Cara Operations to Merge with Keg Restaurants Ltd.

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Largest Canadian Full-Service Restaurant Operator

LTM System Sales(1,2,3)

\$2.7 billion

of Restaurants(4)

1,259

LTM Operating EBITDA^(1,3,5)

\$184.5 million











Canada's #1 Steakhouse & Full-Service Operator

LTM System Sales^(1,2)

\$0.6 billion

of Restaurants

106

LTM Normalized EBITDA(1,5)

\$23.5 million









An opportunity to merge with an iconic market leading brand to strengthen the market position of the combined company

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- As of November 30, 2017.
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Transaction Overview



- On January 23, 2018, Cara Operations Limited ("Cara") and the Keg Restaurants Ltd. ("KRL") announced the two companies have agreed to merge
- Cara will pay to KRL's shareholders, David Aisenstat (49% owner and CEO of KRL) and Fairfax Financial Holdings Limited ("Fairfax", 51% owner) an aggregate purchase price of \$200 million comprised of \$105 million in cash and 3,801,123 Cara subordinate voting shares (based on Cara's closing share price on the TSX of \$24.93 as at January 22, 2018) for 100% of KRL's outstanding shares
- In addition, Cara may be required to pay up to an additional \$30 million of cash consideration upon the achievement of certain financial milestones within the first 3 fiscal years following closing
- Implied EV / LTM Normalized EBITDA^(1,2) of approximately 9.6x
- The combined company will have 1,365 locations with LTM Pro Forma System Sales^(1,3) of \$3.4 billion and LTM Pro Forma Operating EBITDA^(1,4) of \$208 million
- The transaction is expected to be immediately accretive to Cara's Adjusted Diluted EPS⁽¹⁾
- Cara's Special Committee of the Board received a fairness opinion from Scotiabank who concluded that the consideration payable by Cara, from a financial point of view, is fair to the shareholders of Cara, excluding Fairfax
- The transaction is expected to close in Q1 2018
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Transaction Structure



- Following closing, the combined company will be renamed and KRL will operate as a wholly-owned subsidiary
- The Keg Royalties Income Fund ("KRIF") will remain a separate standalone public company
 - KRL will continue to pay a royalty equal to 4% of System Sales from Keg restaurants included in the royalty pool in exchange for the continuing use of the Keg Rights⁽¹⁾
 - On a fully diluted basis, KRIF is currently 24% owned by KRL and 76% by public unitholders
- Bill Gregson will remain CEO and Chairman of the combined company
- David Aisenstat will remain CEO of KRL and will oversee Cara's higher-end casual brands, namely, Milestones, Bier Markt and the Landing Group as well as join the Cara Board as Vice Chairman
- After completion of the transaction, Fairfax will hold 43.5% of the combined company's equity and 56.9% of the total votes

The Keg Rights include trademarks, trade names, operating procedures and systems and other intellectual property used in connection with the operations of the KRL.



























Transaction Rationale



Merger with an **Iconic Canadian Restaurant Brand** and Canada's #1 **Steakhouse**

- The Keg has industry-leading brand recognition, ranking as the #1 restaurant in Canada by top-of-mind awareness with a reputation as a leader in service, food and ambiance
- Second largest full-service restaurant chain in Canada measured by total System Sales
- Track record of strong same restaurant sales ("SRS") growth with 16 consecutive guarters of positive SRS growth
- Very healthy restaurant network with all restaurants being profitable and all franchisees paying full royalties

Opportunity to Leverage the Strengths of Both **Companies**

- Leverage David Aisenstat's strong operational track record to bring the key success factors from The Keg concept to Milestones, Bier Markt and the Landing Group
- Leverage the combined company's footprint, real estate portfolio and capital structure to accelerate store openings for The
- Leverage Cara's size and combined scale with KRL to deliver annual cost synergies of approximately \$2 million in 3 years in areas such as marketing, real estate and overall costs

Financially Attractive Transaction

- LTM Pro Forma System Sales^(1,2) of \$3.4 billion and LTM Pro Forma Operating EBITDA^(1,3) of \$208 million
- The transaction is expected to be immediately accretive to Cara's Adjusted Diluted EPS⁽¹⁾
- Prudent capital structure with pro forma net debt / LTM Pro Forma Operating EBITDA^(1,3) of 2.7x⁽⁴⁾
- KRL's EBITDA as a % of KRL's System Sales is 6.8% before a royalty payment to KRIF and flowback of interest income (3.8% after royalty and flowback) – there is an opportunity for improvement when leveraging Cara's central services and corresponding profit model⁽⁵⁾
- KRL assets include exchangeable units in KRIF valued at \$74 million as at October 1, 2017

A mutually beneficial transaction that will unlock the full potential of both Cara and KRL

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- Note that this net debt to Operating EBITDA calculation is not necessarily the same as Cara's credit agreement covenant calculation.
- KRL's royalty expense (4.0% royalty to KRIF) is offset with Interest income on Exchangeable Partnership units with KRIF.



























1 KRL – Canada's #1 Steakhouse & Full-Service Operator CARA

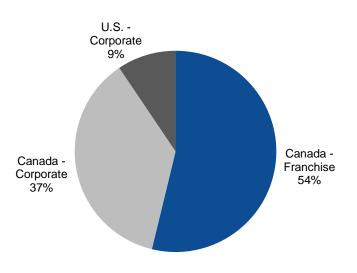


High Quality Restaurant **Operations**



- 39 corporate locations
- 57 franchise locations
- LTM System Sales of \$561 million^(1,2)
- 10 corporate locations
- LTM System Sales of \$51 million^(1,2)
- Healthy restaurant network: all locations are profitable and no franchisee receives assistance

Corporate / Franchise Split⁽³⁾



Broad Geographic Presence Across Canada and in Select Markets in the United States



- See "Non-IFRS Measures".
- KRL based on LTM period ended October 1, 2017.
- Based on number of restaurants.























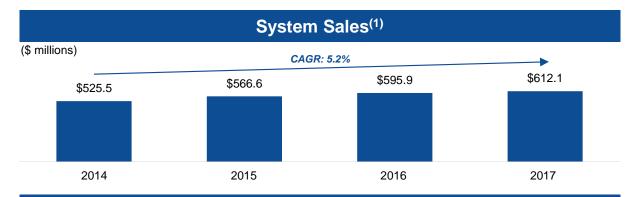




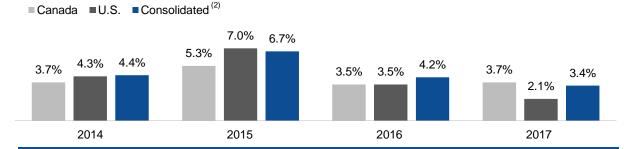


1 KRL – Track Record of Consistent Growth









Normalized EBITDA(1)

■ Before Royalty and Flowback⁽⁴⁾ ■ After Royalty and Flowback⁽⁵⁾ (\$ millions) CAGR: 8.3% **CAGR: 12.1%** \$41.9 \$39.0 \$35.3 \$32.9 \$23.5 \$20.7 \$16.6 \$18.0 2017 ⁽³⁾ 2014 2015 2016

Note: Years noted above refer to KRL's fiscal year ends that follow the Sunday closest to September 30th.

- See "Non-IFRS Measures".
- (2) Includes impact of currency movements.
- Pro forma for full year impact of acquisition of three franchise restaurants. (3)
- Before Royalty expense (royalty to KRIF) and Interest income on Exchangeable Partnership units.
- After Royalty expense and Interest income on Exchangeable Partnership units.



































2 Combined Companies with a Synergistic Fit



- The combined company will be the third largest restaurant operator in Canada (behind RBI and McDonalds)
- It will be Canada's largest full-service operator with 8 brands in the top 13 (based on sales)
- The Keg Steakhouse & Bar is Canada's #1 steakhouse and #2 overall FSR chain
- David Aisenstat will bring key success factors from The Keg to other Cara brands:



Source: Figures based on 2017 Technomic Report and may not tie to audited financial statements.





























3 Financially Attractive Transaction



- The combination of Cara and KRL is expected to increase LTM Pro Forma System Sales^(1,2) to \$3.4 billion and LTM Pro Forma Operating EBITDA^(1,3) to \$208 million
- The transaction is expected to be immediately accretive to Cara's Adjusted Diluted EPS⁽¹⁾, before any synergies
- KRL assets include exchangeable units in KRIF valued at \$74 million as at October 1, 2017

	CARA®	THE	K E G USE+BAR	Pro Forma (Cara + Keg)		
LTM System Sales ^(1,2)	\$2.7 billion	\$0.6 k	pillion	\$3.4 billion		
# of Restaurants	1,259	10	06	1,365		
Franchised vs. Corporate ⁽⁵⁾	Franchised 14% Corporate JVs 82%	46%	46%		17%	
	Operating EBITDA	Normalized EBITDA		Pro Forma Operating EBITDA		
LTM EBITDA (% of System Sales) ^(1,2,4)		Before Royalty & Flowback ⁽⁶⁾	After Royalty & Flowback ⁽⁷⁾	Before Royalty & Flowback ⁽⁶⁾	After Royalty & Flowback ⁽⁷⁾	
	\$184.5 million	\$41.9 million	\$23.5 million	\$226.4 million	\$207.9 million	
	(6.7%)	(6.8%)	(3.8%)	(6.8%)	(6.2%)	
(1) See "Non-IFRS Measures	"					

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- (3) Adjusted for the estimated full-year contribution of Original Joe's and Pickle Barrel as if the acquisitions had occurred on September 24, 2016. Restaurant count as of November 30, 2017.
- (4) Cara based on LTM period ended September 24, 2017. KRL based on LTM period ended October 1, 2017 and pro forma for full year impact of acquisition of three franchise restaurants.
- (5) Based on number of restaurants.
- (6) Before Royalty expense and Interest income on Exchangeable Partnership units.
- (7) After Royalty expense and Interest income on Exchangeable Partnership units.





























3 Prudent Pro Forma Capital Structure



Transaction Sources and Uses				
(\$ millions)				
Sources		Uses		
Issue Cara Subordinate Voting Shares (1)	\$94.8	Purchase KRL Equity	\$199.8	
Additional Borrowings on Revolving Credit Facility	\$105.5	Estimated Transaction Costs	\$0.5	
Total Sources	\$200.3	Total Uses	\$200.3	

(\$ millions)	Cara	KRL	Transaction Adj.	Pro Forma
(4	(as of Sept. 24, 2017, and adjusted for Pickle Barrel)	TULL	Transaction Auj.	1101011111
Cash	\$11.8	\$10.0		\$21.9
Total Debt				
Revolving Credit Facility	\$269.7	\$21.0	\$105.5	\$396.2
Term Loans	\$150.0	\$14.0		\$164.0
Finance Leases	\$22.9			\$22.9
Total Debt	\$442.6	\$35.0	\$105.5	\$583.1
LTM Operating EBITDA	\$184.5 ⁽²⁾			\$207.9
let Debt / LTM Operating EBITDA (3,4)	2.3x			2.7x

- (1) Comprised of 3.4 million subordinate voting shares issued to Fairfax (at closing share price of \$24.93 as of January 22, 2018) and \$10 million worth of subordinate voting shares issued to Aisenstat.
- (2) Adjusted for the estimated full-year contribution of Original Joe's and Pickle Barrel as if the acquisitions had occurred on September 24, 2016.
- 3) See "Non-IFRS" Measures".
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3 Mergers and Acquisitions



Transaction Summary

Brand(s)	Transaction Date	System Sales (\$M) ⁽¹⁾	# Units (1)	Highlights
Prime Restaurants	Oct. 2013	\$244.3	123	First large acquisition – successful integration and catalyst for 2014 and 2015 transformational business growth
Cara IPO	April 2015	-	-	Cara completes IPO – total proceeds \$230 million
Landing Group	June 2015	\$18.5	3	First small acquisition – business has grown from 3 to 9 corporate restaurants
New York Fries	Aug. 2015	\$75.6	156	Expanded existing restaurant portfolio into shopping malls and increased international presence
St-Hubert	Sept. 2016	\$628.0	117	A historic acquisition, step-changing Cara's presence in Quebec and establishing a national retail program for all Cara brands
Original Joe's	Nov. 2016	\$250.0	99	Another successful and synergistic acquisition, helping to dramatically increase Cara's presence in Western Canada
Burger's Priest	June 2017	\$18.7	14	A novel partnership with significant new store potential
Pickle Barrel	Oct. 2017	\$50.0	12	Further expanded Cara's portfolio into malls and added a successful catering business to learn from
The Keg	Q1 2018	\$612.1	106	A landmark merger with Canada's best full-service operator to further grow a portfolio of up-market brands
Total		\$1,897.2	630	

With each transaction, top talent has been brought on board and a successful integration / synergy model has been strengthened even further, providing a strong platform for continued future growth

(1) Annual sales and unit count are as at transaction date. St-Hubert sales include \$225M of manufacturing sales. Sales and unit count for Prime exclude Casey's (wound down)























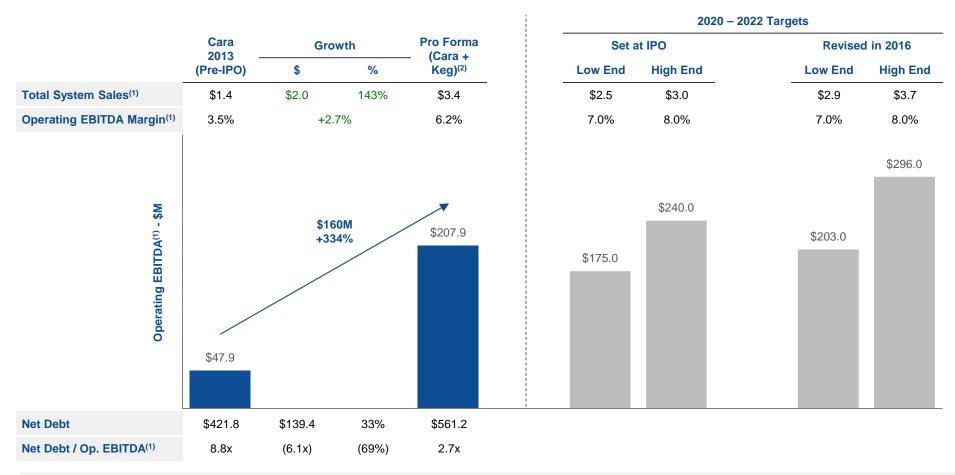




3 Combined Company Entering New Era of Growth CARA



Progress Against Cara's 5-7 Year Financial Targets



Transaction puts Cara within 2020-2022 targeted ranges for System Sales and EBITDA that were set during IPO and revised upwards in 2016. Transaction marks start of new growth chapter for combined company

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Description of Non-IFRS Measures



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"System Sales" represents top-line sales from restaurant guests at both corporate and franchise restaurants including take-out and delivery customer orders. System Sales includes sales from both established restaurants as well as new restaurants. System sales also includes sales received from its food processing and distribution division. Management believes System Sales provides meaningful information to investors regarding the size of its restaurant network, the total market share of its brands sold in restaurant and grocery and the overall financial performance of its brands and restaurant owner base, which ultimately impacts its consolidated financial performance.

"EBITDA" when referring to Cara is defined as net earnings (loss) before: (i) net interest expense and other financing charges; (ii) loss (gain) on derivative; (iii) write-off of financing fees; (iv) income taxes; (v) depreciation of property, plant and equipment; (vi) amortization of other assets.

"EBITDA" when referring to KRL is defined as profit (loss) before: (i) interest, but excluding interest on note payable to The Keg Royalties Income Fund; (ii) income taxes; (iii) depreciation and amortization (including write-downs of property, plant and equipment, if any); (iv) gain (loss) on disposal of property, plant and equipment; and (v) fair value gain (loss) and provision.

"Operating EBITDA" is defined as net earnings (loss) before: (i) net interest expense and other financing charges; (ii) gain (loss) on derivative; (iii) write-off of financing fees; (iv) income taxes; (v) depreciation of property, plant and equipment; (vi) amortization of other assets; (vii) impairment of assets, net of reversals; (viii) losses on early buyout / cancellation of equipment rental contracts; (ix) restructuring; (x) conversion fees; (xi) net (gain) / loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment; (xii) stock based compensation; (xiii) changes in onerous contract provision; (xiv) lease costs and tenant inducement amortization; (xv) expense impact from fair value inventory adjustment resulting from the St-Hubert purchase relating to inventory sold during the period; and (xvi) acquisition related transaction costs.

"Normalized EBITDA" is defined as profit (loss) before: (i) interest, but excluding interest on note payable to The Keg Royalties Income Fund; (ii) income taxes; (iii) depreciation and amortization (including write-downs of property, plant and equipment, if any); (iv) gain (loss) on disposal of property, plant and equipment; (v) fair value gain (loss) and provision; and (vi) certain non-recurring items.

"Adjusted Net Earnings" is defined as net earnings plus (i) deferred income tax expense (reversal); (ii) non-cash amortization of inventory fair value increases related to inventory sold during the period resulting from the St-Hubert purchase determined at acquisition date; (iii) one-time transaction costs; and (iv) non-cash impairment charges.

"Adjusted Diluted EPS" is defined as Adjusted Net Earnings divided by the weighted average number of shares outstanding plus the dilutive effect of stock options and warrants issued.

"Pro Forma System Sales" is defined as System Sales adjusted for the estimated full-year contribution of Original Joe's, Pickle Barrel and the KRL acquisition, as if the acquisitions had occurred on September 24, 2016.

"Pro Forma Operating EBITDA" is defined as Operating EBITDA of Cara adjusted for the estimated full-year EBITDA contribution of Original Joe's and Pickle Barrel and the estimated full year Normalized EBITDA of KRL as if the acquisitions had occurred on September 24, 2016.



























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