, party official, or candidate to do or omit to do any act in violation of the lawful duty of such foreign official, political party, party official, or candidate, or (iii) inducing such foreign official, political party, party official, or candidate to use or its influence with a foreign government or instrumentality thereof to affect or influence any act or decision of such government or instrumentality.
- Section 2.19 Information. The information concerning SBI set forth in this Agreement and in the SBI Schedules is complete and accurate in all material respects and does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they are made, not misleading.
- Section 2.20 SBI Schedules. No later than two business days prior to Closing, SBI will deliver to TSI the following documents and information, which are collectively referred to as the "SBI Schedules." Thereafter, SBI shall provide to TSI all materials and information requested, including any information requested to verify any information furnished:
 - (a) complete and correct copies of the articles of incorporation, as amended, and bylaws of SBI in effect as of the date of Closing;
 - (b) the financial statements of SBI identified in paragraph 2.06(a);
 - (c) the income Tax Returns of SBI identified in paragraph 2.09(c);

- (d) a description of all real property owned and/or leased by SBI, together with a description of every Security Interest in respect thereof;
- (e) copies of all material agreements, arrangements, contracts, or other instruments to which SBI is a party or by which it or its properties are bound required to be provided by Section 2.11 hereof, together with a description of all oral contracts, leases, agreements, and other instruments to which SBI is a party or by which it or its properties are bound;
- (f) copies of all licenses, permits, and other governmental authorizations (or requests or applications therefor) pursuant to which SBI carries on or proposes to carry on its business (except those which, in the aggregate, are immaterial to the present or proposed business of SBI);
- (g) a description of any material change in the business, operations, property, inventory, assets, or condition of SBI since March 31, 2001 required to be provided pursuant to Section 2.07 hereof;
- (h) a description of transactions with Affiliates required to be described by Section 2.16; and
- (1) a schedule setting forth any other information, together with any copies of documents, required to be disclosed in the SBI Schedules by Sections 2.01 through 2.19.

With respect to any separate items that are part of the SBI Schedules delivered before or after the date of this Agreement to TSI or its representatives by SBI or its representatives, SBI may provide to TSI as the full or partial schedule required by this Section 2.20, a list specifying the items so delivered. SBI shall cause the SBI Schedules and the instruments and data to be delivered to TSI hereunder to be updated after the date of delivery up to and including the date of Closing.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS, COVENANTS, AND WARRANTIES OF TSI

As an inducement to, and to obtain the reliance of, SBI and the Stockholders, TSI represents and warrants as follows:

Section 3.01 Organization. TSI is a corporation duly organized, validly existing, and in good standing under the of the state of Nevada. TSI has the corporate power and is duly authorized, qualified, franchised, and licensed under applicable laws, regulations, ordinances, and orders of public authorities to own all of its properties and assets and to carry on its business in all material respects as it is now being conducted, including qualification to do business as a foreign corporation in the states in which the character and location of the assets owned by it or the nature of the business transacted by it requires qualification, except in such jurisdictions, if any, where the failure to be so qualified would not, either individually or in the aggregate, have a material adverse effect on the business, properties, or assets of TSI. Included in the TSI Schedules (as hereinafter defined) are complete and correct copies of the articles of incorporation, as amended, and bylaws of TSI as in effect on the date hereof.

Section 3.02 Non-contravention. The execution and delivery of this Agreement does not, and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement in accordance with the terms hereof

will not: violate any provision of the articles of incorporation, charter, or bylaws of TSI; result in the breach of, constitute a default under, result in the acceleration of, create in any Person the right to accelerate, terminate, modify, cancel, or require any notice under, any material agreement, contract, lease, license, instrument, or other arrangement to which TSI is a party or by which it is bound or to which any of its assets is subject; or, violate any constitution, statute, regulation, rule, injunction, judgment, order, decree, ruling, charge, or other restriction of any government, governmental agency, or court to which TSI is subject.

Section 3.03 Authorization of Transaction. TSI has full power and authority, and has taken all action required by law, its articles of incorporation and bylaws, and otherwise to execute and deliver this Agreement and to perform its obligations hereunder. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the board of directors of TSI has duly authorized the execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement by TSI. This Agreement represents the valid and binding obligation of TSI enforceable in accordance with its terms, except as limited by bankruptcy and insolvency laws and by other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally.

Section 3.04 Subsidiaries. TSI has no Subsidiaries, and owns no shares of the capital stock or equity interest of any other corporation or business entity.

3.05 Capitalization. The capitalization of TSI is 20,000,000 shares of Common Stock, of which 2,861,000 shares are currently issued and outstanding. All issued and outstanding shares are legally issued, fully paid, and non-assessable and not issued in violation of the pre-emptive or other rights of any Person. Except for the TSI Warrants and as otherwise disclosed herein and in the TSI Schedules there are no existing options, warrants, calls, or commitments of any character relating to the authorized and unissued TSI Common Stock, except options, warrants, calls, or commitments, if any, to which TSI is not a party and by which it is not bound. There are no outstanding or authorized stock appreciation, phantom stock, profit participation, or similar rights with respect to TSI.

Section 3.06 Financial Statements.

- (a) The TSI Schedules contain the audited balance sheet of TSI at March 31, 2001, and the related audited statements of operations and cash flows for the twelve months then ended, including the notes to such statements; and the audited balance sheet of TSI as of March 31, 2000, and the related audited statements of operations, stockholders' equity, and cash flows for the period form date of inception (May 14, 1999) to March 31, 2000, together with the notes to such statements and the opinion of Hawkins Accounting, independent accountants, with respect thereto.
- (b) All such financial statements have been prepared in accordance with GAAP on a consistent basis throughout the periods covered, present fairly as of their respective dates the financial condition of TSI and the results of operations of TSI, are correct and complete, and are consistent with the books and records of TSI (which books and records are correct and complete).
- (c) TSI did not have as of the date of its March 31, 2001, balance sheet any material liabilities or obligations (whether known or unknown, asserted or unasserted, absolute or contingent, accrued or unaccrued, liquidated or unliquidated, and due or to become due), including any liability for Taxes, except for (i) liabilities set forth on said balance sheet of TSI, and (ii) liabilities disclosed in this Agreement or the TSI Schedules, and (iii) legal fees expected to be approximately \$15,000 which TSI agrees to pay.

Section 3.07 Absence of Certain Changes or Events. Except as described herein or in the TSI Schedules, since the date of the March 31, 2001, TSI balance sheet:

- (a) There has not been (i) any material adverse change in the business, operations, properties, assets, or condition of TSI; or (ii) any damage, destruction, or loss to TSI (whether or not covered by insurance) materially and adversely affecting its business, operations, properties, assets, or financial condition;
- (b) TSI has not (i) amended its articles of incorporation, charter, or bylaws; (ii) waived any rights of value which in the aggregate are extraordinary or material considering its business; or, (iii) entered into any other material transaction;
- (c) TSI has not (i) granted or agreed to grant any options, warrants, or other rights for its stocks, bonds, or other corporate securities calling for the issuance thereof; (ii) borrowed or agreed to borrow any funds or incurred, or become subject to, any obligation or liability (absolute or contingent),; or (iii) made or permitted any amendment or termination of any contract, agreement, or license to which it is a party if such amendment or termination is material, considering its business.
- (d) To the Knowledge of TSI, it has not become subject to any law or regulation which materially and adversely affects, or in the future may adversely affect its business as conducted on the date hereof.

Section 3.08 Title and Related Matters. TSI has good and marketable title to all of its properties, inventory, interests in properties, and assets, real and personal, which are reflected in the December 31, 2000 TSI balance sheet or acquired after that date (except properties, interests in properties, and assets sold or otherwise disposed of since such date in the Ordinary Course of Business), free and clear of all Security Interests, except as disclosed in the TSI Schedules. Except as set forth in the TSI Schedules, TSI owns free and clear of any Security Interests any and all trademarks, service marks, tradenames, copyrights, procedures, techniques, marketing plans, business plans, methods of management, intellectual property, and other information utilized in connection with its business. Except as set forth in the TSI Schedules, no Person has any right to, and TSI has not received any notice of infringement of, or conflict with, asserted rights of others with respect to any marketing rights, trade secrets, know-how, proprietary techniques, trademarks, service marks, tradenames, copyrights, or intellectual property, which, if the subject of an unfavorable decision, ruling, or finding, would have a materially adverse affect on the business, operations, financial condition, income, or business of TSI, or any material portion of its properties, assets, or rights.

Section 3.09 Tax Matters.

(a) TSI has filed, or will have filed prior to the Closing, all Tax Returns that it was required to file as of the date of Closing. All such Tax Returns were correct and complete in all respects. All Taxes owed by TSI (as shown on any Tax Return) have been paid. TSI currently is not the beneficiary of any extension of time within which to file any Tax Return. No claim has ever been made by an authority in a jurisdiction where TSI does not file Tax Returns that it is or may be subject to taxation by that jurisdiction. There are no Security Interests on any of the assets of TSI that arose in connection with any failure (or alleged failure) to pay any Tax.

- (b) TSI has withheld and paid all Taxes required to have been withheld and paid in connection with amounts paid or owing to any employee, independent contractor, creditor, stockholder, or other Person.
- No TSI director or officer (or employee for Tax matters) reasonably expects any responsible authority to assess against TSI additional Taxes for period for which Tax Returns have been filed, except as disclosed in the TSI Schedules. There is no dispute or claim concerning any Tax liability of TSI either (i) claimed or raised by an authority in writing or, (ii) as to which any of the TSI directors and officers (and employees responsible for Tax matters) has knowledge based upon personal contact with any agent of such authority, except as disclosed in the TSI Schedules. The TSI Schedules include a list of all federal, state, local, and foreign income $\ensuremath{\mathsf{Tax}}$ filed with respect to any of TSI Subsidiaries for taxable periods commencing on or after May 14, 1999, indicates those Tax Returns that have been audited, and indicates those Tax Returns that currently are the subject of audit. TSI has made available to SBI and the Stockholders correct and complete copies of all federal income Tax Returns, examination reports, and statements of deficiencies assessed against or agreed to by TSI since May 14, 1999.
- (d) TSI has not waived any statute of limitations in respect of Taxes or agreed to any extension of time with respect to a Tax assessment or deficiency.

Section 3.10 Litigation and Proceedings. Except as set forth in the TSI Schedules, there are no actions, suits, proceedings, or investigations pending or, to the Knowledge of any of TSI and its Subsidiaries, threatened by or against it or affecting its properties, at law or in equity, before any court or other governmental agency or instrumentality, domestic or foreign, or before any arbitrator of any kind. TSI has no Knowledge of any material default on its part with respect to any judgment, order, writ, injunction, decree, award, or ruling of any court, arbitrator, or governmental agency or instrumentality.

Section 3.11 Contracts. All contracts, agreements, franchises, license agreements, and other commitments to which TSI is a party or by which its properties are bound and which are material to its operations are valid and enforceable by it in all respects, except as limited by bankruptcy and insolvency laws and by other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally.

Section 3.12 Material Contract Defaults. Except as disclosed in the TSI Schedules, TSI is not in default in any respect under the terms of any outstanding contract, agreement, lease, or other commitment which is material to its business, operations, properties, assets, or business condition, and there is no event of default or other event which, with notice or lapse of time or both, would constitute a default in any respect under any such contract, agreement, lease, or other commitment in respect of which it has not taken adequate steps to prevent such a default from occurring.

Section 3.13 Governmental Authorizations. Except as set forth in the TSI Schedules, TSI has all licenses, franchises, permits, and other governmental authorizations that are legally required to enable it to conduct its business in all material respects as conducted on the date hereof. Except for compliance with the Securities Act as contemplated by Section 5.03 of this Agreement, no material authorization, approval, consent, or order of, or registration, declaration, or filing with, any court or other governmental body is required in connection with the execution and delivery by TSI of this Agreement and the consummation by TSI of the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 3.14 Compliance With Laws and Regulations. TSI has complied with all applicable statutes and regulations of any country, state, provincial, municipal, or local governmental entity or agency

thereof, except to the extent that noncompliance would not materially and adversely affect the business, operations, properties, assets, or business condition of TSI, and except to the extent non-compliance would not result in any material liability. The Company's stock is traded on the OTC Bulletin Board under the symbol "TSLU" and to the knowledge of the Company is not nor has ever been subject to any stop order or suspension of trading. TSI will deliver at closing a legal opinion regarding the corporate and SEC status of the Company.

Section 3.15 Insurance. All the insurable properties of TSI are insured in accordance with industry standards against all risks customarily insured against by persons operating similar properties in localities where such properties are located and under valid and enforceable policies by insurers of recognized responsibility.

Section 3.16 Labor Relations. TSI has not had a work stoppage resulting from labor problems. No union or other collective bargaining organization is organizing or attempting to organize any employee of TSI.

Section 3.17 Foreign Business Practices. To the Knowledge of TSI, no officer, director, employee, Affiliate, or stockholder of TSI has made any offer, payment, promise to pay, or authorization of the payment of any money, or offer, gift, promise to give, or authorization of the giving of anything of value for the purpose of assisting TSI in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, any Person, to:

- (a) Any foreign official for purposes of, (i) influencing any act or decision of such foreign official in his official capacity, (ii) inducing such foreign official to do or omit to do any act in violation of the lawful duty of such official, or (iii) inducing such foreign official to use his influence with a foreign government or instrumentality thereof to affect or influence any act or decision of such government or instrumentality;
- (b) Any foreign political party or official thereof or any candidate for foreign political office for purposes of, (i) influencing any act or decision of such party, official, or candidate in its or his official capacity, (ii) inducing such party, official or candidate to do or omit to do an act in violation of the lawful duty of such party, official, or candidate, or (iii) inducing such party, official, or candidate to use its or his influence with a foreign government or instrumentality thereof to affect or influence any act or decision of such government or instrumentality; or
- (c) To any Person, while knowing that all or a portion of such money or thing of value will be offered, given, or promised, directly or indirectly, to any foreign official, to any foreign political party or official thereof, or to any candidate for foreign political office, for purposes of, influencing any act or decision of such foreign (i) official, political party official, or candidate in his or its official capacity, (ii) inducing such foreign official, political party, party official, or candidate to do or omit to do any act in violation of the lawful duty of such foreign official, political party, party official, or candidate, or (iii) inducing such foreign official, political party, party official, or candidate to use or its influence with a foreign government or instrumentality thereof to affect or influence any act or decision of such government or instrumentality.

Section 3.18 Information. The information concerning TSI set forth in this Agreement and in the TSI Schedules is complete and accurate in all material respects and does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they are made, not misleading.

Section 3.19 TSI Schedules. At or before the Closing, TSI will deliver to SBI and the Stockholders the following documents and information, which are collectively referred to as the "TSI Schedules." Thereafter, TSI shall provide to SBI and the Stockholders all materials and information requested, including any information requested to verify any information furnished:

- (a) complete and correct copies of the articles of incorporation, as amended, and bylaws of TSI in effect as of the date of Closing;
- (b) a copy of the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended March 31, 2001;
- (c) the quarterly reports on Form 10-QSB of TSI for the periods ended June 30, September 30, and December 31, 2000;
- (d) the income Tax Returns of TSI identified in paragraph 3.09(c);
- (e) a description of any material change in the business, operations, property, inventory, assets, or condition of TSI since March 31, 2001, required to be provided pursuant to Section 3.07 hereof; and
- (f) a schedule setting forth any other information, together with any copies of documents, required to be disclosed in the TSI Schedules by Sections 3.01 through 3.18.

With respect to any separate items that are part of the TSI Schedules delivered before or after the date of this Agreement to SBI and the Stockholders or their representatives by TSI or its representatives, TSI may provide to SBI and the Stockholders as the full or partial schedule required by this Section 3.19, a list specifying the items so delivered. TSI shall cause the TSI Schedules and the instruments and data to be delivered to SBI and the Stockholders hereunder to be updated after the date of delivery up to and including the date of Closing.

ARTICLE IV

PLAN OF EXCHANGE

Exchange of Exchanged TSI Stock and SBI Section 4.01 Stock. Pursuant to this Agreement, all SBI Stock shall be conveyed, transferred, and assigned to TSI in exchange for 15,542,500 shares of Exchanged TSI Stock on the date of Closing. At the Closing, the Stockholders shall deliver to TSI stock certificates representing all issued and outstanding shares of SBI Stock, each certificate duly endorsed for transfer with signature guarantees, and receive in exchange therefor one or more certificates representing in the aggregate that number of shares of Exchanged TSI Stock set forth opposite the name of each Stockholder on the Adherance Agreement signed and delivered by each Stockholder. The shares of Exchanged TSI Stock issued pursuant to this Section 4.01 shall be, when issued, legally issued, fully paid, and non-assessable, and TSI shall provide the legal opinion of its legal counsel to such effect. It is the intent of the Parties that the exchange be effected as a socalled "tax-free" reorganization pursuant to section 368(a)(1)(B) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and the Parties covenant and agree to reflect the exchange as such on all financial statements, Tax Returns, filings, and other documents identifying or referring to the exchange contemplated by this Agreement. Upon consummation of this Agreement, the Shareholders of SBI will hold in the aggregate 84.45% of the outstanding stock of TSI.

Section 4.02 Exchange of Exchanged TSI Warrants and SBI Warrants. Pursuant to this Agreement, all SBI Warrants shall be conveyed, transferred, and assigned to TSI in exchange for 602,772 Exchanged TSI Warrants on the date of Closing in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B. At the Closing, the Stockholders holding SBI Warrants shall deliver to TSI the certificates or instruments representing all outstanding SBI Warrants, each duly endorsed for transfer with signature guarantees, and receive in exchange therefor one or more instruments representing in the aggregate that number of Exchanged TSI Warrants set forth opposite the name of each Stockholder on the Adherance Agreement signed and delivered by each Stockholder.

ARTICLE V

SPECIAL COVENANTS

Section 5.01 Access to Properties and Records. TSI and SBI will each afford to the officers and authorized representatives of the other, and to the Stockholders, full access to its properties, books, and records in order that each may have full opportunity to make such reasonable investigation as it shall desire to make of the affairs of the other, and each will furnish the other with such additional financial and operating data and other information as to its business and properties as the other shall from time to time reasonably request.

Section 5.02 Actions Prior to Closing.

- (a) From and after the date of this Agreement, SBI will: (i) carry on its business in substantially the same manner as it has heretofore; (ii) maintain and keep its properties in states of good repair and condition as at present, except for depreciation due to ordinary wear and tear and damage due to casualty; (iii) maintain in full force and effect insurance comparable in amount and in scope of coverage to that now maintained by it; (iv) perform in all material respects all of its obligation under material contracts, leases, and instruments relating to or affecting its assets, properties, and business; (v) use its best efforts to maintain and preserve its business organization intact, to retain its key employees, and to maintain its relationship with its material suppliers and customers; and (vi) fully comply with and perform in all material respects all obligations and duties imposed on it by all federal and state laws and all rules, regulations, and orders imposed by federal or state governmental authorities.
- (b) From and after the date of this Agreement until the date of Closing Date, SBI will not: (i) make any change in its articles of incorporation or bylaws; (ii) take any action described in Section 2.07 (all except as permitted therein or as disclosed in the SBI Schedules); or (iii) enter into or amend any contract, agreement, or other instrument of any of the types described in the SBI Schedules, except that SBI may enter into or amend any contract, agreement, or other instrument in the Ordinary Course of Business.

Section 5.03 Special Covenants and Representations Regarding the Exchanged TSI Stock and Warrants. The consummation of this Agreement and the transactions herein contemplated, including the issuance of the Exchanged TSI Stock and Warrants to the Stockholders as contemplated hereby, constitutes the offer and sale of securities under the Securities Act and applicable securities statutes. Such transactions shall consummated in reliance on exemptions from the registration and prospectus delivery requirements of such statutes, which depend, inter alia, upon the circumstances under which the Stockholders acquire such securities. TSI covenants and agrees that it will take all action required for it to rely on exemptions from the registration and qualification requirements of the Securities Act and applicable

state statutes for the issuance and delivery to the Stockholders of the Exchanged TSI Stock and Warrants as provided in this Agreement. By acceptance of the Exchanged TSI Stock Warrants, each Stockholder agrees that all offers and sale of the Exchanged TSI Stock and Warrants prior to the expiration of a period commencing on the date of Closing and ending one-year thereafter shall only be made in compliance with the safe harbor in Regulation S, pursuant to the registration provisions under the Securities Act, or pursuant to an exemption from registration, and all offers and sales after the expiration of the one-year period shall be made only pursuant to such registration or to such exemption from registration. The Stockholders acknowledge that the securities are "restricted securities" within the meaning of Rule 144 under the Securities TSI is bound to refuse to effect any transfer of the Exchanged TST Stock and Warrants not made in compliance with the safe harbor contained in Regulation S, pursuant to the registration provisions under the Securities Act, or pursuant to an exemption from registration.

Section 5.04 Indemnification.

- All of the representations and warranties of Parties contained in this Agreement shall survive the Closing hereunder and continue in full force and effect for a period of one year thereafter. In the event any Party breaches (or in the event any third Person alleges facts that, if true, would mean any Party has breached) any of its representations and warranties contained herein, provided a written claim for indemnification against the breaching Party is made within any applicable survival period specified in this paragraph (a) of Section 5.04, then the breaching Party (the "Indemnifying Party") agrees to indemnify the other Parties (the "Indemnified Parties") from and against the entirety of any Adverse Consequences the Indemnified Parties may suffer through and after the date of the claim for indemnification (including any Adverse Consequences the Indemnified Parties may suffer after the end of any applicable survival period) resulting from, arising out of, relating to, in the nature of, or caused by the breach (or the alleged breach); provided, however, that no Indemnifying Party shall have any obligation to indemnify Indemnified Party from and against any Consequences resulting from, arising out of, relating to, in the nature of, or caused by the breach (or alleged breach) any representation, warranty, or covenant of Indemnifying Party until the Indemnified Parties suffered Adverse Consequences by reason of all such breaches (or alleged breaches) in excess of a \$5,000 aggregate threshold, at which point the Indemnifying Party will be obligated to indemnify the Indemnified Parties from and against all such Adverse Consequences relating back to the first dollar; and provided further, that the maximum obligation to indemnify all Indemnified Parties from and against Adverse Consequences resulting from, arising out of, relating to, in the nature of, or caused by the breach (or alleged breach) of any representation, warranty, or covenant of the Indemnifying Party shall not exceed \$200,000 in the aggregate.
- If any third Person shall notify any Indemnified Party with respect to any matter (a "Third Party Claim") which may give rise to a claim for indemnification against any Indemnifying Party under this Section 5.04, then the Indemnified Party shall promptly notify each Indemnifying Party thereof in writing; provided, however, that no delay on the part of the Indemnified Party in notifying any Indemnifying Party shall relieve the Indemnifying Party from any obligation hereunder unless (and then solely to the extent) the Indemnifying Party thereby is prejudiced. Indemnifying Party will have the right to defend the Indemnified Party against the Third Party Claim with counsel of it choice reasonably satisfactory to the Indemnified Party so long as (i) the Indemnifying Party notifies the Indemnified Party in writing within 15 days after the Indemnified Party has given notice of the Third Party Claim that the Indemnifying Party will indemnify the Indemnified Party from and against the entirety of any

Party may suffer resulting from, arising out of, relating to, in the nature of, or caused by the Third Party Claim, (ii) the Indemnifying Party provides the Indemnified Party with evidence reasonably acceptable to the Indemnified Party Indemnifying Party will have the financial resources to defend against the Third Party Claim and fulfill its indemnification obligations hereunder, (iii) the Third Party Claim involves only money damages and does seek an injunction or other equitable relief, (iv) settlement of, or an adverse judgment with respect to, Third Party Claim is not, in the good faith judgment of the Indemnified Party, likely to establish a precedential custom or practice materially adverse to the continuing business interests of the Indemnified Party, and (v) the Indemnifying Party conducts the defense of the Third Party Claim actively and diligently. So long as the Indemnifying Party is conducting the defense of the Third Party Claim accordance with this paragraph, the Indemnified Party retain separate co-counsel at its sole cost and expense and participate in the defense of the Third Party Claim, Indemnified Party will not consent to the entry of judgment or enter into any settlement with respect to Third Party Claim without the prior written consent of Indemnifying Party (not to be withheld unreasonably), the Indemnifying Party will not consent to the entry of any judgment or enter into any settlement with respect to the Third Party Claim without the prior written consent of Indemnified Party (not to be withheld unreasonably). In the event any of the conditions in clauses (i) through (v) of this paragraph is or becomes unsatisfied, the Indemnified Party may defend against, and consent to the entry of any judgment or enter into any settlement with respect to, Third Party Claim in any manner it reasonably may deem appropriate (and the Indemnified Party need not consult with, or obtain any consent from, any Indemnifying Party in connection therewith), the Indemnifying Party will reimburse the Indemnified Party promptly and periodically for the costs of defending against the Third Party Claim (including reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses), and the Indemnifying Party will remain responsible for any Adverse Consequences the Indemnified Party may suffer resulting from, arising out of, relating to, in the nature of, or caused by the Third Party Claim to the fullest extent provided in this Section 5.04.

Section 5.05 Third Party Indemnity. The current president of TSI at this date, in considerations for SBI's execution of this Agreement, has concurrently executed a Third Party Indemnity Agreement in the Form attached hereto as Exhibit E, wherein they have agreed after the Closing to indemnify and hold TSI harmless from any and all liability, including costs of suit and attorneys' fees, resulting from any claims which might be brought against TSI in the future as a result of the original issuance of securities by TSI in the 504 private placement dated May 1999 and in the SB-2 registration statement dated April 14, 2000 based on applicable state and/or federal securities laws.

Section 5.06 Third Person Consents and Certificates. The Parties agree to cooperate with each other in order to obtain any required third Person consents to this Agreement and the transactions herein contemplated.

Section 5.07 SBI Asset Purchase. SBI has entered into an Section 5.07 SBI Asset Purchase. SBI has enter agreement for the acquisition of a company with operations and gross revenue of approximately US \$3 million. (the "Acquisition"). All of the Exchanged TSI Stock and Warrants shall be delivered to and held in escrow with Lehman Walstrand and Associates, LLC as escrow agent. Exhibit D contains the terms of the Escrow Agreement in full. The Escrow Agreement provides that SBI agrees to consummate an acquisition of an operating company with gross revenue of at least US \$3 million, either over the last 12 months, or over its preceding fiscal The Exchanged TSI Stock and Warrants will be released vear. from escrow at such time as SBI achieves \$3 million in gross During the term of the Escrow Agreement, SBI agrees revenue. that no additional shares of TSI will be issued including options, warrants or any other security of TSI to any officer, director or control person. During the term of the Escrow

Agreement, TSI shares may only be issued for purposes of financing or acquisitions. The parties agree that the Company will not engage in a debt or equity spiral financing for a term of two years following the closing of this transaction. Within three days following written notice to the escrow agent that the Acquisition has been closed in accordance with the terms set forth in the SBI Schedules, the Escrow Agent will deliver the Exchanged TSI Stock and Warrants to the Stockholders as provided herein.

Section 5.08 Termination. This Agreement may be terminated by the board of directors of any Party at any time prior to the Closing if:

- (a) There shall be any actual or threatened action or proceeding before any court or any governmental body which shall seek to restrain, prohibit, or invalidate the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and which, in the judgment of such board of directors, made in good faith and based on the advice of its legal counsel, makes it inadvisable to proceed with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement;
- (b) Any of the transactions contemplated hereby are disapproved by any regulatory authority whose approval is required to consummate such transactions or in the judgment of such board of directors, made in good faith and based on the advice of counsel, there is substantial likelihood that any such approval will not be obtained or will be obtained only on a condition or conditions which would be unduly burdensome, making it inadvisable to proceed with the transactions contemplated hereby;
- (c) There shall have been any change after the date of the March 31, 2001 SBI balance sheet in its assets, properties, business, or financial condition, which could have a material adverse effect on the value of the business, except any changes disclosed in the SBI Schedules;
- (d) There shall have been any change after the date of the March 31, 2001 TSI balance sheet in its assets, properties, business, or financial condition, which could have a material adverse effect on the value of the business, except any changes disclosed in the TSI Schedules, which shall be disclosed as soon as TSI has Knowledge of the change;
- (e) The Parties shall fail to obtain the consents or waivers required of any third Person to consummate the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; or
- (f) Any Party shall fail to comply in any material respect with any of its covenants or agreements contained in this Agreement or if any of the representations or warranties of any Party contained herein shall be inaccurate in any material respect.
- (e) There has been a stop order or suspension of trading in TSI's stock.

In the event of termination pursuant to this Section 5.07, no obligation, right, or liability shall arise hereunder, and each Party shall bear all of the expenses incurred by it in connection with the negotiation, drafting, and execution of this Agreement and the transactions herein contemplated.

Section 5.09 Officer and Director Resignations. At Closing, the officers of TSI shall resign and the directors of TSI shall resign and concurrently appoint replacements to fill the vacancies on the Board of Directors of TSI after the Closing, said replacements to be such persons as SBI shall in writing designate to TSI. The TSI designated directors shall not be subject to any "Bad Boy" provisions as defined in Section 3(a)(39) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Section 5.10 Share Leakage Agreement. The parties agree to a Share Leakage Agreement , designated as Exhibit C to this Agreement and attached hereto.

ARTICLE VI

CLOSING

Section 6.01 Closing. The Closing of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur on such other date and at such time as the Parties may agree; provided, that the exchange contemplated by this Agreement is effective as of August 16, 2001.

Section 6.02 Closing Events. At the Closing, each of the respective Parties hereto shall execute, acknowledge, and deliver (or shall cause to be executed, acknowledged, and delivered) any and all certificates, financial statements, schedules, agreements, resolutions, rulings, or other instruments required by this Agreement to be so delivered at or prior to the Closing, together with such other items as may be reasonably requested by the Parties hereto and their respective legal counsel in order to effectuate or evidence the transactions contemplated hereby.

ARTICLE VII

CONDITIONS PRECEDENT TO OBLIGATIONS OF TSI

Section 7.01 Accuracy of Representations. The representations and warranties made by SBI and the Stockholders in this Agreement were true when made and shall be true as of the date of Closing with the same force and effect as if such representations and warranties were made at and as of the date of Closing (except for changes therein permitted by this Agreement), and SBI and the Stockholders shall have performed or complied with all covenants and conditions required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by them prior to or at the Closing. TSI shall be furnished with certificates signed by a duly authorized officer of SBI dated the date of Closing to the foregoing effect.

Section 7.02 Litigation Certificates. TSI shall have been furnished with certificates dated the date of Closing and signed by a duly authorized officer of SBI to the effect that no litigation, proceeding, investigation, or inquiry is pending which might result in an action to enjoin or prevent the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.

Section 7.03 No Material Adverse Change. Prior to the Closing, there shall not have occurred any material adverse change in the financial condition, business, or operations of SBI.

Section 7.04 Good Standing. TSI shall have received a certificate of good standing from the Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations of the province of Ontario dated as of a date within ten days prior to the Closing certifying that SBI is in good standing as a corporation in such province.

Section 7.05 Consents/ Agreements. The Parties shall have obtained any third Person consents pursuant to Section 5.05.

Section 7.06 Other Items. TSI shall have received such further documents, certificates, or instruments relating to the transactions contemplated hereby as TSI may reasonably request.

ARTICLE VIII

CONDITIONS PRECEDENT TO OBLIGATIONS OF SBI AND THE STOCKHOLDERS

The obligations of SBI and the Stockholders under this Agreement are subject to the satisfaction, at or before the Closing, of the following conditions:

Section 8.01 Accuracy of Representations. The representations and warranties made by TSI in this Agreement were true when made and shall be true as of the date of Closing with the same force and effect as if such representations and warranties were made at and as of the date of Closing (except for changes therein permitted by this Agreement), and TSI shall have performed or complied with all covenants and conditions required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it prior to or at the Closing. SBI and the Stockholders shall be furnished with a certificate, signed by a duly authorized officer of TSI and dated the date of Closing, to the foregoing effect.

Section 8.02 Litigation Certificate. SBI and the Stockholders shall have been furnished with a certificate dated the date of Closing and signed by a duly authorized officer of TSI to the effect that no litigation, proceeding, investigation, or inquiry is pending which might result in an action to enjoin or prevent the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.

Section 8.03 No Material Adverse Change. Prior to the Closing, there shall not have occurred any material adverse change in the financial condition, business, or operations of TSI.

Section 8.04 Good Standing. SBI and the Stockholders shall have received a certificate of good standing from the Secretary of State of the state of Nevada dated as of a date within ten days prior to the Closing certifying that TSI is in good standing as a corporation in such state.

Section 8.05 Consents/ Agreements. The Parties shall have obtained any third Person consents pursuant to Section 5.05, which will include the resignation of the officers and directors of TSI in favor of the appointment of the designees of SBI by all required action of the board of directors of TSI.

Section 8.06 Other Items. SBI and the Stockholders shall have received such further documents, certificates, or instruments relating to the transactions contemplated hereby as they may reasonably request.

ARTICLE IX

MISCELLANEOUS

Section 9.01 Brokers. The Parties agree that there were no finders or brokers involved in bringing the Parties together or who were instrumental in the negotiation, execution, or consummation of this Agreement. The Parties each agree to indemnify the other against any claim by any Person for any commission, brokerage, or finders' fee arising from the transactions contemplated hereby based on any alleged agreement or understanding between the indemnifying Party and such Person, whether express or implied from the actions of the indemnifying Party.

Section 9.02 Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by, enforced, and construed under and in accordance with the laws of the United States of America and, with respect to matters of state law, with the laws of Nevada.

Section 9.03 Notices. Any notices or other communications required or permitted hereunder shall be sufficiently given if personally delivered to it or sent by registered mail or certified mail, postage prepaid, or by prepaid telegram addressed as follows:

If to TSI, to: Trading Solutions.com, Inc.

Attn: Natalie Shahvaran, President 200 Comino Aguajito, Suite 200

Monterey, CA 93940

With copies to: Lehman Walstrand & Associates,

LLC WITH COPIES

Attn: Cletha A. Walstrand 8 East Broadway, Suite 620 Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

If to SBI or

the Stockholders, to: Springland Beverages, Inc.

Attn: Ralph Moyal 2 Rodeo Court Toronto, Ontario Canada M2M 4M3

With copies to:

Davis and Associates

In Care of Concierge Ritz Carlton

Ritz Carlton

4375 Admiralty Way

Marina Del Ray, CA 90292 davis@securities-attys.com

or such other addresses as shall be furnished in writing by any Party in the manner for giving notices hereunder, and any such notice or communication shall be deemed to have been given as of the date so delivered, mailed, or telegraphed.

Section 9.04 Attorneys' Fees. In the event that any Party institutes any action or suit to enforce this Agreement or to secure relief from any default hereunder or breach hereof, the breaching Party or Parties shall reimburse the non-breaching Party or Parties for all costs, including attorneys' fees, incurred in connection therewith and in enforcing or collecting any judgment rendered therein.

Section 9.05 Third Party Beneficiaries. This Agreement is solely between the Parties hereto, and except as specifically provided herein, and in the Exhibits hereto, no director, officer, stockholder, employee, agent, independent contractor, or any other Person shall be deemed to be a third party beneficiary of this Agreement.

Section 9.06 Entire Agreement. This Agreement, including the exhibits and schedules hereto, represents the entire agreement between the Parties relating to the subject matter hereof, including the letter of Intent dated May 7, 2001, which is merged into this Agreement. This Agreement fully and completely

expresses the agreement of the Parties. There are no other courses of dealing, understandings, agreements, representations, or warranties, written or oral, except as set forth herein.

Section 9.07 Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in multiple counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which taken together shall be but a single instrument.

Section 9.08 Amendment or Waiver. Every right and remedy provided herein shall be cumulative with every other right and remedy, whether conferred herein, at law, or in equity, and may be enforced concurrently herewith, and no waiver by any Party of the performance of any obligation by the other Parties shall be construed as a waiver of the same or any other default then, theretofore, or thereafter occurring or existing. At any time prior to the Closing, this Agreement may be amended by a writing signed by all Parties hereto with respect to any of the terms contained herein, and any term or condition of this Agreement may be waived or the time for performance hereof may be extended by a writing signed by the Party or Parties for whose benefit the provision is intended.

Section 9.09 Post Closing Filings. From and after the date of Closing and continuing for a term of two years thereafter, TSI shall file timely in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the regulations adopted thereunder all reports required to be filed by Section 13(d) of said Act and maintain a current listing and description of TSI in Standard & Poors Corporation Records.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have executed this Agreement, or caused this Agreement to be executed by their officers hereunto duly authorized, as of the date first above-written.

TRADING SOLUTIONS.COM, INC.

By: /s/ Natalie Shahvaran Natalie Shahvaran, President

SPRINGLAND BEVERAGES, INC.

By: /s/ Ralph Moyal

Ralph Moyal, President

ADHERENCE AGREEMENT

The undersigned, the record and beneficial owner of the number of common shares of or warrants of Springland Beverages, Inc. ("SBI") set forth below, hereby agrees to be bound by the Agreement and Plan of Exchange by and among Trading Solutions.com, Inc. ("TSI"), SBI, and the Stockholders of SBI dated as of August 16, 2001 (the "Agreement") as though the undersigned were an original signatory to the Agreement. All capitalized terms used herein shall have the same meaning ascribed to such terms in the Agreement.

The undersigned hereby represents, warrants, and agrees as follows:

- (a) The execution and delivery of the Agreement does not, and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Agreement in accordance with the terms hereof will not: result in the breach of, constitute a default under, result in the acceleration of, create in any Person the right to accelerate, terminate, modify, cancel, or require any notice under, any material agreement, contract, lease, license, instrument, or other arrangement to which the undersigned is a party or by which the undersigned is bound; or, violate any constitution, statute, regulation, rule, injunction, judgment, order, decree, ruling, charge, or other restriction of any government, governmental agency, or court to which the undersigned is subject.
- (b) The undersigned has full power and authority, and has taken all action required by law and otherwise to execute and deliver the Agreement and to perform its obligations thereunder. The Agreement represents the valid and binding obligation of the undersigned enforceable in accordance with its terms, except as limited by bankruptcy and insolvency laws and by other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally.
- (c) Except for compliance with the Securities Act contemplated by Section 5.03 of the Agreement, no authorization, approval, consent, or order of, or registration, declaration, or filing with, any court or other governmental body is required in connection with the execution and delivery by the undersigned of the Agreement and the consummation by the undersigned of the transactions contemplated thereby.
- (d) The undersigned is the legal and beneficial owner of the SBI Stock and SBI Warrants set forth below, free and clear of any claims, charges, equities, liens, security interests, and encumbrances whatsoever, and the undersigned has full right, power, and authority to transfer, assign, convey, and deliver the SBI Stock and SBI Warrants; and delivery of such stock and warrants at the Closing will convey to TSI good and marketable title to the SBI Stock and SBI Warrants free and clear of any claims, charges, equities, liens, security interests, and encumbrances whatsoever.
- (e) The undersigned is not a U.S. person as that term is defined under Regulation S.
- (f) The undersigned is outside the United States as of the date of the execution and delivery of this Agreement.

- (g) The undersigned is acquiring the Exchanged TSI Stock and Exchanged TSI Warrants for its own account and not on behalf of any U.S. person, and the undersigned is the sole beneficial owner of the securities, and has not prearranged any sale with purchasers in the United States.
- (h) The undersigned acknowledges that the Exchanged TSI Stock and Exchanged TSI Warrants have not been registered under the Securities Act and agrees that all offers and sale of the Exchanged TSI Stock and Exchanged TSI Warrants prior to the expiration of a period commencing on the date of the Closing and ending one-year thereafter shall only be made in compliance with the safe harbor contained in Regulation S, pursuant to the registration provisions under the Securities Act, or pursuant to an exemption from registration, and all offers and sales after the expiration of the one-year period shall be made only pursuant to such registration or to such exemption from registration. The undersigned acknowledges that the Exchanged TSI Stock and Exchanged TSI Warrants are "restricted securities" within the meaning of Rule 144 under the Securities Act.
- (i) The undersigned understands that in the view of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") the statutory basis for the exemption claimed for this transaction would not be present if the offering of securities, although in technical compliance with Regulation S, is part of a plan or scheme to evade the registration provisions of the Securities Act. The undersigned is acquiring the Exchanged TSI Stock and Exchanged TSI Warrants for investment purposes and has no present intention to sell the securities in the United States or to a U.S. Person or for the account or benefit of a U.S. Person either now or after any fixed period of time. The undersigned will not engage in any hedging transactions with respect to the Exchanged TSI Stock and Exchanged TSI Warrants except in compliance with the Securities Act.
- (j) The Subscriber is an "accredited investor" as defined by Regulation D as set forth below:

According to Rule 501(a) of Regulation D, "accredited investor" means any person who comes within any of the following categories, or who the Issuer reasonable believes comes within any of the following categories, at the time of the sale of the Shares to that person:

(i) Any bank as defined in section 3(a)(2) of the Act, or any savings and loan association or other institution as defined in section 3(a)(5)(A) of the Act whether acting in its individual or fiduciary capacity; any broker or dealer registered pursuant to section 15 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; an insurance company as defined in section 2(13) of the Act; an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940 or a business development company as defined in section 2(a)(48) of that Act; a Small business Investment Company licensed by the U.S. Small Business Administration under section 301(c) or (d) of the Small Business Investment Act of 1958; any plan established and maintained by a State, its political subdivisions, or any agency or instrumentality of a State or its political subdivisions, for the benefit of its employees, if such plan has total assets in excess of \$5,000,000; any employee benefit plan within the meaning of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, if the investment decision is made by a plan fiduciary, as defined in section 3(21) of such Act, which is either a bank, savings and loan association, insurance company, or registered investment adviser, or if the employee benefit plan has total assets in excess of

\$5,000,000 or, if a self-directed plan, with investment decisions made solely by persons that are accredited investors;

- (ii) Any private business development company as defined in section 202(a)(22) of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940;
- (iii) Any organization described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, corporation, Massachusetts or similar business trust, or partnership, not formed for the specific purpose of acquiring the securities offered, with total assets in excess of \$5,000,000;
- (iv) Any director, executive officer, or general partner of the issuer of the securities being offered or sold, or any director, executive officer, or general partner of that issuer;
- (v) Any natural person whose individual net worth, or joint net worth with that person's spouse, at the time of his purchase exceeds \$1,000,000;
- (vi) Any natural person who had individual income in excess of \$200,000 in each of the two most recent years or joint income with that person's spouse in excess of \$300,000 in each of those years and has a reasonable expectation of reaching the same income level in the current year;
- (vii) Any trust, with total assets in excess of \$5,000,000, not formed for the specific purpose of acquiring the securities offered, whose purchase is directed by a sophisticated person as described in section 30.506(b)(2)(ii); and
- $\mbox{(viii)}$ Any entity in which all of the equity owners are accredited investors.
- (k) To the Knowledge of the undersigned, the information concerning the undersigned and SBI set forth in the Agreement under Article II and this Adhereance Agreement is complete and accurate in all material respects and does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they are made, not misleading.

	Print Name
Dated : August, 2001	
	Signature Address:
Number of shares of SBI Stock	c:
Number of SBI Warrants:	

Exhibit B to Agreement and Plan of Exchange

[To be inserted] Form of TSI Warrant

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Exhibit C to Agreement and Plan of Exchange

LOCKUP AGREEMENT WITH SHAREHOLDER

NATALIE SHAHVARAN, ("Shareholder") and TRADING SOLUTIONS.COM, INC. ("TSI"), enter into this Agreement effective this 16th day of August, 2001.

Shareholder currently owns a total of 1,250,000 shares of the outstanding Common Stock of TSI (the "Shares") of which 1,190,000 shares will be subjected to this lockup agreement. As of this date and prior to the consummation of an Agreement and Plan of Reorganization by TSI with SBI, the Shareholder was a controlling person of TSI.

To consummate the aforesaid Agreement and Plan of Reorganization by TSI with SBI, Shareholder agrees to restrict for public resale the shares such that no more than the following amounts of the Shares will be sold at the following times over a period commencing immediately following the consummation of the Agreement and Plan of Reorganization between TSI and SBI, and continuing for a period of two years thereafter (hereinafter the "Leakout Period")

- During the first twelve months of the Leakout Period, Shareholder agrees to sell no more than 59,500 shares through a market transaction in any one calendar month.
- 2. In the second twelve months of the Leakout Period, Shareholder agrees to sell no more than 39,667 shares through a market transaction in any one calendar month.

Provided, however, that if any of the Shares permitted to be sold in any one month are not sold in that month, such Shares may be aggregated with and sold in any subsequent months.

The Shareholder has the right to transfer or sell the Shares through a private transaction, provided that the new owner agrees to comply with the terms of this Lockup agreement.

The above restriction is a contractual restriction entered into for valuable consideration by and between Shareholder and TSI, and is not impacted by applicable securities laws, which may or may not permit the public sale of the aforesaid Shares into the public markets. In connection with any such sale of the Shares by Shareholder, Shareholder in addition to the above restrictions, shall first comply with all U.S. Federal and State securities laws, which generally require either the registration of the shares for sale, or an exemption therefrom.

There shall be typed onto the certificates evidencing the Shares, or permanently attached thereto, a legend to the following effect:

THESE SHARES ARE SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONTRACTUAL RESTRICTIONS ON PUBLIC AND/OR PRIVATE RESALE FOR A PERIOD ENDING ON _______, 2003.

If TSI engages in a debt or equity spiral financing during the Leakout Period, this agreement becomes null and void and the legend will be removed from all remaining Shares. If TSI files a registration statement to register any insider or affiliate shares, the Shareholder will get an equal amount of shares released from the lock up agreement.

WHEREFORE, the parties have entered into this Agreement on the date set forth above.

TRADING SOLUTIONS.COM, INC. NATALIE SHAHVARAN

BY: /s/ Ralph Moyal /s/ Natalie Shahvaran

ESCROW AGREEMENT

THIS ESCROW AGREEMENT, made and entered into as of this 16th day of November, 2000August 2001 (this "Agreement"), by and among RALPH MOYAL ("Moyal"), Natalie Shahvaran ("Shahvaran"), Robert Strahl ("Strahl"), and LEHMAN WALSTRAND & ASSOCIATES, LLC (hereinafter referred to as the "Escrow Agent").

WITNESSETH:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound, hereby agree as follows:

- 1. Appointment of Escrow Agent. Moyal, Shahvaran and Strahl hereby appoint Lehman Walstrand & Associates, LLC as Escrow Agent in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement and Lehman Walstrand & Associates, LLC hereby accepts such appointment as Escrow Agent.
- 2. Deposit of Escrow Property. Moyal has caused to be deposited with the Escrow Agent 15,000,000 shares of common stock (the "Escrow Property") in connection with the purchase of shares of Common Stock for the purchase of common stock of Trading Solutions.com, Inc. ("TSLU") pursuant to that certain Exchange Agreement by and between the Sellers and Purchasers identified therein dated as of the date hereof (the "Exchange Agreement").
- Release or Termination of Escrow. The parties hereto expressly agree that the escrow created by this Agreement shall operate and work as follows and the Escrow Agent covenants and agrees to hold, record, and distribute the Escrow Property pursuant to the provisions of this Paragraph 3. The Escrow Property shall be immediately released to Moyal upon the Escrow Agent's receipt of an executed copy of the Agreement of Purchase and Sale and a certification from the trustee in bankruptcy that the acquired company had revenues in excess of US \$3 million either over the last 12 months, or over its preceding fiscal year. In the event that Trading Solutions.com, Inc. consummates an acquisition of an operating company other than as identified above with gross revenue of at least US \$3 million, either over the last 12 months, or over its preceding fiscal year, Moyal and/or his successors and assigns shall provide such evidence as to the consummation of the acquisition together with a written request for release of the Escrow Property to the Escrow Agent (the "Escrow Demand") who shall promptly provide a copy of the Escrow Demand to Shahvaran and Strahl at the address provided by Shahvaran and Strahl to the Escrow Agent. 24 hours after receipt of the Escrow Demand, the Escrow Agent shall release to Moyal (and/or his successors and assigns, as applicable) from the Escrow Property the Property set forth in the Escrow Demand unless the Escrow Agent shall have received a written notice of objection (an "Escrow Objection") from Shahvaran and Strahl within such 24 hour period. If the Escrow Agent receives an Escrow Objection, it shall not be required to release the disputed property from the Escrow Property until it has received either a notice of a final non-appealable determination by a court of competent jurisdiction or a notice signed by Moyal, Shahvaran and Strahl. Moyal has the right

to pledge the escrowed securities to a financial institution, provided that they agree in writing to be bound by this escrow agreement.

- 4. Termination of Escrow. Upon the delivery and transfer of the Escrow Property as provided in Paragraph 3, or upon the one year anniversary of this Agreement; provided, however, that Sections 5 through 12 hereof shall survive such expiration and termination.
- 5. Dispute Among Parties. In the event that a dispute arises among the parties hereto with respect to the terms of this Escrow Agreement or any other matter related hereto, and such dispute between the parties hereto is sufficient, in the sole and exclusive discretion of the Escrow Agent, to justify its doing so, the Escrow Agent shall tender into the registry or custody of any court of competent jurisdiction the Escrow Property, together with such legal pleadings as it deems appropriate, and thereupon shall be discharged from all further duties and liabilities under this Escrow Agreement.
- 6. Further Assurances. At any time and from time to time the parties agree to take such actions and to execute and deliver such documents as may be reasonably necessary to effectuate the purposes and intent of this Agreement.
- 7. Reliance by the Escrow Agent on Third Parties. In performing its obligations hereunder, the Escrow Agent may act in reliance upon any instrument or signature in good faith believed by it to be genuine, and the Escrow Agent may assume that any person purporting to give a notice, request, consent or instruction or acknowledge receipt in connection with the provisions hereof has been duly authorized to do so and that the same is properly made or given. The Escrow Agent may rely upon any order, judgment, certification, demand or other writing delivered to it without being required to determine the propriety or validity thereof or of the service thereof or the jurisdiction of any court.
- Escrow Agent Resignation. The Escrow Agent may resign and thereupon be discharged of its duties as Escrow Agent hereunder by giving written notice thereof to the parties hereto. Such resignation shall not take effect until the expiration of 30 calendar days after the giving of such notice or the earlier receipt by the resigning Escrow Agent of an instrument of acceptance executed by a successor escrow agent and subscribed and consented to by each of the parties hereto and the delivery by the resigning Escrow Agent to such successor of all Escrow Property and Escrow Shares then held by the resigning Escrow Agent hereunder or if no successor is appointed, by delivery of such Escrow Property and Escrow Shares to a court of competent jurisdiction and it shall thereby be discharged of its duties and responsibilities hereunder, the parties hereto hereby consenting and submitting to the personal jurisdiction of said court and agreeing to waive all rights to contest said jurisdiction in connection with any such action by the resigning Escrow Agent or any matter arising out of this Agreement or in connection therewith. In the event that the Escrow Agent shall resign and be discharged as aforesaid, the resigning Escrow Agent shall be free to act as counsel to a party hereto or any of its affiliates or shareholders with respect to any and all actions and disputes in which such party or any of its affiliates or shareholders may have an interest adverse to that of the other parties. parties hereby acknowledge their awareness that the Escrow Agent has acted as counsel to the Company and its affiliated persons or entities and hereby waive any objection to any past or future representation.
- 9. Escrow Agent's Duties. The Escrow Agent shall have no duties or obligations hereunder except as expressly set forth herein, shall be responsible only for the performance of such duties and obligations, shall not be required to take any action otherwise than in accordance with the terms hereof and shall not be in any manner liable or responsible for any loss or damage arising by reason of any act or omission to act by it hereunder or in connection with any of the transactions

contemplated hereby, including, but not limited to, any loss that may occur by reason of forgery, false representations, the exercise of its discretion in any particular manner or for any other reason, except for its gross negligence or willful neglect.

10. Liability of Escrow Agent; Legal Process.

- (a) The Escrow Agent shall not be bound by any notice of, or demand with respect to, any waiver, modification, amendment, termination, cancellation, rescission or supersession of this Agreement, unless the same shall be in writing and signed by the parties hereto. In the event of any controversy or dispute arising hereunder or with respect to the construction hereof or any action to be taken by the Escrow Agent hereunder, the Escrow Agent shall not incur any liability for any action or omission to act by it in good faith. The good faith of the Escrow Agent shall be conclusively presumed with respect to any action or omission taken by it in accordance with the advice of independent counsel selected by such Escrow Agent.
- (b) The Escrow Agent may institute or defend any action or legal process involving any matter referred to herein which in any manner affects such Escrow Agent or its obligations or liabilities hereunder, as the case may be, but shall not be required to institute or defend such action or process unless or until requested to so do by all of the affected parties hereunder (other than any party who has instituted such action), and then only upon receiving full indemnity of an amount and of such character as the Escrow Agent shall require, against any and all claims, liabilities, judgments, attorneys' fees and other expenses of every kind in relation thereto.
- 11. Indemnification of Escrow Agent. Each, Moyal, Shahvaran and Strahlof the Company and the Investors, jointly and severally agree to save harmless, defend and indemnify the Escrow Agent against any and all losses, liabilities, claims, costs, damages, judgments, attorneys' fees, expenses, obligations, taxes, assessments, actions, suits or charges made against the Escrow Agent or which it may incur or sustain in carrying out its responsibilities hereunder, otherwise than as a result of its gross negligence or willful neglect.
- 12. Notices. All notices, demands, requests and communications required or contemplated hereunder shall be effective only if given in writing and shall be deemed to have been given when delivered by personal service or sent by nationally recognized express delivery service or express mail, or three days after being deposited in the mail and sent by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, addressed, in the in case of express delivery or mail, as follows:

If to Escrow Agent: Lehman Walstrand & Associates, LLC 620 Judge Building 8 East Broadway Salt Lake City, Utah 84111-2204 Attn: Cletha A. Walstrand, Esq. Tel. No.: (801) 532-7858 Fax No.: (801) 363-1715

If to Moyal: Ralph Moyal 2 Rodeo Court Toronto, Ontario Canada M2M 4M3 If to Shahvaran and Strahl: Natalie Shahvaran and Robert Strahl 2251 San Diego Ave. #B-275 San Diego, CA 92110 natalieshah@yahoo.com

13. Disclaimer. The Escrow Agent is to be considered and regarded as a depository only, and shall not be responsible or liable for the sufficiency or correctness as to form, manner of execution, validity or enforceability of any instrument deposited under this Agreement, nor as to the identity, authority, or rights of any person executing the same; and its duties hereunder shall be limited to the safekeeping of the Escrow Property received by it as Escrow Agent and for the transfer and delivery of the same in accordance with this Agreement.

14. Miscellaneous.

- 14.1 No Third-Party Beneficiary. Nothing in this Agreement expressed or implied is intended or shall be construed upon or given to any person, other than the parties hereto, any rights or remedies under or by reason of this Agreement.
- 14.2 Severability. If any term or provision of this Agreement or the application thereof to any person or circumstances shall, to any extent, be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement or the application of such term or provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid or unenforceable shall not be affected thereby, and each term and provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.
- $14.3\,$ Successors and Assigns. The provisions hereof shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors, heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns.
- 14.4 No Waiver. No course of dealing between any of the parties hereto and no delay or failure in exercising any rights hereunder shall operate as a waiver of or otherwise prejudice any rights of a party hereunder.
- $14.5\,$ GOVERNING LAW. THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE INTERNAL LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, WITHOUT REGARD TO THE CONFLICT OF LAWS PROVISIONS THEREOF.
- 14.6 Entire Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes any prior oral or written Agreement, representations, promises or course of dealings.
- 14.7 Amendments and Waivers. Neither this Agreement nor any of the terms hereof may be terminated, amended or waived orally, but only by an instrument in writing executed by the parties hereto.
- 14.8 Headings, etc. The headings of the various subdivisions of this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and shall not define nor limit or otherwise affect any of the terms or provisions hereof. All pronouns shall be deemed to refer to the masculine, feminine, neuter, singular or plural as the identity of the person or persons referred to may require.

14.9 Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

[Counterpart Signature Page to Escrow Agreement]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Agreement to be duly executed as of the date first set forth above.

LEHMAN WALSTRAND & ASSOCIATES, LLC

By: /s/ Cletha A. Walstrand Name: Cletha A. Walstrand Title: Partner

/s/ Ralph Moyal Ralph Moyal

/s/ Natalie Shahvaran Natalie Shahvaran

/s/ Robert Strahl Robert Strahl

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Exhibit E to Agreement and Plan of Exchange

PERSONAL INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

In connection with the execution and consummation of that certain Agreement and Plan of Exchange between Trading Solutions.com, Inc. ("TSI") and Springland Beverages, Inc., and the stockholders of Springland Beverages, Inc., dated August 16, 2001, a true copy of which is attached hereto (the "Agreement"), and for valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, including specifically but not by way of limitation, Springland Beverages, Inc.'s execution of the Agreement and its consummation of same, undersigned, who was the Chief Executive Officer of, and a principal shareholder of TSI, up to the point of consummation of said Agreement, hereby personally indemnifies TSI, its successors, and assigns as follows:

Undersigned hereby indemnifies TSI, its successors and assigns, and holds them harmless, from any and all liability, including costs of suit and attorneys' fees resulting from any and all claims, lawsuits and/or government or judicial proceedings brought against TSI, its officers, directors and/or principal shareholders brought as a result of any original issuance by TSI of shares either through the May 1999 Regulation D, Rule 504 offering (180,000 shares) or through the April 14, 2000 SB-2 Registration Statement (101,000 shares).

Undersigned has consulted with her own attorney prior to execution of this Personal Indemnification Agreement.

/s/ Natalie Shahvaran Natalie Shahvaran

Date: August 16, 2001

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Undersigned hereby indemnifies SBI, its successors and assigns, and holds them harmless, from any and all liability, including costs of suit and attorneys' fees resulting from any and all claims, lawsuits and/or government or judicial proceedings brought against SBI, its officers, directors and/or principal shareholders brought as a result of any issuance by SBI of shares. Further, Undersigned hereby indemnifies against any and all liability regarding representations and warranties made by SBI regarding the corporate status of SBI and SBI's authority to enter the Exchange Agreement with TSI.

/s/ Ralph Moyal Ralph Moyal

Date: August 16, 2001

17415 S. Monterey Road #200 Morgan Hill, California 95037 (408) 776-9455 FAX (408) 776-8979

August 30, 2001

Trading Solutions.com, Inc. 2 Rodeo Court Toronto, Ontario Canada M2M 4M3

I have reviewed Item 4, "Changes in Certifying Accountant" included in the Form 8-K to be included in the filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission. I agree with the information included therein.

/s/ Hawkins Accounting

Hawkins Accounting