UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2018

OR

□ TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from_____to____ Commission File Number: 001-14649



Trex Company, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

160 Exeter Drive Winchester, Virginia (Address of principal executive offices) 54-1910453 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

> 22603-8605 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (540) 542-6300

Not Applicable

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes \boxtimes No \square

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes 🗵 No 🗆

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company," and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.:

Large accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer \Box

Accelerated filer

Smaller reporting company \Box

Emerging growth company \Box

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act \Box

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined by Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act): Yes \Box No \mathbb{Z} The number of shares of the registrant's common stock, par value \$.01 per share, outstanding at April 23, 2018 was 29,433,245 shares.

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PART I FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

TREX COMPANY, INC.

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income (Unaudited)

(In thousands, except share and per share data)

		Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017	
Net sales	\$ 171,207	\$ 144,806	
Cost of sales	94,494	79,637	
Gross profit	76,713	65,169	
Selling, general and administrative expenses	28,959	23,269	
Income from operations	47,754	41,900	
Interest expense, net	229	204	
Income before income taxes	47,525	41,696	
Provision for income taxes	10,415	13,747	
Net income	\$ 37,110	\$ 27,949	
Basic earnings per common share	\$ 1.26	\$ 0.95	
Basic weighted average common shares outstanding	29,427,578	29,363,210	
Diluted earnings per common share	\$ 1.25	\$ 0.95	
Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding	29,599,811	29,561,406	
Comprehensive income	\$ 37,110	\$ 27,949	

See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited).

Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets

(In thousands)

	March, 31, 2018 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2017
Assets		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,699	\$ 30,514
Accounts receivable, net	206,525	66,882
Inventories	42,453	34,524
Prepaid expenses and other assets	15,610	16,878
Total current assets	267,287	148,798
Property, plant and equipment, net	105,035	103,110
Goodwill and other intangibles	70,094	71,319
Other assets	2,968	3,000
Total assets	\$ 445,384	\$ 326,227
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 23,723	\$ 9,953
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	37,032	46,266
Accrued warranty	6,290	6,290
Line of credit	84,500	
Total current liabilities	151,545	62,509
Deferred income taxes	1,286	1,286
Non-current accrued warranty	28,285	28,709
Other long-term liabilities	2,410	2,473
Total liabilities	183,526	94,977
Commitments and contingencies	_	_
Stockholders' equity:		
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value, 3,000,000 shares authorized; none issued and outstanding	_	_
Common stock, \$0.01 par value, 80,000,000 shares authorized; 34,969,507 and 34,922,111 shares issued and		
29,415,251 and 29,428,430 shares outstanding at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively	350	349
Additional paid-in capital	120,751	122,043
Retained earnings	319,480	282,370
Treasury stock, at cost, 5,543,703 and 5,493,681 shares at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively	(178,723)	(173,512)
Total stockholders' equity	261,858	231,250
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 445,384	\$ 326,227

See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited).

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(Unaudited) (In thousands)

		Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017	
Operating Activities			
Net income	\$ 37,110	\$ 27,949	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash used in operating activities:			
Depreciation and amortization	4,765	3,764	
Stock-based compensation	2,295	1,965	
(Gain) loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(22)	258	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		(100.040)	
Accounts receivable	(139,643)	(123,249)	
Inventories	(7,928)	(1,563)	
Prepaid expenses and other assets	118	2,304	
Accounts payable	13,770	2,876	
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	(18,972)	(13,939)	
Income taxes receivable/payable	10,399	13,191	
Net cash used in operating activities	(98,108)	(86,444)	
Investing Activities			
Expenditures for property, plant and equipment	(5,435)	(4,312)	
Proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment	24		
Net cash used in investing activities	(5,411)	(4,312)	
Financing Activities			
Borrowings under line of credit	92,500	93,000	
Principal payments under line of credit	(8,000)	(16,000)	
Repurchases of common stock	(8,993)	(3,244)	
Proceeds from employee stock purchase and option plans	197	103	
Net cash provided by financing activities	75,704	73,859	
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(27,815)	(16,897)	
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	30,514	18,664	
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$ 2,699	\$ 1,767	
Supplemental Disclosure:			
Cash paid for interest	\$ 62	\$ 64	
Cash paid for income taxes, net	\$ (21)	\$ 556	

See Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited).

Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2018 and 2017 (Unaudited)

1. BUSINESS AND ORGANIZATION

Trex Company, Inc. (Company) is the world's largest manufacturer of wood-alternative decking and railing products, with more than 25 years of product experience which are marketed under the brand name Trex[®]. The Company manufactures and distributes high-performance, low-maintenance wood/plastic composite outdoor living products and related accessories. A majority of its products are manufactured in a proprietary process that combines reclaimed wood fibers and scrap polyethylene. On July 31, 2017, through its newly-formed, wholly-owned subsidiary, Trex Commercial Products, Inc., the Company acquired certain assets and assumed certain liabilities of Staging Concepts Acquisition, LLC (SC Company) and thus expanded its markets to also become a market leader for the design, engineering and marketing of modular and architectural railing, staging, acoustical and seating systems for the commercial and multi-family market, including sports stadiums and performing arts venues. Additional information on the acquisition of SC Company is presented in Note 5. The Company is incorporated in Delaware. The principal executive offices are located at 160 Exeter Drive, Winchester, Virginia 22603, and the telephone number at that address is (540) 542-6300. Subsequent to the acquisition, the Company operates in two reportable segments, Trex Residential Products and Trex Commercial Products.

2. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States for interim financial information and the instructions to Form 10-Q and Article 10 of Regulation S-X, and accordingly, the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements do not include all of the information and notes required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States for complete financial statements. In the opinion of management, all adjustments (consisting of normal and recurring adjustments except as otherwise described herein) considered necessary for a fair presentation have been included in the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements.

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly-owned subsidiary, Trex Wood-Polymer Espana, S.L., for all periods presented. The Condensed Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income and the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows of the Company include the operations and cash flows of Trex Commercial Products, Inc., its wholly-owned subsidiary, for the three months ended March 31, 2018. The Company's Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet includes the assets and liabilities of Trex Commercial Products, Inc. for all periods presented. Trex Commercial Products, Inc. was formed to acquire certain assets and assume certain liabilities of SC Company on July 31, 2017.

The consolidated results of operations for the three months ended March 31, 2018 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2018. These condensed consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements as of December 31, 2017 and 2016 and for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2017 included in the Annual Report of Trex Company, Inc. on Form 10-K, as filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

3. RECENTLY ADOPTED ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

In May 2017, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) No. 2017-09, "*Compensation—Stock Compensation (Topic 718), Scope Modification Accounting.*" The guidance clarified when to account for a change to the terms or conditions of a share-based payment award as a modification. Under the new guidance, modification accounting is required only if the fair value (or calculated intrinsic value, if those amounts are being used to measure the award under ASC 718), the vesting conditions, or the classification of the award (as equity or liability) changes as a result of the change in terms or conditions. The guidance was effective prospectively for annual periods beginning on or after December 15, 2017. Adoption of the new standard did not have a material impact on the Company's financial condition or results of operations.

In May 2014, the FASB issued ASU No. 2014-09, "*Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606)*," and issued subsequent amendments to the initial guidance in August 2015 within ASU No. 2015-14, in March 2016 within ASU No. 2016-08, in April 2016 within ASU No. 2016-10, in May 2016 within ASU No. 2016-12, and in December 2016 within ASU No. 2016-20 (collectively, Topic 606). The Company adopted Topic 606 on January 1, 2018 and applied Topic 606 under the full retrospective method. The Company determined the appropriate revenue recognition for its contracts with customers by analyzing the type, terms and conditions of its contracts with its customers. The Company has consistently applied the accounting policies to all periods presented in these Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements. Adoption of Topic 606 did not have an impact on the Company's financial condition or results of operations other than increased disclosures. Refer to Note 13, "*Revenue*," for a discussion of the Company's accounting policy related to revenue from contracts with customers.

In August 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-15, "Statement of Cash flows (Topic 230): Classification of Certain Cash Receipts and Cash Payments." The guidance is intended to reduce diversity in practice across all industries in how certain transactions are classified in the statement of cash flows. The guidance was effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2017, and interim periods within those fiscal years. Adoption of the new standard did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

4. NEW ACCOUNTING STANDARDS NOT YET ADOPTED

In January 2017, the FASB issued ASU No. 2017-04, "Intangibles—Goodwill and Other (Topic 350), Simplifying the Test for Goodwill Impairment." The guidance removes Step 2 of the goodwill impairment test and eliminates the need to determine the fair value of individual assets and liabilities to measure goodwill impairment. A goodwill impairment will now be the amount by which a reporting unit's carrying value exceeds its fair value, not to exceed the carrying amount of goodwill. Entities will continue to have the option to perform a qualitative assessment to determine if a quantitative impairment test is necessary. The guidance will be applied prospectively, and is effective for annual and interim goodwill impairment tests in fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2019. Early adoption is permitted for any impairment tests performed on testing dates after January 1, 2017. The Company intends to adopt the guidance on January 1, 2020 and does not believe adoption will have a material impact on its financial condition or results of operations.

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-02, "*Leases (Topic 842)*," and issued a subsequent amendment to the initial guidance in January 2018 within ASU No. 2018-01. The standard requires lessees to recognize leases on the balance sheet as a right-of-use asset and a lease liability, other than leases that meet the definition of a short-term lease. The liability will be equal to the present value of the lease payments. The asset will be based on the liability, subject to adjustment. Currently, under existing U.S. generally accepted accounting standards, the Company does not recognize on the balance sheet a right-of-use asset or lease liability related to its operating leases. For income statement purposes, the leases will continue to be classified as either operating or finance. Operating leases will result in straight-line expense (similar to current operating leases) and finance leases will result in a front-loaded expense pattern (similar to current capital leases). The standard is effective for fiscal years, and interim periods within those fiscal years, beginning after December 15, 2018. Early adoption is permitted. The standard must be adopted using the modified retrospective transition method and provides for the option to elect a package of practical expedients upon adoption. The Company intends to adopt the standard in the first quarter of fiscal 2019 and is assessing the impact of adoption of the standard on its consolidated financial statements and related note disclosures. The Company has not made any decision on the option to elect adoption of the practical expedients.

5. ACQUISITION

On July 31, 2017, through its newly-formed, wholly-owned subsidiary, Trex Commercial Products, Inc., the Company acquired certain assets and assumed certain liabilities of SC Company for \$71.8 million. The Company used cash on hand and \$30.0 million of funding from its existing revolving credit facility, which was fully paid on August 17, 2017, to acquire the assets. The acquired business designs, engineers and markets modular architectural railing, staging, acoustical and seating systems for the commercial and multi-family market, including sports stadiums and performing arts venues. As a result of the purchase, the Company gained access to growing commercial markets, expanded its custom design and engineering capabilities, and added the contract architect and specifier communities as new channels for its products.

The acquisition was accounted for using the acquisition method of accounting under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States, which requires, among other things, that the assets acquired and liabilities assumed be recognized at their fair values as of the acquisition date. The fair values of consideration transferred and net assets acquired were determined using a combination of Level 2 and Level 3 inputs as specified in the fair value hierarchy in Accounting Standards Codification 820, "*Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures.*" The Company believes that the fair values assigned to the assets acquired and liabilities assumed are based on reasonable assumptions. The Company's Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income for the quarterly period ended March 31, 2018 includes the results of operations of Trex Commercial Products, Inc. The Company's Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets include the assets and liabilities of Trex Commercial Products, Inc. for all periods presented.

Total consideration of \$71.8 million was allocated to the assets acquired and liabilities assumed, as follows (in thousands):

Accounts receivable, net	\$ 8,357
Contract retainage	1,948
Inventories, net	2,344
Prepaid expenses and other assets	1,223
Revenues in excess of billings	3,463
Fixed assets, net	1,264
Intangible assets	4,900
Goodwill	57,938
Accounts payable	(3,990)
Accrued liabilities and other expenses	(2,329)
Billings in excess of revenues	(1,752)
Customer Deposits	(1,562)
Total estimated consideration	\$71,804

Goodwill of \$57.9 million is primarily attributable to the potential opportunity for the Company to offer full service railing systems in the growing commercial and multi-family market, access to a complementary product category with a track record of substantial revenue growth, the ability to achieve economies of scale around raw material procurement, an increase in the range of products the Company may offer its core customers, and intangible assets that do not qualify for separable or legal criterion, such as an assembled workforce. The amount of goodwill that is expected to be amortized and deductible for tax purposes in 2018 is \$3.9 million. All of the goodwill was recorded to the Trex Commercial Products reportable segment. The fair value attributed to intangible assets, which consists of production backlog and trade names and trademarks, is being amortized straight line over 12 months and is based on the estimated economics of the assets. The fair value attributed to the intangible assets acquired and goodwill was based on assumptions and other information compiled by management, including independent valuations that utilized established valuation techniques.

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During the three months ended March 31, 2018, Trex Commercial Products, Inc. generated \$16.0 million of revenue and incurred a net loss of \$0.5 million.

The following pro forma results of Trex Company, Inc. are prepared for comparative purposes only and do not necessarily reflect the results that would have occurred had the acquisition occurred at the beginning of the years presented or the results which may occur in the future. The following unaudited pro forma results of operations assume the acquisition occurred on January 1, 2017 (in thousands, except per share amounts):

		Three Months Ended March 31, 2017	
	Actual	Pro Forma	
Net sales	\$144,806	\$158,422	
Net income	\$ 27,949	\$ 27,523	
Basic earnings per common share	\$ 0.95	\$ 0.94	
Diluted earnings per common share	\$ 0.95	\$ 0.93	

Significant pro forma adjustments included in the above pro forma information include an adjustment to amortization expense for the intangible assets acquired, elimination of transaction costs related to the acquisition as such costs are considered to be non-recurring in nature, an adjustment to compensation expense related to restricted stock units granted in connection with the acquisition, and the income tax effects of the adjustments.

6. INVENTORIES

Inventories valued at LIFO (last-in, first-out), consist of the following (in thousands):

	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
Finished goods	\$ 39,788	\$ 32,986
Raw materials	20,801	19,432
Total FIFO (first-in, first-out) inventories	60,589	52,418
Reserve to adjust inventories to LIFO value	(20,070)	(20,070)
Total LIFO inventories	<u>\$ 40,519</u>	\$ 32,348

The Company utilizes the LIFO method of accounting related to its wood-alternative decking and residential railing products, which generally provides for the matching of current costs with current revenues. However, under the LIFO method, reductions in annual inventory balances cause a portion of the Company's cost of sales to be based on historical costs rather than current year costs (LIFO liquidation). Reductions in interim inventory balances expected to be replenished by year-end do not result in a LIFO liquidation. Accordingly, interim LIFO calculations are based, in part, on management's estimates of expected year-end inventory levels and costs which may differ from actual results. Since inventory levels and costs are subject to the final year-end LIFO inventory valuation. There were no LIFO inventory liquidations or related impact on cost of sales in the three months ended March 31, 2018 or 2017.

Inventories valued at lower of cost (FIFO method) and net realizable value consist of \$1.9 million and \$2.2 million of raw materials at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017, respectively. The Company utilizes the FIFO method of accounting related to Trex Commercial Products, Inc.

7. PREPAID EXPENSES AND OTHER ASSETS

Prepaid expenses and other assets consist of the following (in thousands):

	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
Prepaid expenses	\$ 5,582	\$ 7,494
Revenues in excess of billings	5,873	4,841
Contract retainage	2,185	1,449
Income tax receivable	1,080	2,230
Other	890	864
Total prepaid expenses and other assets	<u>\$ 15,610</u>	\$ 16,878

8. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

Intangible assets consist of the following (in thousands):

Intangible assets:	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
Customer backlog	\$ 4,000	\$ 4,000
Trade names and trademarks	900	900
Total intangible assets	4,900	4,900
Accumulated amortization:		
Customer backlog	(2,667)	(1,666)
Trade name	(600)	(376)
Total accumulated amortization	(3,267)	(2,042)
Intantible assets, net	\$ 1,633	\$ 2,858

Intangible asset amounts were determined based on the estimated economics of the asset and are amortized over the estimated useful lives on a straight-line basis over 12 months, which approximates the pattern in which the economic benefits are expected to be received. Intangible asset amortization expense for the quarterly period ended March 31, 2018 was \$1.2 million.

9. ACCRUED EXPENSES AND OTHER LIABILITIES

Accrued expenses and other liabilities consist of the following (in thousands):

	March 31, 2018	ember 31, 2017
Sales and marketing	\$ 13,851	\$ 21,964
Income taxes	9,250	_
Compensation and benefits	5,104	14,818
Manufacturing costs	1,628	1,979
Customer deposits	1,515	1,230
Billings in excess of revenues	984	1,842
Rent obligations	675	779
Other	4,025	 3,654
Total accrued expenses and other liabilities	\$ 37,032	\$ 46,266

10. DEBT

The Company's outstanding debt consists of a revolving credit facility.

Revolving Credit Facility

On January 12, 2016, the Company entered into a Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, as amended, with Bank of America, N.A. as Lender, Administrative Agent, Swing Line Lender and Letter of Credit Issuer, and certain other lenders including Citibank, N.A., Capital One, N.A., and SunTrust. The Third Amended Credit Agreement, as amended, provides the Company with one or more revolving loans in a collective maximum principal amount of \$250 million from January 1 through June 30 of each year, and a maximum principal amount of \$200 million from July 1 through December 31 of each year throughout the term, which ends January 12, 2021.

The Company had \$84.5 million of outstanding borrowings under its revolving credit facility and remaining available borrowing capacity of \$165.5 million at March 31, 2018.

Compliance with Debt Covenants and Restrictions

The Company's ability to make scheduled principal and interest payments, borrow and repay amounts under any outstanding revolving credit facility and continue to comply with any loan covenants depends primarily on the Company's ability to generate sufficient cash flow from operations.

As of March 31, 2018, the Company was in compliance with all of the covenants contained in its debt agreements. Failure to comply with the loan covenants might cause lenders to accelerate the repayment obligations under the credit facility, which may be declared payable immediately based on a default.

11. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Company considers the recorded value of its financial assets and liabilities, consisting primarily of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, accounts payable, accrued expenses, other current liabilities, and debt to approximate the fair value of the respective assets and liabilities on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets at March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017.

12. STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

Earnings Per Share

The following table sets forth the computation of basic and diluted earnings per share (in thousands, except share and per share data):

		Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017	
Numerator:			
Net income available to common shareholders	\$ 37,110	\$ 27,949	
Denominator:			
Basic weighted average shares outstanding	29,427,578	29,363,210	
Effect of dilutive securities:			
Stock appreciation rights and options	97,028	100,585	
Restricted stock	75,205	97,611	
Diluted weighted average shares outstanding	29,599,811	29,561,406	
Basic earnings per share	\$ 1.26	\$ 0.95	
Diluted earnings per share	\$ 1.25	\$ 0.95	

Diluted earnings per share is computed using the weighted average number of shares determined for the basic earnings per share computation plus the dilutive effect of common stock equivalents using the treasury stock method. The computation of diluted earnings per share excludes the following potentially dilutive securities because the effect would be anti-dilutive:

		Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2018	2017	
Stock appreciation rights	5,433	8,170	

Stock Repurchase Programs

On February 16, 2017, the Board of Directors authorized a common stock repurchase program of up to 2.961 million shares of the Company's outstanding common stock (February 2017 Stock Repurchase Program). The Company made no repurchases under the February 2017 Stock Repurchase Program. On February 16, 2018, the Board of Directors terminated the February 2017 Stock Repurchase Program and adopted a new stock repurchase program of up to 2.9 million shares of the Company's outstanding common stock (February 2018 Stock Repurchase Program). As of the date of this report, the Company has repurchased 50,022 shares of the Company's outstanding common stock under the February 2018 Stock Repurchase Program.

Amendment of Restated Certificate of Incorporation

The Company's Board of Directors unanimously approved an amendment to the Company's Restated Certificate of Incorporation (Amendment) on February 14, 2018, subject to stockholder approval. At the annual meeting of stockholders of the Company held on May 2, 2018, the Company's stockholders approved the Amendment, effective as of May 2, 2018. The Amendment increases the number of shares of common stock, par value \$.01 per share, that the Company is authorized to issue from 80,000,000 shares to 120,000,000 shares. The Amendment was filed with the Delaware Secretary of State on May 2, 2018.

Stock Split

Following the annual meeting of stockholders on May 2, 2018, the Board of Directors of the Company approved a two-for-one stock split of the Company's common stock, par value \$0.01. The stock split will be in the form of a stock dividend to be distributed on June 18, 2018, to stockholders of record at the close of business on May 23, 2018.

13. REVENUE

Topic 606 provides a single, comprehensive model for revenue recognition arising from contracts with customers. A performance obligation is a promise in a contract to transfer a distinct good or service to the customer and is the unit of account in Topic 606. A contract's transaction price is allocated to each distinct performance obligation and revenue is recognized when or as the Company satisfies the performance obligation. Revenue is recognized at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for transferring control of the goods or services to a customer.

Trex Residential Products

Trex Residential Products principally generates revenue from the manufacture and sale of its high performance, low maintenance composite decking and railing products and accessories. Substantially all of its revenues are from contracts with customers, which are purchase orders of short-term duration of less than one year. Its customers, in turn, sell primarily to the residential market, which includes replacement, remodeling and new construction related to outdoor living products. Trex Residential Products satisfies its performance obligations at a point in time. The shipment of each product is a separate performance obligation as the customer is able to derive benefit from each product shipped and no performance obligation remains after shipment. Upon shipment of the product, the customer obtains control over the distinct product and Trex Residential satisfies its performance obligation that remains unsatisfied at the end of a reporting period is part of a contract that has an original expected duration of one year or less. Any variable consideration related to the unsatisfied performance obligation is allocated wholly to the unsatisfied performance obligation and recognized when the product ships and the performance obligation is satisfied.

For each product shipped, the transaction price by product is specified in the purchase order. The Company recognizes revenue on the transaction price less any amount offered under a sales incentive program. The Company recognizes an account receivable (contract asset) for the amount of revenue recognized as it has an unconditional right to consideration at the time of shipment and payment from the customer is due based solely on the passage of time. The Company receives payments from its customers based on the payment terms applicable to each individual contract and the customer pays in accordance with the billing terms specified in the purchase order, which is less than one year. The related accounts receivables are included in "Accounts receivable, net" in the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets.

Trex Residential Products may offer various sales incentive programs throughout the year. It estimates the amount of sales incentive to allocate to each performance obligation, or product shipped, using the most-likely-amount method of estimation, based on direct sales to the customer. The estimate is updated each reporting period and any changes are allocated to the performance obligations on the same basis as at inception. Changes in estimate allocated to a previously satisfied performance obligation are recognized as a reduction of revenue in the period in which the change occurs under the cumulative catch-up method. In addition to sales incentive programs, Trex Residential Products may offer a payment discount. It estimates the payment discount that it believes will be taken by the customer based on prior history and using the most-likely-amount method of estimation. The Company believes the most-likely-amount method best predicts the amount of consideration to which it will be entitled.

Trex Residential Products pays commissions to certain employees. However, the sales commissions are not directly attributable to identifiable contracts, are discretionary in nature and are based on other factors not related to obtaining a contract, such as individual performance, profitability of the entity, annual sales targets, etc. These costs are included in selling, general and administrative expenses as incurred. Trex Residential Products does not grant contractual product return rights to customers other than pursuant to its assurance product warranty (see related disclosure on product warranties in Note 18, *"Commitments and Contingencies"*). Trex Residential Products accounts for all shipping and handling fees invoiced to the customer in net sales and the related costs in cost of sales.

Trex Commercial Products

Trex Commercial Products generates revenue from the manufacture and sale of its modular and architectural railing, staging, acoustical and seating systems. All of its revenues are from fixed-price contracts with customers. Trex Commercial Products contracts have a single performance obligation as the promise to transfer the individual goods or services is not separately identifiable from other promises in the contract and is, therefore, not distinct.

Trex Commercial Products satisfies its performance obligation over time as work progresses because control is transferred continuously to its customers. Revenue and estimated profit is recognized over time based on the proportion of costs incurred to date relative to total estimated costs at completion to measure progress toward satisfying the performance obligation. Incurred costs represent work performed, which corresponds with, and thereby best depicts, the transfer of control to the customer. Incurred costs include all direct material, labor, subcontract and certain indirect costs. The Company reviews and updates its estimates regularly and recognizes adjustments in estimated profit on contracts under the cumulative catch-up method. Under this method, the impact of the adjustment on revenue and estimated profit to date on a contract is recognized in the period the adjustment is identified. Revenues and profits in future periods are recognized using the adjusted estimate. If at any time the estimate of contract profitability indicates an anticipated loss on the contract, the Company recognizes the total loss in the period it is identified. During the three months ended March 31, 2018, no adjustment to any one contract was material to the Company's Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements. In accordance with ASC 606-10-50-15, the Company discloses only the transaction price allocated to its remaining performance obligations on contracts with an original duration greater than one year, which was \$47.5 million as of March 31, 2018. The Company will recognize this revenue as contracts are completed, which is expected to occur within the next 18 months.

The Company recognizes an account receivable (contract asset) for satisfied performance obligations as it has an unconditional right to consideration and payment from the customer is due based solely on the passage of time. The Company receives payments from its customers on the accounts receivable based on the payment terms applicable to each individual contract and the customer pays in less than one year. Accounts receivables are included in "Accounts receivable, net" in the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets.

In addition, the timing of revenue recognition, billings and cash collections may result in revenues in excess of billings and contract retainage (contract assets), and billings in excess of revenues and customer deposits (contract liabilities) on the Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet. These assets and liabilities are reported on a contract-by-contract basis at the end of each reporting period in prepaid expenses and other assets (contract assets), and accrued expenses and other liabilities). These assets and liabilities and changes in these assets and liabilities, respectively, were not material during the three months ended March 31, 2018.

Trex Commercial Products pays sales commissions that are directly attributable to identifiable contracts to certain of its employees. If the amortization period of the commission is one year or less then the Company recognizes the commission expense as incurred. Otherwise, the Company capitalizes the commission and amortizes it on a straight-line basis over the life of the contract. Trex Commercial Products does not grant contractual product return rights to customers other than pursuant to its assurance product warranty. All shipping and handling fees invoiced to the customer are included in net sales and the related costs are included in cost of sales. For the three months ended March 31, 2018, revenue is disaggregated in the following table by (1) market, (2) timing of revenue recognition, and (3) type of contract. The table also includes a reconciliation of the respective disaggregated revenue with the Company's reportable segments (in thousands).

	Reportable Segment			
	Residential Commercial		Total	
Timing of Revenue Recognition and Type of Contract				
Products transferred at a point in time and variable consideration contracts	\$155,200	\$ —	\$155,200	
Products transferred over time and fixed price contracts		16,007	16,007	
	\$155,200	\$ 16.007	\$171 207	

14. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION

The Company has one stock-based compensation plan, the 2014 Stock Incentive Plan (Plan), approved by the Company's stockholders in April 2014. The Plan amended and restated in its entirety the Trex Company, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan. The Plan was subsequently amended and restated by the Company's Board of Directors in May 2014 and May 2018. The Plan is administered by the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors. Stock-based compensation is granted to officers, directors and certain key employees in accordance with the provisions of the Plan. The Plan provides for grants of stock options, restricted stock, restricted stock units, stock appreciation rights (SARs), and unrestricted stock. The total aggregate number of shares of the Company's common stock that may be issued under the Plan is 6,420,000, and as of March 31 2018, the total number of shares available for future issuance are 2,626,664.

The following table summarizes the Company's stock-based compensation grants for the three months ended March 31, 2018:

	Stock Awards Granted	Ğı	ited-Average ant Price er Share
Time-based restricted stock units	12,708	\$	112.42
Performance-based restricted stock units (a)	39,511	\$	70.42
Stock appreciation rights	10,630	\$	112.42

(a) Includes 14,851 of target performance-based restricted stock unit awards granted during the three months ended March 31, 2018, and adjustments of 5,396, 13,583 and 5,681 grants due to the actual performance level achieved for restricted stock and restricted stock units awarded in 2015, 2016, and 2017, respectively.

The fair value of each SAR is estimated on the date of grant using a Black-Scholes option-pricing formula. For SARs issued in the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017 the data and assumptions shown in the following table were used:

	Ionths Ended h 31, 2018	Three Months Ended March 31, 2017	
Weighted-average fair value of grants	\$ 44.17	\$	27.81
Dividend yield	0%		0%
Average risk-free interest rate	2.7%		2.0%
Expected term (years)	5		5
Expected volatility	40.4%		42.0%

The Company recognizes stock-based compensation expense ratably over the period from the grant date to the earlier of: (1) the vesting date of the award, or (2) the date the grantee is eligible to retire without forfeiting the award. For performance-based restricted stock and performance-based restricted stock units, expense is recognized ratably over the performance and vesting period of each tranche based on management's judgment of the ultimate award that is likely to be paid out based on the achievement of the predetermined performance measures. The following table summarizes the Company's stock-based compensation expense (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended March 31,		
	2018	2017	
Stock appreciation rights	\$ 202	\$ 167	
Time-based restricted stock and restricted stock units	822	737	
Performance-based restricted stock and restricted stock units	1,249	1,039	
Employee stock purchase plan	33	22	
Total stock-based compensation	\$ 2,306	\$ 1,965	

Total unrecognized compensation cost related to unvested awards as of March 31, 2018 was \$6.3 million. The cost of these unvested awards is being recognized over the requisite vesting period of each award.

15. INCOME TAXES

The Company's effective tax rate for the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017 was 21.9% and 33.0%, respectively, which resulted in expense of \$10.4 million and \$13.7 million, respectively. The decrease of 11.1% in the effective tax rate was primarily due to the enactment on December 22, 2017 of tax legislation H.R.1, "An Act to Provide for Reconciliation Pursuant to titles II and V of the Concurrent Resolution on the Budget for Fiscal Year 2018," known as the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act (Act), which lowered the Federal statutory rate to 21%. The Company has finalized its analysis of the Act, which did not give rise to new deferred tax amounts.

During the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, the Company realized \$1.7 million and \$1.0 million, respectively, of excess tax benefits from stock-based awards and recorded a corresponding benefit to income tax expense.

The Company analyzes its deferred tax assets each reporting period, considering all available positive and negative evidence in determining the expected realization of those deferred tax assets. As of March 31, 2018, the Company maintains a valuation allowance of \$2.8 million against deferred tax assets primarily related to state tax credits it estimates will expire before they are realized.



The Company operates in multiple tax jurisdictions and, in the normal course of business, its tax returns are subject to examination by various taxing authorities. Such examinations may result in future assessments by these taxing authorities, and the Company accrues a liability when it believes that it is more likely than not that benefits of tax positions will not be realized. The Company believes that adequate provisions have been made for all tax returns subject to examination. As of March 31, 2018, for certain tax jurisdictions tax years 2014 through 2017 remain subject to examination. Sales made to foreign distributors are not taxable in any foreign jurisdiction as the Company does not have a taxable presence in any foreign jurisdiction.

16. SEGMENT INFORMATION

Prior to July 31, 2017, the Company operated in one reportable segment. Subsequent to the acquisition of certain assets and assumption of certain liabilities of SC Company on July 31, 2017, the Company operates in two reportable segments:

- Trex Residential Products manufactures wood-alternative decking and railing and related products marketed under the brand name Trex[®]. The products are sold to its distributors and national retailers who, in turn, sell primarily to the residential market, which includes replacement, remodeling and new construction related to outdoor living products. Net sales of Trex Residential Products were \$155.2 million and \$144.8 million in the three months ended March 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively.
- Trex Commercial Products designs, engineers, and markets modular and architectural railing, staging, acoustical and seating systems for the commercial and multi-family market, including sports stadiums and performing arts venues. The segment's products are sold through architects, specifiers, contractors, and others doing business within the segment's commercial and multi-family market. Net sales of Trex Commercial products were \$16.0 million in the three months ended March 31, 2018.

The Company's operating segments have been determined in accordance with its internal management structure, which is organized based on residential and commercial sales activities. The Company evaluates performance of each segment primarily based on net sales and earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA). The Company uses net sales to assess performance and allocate resources as this measure represents the amount of business the segment engaged in during a given period of time, is an indicator of market growth and acceptance of segment products, and represents the segment's customers' spending habits along with the amount of product the segment sells relative to its competitors. The Company uses EBITDA to assess performance and allocate resources because it believes that EBITDA facilitates performance comparison between the segments by eliminating interest, taxes, and depreciation and amortization charges to income. The below segment data for the three months ended March 31, 2018, includes data for Trex Residential Products and Trex Commercial Product (in thousands):

	Three M	Three Months Ended March 31, 2018			
	Residential	Commercial		Total	
Net sales	\$155,200	\$	16,007	\$171,207	
Net income (loss)	\$ 37,580	\$	(470)	\$ 37,110	
EBITDA	\$ 51,834	\$	653	\$ 52,487	
Depreciation and amortization	\$ 3,453	\$	1,280	\$ 4,733	
Income tax expense (benefit)	\$ 10,572	\$	(157)	\$ 10,415	
Capital expenditures	\$ 5,043	\$	392	\$ 5,435	
Total assets	\$366,400	\$	78,984	\$445,384	

Reconciliation of net income to EBITDA (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2018			
	Residential	Commercial	Total	
Net income (loss)	\$ 37,580	\$ (470)	\$37,110	
Interest	229	_	229	
Taxes	10,572	(157)	10,415	
Depreciation and amortization	3,453	1,280	4,733	
EBITDA	\$ 51,834	\$ 653	\$52,487	

17. SEASONALITY

The operating results for Trex Residential Products have historically varied from quarter to quarter. Seasonal, erratic or prolonged adverse weather conditions in certain geographic regions reduce the level of home improvement and construction activity and can shift demand for its products to a later period. As part of its normal business practice and consistent with industry practice, Trex Residential Products has historically offered incentive programs to its distributors and dealers to build inventory levels before the start of the prime deck-building season in order to ensure adequate availability of its product to meet anticipated seasonal consumer demand. The seasonal effects are often offset by the positive effect of the incentive programs. In addition, the operating results for Trex Commercial Products are driven by the timing of individual projects, which may vary each quarterly period.

18. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Product Warranty

The Company warrants that its decking and residential railing products will be free from material defects in workmanship and materials for warranty periods ranging from 10 years to 25 years, depending on the product and its use. If there is a breach of such warranties, the Company has an obligation either to replace the defective product or refund the purchase price. The Company continues to receive and settle claims for products manufactured at its Nevada facility prior to 2007 that exhibit surface flaking and maintains a warranty reserve to provide for the settlement of these claims. Estimating the warranty reserve for surface flaking claims requires management to estimate (1) the number of claims to be settled with payment and (2) the average cost to settle each claim.

To estimate the number of claims to be settled with payment, the Company utilizes actuarial techniques to quantify both the expected number of claims to be received and the percentage of those claims that will ultimately require payment (collectively, elements). Estimates for these elements are quantified using a range of assumptions derived from claim count history and the identification of factors influencing the claim counts. The number of claims received has declined each year since peaking in 2009, although the rate of decline has decelerated in recent years. Additionally, events, such as the 2009 settlement of a class action lawsuit covering the surface defect and communications by the Company in 2013 informing homeowners of potential hazards associated with products exhibiting surface flaking that are not timely replaced, have obscured observable trends in historical claims activity. The cost per claim varies due to a number of factors, including the size of affected decks, the availability and type of replacement material used, the cost of production of replacement material and the method of claim settlement.

The Company monitors surface flaking claims activity each quarter for indications that its estimates require revision. Typically, a majority of surface flaking claims received in a year are received during the summer outdoor season, which spans the second and third quarters. It has been the Company's practice to utilize the actuarial techniques discussed above during the third quarter, after a significant portion of all claims has been received for the fiscal year and variances to annual claims expectations are more meaningful. The number of claims received in the three months ended March 31, 2018 was lower than claims received in the three months ended March 31, 2017, continuing the historical year-over-year decline in incoming claims, and consistent with the Company's expectations. The average settlement cost per claim experienced in the three months ended March 31, 2018 was lower than the average settlement cost per claim experienced during the three months ended March 31, 2018 was lower than the average settlement cost per claim experienced during the three months ended March 31, 2018. The Company's expectations for 2018. The Company believes its reserve at March 31, 2018 is sufficient to cover future surface flaking obligations.

The Company's analysis is based on currently known facts and a number of assumptions, as discussed above, and current expectations. Projecting future events such as the number of claims to be received, the number of claims that will require payment and the average cost of claims could cause actual warranty liabilities to be higher or lower than those projected, which could materially affect the Company's financial condition, results of operations or cash flows. The Company estimates that the annual number of claims received will continue to decline over time and that the average cost per claim will increase slightly, primarily due to inflation. If the level of claims received or average cost per claim differs materially from expectations, it could result in additional increases or decreases to the warranty reserve and a decrease or increase in earnings and cash flows in future periods. The Company estimates that a 10% change in the expected number of remaining claims to be settled with payment or the expected cost to settle claims may result in approximately a \$2.7 million change in the surface flaking warranty reserve.

The following is a reconciliation of the Company's residential product warranty reserve (in thousands):

	Three Mon	Three Months Ended March 31, 2018				
	Surface	Other				
	Flaking	Residential	Total			
Beginning balance, January 1	\$28,157	\$ 6,842	\$34,999			
Provisions and changes in estimates	_	819	819			
Settlements made during the period	_(1,000)	(243)	(1,243)			
Ending balance, March 31	\$27,157	\$ 7,418	\$34,575			

	Three Mo	Three Months Ended March 31, 2017				
	Surface	Other				
	Flaking	Residential	Total			
Beginning balance, January 1	\$ 33,847	\$ 3,846	\$ 37,693			
Provisions and changes in estimates	—	365	365			
Settlements made during the period	(1,114)	(262)	(1,376)			
Ending balance, March 31	\$ 32,733	<u>\$ 3,949</u>	\$ 36,682			

Legal Matters

The Company has lawsuits, as well as other claims, pending against it which are ordinary routine litigation and claims incidental to the business. Management has evaluated the merits of these lawsuits and claims, and believes that their ultimate resolution will not have a material effect on the Company's consolidated financial condition, results of operations, liquidity or competitive position.

Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

The following management discussion should be read in conjunction with the Trex Company, Inc. (Company, we or our) Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017 filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and the condensed consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in Part I, Item 1. "Financial Statements" of this quarterly report.

NOTE ON FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This management's discussion and analysis contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. All statements regarding our expected financial position and operating results, our business strategy, our financing plans, forecasted demographic and economic trends relating to our industry and similar matters are forward-looking statements. These statements can sometimes be identified by our use of forward-looking words such as "may," "will," "anticipate," "estimate," "expect," "intend" or similar expressions. We cannot promise you that our expectations in such forward-looking statements will turn out to be correct. Our actual results could be materially different from our expectations because of various factors, including the factors discussed under "Item 1A. Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017 filed with the SEC. These statements are also subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause the Company's actual operating results to differ materially. Such risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to: the extent of market acceptance of such new products; the sensitivity of the Company's business to general economic conditions; the impact of seasonal and weather-related demand fluctuations on inventory levels in the distribution channel and sales of the Company's products; the availability and cost of third-party transportation services for the Company's products; the company's ability to obtain raw materials at acceptable prices; the Company's ability to maintain product quality and product performance at an acceptable cost; the level of expenses associated with product replacement and consumer relations expenses related to product; the highly competitive markets in which the Company operates; and cyber-attacks, security breaches or other security vulnerabilities.

OVERVIEW

Operations and Products: Trex Company, Inc. currently operates in two reportable segments: Trex Residential Products and Trex Commercial Products.

Trex Residential Products is the world's largest manufacturer of high-performance composite decking and railing products, which are marketed under the brand name Trex® and manufactured in the United States. We offer a comprehensive set of aesthetically appealing and durable, low-maintenance product offerings in the decking, railing, fencing, steel deck framing, and outdoor lighting categories. A majority of the products are eco-friendly and made in a proprietary process that combines reclaimed wood fibers and recycled polyethylene film. In addition to resisting fading and surface staining, Trex Residential products require no sanding and sealing, resist moisture damage, provide a splinter-free surface and do not require chemical treatment against rot or insect infestation. Combined, these aspects yield significant aesthetic advantages and lower maintenance than wood decking and railing and ultimately render Trex products less costly than wood over the life of the deck. Special characteristics (including resistance to splitting, the ability to bend, and ease and consistency of machining and finishing) facilitate installation, reduce contractor call-backs and afford consumers a wide range of design options. Trex Residential products are sold to distributors and two national retailers who, in turn, sell primarily to the residential market.

Trex Residential Products offers the following products:

Decking Our principal decking products are Trex Transcend[®], Trex Enhance[®] and Trex Select[®]. Our eco-friendly composite decking products are comprised of a blend of 95 percent reclaimed wood fibers and recycled plastic film and feature a protective polymer shell for enhanced protection against fading, staining, mold and scratching. We also offer Trex Hideaway[®], a hidden fastening system for grooved boards.

Railing	Our railing products are Trex Transcend Railing, Trex Enhance [®] Railing, Trex Select Railing, and Trex Signature [™] aluminum railing. Trex Transcend Railing is available in the colors of Trex Transcend decking and finishes that make it appropriate for use with Trex decking products. Trex Enhance Railing complements our Trex Enhance decking and is available in white, saddle, vintage lantern and black. Trex Select Railing is offered in a white finish and is ideal for consumers who desire a simple clean finished look for their deck. Trex Signature [®] aluminum railing is available in three colors and designed for consumers who want a sleek, contemporary look.
Fencing	Our Trex Seclusions [®] fencing product is offered through two specialty distributors. This product consists of structural posts, bottom rail, pickets, top rail and decorative post caps.
Steel Deck Framing	Our triple-coated steel deck framing system called Trex Elevations [®] leverages the strength and dimensional stability of steel to create a flat surface for our decking. Trex Elevations provides consistency and reliability that wood does not and is fire resistant.
Outdoor Lighting	Our outdoor lighting systems are Trex DeckLighting [™] and Trex LandscapeLighting [™] . Trex DeckLighting is a line of energy-efficient LED dimmable deck lighting, which is designed for use on posts, floors and steps. The line includes a post cap light, deck rail light, riser light and a recessed deck light. The Trex LandscapeLighting line includes an energy-efficient well light, path light, multifunction light and spotlight.

Trex Commercial Products is a leading national provider of custom-engineered railing systems and staging equipment. Trex Commercial Products designs and engineers custom solutions, which are prevalent in professional and collegiate sports facilities, commercial and high-rise applications, performing arts, sports, event production and rental markets. With a team of devoted engineers, and industry-leading reputation for quality and dedication to customer service, Trex Commercial Products are marketed to architects, specifiers, contractors, and building owners.

Trex Commercial Products offers the following products:

Architectural Railing Systems	Our architectural railing systems are pre-engineered guardrails with options to accommodate styles ranging from classic and elegant wood top rail combined with sleek stainless components and glass infill, to modern and minimalist stainless cable and rod infill choices.
Aluminum Railing Systems	Our aluminum railings are a versatile, cost-effective and low-maintenance choice for a variety of interior and exterior applications that we believe blend form, function and style. They are often used in high-rise condominium and resort projects and offer safety and durability to stairs, public walkways and balconies. They are available in picket or glass infills with a selection of top cap styles, color finishes and mounting capabilities.
Custom Railing Options	Trex Commercial can design, engineer and manufacture custom railing systems tailored to the customer's specific material, style and finish. Many railing styles are achievable, including glass, mesh, perforated railing and cable railing.
Portable Stage Platforms	Our advanced modular, lightweight custom staging systems include portable platforms, guardrails, stair units, barricades, camera platforms, VIP viewing decks, ADA infills, DJ booths, pool covers, and other custom applications. Our systems provide superior staging product solutions for facilities and venues with custom needs. Our equipment requires no tools, making it easy and efficient for set-up and take-down, and our staging products are designed to withstand the harshest of weather conditions. Our modular stages are designed to appear seamless, feel permanent, and maximize the functionality of the space.

Highlights for the three months ended March 31, 2018:

- Net sales of \$171.2 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, an increase of 18.2% over net sales of \$144.8 million for the three months ended March 31, 2017.
- Net income of \$37.1 million for the three months ended March 31, 2018, or \$1.25 per diluted share, an increase of 32.8% and 31.6%, respectively, compared to \$27.9 million, or \$0.95 per diluted share, for the same period in 2017.
- Repurchase of 50,022 shares of our outstanding common stock under our February 2018 Stock Repurchase Program.

Business Acquisition. On July 31, 2017, through our wholly-owned subsidiary, Trex Commercial Products, Inc., we entered into a definitive agreement with SC Company and on that date acquired certain assets and liabilities of SC Company for \$71.8 million. We used cash on hand and \$30.0 million from our existing revolving credit facility to acquire the business. The acquisition provides us with the opportunity to offer full service railing systems in the growing commercial and multi-family market, access to a complementary product category with a track record of substantial revenue growth, the ability to achieve economies of scale around raw material procurement, and an increase in the range of products the Company may offer its core customers. The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements as of and for the three months ended March 31, 2018, include the accounts of Trex Commercial Products, Inc.

Net Sales. Net sales consist of sales and freight, net of discounts. The level of net sales is principally affected by sales volume and the prices paid for Trex products. Trex Residential Products operating results have historically varied from quarter to quarter. Seasonal, erratic or prolonged adverse weather conditions in certain geographic regions reduce the level of home and commercial improvement and residential and commercial construction and can shift demand for our products to a later period. As part of our normal business practice and consistent with industry practices, we have historically provided our distributors and dealers of our Trex Residential Products incentives to build inventory levels before the start of the prime deck-building season to ensure adequate availability of our product to meet anticipated seasonal consumer demand and to enable production planning. These incentives based on increases in purchases as part of specific promotional programs. The timing of sales incentive programs can significantly impact sales, receivables and inventory levels during the offering period. However, the timing and terms of the majority of our programs are generally consistent from year to year. In addition, the operating results for Trex Commercial Products are driven by the timing of individual projects, which may vary each quarterly period.

Gross Profit. Gross profit represents the difference between net sales and cost of sales. Cost of sales consists of raw materials costs, direct labor costs, manufacturing costs, subcontract costs and freight. Raw materials costs generally include the costs to purchase and transport reclaimed wood fiber, reclaimed polyethylene, pigmentation for coloring our products, and commodities used in the production of railing and staging. Direct labor costs include wages and benefits of personnel engaged in the manufacturing process. Manufacturing costs consist of costs of depreciation, utilities, maintenance supplies and repairs, indirect labor, including wages and benefits, and warehouse and equipment rental activities.

Product Warranty. We warrant that our Trex Residential products will be free from material defects in workmanship and materials for warranty periods ranging from 10 years to 25 years, depending on the product and its use. If there is a breach of such warranties, we have an obligation either to replace the defective product or refund the purchase price. We continue to receive and settle claims for products manufactured at our Nevada facility prior to 2007 that exhibit surface flaking and maintain a warranty reserve to provide for the settlement of these claims. The number of claims received has declined each year since peaking in 2009, although the rate of decline has decelerated in recent years. Additionally, events, such as the 2009 settlement of a class action lawsuit covering the surface defect and 2013 communications made by the Company informing homeowners of potential hazards associated with products exhibiting surface flaking that are not timely replaced, have obscured any observable trends in historical claims activity.

We monitor surface flaking claims activity each quarter for indications that our estimates require revision. Typically, a majority of surface flaking claims received in a fiscal year are received during the summer outdoor season, which spans the second and third fiscal quarters. It has been our practice to utilize actuarial techniques during the third quarter, after a significant portion of all claims has been received for the fiscal year and variances to annual claims expectations are more meaningful. Our actuarial analysis is based on currently known facts and a number of assumptions. Projecting future events such as the number of claims to be received, the number of claims that will require payment and the average cost of claims could cause the actual warranty liabilities to be higher or lower than those projected, which could materially affect our financial condition, results of operations or cash flows. The number of claims that will require payment and the average settlement cost per claim experienced in the three months ended March 31, 2018 was lower than the claims received in the three months ended March 31, 2017, continuing the historical year-over-year decline in incoming claims, and consistent with our expectations. The average settlement cost per claim experienced in the three months ended March 31, 2017, and was consistent with expectations for 2018. We believe that our reserve at March 31, 2018 is sufficient to cover future surface flaking obligations.

The following table details surface flaking claims activity related to our warranty:

	Three Months En	Three Months Ended March 31,		
	2018	2017		
Claims open, beginning of period	2,306	2,755		
Claims received (1)	253	414		
Claims resolved (2)	(521)	(502)		
Claims open, end of period	2,038	2,667		
Average cost per claim (3)	\$ 2,747	\$ 2,848		

(1) Claims received include new claims received or identified during the period.

(2) Claims resolved include all claims settled with or without payment and closed during the period.

(3) Average cost per claim represents the average settlement cost of claims closed with payment during the period.

Selling, General and Administrative Expenses. The largest component of selling, general and administrative expenses is personnel related costs, which include salaries, commissions, incentive compensation, and benefits of personnel engaged in sales and marketing, accounting, information technology, corporate operations, research and development, and other business functions. Another component of selling, general and administrative expenses is branding and other sales and marketing costs, which are used to build brand awareness. These costs consist primarily of advertising, merchandising, and other promotional costs. Other general and administrative expenses include professional fees, office occupancy costs attributable to the business functions previously referenced, and consumer relations expenses. As a percentage of net sales, selling, general and administrative expenses may vary from quarter to quarter due, in part, to the seasonality of our business.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

On July 31, 2017, Trex Commercial Products, Inc., our newly-formed, wholly-owned subsidiary, acquired certain assets and assumed certain liabilities of SC Company for \$71.8 million. The Company used cash on hand and \$30.0 million of funding from its existing revolving credit facility to acquire the assets. The acquired business designs, engineers and markets modular architectural railing, staging, acoustical and seating systems for the commercial and multi-family market, including sports stadiums and performing arts venues. As a result of the purchase, we will gain access to growing commercial markets, expand our custom design and engineering capabilities, and add the contract architect and specifier communities as new channels for our products. Our Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets include the assets acquired and any liabilities assumed. Our Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income for the three months ended March 31, 2018, includes the results of operations of the acquired business.

Below is our discussion and analysis of our operating results and material changes in our operating results for the three months ended March 31, 2018 (2018 quarter) compared to the three months ended March 31, 2017 (2017 quarter).

Three Months Ended March 31, 2018 Compared To The Three Months Ended March 31, 2017

et Sales						
	T	hree Months H	Ended N	larch 31,		
					\$	%
		2018		2017	Change	Change
		(dollars in thousa			nds)	
al net sales	\$	171,207	\$	144,806	\$26,401	18.2%
sidential net sales	\$	155,200	\$	144,806	\$10,394	7.2%
Commercial net sales	\$	16.007	\$		\$16.007	N/A

The 18.2% increase in total net sales in the 2018 quarter compared to the 2017 quarter was due primarily to \$10.6 million volume growth in our Trex branded decking and railing products. The volume growth was positively impacted by continued strength in the remodeling sector, our marketing programs aimed at taking market share from wood, and the healthy demand across our full suite of outdoor living products with decking and railing products as the major growth contributors. The remaining increase resulted from net sales of \$16.0 million from our recently acquired commercial products segment.

Gross Profit

	•	Three Months Ended March 31,		\$		
		2018		2017	Change	% Change
			(d	ollars in thous	sands)	
Cost of sales	\$	94,494	\$	79,637	\$14,857	18.7%
% of total net sales		55.2%		55.0%		
Gross profit	\$	76,713	\$	65,169	\$11,544	17.7%
Gross margin		44.8%		45.0%		

Gross profit as a percentage of net sales, gross margin, was relatively unchanged at 44.8% in the 2018 quarter from 45.0% in the 2017 quarter. Gross margin for the residential and commercial products totaled 47.6% and 17.7%, respectively. Residential gross margin improved by 260 basis points in the 2018 quarter over the same period in 2017. The 2018 quarter gross margin reflected sustained improvement through plant cost reduction initiatives, lower cost raw materials, and increased capacity utilization.

Selling, General and Administrative Expenses

	Three Months En	ded Ma	arch 31,			
	2018		2017	\$ Change	% Change	
		(dollars in thousands)				
Selling, general and administrative expenses	\$ 28,959	\$	23,269	\$ 5,690	24.5%	
% of total net sales	16.9%		16.1%			

The \$5.7 million increase in selling, general and administrative expenses in the 2018 quarter compared to the 2017 quarter resulted primarily from an increase in personnel related expenses of \$4.5 million and an increase in amortization expense of \$1.2 million related to the SC acquisition. As a percentage of net sales, total selling, general and administrative expenses increased marginally by 0.8% in the 2018 quarter compared to the 2017 quarter.

Provision for Income Taxes

	T	ree Months E	nded Ma	rch 31,		
		2018		2017	\$ Change	% Change
		(dollars in thousands)				
Provision for income taxes	\$	10,415	\$	13,747	\$ (3,332)	(24.2)%
Effective tax rate		21.90%		33.0%		

The effective tax rate for the 2018 quarter decreased by 11.1% compared to the effective tax rate for the 2017 quarter primarily due to the effects of tax legislation H.R.1, "An Act to Provide for Reconciliation Pursuant to Titles II and V of the Concurrent Resolution on the Budget for Fiscal Year 2018," known as the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act, which lowered the Federal statutory rate to 21%. The effective tax rate for the 2018 quarter reflects the new Federal statutory tax rate of 21.0%.

Net Income and Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization (EBITDA)¹ (in thousands)

Reconciliation of net income (GAAP) to EBITDA (non-GAAP):

	Three Months Ended March 31,				
	2018	2018	2018	2017	
	Residential	Commercial	Total	Total	
Net income (loss)	\$ 37,580	\$ (470)	\$37,110	\$27,949	
Interest	229		229	204	
Income taxes	10,572	(157)	10,415	13,747	
Depreciation and amortization	3,453	1,280	4,733	3,732	
EBITDA	\$ 51,834	\$ 653	\$52,487	\$45,632	

	Т	hree Months I	Ended N	larch 31,		
		2018		2017	\$ Change	% Change
			(d	lollars in thou	isands)	
Total EBITDA	\$	52,487	\$	45,632	\$ 6,855	15.0%
Residential EBITDA	\$	51,834	\$	45,632	\$ 6,202	13.6%
Commercial EBITDA	\$	653	\$		\$ 653	N/A

The Company uses EBITDA to assess performance as it believes EBITDA facilitates performance comparison between its reportable segments by eliminating interest, income taxes, and depreciation and amortization charges to income. Total EBITDA increased 15.0% to \$52.5 million for the 2018 quarter compared to \$45.6 million for the 2017 quarter. The improvement was driven by a \$6.2 million increase in Residential EBITDA resulting primarily from higher net sales and the resulting gross profit.

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

We finance operations and growth primarily with cash flows from operations, borrowings under our revolving credit facility, operating leases and normal trade credit terms from operating activities. At March 31, 2018, we had \$2.7 million of cash and cash equivalents.

Sources and Uses of Cash. The following table summarizes our cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities (in thousands):

	т	Three Months Ended March 31,		
		2018		2017
Net cash used in operating activities	\$	(98,108)	\$	(86,444)
Net cash used in investing activities	\$	(5,411)	\$	(4,312)
Net cash provided by financing activities	\$	75,704	\$	73,859
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	\$	(27,815)	\$	(16,897)

Operating Activities

Net cash used in operating activities was \$98.1 million in the 2018 quarter compared to net cash used in operating activities of \$86.4 million in the 2017 quarter. The \$11.7 million net increase was primarily due to an increase in accounts receivable, inventory, and accrued expenses, related to increased net sales volume growth, offset by an increase in accounts payable and net income.

EBITDA represents net income before interest, income taxes, depreciation and amortization. EBITDA is not a measurement of financial performance under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (GAAP). We have included data with respect to EBITDA because management evaluates the performance of its reportable segments using several measures, including EBITDA. Management considers EBITDA to be an important supplemental indicator of our core operating performance because it eliminates interest, taxes, and depreciation and amortization charges to net income or loss. For these reasons, management believes that EBITDA provides important information regarding the operating performance of the Company's reportable segments.

Investing Activities

Capital expenditures in the 2018 quarter were \$5.4 million, consisting primarily of \$4.0 million for general plant cost reduction initiatives. Capital expenditures in the 2017 quarter were \$4.3 million primarily consisting of \$2.6 million for general plant cost reduction initiatives and expenditures related to equipment and new product development.

Financing Activities

Net cash provided by financing activities was \$75.7 million in the 2018 quarter compared to net cash provided by financing activities of \$73.9 million in the 2017 quarter. The \$1.8 million increase was primarily due to increased outstanding borrowings at quarter end offset by repurchases of our outstanding common stock under the February 2018 Stock Repurchase Program.

Amendment of Restated Certificate of Incorporation

The Company's Board of Directors unanimously approved an amendment to the Company's Restated Certificate of Incorporation (Amendment) on February 14, 2018, subject to stockholder approval. At the annual meeting of stockholders of the Company held on May 2, 2018, the Company's stockholders approved the Amendment, effective as of May 2, 2018. The Amendment increases the number of shares of common stock, par value \$.01 per share, that the Company is authorized to issue from 80,000,000 shares to 120,000,000 shares. The Amendment was filed with the Delaware Secretary of State on May 2, 2018.

Stock Split

Following the annual meeting of stockholders on May 2, 2018, the Board of Directors of the Company approved a two-for-one stock split of the Company's common stock, par value \$0.01. The stock split will be in the form of a stock dividend to be distributed on June 18, 2018, to stockholders of record at the close of business on May 23, 2018.

Stock Repurchase Programs.

On February 16, 2017, the Board of Directors authorized a common stock repurchase program of up to 2.961 million shares of the Company's outstanding common stock (February 2017 Stock Repurchase Program). The Company made no repurchases under the February 2017 Stock Repurchase Program. On February 16, 2018, the Board of Directors terminated the February 2017 Stock Repurchase Program and adopted a new stock repurchase program of up to 2.9 million shares of the Company's outstanding common stock (February 2018 Stock Repurchase Program). As of the date of this report, the Company has repurchased 50,022 shares of the Company's outstanding common stock under the February 2018 Stock Repurchase Program.

Indebtedness. Our Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, as amended, provides us with revolving loan capacity in a collective maximum principal amount of \$250 million from January 1 through June 30 of each year, and a maximum principal amount of \$200 million from July 1 through December 31 of each year throughout the term, which ends January 12, 2021. At March 31, 2018, we had \$84.5 million of outstanding indebtedness under the revolving credit facility and borrowing capacity under the facility of \$165.5 million.

Debt Covenants. To remain in compliance with covenants contained within our debt agreements, we must maintain specified financial ratios based on levels of debt, fixed charges, and earnings (excluding extraordinary gains and extraordinary non-cash losses) before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization. At March 31, 2018, we were in compliance with these covenants. Failure to comply with our loan covenants might cause our lenders to accelerate our repayment obligations under our credit facility, which may be declared payable immediately based on a default.

We believe that cash on hand, cash from operations and borrowings expected to be available under our revolving credit facility will provide sufficient funds to fund planned capital expenditures, make scheduled principal and interest payments, fund warranty payments, and meet other cash requirements. We currently expect to fund future capital expenditures from operations and financing activities. The actual amount and timing of future capital requirements may differ materially from our estimate depending on the demand for Trex products and new market developments and opportunities.

Capital Requirements. We currently estimate that our capital expenditures in 2018 will be \$20 to \$25 million. Our capital allocation priorities include expenditures for internal growth opportunities, manufacturing cost reductions, acquisitions which fit out long-term outdoor products growth strategy as we continue to evaluate opportunities that would be a good strategic fit for Trex, and return of capital to shareholders.

Inventory in Distribution Channels. We sell our decking and residential railing products through a tiered distribution system. We have over 50 distributors worldwide and two national retail merchandisers to which we sell our products. The distributors in turn sell the products to dealers and retail locations who in turn sell the products to end users. Significant increases in inventory levels in the distribution channel without a corresponding change in end-use demand could have an adverse effect on future sales. We cannot definitively determine the level of inventory in the distribution channels at any time. We are not aware of significant changes in the levels of inventory in the distribution channels at March 31, 2018 compared to inventory levels at March 31, 2017.

Product Warranty. We continue to receive and settle claims related to products manufactured at our Nevada facility prior to 2007 that exhibit surface flaking, which has had a material adverse effect on cash flow from operations, and regularly monitor the adequacy of the warranty reserve.

In the 2018 three-month period and the 2017 three-month period we paid \$1.0 million and \$1.1 million, respectively, to settle surface flaking claims. We estimate that the number of claims received will continue to decline over time and that the average settlement cost per claim will increase slightly, primarily due to inflation. If the level of claims received or average settlement cost per claim differs materially from our expectations, it could result in additional increases or decreases to the warranty reserve and a decrease or increase in earnings and cash flow in future periods.

Seasonality. The operating results for Trex Residential Products have historically varied from quarter to quarter. Seasonal, erratic or prolonged adverse weather conditions in certain geographic regions reduce the level of home improvement and construction activity and can shift demand for its products to a later period. As part of its normal business practice and consistent with industry practice, Trex Residential Products has historically offered incentive programs to its distributors and dealers to build inventory levels before the start of the prime deck-building season in order to ensure adequate availability of its product to meet anticipated seasonal consumer demand. The seasonal effects are often offset by the positive effect of the incentive programs. In addition, the operating results for Trex Commercial Products are driven by the timing of individual projects, which may vary each quarterly period.

CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND ESTIMATES

In addition to the critical accounting policies included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, critical accounting policies and estimates also include the following:

Revenue Recognition

Effective January 1, 2018, we adopted the requirements of Financial Accounting Standards Board Accounting Standards Update 2014-09, "Revenue from Contracts with Customers" (Topic 606). We determined the appropriate revenue recognition for our contracts with customers by analyzing the type, terms and conditions of our contracts with our customers. Topic 606 provides a single, comprehensive model for revenue recognition arising from contracts with customers obligation is a promise in a contract to transfer a distinct good or service to the customer and is the unit of account in Topic 606. A contract's transaction price is allocated to each distinct performance obligation and revenue is recognized when or as the Company satisfies the performance obligation. Revenue is recognized at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for transferring control of the goods or services to a customer. Adoption of Topic 606 did not have a material impact on the Company's financial condition or results of operations. The following provides additional information about our contracts with customers.

Trex Residential Products

Trex Residential Products principally generates revenue from the manufacture and sale of its high performance, low maintenance composite decking and railing products and accessories. Substantially all of its revenues are from contracts with customers, which are individual customer purchase orders of short-term duration of less than one year. Trex Residential Products satisfies its performance obligations at a point in time. The shipment of each product is a separate performance obligation as the customer is able to derive benefit from each product shipped and no performance obligation remains after shipment. Upon shipment of the product, the customer obtains control over the distinct product and Trex Residential satisfies its performance obligation. Any performance obligation that remains unsatisfied at the end of a reporting period is part of a contract that has an original expected duration of one year or less. Any variable consideration related to the unsatisfied performance obligation is allocated wholly to the unsatisfied performance obligation and recognized when the product ships and the performance obligation is satisfied.

Trex Commercial Products

Trex Commercial Products generates revenue from the manufacture and sale of its modular and architectural railing systems, staging, acoustical and seating systems. All of its revenues are from fixed-price contracts with customers. Trex Commercial Products contracts have a single performance obligation as the promise to transfer the individual goods or services is not separately identifiable from other promises in the contract and is, therefore, not distinct.

Trex Commercial Products satisfies its performance obligation over time as work progresses because control is transferred continuously to its customers. Revenue and estimated profit is recognized over time based on the proportion of costs incurred to date relative to total estimated costs at completion to measure progress toward satisfying the performance obligation. Incurred costs represent work performed, which corresponds with, and thereby best depicts, the transfer of control to the customer. Incurred costs include all direct material, labor, subcontract and certain indirect costs. The Company reviews and updates its estimates regularly and recognizes adjustments in estimated profit on contracts under the cumulative catch-up method. Under this method, the impact of the adjustment on revenue and estimated profit to date on a contract is recognized in the period the adjustment is identified. Revenues and profits in future periods are recognized using the adjusted estimate. If at any time the estimate of contract profitability indicates an anticipated loss on the contract, the Company recognizes the total loss in the period it is identified. During the three months ended March 31, 2018, no adjustment to any one contract was material to the Company's Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements and no impairment loss on any contract was recorded.

Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

For information regarding our exposure to certain market risks, see "Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures about Market Risk," in Part II, Item 7A of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017. There were no material changes to the Company's market risk exposure during the three months ended March 31, 2018.

Item 4. Controls and Procedures

The Company's management, with the participation of its President and Chief Executive Officer, who is the Company's principal executive officer, and its Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, who is the Company's principal financial officer, has evaluated the effectiveness of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures as of March 31, 2018. We have excluded Trex Commercial Products, Inc., our wholly-owned subsidiary which is included in our condensed consolidated financial statements, from our assessment of internal control over financial reporting as of March 31, 2018, because it was formed to acquire certain assets and assume certain liabilities of Staging Concepts Acquisition, LLC and Stadium Consolidation, LLC in a business combination on July 31, 2017. Based on this evaluation, the President and Chief Executive Officer and the Vice President and Chief Financial Officer have concluded that the Company's disclosure controls and procedures are effective. In addition, there have been no changes in the Company's internal control over financial reporting during the three-month period ended March 31, 2018, that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's internal control over financial reporting.

PART II OTHER INFORMATION

Item 1. Legal Proceedings

The Company has lawsuits, as well as other claims, pending against it which are ordinary routine litigation and claims incidental to the business. Management has evaluated the merits of these lawsuits and claims, and believes that their ultimate resolution will not have a material effect on the Company's consolidated financial condition, results of operations, liquidity or competitive position.

Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

(c) The following table provides information relating to the purchases of our common stock during the three months ended March 31, 2018 in accordance with Item 703 of Regulation S-K:

Period	(a) Total Number of Shares (or Units) Purchased (1)	(b) ge Price Paid nare (or Unit) (\$)	(c) Total Number of Shares (or Units) Purchased as Part of Publicly Announced Plans or Programs (2)	(d) Maximum number of Shares (or Units) that May Yet Be Purchased Under the Plan or Program
January 1, 2018 – January 31, 2018		 		
February 1, 2018 – February 28, 2018	40,609	\$ 111.13	7,003	2,892,997
March 1, 2018 – March 31, 2018	43,019	\$ 104.13	43,019	2,849,978
Quarter ended March 31, 2018	83,628		50,022	

(1) Includes shares withheld by, or delivered to, the Company pursuant to provisions in agreements with recipients of restricted stock granted under the Company's 2014 Stock Incentive Plan allowing the Company to withhold, or the recipient to deliver to the Company, the number of shares having the fair value equal to tax withholding due.

(2) On February 16, 2018, the Company's Board of Directors authorized a common stock repurchase program of up to 2.9 million shares of the Company's outstanding common stock (February 2018 Stock Repurchase Program). The February 2018 Stock Repurchase Program was publicly announced on February 21, 2018. All of the above purchases were made on the open market at prevailing market rates plus related expenses. During the three months ended March 31, 2018, the Company repurchased 50,022 shares under the February 2018 Stock Repurchase Program.

Item 5. Other Information

Retention Agreements

On May 2, 2018, the Company entered into Retention Agreements (Retention Agreements) with five (5) of the Company's executive officers (collectively, Recipients, or individually, Recipient) pursuant to which the Company will award restricted stock units (RSUs) and cash payment awards to the Recipients, with the RSUs vesting and the cash payment being made only if certain retention conditions are met. The Recipients named in the Retention Agreements are: William R. Gupp, the Company's Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary; Jay T. Scripter, the Company's Vice President, Operations; Bryan H. Fairbanks, the Company's Vice President and Chief Financial Officer; Christopher P. Gerhard, the Company's Vice President, Sales; and Adam D. Zambanini, the Company's Vice President, Marketing.

The Retention Agreements for the Recipients are identical in form and provide that in the event the Recipient is actively employed by the Company on the date specified below, the RSUs will vest and the cash payment will be made to such Recipient:

Recipient	Retention Date
William R. Gupp	May 2, 2023
Jay T. Scripter	May 2, 2022
Bryan H. Fairbanks	November 2, 2021
Christopher P. Gerhard	May 2, 2021
Adam D. Zambanini	November 2, 2022

The aggregate value of the RSUs and the cash payment for each of the Recipients is two (2) times their current base salary and target cash incentive, with 50% of such amount being reflected in RSUs and 50% of such amount being reflected in a cash payment. The current value and number (based upon the closing market price of the stock on May 2, 2018) of RSUs that will vest, and the cash payment that will be paid, if the retention conditions are met, are as follows:

	Current Value of RSUs/		
Recipient	Number of RSUs	Ca	sh Payment
William R. Gupp	\$574,090/5,466	\$	574,090
Jay T. Scripter	\$562,880/5,359	\$	562,880
Bryan H. Fairbanks	\$494,720/4,710	\$	494,720
Christopher P. Gerhard	\$436,800/4,159	\$	436,800
Adam D. Zambanini	\$436,800/4,159	\$	436,800

The RSUs will be granted pursuant to the Trex Company, Inc. 2014 Stock Incentive Plan.

The Retention Agreements will provide that the RSUs shall vest, and the cash payment will be made, in the event of the death or disability of the Recipient, if the Company terminates the Recipient's employment without "cause", or if the Recipient resigns for "good reason," prior to the Recipient achieving the applicable Retention Date. For this purpose, "cause" shall mean (i) Recipient's willful or grossly negligent misconduct, or subversive, disruptive or insubordinate behavior, that is materially injurious to the Company; (ii) Recipient's embezzlement or misappropriation of funds or property of the Company; (iii) Recipient's conviction of a felony or the entrance of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to a felony; (iv) Recipient's conviction of any crime involving fraud, dishonesty, moral turpitude or breach of trust or the entrance of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to such a crime; or (v) Recipient's willful failure or refusal by Recipient to devote his full business time (other than on account of disability or approved leave) and attention to the performance of his duties and responsibilities if such breach has not been cured within 15 days after written notice thereof is given to the Recipient by the Board, and "good reason" shall mean (i) a material and adverse change in Recipient's status or position(s) as an officer or management employee of the Company, including, without limitation, any adverse change in his status or position as an employee of the Company as a result of a material diminution in his duties or responsibilities (other than, if applicable, any such change directly attributable to the fact that the Company is no longer publicly owned) or the assignment to him of any duties or responsibilities which are materially inconsistent with such status or position(s) (other than any isolated and inadvertent failure by the Company that is cured promptly upon his giving notice), or any removal of Recipient from or any failure to reappoint or reelect him to such position(s) (except in connection with Recipient's termination other than for good reason); (ii) a 10% or greater reduction in Recipient's aggregate base salary and targeted bonus, other than any such reduction proportionately consistent with a general reduction of pay across the executive staff as a group, as an economic or strategic measure due to poor financial performance by the Company; (iii) the failure by the Company or any successor to continue in effect any material employee benefit plan (excluding any equity compensation plan) in which the Recipient is participating (or plans providing the Recipient with similar benefits that are not materially reduced in the aggregate) other than as a result of the normal expiration of any such plan in accordance with its terms; or the taking of any action, or the failure to act, by the Company or any successor which would adversely affect the Recipient's continued participation in any of such plans on at least as favorable a basis to him or which would materially reduce his benefits under any of such plans, or (iv) Company's requiring Recipient to be based at an office that is both more than 50 miles from where his office is located and further from his then current residence.

These Retention Agreements with the Recipients are designed to ensure continuity of the management team upon the eventual retirement of James E. Cline, the Company's current Chief Executive Officer. The Board of Directors has implemented this retention plan reflecting their confidence in the senior management team's ability to continue to provide outstanding results and encourage them to continue to focus on the current and future growth of the Company through the transition period.

The foregoing description of the Retention Agreements is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the form of Retention Agreement, which is filed as Exhibit 10.2 hereto.

Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

The Company held its Annual Meeting of Stockholders on May 2, 2018. Only holders of the Company's common stock at the close of business on March 5, 2018 (Record Date) were entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting. As of the Record Date, there were 29,424,763 shares of common stock entitled to vote. A total of 27,190,466 shares of common stock (92.41%), constituting a quorum, were represented in person or by valid proxies at the Annual Meeting.

The stockholders voted on four proposals at the Annual Meeting. The proposals are described in detail in the Company's definitive proxy statement dated March 22, 2018. The final results for the votes regarding each proposal are set forth below.

Proposal 1: The Company's stockholders elected two directors to the Board to serve for a three year term until the 2021 annual meeting of stockholders. The votes regarding this proposal were as follows:

	For	Withhold	Broker Non-Votes
James E. Cline	23,180,766	859,287	3,150,413
Patricia B. Robinson	23,036,010	1,004,043	3,150,413

Proposal 2: The Company's stockholders approved, on an advisory basis, the compensation of the Company's executive officers named in the Company's definitive proxy statement dated March 22, 2018. The votes regarding this proposal were as follows:

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
21,871,106	2,135,302	33,645	3,150,413

Proposal 3: The Company's stockholders approved the Second Certificate of Amendment to the Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Company to increase the number of authorized shares of common stock, \$0.01 par value per share, from 80,000,000 to 120,000,000. The votes regarding this proposal were as follows:

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
23,344,565	3,768,822	77,079	—

Proposal 4: The Company's stockholders ratified the selection of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2018. The votes regarding this proposal were as follows:

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
26,643,542	490,479	56,445	—

Amendment of Restated Certificate of Incorporation

The Company's Board of Directors unanimously approved an amendment to the Company's Restated Certificate of Incorporation (Amendment) on February 14, 2018, subject to stockholder approval. At the annual meeting of stockholders of the Company held on May 2, 2018, the Company's stockholders approved the Amendment, effective as of May 2, 2018. The Amendment increases the number of shares of common stock, par value \$.01 per share, that the Company is authorized to issue from 80,000,000 shares to 120,000,000 shares. The Amendment was filed with the Delaware Secretary of State on May 2, 2018.

The foregoing description of certain terms and conditions in the Amendment is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Company, which is filed as Exhibit 3.1 to this Form 10-Q, the First Amendment of the Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Company, which is filed as Exhibit 3.2, and the Second Amendment of the Restated Certificate of Incorporation, which is filed as Exhibit 3.3, all of which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.

Stock Split

Following the annual meeting of stockholders on May 2, 2018, the Board of Directors of the Company approved a two-for-one stock split of the Company's common stock, par value \$0.01. The stock split will be in the form of a stock dividend to be distributed on June 18, 2018 to stockholders of record at the close of business on May 23, 2018. The financial statements presented in this Form 10-Q appropriately do not reflect the effects of the stock split.



Item 6. Exhibits

The number and description of the following exhibits coincide with Item 601 of Regulation S-K:

2.1	Asset Purchase Agreement by and among Trex Commercial Products, Inc., Staging Concepts Acquisition, LLC, and Stadium Consolidation, LLC. Filed as Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed July 31, 2017 and incorporated herein by reference.
3.1	Restated Certificate of Incorporation of Trex Company, Inc. (Company). Filed as Exhibit 3.1 to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (No. 333-63287) and incorporated herein by reference.
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3.4	Amended and Restated By-Laws of the Company. Filed as Exhibit 3.2 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed May 7, 2008 and incorporated herein by reference.
10.1	Trex Company, Inc. Amended and Restated 2014 Stock Incentive Plan. Filed herewith. **
10.2	Form of Retention Agreement for Company Officers dated May 2, 2018. Filed herewith. **
31.1	Certification of Chief Executive Officer of Trex Company, Inc. pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Filed <u>herewith.</u>
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101.PRE	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document. Filed.

** Management contract or compensatory plan or arrangement.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

TREX COMPANY, INC.

Date: May 7, 2018

By: /s/ Bryan H. Fairbanks

Bryan H. Fairbanks Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Duly Authorized Officer and Principal Financial Officer)

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SECOND CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT TO THE RESTATED CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF TREX COMPANY, INC.

Trex Company, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Corporation"), does hereby certify:

FIRST: That Article IV of the Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

"The Corporation shall have the authority to issue a total of one hundred twenty three million (123,000,000) shares of capital stock, each with a par value of \$0.01, consisting of one hundred twenty million (120,000,000) shares of common stock and three million (3,000,000) shares of preferred stock."

SECOND: That said amendment was duly adopted in accordance with the provisions of Section 242 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

In witness whereof, the Corporation has caused this Certificate to be signed by its duly authorized officer, this 2nd day of May, 2018.

By: /s/ William R. Gupp Name: William R. Gupp Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

TREX COMPANY, INC. AMENDED AND RESTATED 2014 STOCK INCENTIVE PLAN

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TREX COMPANY, INC. AMENDED AND RESTATED 2014 STOCK INCENTIVE PLAN

Trex Company, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), sets forth herein the terms of the Trex Company, Inc. Amended and Restated 2014 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan"), which amends and restates the Trex Company, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan, as follows:

1. PURPOSE

The Plan is intended to enhance the Company's ability to attract and retain highly qualified officers, key employees, outside directors and other persons, and to motivate such officers, key employees, outside directors and other persons to serve the Company and its affiliates (as defined herein) and to expend maximum effort to improve the business results and earnings of the Company, by providing to such officers, key employees, outside directors and other persons an opportunity to acquire or increase a direct proprietary interest in the operations and future success of the Company. To this end, the Plan provides for the grant of stock options, restricted stock, restricted stock units, unrestricted stock and stock appreciation rights in accordance with the terms hereof. Stock options granted under the Plan may be non-qualified stock options or incentive stock options, as provided herein, except that stock options granted to outside directors and all Service Providers shall in all cases be non-qualified stock options. With respect to persons subject to Section 16 of the Exchange Act (as defined below), transactions under this Plan are intended to satisfy the requirements of Rule 16b-3 of the Act.

2. **DEFINITIONS**

For purposes of interpreting the Plan and related documents (including Award Agreements), the following definitions shall apply:

- 2.1 "Affiliate" of, or person "affiliated" with, a person means any company or other trade or business that controls, is controlled by or is under common control with such person within the meaning of Rule 405 of Regulation C under the Securities Act.
- 2.2 "Award Agreement" means the stock option agreement, restricted stock agreement, restricted stock unit agreement, stock appreciation right agreement or other written agreement between the Company and a Grantee that evidences and sets out the terms and conditions of a Grant.
- 2.3 "Board" means the Board of Directors of the Company.
- 2.4 "Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now in effect or as hereafter amended.
- 2.5 "Committee" means the Compensation Committee of the Board (or any successor Committee designated by the Board to administer the Plan), provided that, if any member of the Compensation Committee does not qualify as (i) an outside director for purposes of Code Section 162(m), (ii) a non-employee director for purposes of Rule 16b-3 under the Exchange Act, and (iii) an independent director for purposes of the rules of the exchange on which the Stock is traded, the remaining members of the Committee (but not less than two members) shall be constituted as a subcommittee to act as the Committee for purposes of the Plan.
- 2.6 "Company" means Trex Company, Inc., a Delaware corporation.
- 2.7 "Disability" means, as to an Incentive Stock Option, a Disability within the meaning of Code section 22(e)(3). As to all other incentive awards, Disability (or variations thereof) means, unless otherwise provided in the Award Agreement with respect to the Grant, a Disability within the meaning of Code Section 409A(a)(2)(C) and Section 1.409A-3(i)(4) of the applicable treasury regulations (or any successor provision). The Committee shall determine whether a Disability exists and the determination shall be conclusive.

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- 2.8 "Effective Date" means the date on which the Plan, as herein amended and restated and adopted by the Board on February 20, 2014, is approved by the Company's stockholders.
- 2.9 "Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as now in effect or as hereafter amended.
- 2.10 "Fair Market Value" means the closing price of a share of Stock reported on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") on the date Fair Market Value is being determined, provided that if there should be no closing price reported on such date, the Fair Market Value of a share of Stock on such date shall be deemed equal to the closing price as reported by the NYSE for the last preceding date on which sales of shares were reported. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that the shares of Stock are listed upon more than one established stock exchange, Fair Market Value means the closing price of a share of Stock reported on the exchange that trades the largest volume of shares on such date. If the Stock is not at the time listed or admitted to trading on a stock exchange, Fair Market Value means the mean between the lowest reported bid price and highest reported asked price of the Stock on the date in question in the over-the-counter market, as such prices are reported in a publication of general circulation selected by the Committee and regularly reporting the market price of Stock in such market. If the Stock is not listed to trading on any stock exchange or traded in the over-the-counter market, Fair Market Value shall be as determined in good faith by the Committee.
- 2.11 "Grant" means an award of an Option, Restricted Stock, Restricted Stock Unit, Unrestricted Stock, or Stock Appreciation Right under the Plan.
- 2.12 "Grant Date" means, as determined by the Committee, (i) the date as of which the Committee approves a Grant or (ii) such other date as may be specified by the Committee.
- 2.13 "Grantee" means a person who receives or holds an Option, Restricted Stock, Restricted Stock Unit, Stock Appreciation Right or Unrestricted Stock under the Plan.
- 2.14 "Immediate Family Members" means the spouse, children, grandchildren, parents and siblings of the Grantee.
- 2.15 "Incentive Stock Option" means an "incentive stock option" within the meaning of Section 422 of the Code.
- $2.16 \quad ``Option'' means an option to purchase one or more shares of Stock pursuant to the Plan.$
- $2.17 \quad \text{``Option Price'' means the purchase price for each share of Stock subject to an Option.}$
- 2.18 "Outside Director" means a member of the Board who is not an officer or employee of the Company or any Subsidiary.
- 2.19 "Plan" means this Trex Company, Inc. 2014 Stock Incentive Plan, which amends and restates the Trex Company, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan, as may be further amended from time to time.
- 2.20 "Reporting Person" means a person who is required to file reports under Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act.
- 2.21 "Restricted Period" means the period during which Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units are subject to restrictions or conditions pursuant to Section 11.2 hereof.
- 2.22 "Restricted Stock" means shares of Stock, awarded to a Grantee pursuant to Section 11 hereof, that are subject to restrictions and to a risk of forfeiture.
- 2.23 "Restricted Stock Unit" means a unit awarded to a Grantee pursuant to Section 11 hereof, which represents a conditional right to receive a share of Stock in the future, and which is subject to restrictions and to a risk of forfeiture.



- 2.24 "Retirement" means termination of employment with the Company and its Subsidiaries on or after age 65.
- 2.25 "Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as now in effect or as hereafter amended.
- 2.26 "Service Provider" means a consultant or adviser to the Company, a manager of the Company's properties or affairs, or other similar service provider or Affiliate of the Company, and employees of any of the foregoing, as such persons may be designated from time to time by the Committee pursuant to Section 6 hereof.
- 2.27 "Stock" means the common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Company.
- 2.28 "Stock Appreciation Right" or "SAR" means a right granted to a Grantee pursuant to Section 9 hereof.
- 2.29 "Subsidiary" means any "subsidiary corporation" of the Company within the meaning of Section 424(f) of the Code.
- 2.30 "Unrestricted Stock" means an award of Stock granted to a Grantee pursuant to Section 12 hereof.

3. ADMINISTRATION OF THE PLAN

3.1 Committee

The Committee shall have such powers and authorities related to the administration of the Plan as are consistent with the Company's certificate of incorporation, bylaws and applicable law. The Committee shall have full power and authority to take all actions and to make all determinations required or provided for under the Plan, any Grant or any Award Agreement, and shall have full power and authority to take all such other actions and make all such other determinations not inconsistent with the specific terms and provisions of the Plan that the Committee deems to be necessary or appropriate to the administration of the Plan, any Grant or any Award Agreement. All such actions and determinations shall be by the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the Committee present at a meeting or by unanimous consent of the Committee executed in writing in accordance with the Company's certificate of incorporation, bylaws and applicable law. The interpretation and construction by the Committee of any provision of the Plan, any Grant or any Award Agreement shall be inal and conclusive. As permitted by law, the Committee may delegate its authority under the Plan to a member of the Committee or an executive officer of the Company; provided, however, that, unless otherwise provided by resolution of the Committee, only the Committee may make a Grant to an executive officer of the Company and establish the number of shares of Stock that may be subject to Grants with respect to any fiscal period. In the absence of Committee action, the Board is authorized to take any action permitted to be taken by the Committee hereunder.

3.2 Grants.

Subject to the other terms and conditions of the Plan, the Committee shall have full and final authority (i) to designate Grantees, (ii) to determine the types of Grants to be made to a Grantee, (iii) to determine the number of shares of Stock to be subject to a Grant, (iv) to establish the terms and conditions of each Grant, including, but not limited to, the Option Price of any Option, the nature and duration of any restriction or condition (or provision for lapse thereof, including lapse relating to a change in control of the Company) relating to the vesting, exercise, transfer or forfeiture of a Grant or the shares of Stock subject thereto, and any terms or conditions that may be necessary to qualify Options as Incentive Stock Options, (v) to prescribe the form of each Award Agreement evidencing a Grant, and (vi) to make Grants alone, in addition to, or in tandem with, any other Grant or any other award granted under another plan of the Company or a Subsidiary. Such authority specifically includes the authority, in order to effectuate the purposes of the Plan but without amending the Plan, to modify Grants to eligible individuals who are foreign nationals or are individuals who are employed outside the United States to recognize differences in local law, tax policy or custom. As a condition to any subsequent Grant, the Committee shall have the right, at its discretion, to require Grantees to return to the Company any Grants previously awarded under the Plan. Subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan, any such subsequent Grant shall be upon such terms and conditions as are specified by the Committee at the time the subsequent Grant is made.



The Company may retain the right in an Award Agreement to cause a forfeiture of the gain realized by a Grantee on account of actions taken by the Grantee in violation or breach of or in conflict with any non-competition agreement, any agreement prohibiting solicitation of employees or clients of the Company or any affiliate thereof or any confidentiality obligation with respect to the Company or any affiliate thereof or otherwise in competition with the Company, to the extent specified in such Award Agreement applicable to the Grantee. Furthermore, the Company may annul a Grant if the Grantee is an employee of the Company or an affiliate thereof and is terminated "for cause" as defined in the applicable Award Agreement. The Committee may permit or require the deferral of any award payment, subject to such rules and procedures as it may establish, which may include provisions for the payment or crediting of interest or dividend equivalents, including converting such credits into deferred Stock equivalents.

Except as provided in Section 16 hereof, the terms of outstanding Grants may not be amended to reduce the exercise price of outstanding Options or SARs, and outstanding Options or SARs may not be cancelled, exchanged, repurchased or surrendered in exchange for cash, other Grants, or Options or SARs with an exercise price that is less than the exercise price of the original Options or SARs, without stockholder approval.

3.3 No Liability.

No member of the Board or of the Committee shall be liable for any action or determination made in good faith with respect to the Plan or any Grant or Award Agreement.

3.4 Applicability of Rule 16b-3.

Those provisions of the Plan that make express reference to Rule 16b-3 under the Exchange Act shall apply only to Reporting Persons.

3.5 Termination of Employment or Other Relationship.

(i) Whether a termination of a Grantee's employment or other relationship with the Company and its Subsidiaries shall have occurred and whether such termination is by reason of Disability shall be determined by the Committee, whose determination shall be final and conclusive.

(ii) Whether a leave of absence or leave on military or government service shall constitute a termination of employment or other relationship for purposes of the Plan shall be determined by the Committee, whose determination shall be final and conclusive.

(iii) For purposes of the Plan, a termination of employment or other relationship shall not be deemed to occur if the Grantee is immediately thereafter employed with the Company, a Subsidiary or a Service Provider, or is engaged as a Service Provider or an Outside Director.

4. STOCK SUBJECT TO THE PLAN

4.1 Aggregate Limitation.

(i) Effective as of a two-for-one stock split of the Stock of the Company (in the form of a stock dividend) on June 18, 2018, and subject to adjustment as provided in Section 16 hereof, the aggregate number of shares of Stock available for issuance under the Plan pursuant to Options or other Grants shall be twelve million eight hundred and forty thousand (12,840,000) Shares. Shares may be authorized but unissued shares, treasury shares or issued and outstanding shares that are purchased in the open market.

(ii) Any shares of Stock granted under the Plan which are forfeited to the Company because of the failure to meet an award contingency or condition shall again be available for issuance pursuant to new awards granted under the Plan. Any shares of Stock covered by an award (or portion of an award) granted under the Plan which are forfeited or canceled, expire or are settled in cash, or are withheld by the Company to cover withholding taxes (as provided in Section 19), shall be deemed not to have been issued for purposes of determining the maximum number of shares of Stock available for issuance under the Plan.

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(iii) If any Option is exercised by tendering shares of Stock, by withholding shares of Stock subject to the Option being exercised, by tendering or withholding shares of Stock, either actually or by attestation, to the Company as full or partial payment in connection with the exercise of an Option or a stock option under any prior plan of the Company as hereinabove described, only the number of shares of Stock issued net of the shares of Stock tendered or withheld shall be deemed issued for purposes of determining the maximum number of shares of Stock available for issuance under the Plan. In the case of a SAR, only the actual number of shares of Stock issued upon exercise of the SAR shall be deemed issued for purposes of determining the maximum number of shares of Stock available for issuance under the Plan. Shares of Stock issued under the Plan through the settlement, assumption or substitution of outstanding awards or obligations to grant future awards resulting from the acquisition of another entity shall not reduce the maximum number of shares available for issuance under the Plan.

(iv) The number of shares of Stock reserved under this Section 4 shall be increased by the number of any shares of Stock that are repurchased by the Company with Option Proceeds (as defined herein) in respect of the exercise of an Option; provided, however, that the number of shares of Stock contributed to the number of shares of Stock reserved under this Section 4 in respect of the use of Option Proceeds for repurchase shall not be greater than the number obtained by dividing the amount of such Option Proceeds by the Fair Market Value on the date of exercise of the applicable Option. "Option Proceeds" means, with respect to an Option, the sum of (x) the Option Price paid in cash, if any, to purchase shares of Stock under such Option, plus (y) the value of all federal, state and local tax deductions to which the Company is entitled with respect to the exercise of such Option, determined using the highest Federal tax rate applicable to corporations and a blended tax rate for state and local taxes based on the jurisdictions in which the Company does business and giving effect to the deduction of state and local taxes for Federal tax purposes.

(v) The number of shares of Stock available for grant as incentive stock options shall not exceed twelve million eight hundred and forty thousand (12,840,000), subject to adjustment as provided in Section 16 hereof, and shall not be increased by reason of the application of subsection (iii) or (iv) of this Section 4.1.

4.2 Application of Aggregate Limitation.

The Committee may adopt reasonable counting procedures to ensure appropriate counting, avoid double counting (as, for example, in the case of tandem or substitute awards) and make adjustments if the number of shares of Stock actually delivered differs from the number of shares of Stock previously counted in connection with a Grant.

4.3 Per-Grantee Limitation.

During any time when the Company has a class of equity security registered under Section 12 of the Exchange Act:

(i) no person eligible for a Grant under Section 6 hereof may be awarded Options and SARs under the Plan exercisable for greater than six hundred thousand (600,000) shares of Stock in any single calendar year, except that in the case of a newly hired employee, such limit shall be one million two hundred thousand (1,200,000) shares of Stock (in each case, subject to adjustment as provided in Section 16 hereof); and

(ii) the maximum number of shares of Restricted Stock or Unrestricted Stock that are earned based on achievement of performance objectives that may be awarded under the Plan (including for this purpose any shares of Stock represented by Restricted Stock Units) to any person eligible for a Grant under Section 11 hereof is three hundred thousand (300,000) shares of Stock in any single calendar year, except that in the case of a newly hired employee, such limit shall be six hundred thousand (600,000) shares of Stock (in each case, subject to adjustment as provided in Section 16 hereof).

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5. EFFECTIVE DATE AND TERM OF THE PLAN

5.1 Effective Date.

The Plan as herein amended and restated was approved by the Board on February 19, 2014 and shall be effective as of the date the Plan is approved by the Company's stockholders (the "Effective Date"). Until such Effective Date, the terms of the Plan prior to its amendment and restatement herein (known as the "Trex Company, Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan") shall remain in effect. The approval of the Plan as herein amended and restated by the Board and stockholders shall have no effect on Grants made under the Plan prior to the Effective Date.

5.2 Term.

The Plan shall expire on the tenth anniversary of the Effective Date.

6. PERMISSIBLE GRANTEES

6.1 Employees and Service Providers.

Subject to the provisions of Section 6.3 hereof, Grants may be made under the Plan to any employee of the Company or any Subsidiary, including any such employee who is an officer or director of the Company, to an Outside Director, to a Service Provider or employee of a Service Provider providing, or who has provided, services to the Company or any Subsidiary, and to any other individual whose participation in the Plan is determined by the Committee to be in the best interests of the Company, as the Committee shall determine and designate from time to time.

6.2 Multiple Grants.

An eligible person may receive more than one Grant, subject to such restrictions as are provided herein.

6.3 Limitations on Grants of Incentive Stock Options.

An Option shall constitute an Incentive Stock Option only (i) if the Grantee of such Option is an employee of the Company or any Subsidiary of the Company; (ii) to the extent specifically provided in the related Award Agreement; and (iii) to the extent that the aggregate Fair Market Value (determined at the time the Option is granted) of the shares of Stock with respect to which all Incentive Stock Options held by such Grantee become exercisable for the first time during any calendar year (under the Plan and all other plans of the Grantee's employer and its affiliates) does not exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000). This limitation shall be applied by taking Options into account in the order in which they were granted.

7. AWARD AGREEMENT

Each Grant pursuant to the Plan shall be evidenced by an Award Agreement, in such form or forms as the Committee shall from time to time determine. Award Agreements issued from time to time or at the same time need not contain similar provisions but shall be consistent with the terms of the Plan. Each Award Agreement evidencing a Grant of Options shall specify whether such Options are intended to be non-qualified stock options or Incentive Stock Options, and in the absence of such specification such options shall be deemed non-qualified stock options.

8. OPTIONS

8.1 Option Price.

The Option Price of each Option shall be no less than the Fair Market Value of a share of Stock on the date of grant and stated in the Award Agreement evidencing such Option; provided, however, that in the event that a Grantee would otherwise be ineligible to receive an Incentive Stock Option by reason of the provisions of Sections 422(b)(6) and 424(d) of the Code (relating to ownership of more than ten percent (10%) of the Company's outstanding shares of Stock), the Option Price of an Option granted to such Grantee that is intended to be an Incentive Stock Option shall be not less than one hundred ten percent (110%) of the Fair Market Value of a share of Stock on the Grant Date. In no case shall the Option Price of any Option be less than the par value of a share of Stock.

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8.2 Vesting.

Subject to Sections 8.3 and 16 hereof, each Option granted under the Plan shall become exercisable at such times and under such conditions as shall be determined by the Committee and stated in the Award Agreement, provided, however, that subject to earlier vesting as otherwise provided herein or except as otherwise specifically provided by the Committee in an Award Agreement, vesting shall occur over a minimum of a three (3) year period. For purposes of this Section 8.2, fractional numbers of shares of Stock subject to an Option shall be rounded down to the next nearest whole number.

8.3 Option Term.

Each Option granted under the Plan shall terminate, and all rights to purchase shares of Stock thereunder shall cease, upon the expiration of ten (10) years (eleven (11) years if the Grantee shall terminate employment or other service due to death in the tenth year of the Option term) from the date such Option is granted, or under such circumstances and on such date prior thereto as is set forth in the Plan or as may be fixed by the Committee and thereafter stated in the Award Agreement relating to such Option; provided, however, that in the event that the Grantee would otherwise be ineligible to receive an Incentive Stock Option by reason of the provisions of Sections 422(b)(6) and 424(d) of the Code (relating to ownership of more than ten percent (10%) of the outstanding shares of Stock), an Option granted to such Grantee that is intended to be an Incentive Stock Option shall not be exercisable after the expiration of five (5) years from its date of grant.

8.4 Termination of Employment or Other Relationship for a Reason Other than Retirement, Death or Disability.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, upon the termination of a Grantee's employment or other relationship with the Company and its Subsidiaries other than by reason of death, Disability or Retirement, any Option or portion thereof held by such Grantee that has not vested in accordance with the provisions of Section 8.2 hereof shall terminate immediately, and any Option or portion thereof that has vested in accordance with the provisions of Section 8.2 hereof but has not been exercised shall terminate at the close of business on the 90th day following the Grantee's termination of employment or other relationship (or, if such 90th day is a Saturday, Sunday or holiday, at the close of business on the next preceding day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or holiday). Upon termination of an Option or portion thereof, the Grantee shall have no further right to purchase shares of Stock pursuant to such Option or portion thereof.

8.5 Rights in the Event of Death.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, if a Grantee dies while employed by or providing services to the Company or its Subsidiaries, all Options granted to such Grantee that have not previously terminated shall fully vest on the date of death, and the executors or administrators or legatees or distributees of such Grantee's estate shall have the right, at any time within five (5) years after the date of such Grantee's death and prior to termination of the Option pursuant to Section 8.3 hereof, to exercise any Option held by such Grantee at the date of such Grantee's death.

8.6 Rights in the Event of Disability.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, if a Grantee's employment or other relationship with the Company or its Subsidiaries is terminated by reason of the Disability of such Grantee, such Grantee's Options that have not previously terminated shall fully vest, and shall be exercisable for a period of five (5) years after such termination of employment or other relationship, subject to earlier termination of the Option as provided in Section 8.3 hereof.

8.7 Rights in the Event of Retirement.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, if a Grantee's employment or other relationship with the Company is terminated by reason of the Grantee's Retirement, all Options granted to such Grantee that have not previously terminated shall fully vest on the date of Retirement, and the Grantee shall have the right, at any time within five (5) years after the date of such Grantee's Retirement and prior to termination of the Option pursuant to Section 8.3 hereof, to exercise any Option held by such Grantee at the date of such Grantee's Retirement.

8.8 Limitations on Exercise of Option.

Notwithstanding any other provision of the Plan, in no event may any Option be exercised, in whole or in part, prior to the date the Plan is approved by the stockholders of the Company as provided herein, or after ten (10) years following the date upon which the Option is granted (except as provided in Section 8.3 hereof in the case of death of the Grantee), or after the occurrence of an event referred to in Section 16 hereof which results in termination of the Option.

8.9 Method of Exercise.

An Option that is exercisable may be exercised by the Grantee's delivery to the Company of written notice of exercise on any business day, at the Company's principal office, addressed to the attention of the Committee. Such notice shall specify the number of shares of Stock with respect to which the Option is being exercised and shall be accompanied by payment in full of the Option Price of the shares of Stock for which the Option is being exercised. The minimum number of shares of Stock with respect to which an Option may be exercised, in whole or in part, at any time shall be the lesser of (i) one hundred (100) shares or such lesser number set forth in the applicable Award Agreement and (ii) the maximum number of shares of Stock available for purchase under the Option at the time of exercise. Payment of the Option Price for the shares of Stock purchased pursuant to the exercise of an Option shall be made (i) in cash or in cash equivalents acceptable to the Company; (ii) to the extent permitted by law and at the Committee's discretion, through the actual or constructive tender to the Company of shares of Stock, which shares of Stock, if acquired from the Commany, shall have been held for at least six months prior to such tender if necessary to avoid negative accounting treatment (or such shorter period as the Committee may approve) and which shall be valued, for purposes of determining the extent to which the Option Price has been paid thereby, at their Fair Market Value on the date of exercise; or (iii) to the extent permitted by law and at the Committee's discretion, by a combination of the methods described in clauses (i) and (ii) or any other method permitted by law that is approved by the Committee's discretion, by a combination of the methods described in clauses (i) and (ii) or any other method permitted by law that is approved by the Committee. An attempt to exercise any Option granted hereunder other than as set forth above shall be invalid and of no force and effect.

8.10 Rights as a Stockholder; Dividend Equivalents.

Unless otherwise stated in the applicable Award Agreement, an individual holding or exercising an Option shall have none of the rights of a stockholder (for example, the right to receive cash or dividend payments or distributions attributable to the subject shares of Stock or to direct the voting of the subject shares of Stock) until the shares of Stock covered thereby are fully paid and issued to such individual. Except as provided in Section 16 hereof, no adjustment shall be made for dividends, distributions or other rights for which the record date is prior to the date of such issuance. However, the Committee may, on such conditions as it deems appropriate, provide that a Grantee will receive a benefit in lieu of cash dividends that would have been payable on any or all shares of Stock subject to the Grant if such shares of Stock had been outstanding. Without limitation, the Committee may provide for payment to the Grantee of amounts representing such dividends, either currently or in the future, or for the investment of such amounts on behalf of the Grantee.

8.11 Delivery of Stock Certificates.

Promptly after the exercise of an Option by a Grantee and the payment in full of the Option Price, such Grantee shall be entitled to the issuance of a Stock certificate or certificates evidencing such Grantee's ownership of the shares of Stock subject to the Option. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Plan to the contrary, the Company may elect to satisfy any requirement under this Plan for the delivery of stock certificates through the use of book-entry.

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9. STOCK APPRECIATION RIGHTS

9.1 SAR Price.

A SAR shall confer on the Grantee a right to receive, upon exercise thereof, the excess of (x) the Fair Market Value of one share of Stock on the date of exercise over (y) the grant price of the SAR, as determined by the Committee. The grant price of a SAR shall not be less than the Fair Market Value of a share of Stock on the Grant Date.

9.2 Vesting, and Terms and Conditions Governing SARs.

Subject to Sections 8.3 and 16 hereof, the Committee shall determine the time or times at which and the circumstances under which a SAR may be exercised in whole or in part (including exercise based on achievement of performance objectives or future service requirements), the time or times at which and the circumstances under which a SAR shall cease to be exercisable, the method of exercise, the method of settlement, the form of consideration payable in settlement, whether or not a SAR shall be in tandem or in combination with any other Grant, and any other terms and conditions of any SAR provided, however, that subject to earlier vesting as otherwise provided herein, or except as otherwise specifically provided by the Committee in an Award Agreement, vesting shall occur over a minimum of a three (3) year period.

9.3 SAR Term

Each SAR granted under the Plan shall terminate upon the expiration of ten (10) years (eleven (11) years if the Grantee shall terminate employment or other service due to death in the tenth (10^{th}) year of the SAR term) from the date such SAR is granted, or under such circumstances and on such date prior thereto as is set forth in the Plan or as may be fixed by the Committee and thereafter stated in the Award Agreement relating to such SAR.

9.4 Termination of Employment or Other Relationship for a Reason Other than Retirement, Death or Disability.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, upon the termination of a Grantee's employment or other relationship with the Company and its Subsidiaries other than by reason of death, Disability or Retirement, any SAR or portion thereof held by such Grantee that has not vested shall terminate immediately, and any SAR or portion thereof that has vested but has not been exercised shall terminate at the close of business on the 90th day following the Grantee's termination of employment or other relationship (or, if such 90th day is a Saturday, Sunday or holiday, at the close of business on the next preceding day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or holiday).

9.5 Rights in the Event of Death.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, if a Grantee dies while employed by or providing services to the Company or its Subsidiaries, all SARs granted to such Grantee that have not previously terminated shall fully vest on the date of death, and the executors or administrators or legatees or distributees of such Grantee's estate shall have the right, at any time within five (5) years after the date of such Grantee's death and prior to termination of the SAR pursuant to Section 9.2 hereof, to exercise any SAR held by such Grantee at the date of such Grantee's death.

9.6 Rights in the Event of Disability.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, if a Grantee's employment or other relationship with the Company is terminated by reason of the Disability of such Grantee, such Grantee's SARs that have not previously terminated shall fully vest, and shall be exercisable for a period of five (5) years after such termination of employment or other relationship, subject to earlier termination of the SAR as provided in Section 9.2 hereof.

9.7 Rights in the Event of Retirement.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, if a Grantee's employment or other relationship with the Company or its Subsidiaries is terminated by reason of the Grantee's Retirement, all SARs granted to such Grantee that have not previously terminated shall fully vest on the date of Retirement, and the Grantee shall have the right, at any time within five (5) years after the date of such Grantee's Retirement and prior to termination of the SAR pursuant to Section 9.2 hereof, to exercise any SAR held by such Grantee at the date of such Grantee's Retirement.

9.8 Limitations on Exercise of SAR.

Notwithstanding any other provision of the Plan, in no event may any SAR be exercised, in whole or in part, prior to the date the Plan is approved by the stockholders of the Company as provided herein, or after ten (10) years following the date upon which the SAR is granted (except as provided in Section 9.3 hereof in the case of death of the Grantee), or after the occurrence of an event referred to in Section 16 hereof which results in termination of the SAR.

10. TRANSFERABILITY OF OPTIONS AND SARS

10.1 General Rule

Except as provided in Section 10.2 hereof, during the lifetime of a Grantee, only the Grantee (or, in the event of legal incapacity or incompetency, the Grantee's guardian or legal representative) may exercise a SAR or Option. Except as provided in Section 10.2 hereof, no Option or SAR shall be assignable or transferable by the Grantee to whom it is granted, other than by will or the laws of descent and distribution.

10.2 Family Transfers.

To the extent permitted by the Committee and under such rules and conditions as may be imposed by the Committee, a Grantee may transfer all or part of an Option that is not an Incentive Stock Option or a SAR to (i) any Immediate Family Member, (ii) a trust or trusts for the exclusive benefit of any Immediate Family Member or (iii) a partnership or limited liability company in which Immediate Family Members are the only partners or members, provided that (x) there may be no consideration for any such transfer, and (y) subsequent transfers of transferred Options or SARs or transfers of an interest in a trust, partnership, or limited liability company to which an Option or SAR has been transferred are prohibited except those in accordance with this Section 10.2 or by will or the laws of descent and distribution. Following such transfer, any such Option or SAR shall continue to be subject to the same terms and conditions as were applicable immediately prior to the transfer, provided that, for purposes of this Section 10.2, the term "Grantee" shall be deemed to refer to the transferee. The events of termination of employment or other relationship referred to in Sections 8.4 through 8.7 and Sections 9.4 through 9.7 hereof, or any agreement between the Grantee and the Company, shall continue to be applied with respect to the original Grantee, following which the Option or SAR shall be exercisable by the transferee only to the extent and for the periods specified in Section 8.4, 8.5, 8.6 or 8.7 hereof in the case of Options and Section 9.4, 9.5, 9.6 or 9.7 hereof in the case of SARs.

11. RESTRICTED STOCK

11.1 Grant of Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units.

The Committee from time to time may grant Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units to persons eligible to receive Grants under Section 6 hereof, subject to such restrictions, conditions and other terms as the Committee may determine.

11.2 Restrictions.

At the time a Grant of Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units is made, the Committee shall establish a period of time (the "Restricted Period") applicable to such Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units. Unless the Grant is being made in consideration of compensation due under another plan, or unless vesting is subject to performance, or subject to earlier vesting as otherwise provided herein, or except as otherwise specifically provided by the Committee in an Award Agreement, the Restricted Period will be a minimum of three (3) years (subject to the accelerated vesting provisions of Section 16 hereof). Each Grant of Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units may be subject to a different Restricted Period. At the time a Grant of Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units is made, the Committee may, in its sole discretion, prescribe restrictions in addition to or other than the expiration of the Restricted Period, including the satisfaction of corporate or individual performance objectives, which may be applicable to all or any portion of the Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units. Such performance objectives shall be established in writing by the Committee by not later than the 90th day of the period of service to which such performance objectives relate and while the outcome is substantially uncertain. Performance objectives may be stated either on an absolute or relative basis and may be based on any of the following criteria: revenue, growth in revenue (in general, by type of product and/or by type of customer), gross margin, gross profit, operating margin, operating earnings, net income, earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization ("EBITDA"), earnings before interest and taxes ("EBIT"), earnings per share ("EPS"), earnings growth, cash flow, growth in assets, return on assets, return on equity, return on capital, retained earnings, total shareholder return ("TSR"), economic value added ("EVA"), market share, stock price, completion of acquisitions, completion of divestitures and asset sales, cost or expense reductions, introduction or conversion of product brands, achievement of specified management information systems objectives, and any combination of the foregoing performance objectives (e.g., cash flow return on capital), provided that the performance period may be no less than one (1) year. Performance objectives may include positive results, maintaining the status quo or limiting economic losses. Neither Restricted Stock nor Restricted Stock Units may be sold, transferred, assigned, pledged or otherwise encumbered or disposed of during the Restricted Period or prior to the satisfaction of any other restrictions prescribed by the Committee with respect to such Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units.

11.3 Restricted Stock Certificates.

The Company shall issue, in the name of each Grantee to whom Restricted Stock has been granted, Stock certificates representing the total number of shares of Restricted Stock granted to the Grantee, as soon as reasonably practicable after the Grant Date. The Committee may provide in an Award Agreement that either (i) the Secretary of the Company shall hold such certificates for the Grantee's benefit until such time as the Restricted Stock is forfeited to the Company or the restrictions lapse, or (ii) such certificates shall be delivered to the Grantee, provided, however, that such certificates shall bear a legend or legends complying with the applicable securities laws and regulations and making appropriate reference to the restrictions imposed under the Plan and the Award Agreement.

11.4 Rights of Holders of Restricted Stock.

Unless the Committee otherwise provides in an Award Agreement, holders of Restricted Stock shall have the right to vote such shares of Stock and the right to receive any dividends declared or paid with respect to such shares of Stock. The Committee may provide that any dividends paid on Restricted Stock must be reinvested in shares of Stock, which may or may not be subject to the same vesting conditions and restrictions applicable to such Restricted Stock. All distributions, if any, received by a Grantee with respect to Restricted Stock as a result of any stock split, stock dividend, combination of shares or other similar transaction shall be subject to the restrictions applicable to the original Grant.

11.5 Rights of Holders of Restricted Stock Units.

Unless the Committee otherwise provides in an Award Agreement, holders of Restricted Stock Units shall have no rights as stockholders of the Company. The Committee may provide in an Award Agreement evidencing a Grant of Restricted Stock Units that the holder of such Restricted Stock Units shall be entitled to receive, upon the Company's payment of a cash dividend on its outstanding shares of Stock, a cash payment for each Restricted Stock Unit held equal to the per-share dividend paid on the shares of Stock. Such Award Agreement may also provide that such cash payment will be deemed reinvested in additional Restricted Stock Units at a price per unit equal to the Fair Market Value of a share on the date that such dividend is paid.

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11.6 Termination of Employment or Other Relationship for a Reason Other than Death, Disability or Retirement.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, upon the termination of a Grantee's employment or other relationship with the Company and its Subsidiaries, in either case other than, in the case of individuals, by reason of death, Disability or Retirement, any Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units held by such Grantee that have not vested, or with respect to which all applicable restrictions and conditions have not lapsed, shall immediately be deemed forfeited. Upon forfeiture of Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units, the Grantee shall have no further rights with respect to such Grant, including, but not limited to, any right to vote Restricted Stock or any right to receive dividends with respect to Restricted Stock Units.

11.7 Rights in the Event of Death.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, if a Grantee dies while employed by the Company or its Subsidiaries or while serving as a Service Provider, all Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units granted to such Grantee shall, if vesting is based solely on continued service, fully vest on the date of death, or if vesting is based in whole or part on performance, shall be immediately forfeited to the extent not yet vested. Upon such vesting, the shares of Stock represented thereby shall be deliverable in accordance with the terms of the Plan to the executors, administrators, legatees or distributees of the Grantee's estate.

11.8 Rights in the Event of Disability.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, if a Grantee's employment or other relationship with the Company or its Subsidiaries or a Service Provider, or service as a Service Provider, is terminated by reason of the Disability of such Grantee, such Grantee's then unvested Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units shall, if vesting is based solely on continued service, fully vest and be paid on the date of termination, or if vesting is based in whole or part on performance, shall be immediately forfeited to the extent not yet vested.

11.9 Rights in the Event of Retirement.

Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, if a Grantee's employment with the Company or its Subsidiaries is terminated by reason of Retirement, all Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units granted to such Grantee shall, if vesting is based solely on continued service, fully vest and be paid on the date of termination, or if vesting is based in whole or part on performance, shall be immediately forfeited to the extent not yet vested.

11.10 Delivery of Shares and Payment Therefor.

Upon the expiration or termination of the Restricted Period and the satisfaction of any other conditions prescribed by the Committee, the restrictions applicable to Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units shall lapse, and, unless otherwise provided in the Award Agreement, upon payment by the Grantee to the Company, in cash or by check, of the greater of (i) the aggregate par value of the shares of Stock represented by such Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units or (ii) the purchase price, if any, specified in the Award Agreement relating to such Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units, a certificate for such shares shall be delivered, free of all such restrictions, to the Grantee or the Grantee's beneficiary or estate, as the case may be.

12. UNRESTRICTED STOCK

The Committee may, in its sole discretion, grant Stock (or sell Stock at par value or such other higher purchase price determined by the Committee) free of restrictions other than those required under federal or state securities laws ("Unrestricted Stock") to persons eligible to receive grants under Section 6 hereof. Unrestricted Stock may be granted or sold as described in the preceding sentence in respect of past services or other valid consideration in lieu of any cash compensation due to such Grantee, or in satisfaction of a performance share award payable in Stock and earned based on the satisfaction of one or more of the performance objectives enumerated in Section 11.2 hereof with respect to Restricted Stock and Restricted Stock Units.

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13. PARACHUTE LIMITATIONS

If the Grantee is a "disqualified individual" (as defined in Section 280G(c) of the Code), any Option, Restricted Stock, Restricted Stock Unit or SAR and any other right to receive any payment or benefit under the Plan shall not vest or become exercisable (i) to the extent that the right to vest or any other right to any payment or benefit, taking into account all other rights, payments or benefits to or for the Grantee, would cause any payment or benefit to the Grantee under the Plan to be considered a "parachute payment" within the meaning of Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code as then in effect (a "Parachute Payment") and (ii) if, as a result of receiving a Parachute Payment, the aggregate after-tax amounts received by the Grantee from the Company under any Award Agreements, the Plan, and all other rights, payments or benefits to or for the Grantee would be less than the maximum after-tax amount that could be received by the Grantee without causing the payment or benefit to be considered a Parachute Payment. In the event that, but for the provisions of this Section 13, the Grantee would be considered to have received a Parachute Payment under any Award Agreements that would have the effect of decreasing the after-tax amount received by the Grantee as described in clause (ii) of the preceding sentence, then the Grantee shall have the right, in the Grantee's sole discretion, to designate any rights, payments or benefits under any Award Agreements, the Plan, any other agreements to be reduced or eliminated so as to avoid having the payment or benefit to the Grantee under any Award Agreements be deemed to be a Parachute Payment. The Award Agreement, or any agreement entered into by the Grantee with the Grantee is a disqualified individual.

14. REQUIREMENTS OF LAW

14.1 General.

The Company shall not be required to sell or issue any shares of Stock under any Grant if the sale or issuance of such shares of Stock would constitute a violation by the Grantee, any other person exercising a right emanating from such Grant, or the Company of any provision of any law or regulation of any governmental authority, including, without limitation, any federal or state securities laws or regulations. If at any time the Company shall determine, in its discretion, that the listing, registration or qualification of any shares of Stock subject to a Grant upon any securities exchange or under any governmental regulatory body is necessary or desirable as a condition of, or in connection with, the issuance or purchase of shores of Stock hereunder, no shares of Stock may be issued or sold to the Grantee or any other person exercising a right emanating from such Grant unless such listing, registration, qualification, consent or approval shall have been effected or obtained free of any conditions not acceptable to the Company, and any delay caused thereby shall in no way affect the date of termination of the Grant. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, upon the exercise of any Option or any SAR that may be settled in shares of Stock or the delivery of any Restricted Stock or shares of Stock underlying Restricted Stock Units, unless a registration statement under the Securities Act is in effect with respect to the shares of Stock covered by such Grant, the Company shall not be required to sell or issue such shares of Stock unless the Committee has received evidence satisfactory to it that the Grantee or any other person exercising a right emanating from such Grant may acquire such shares of Stock pursuant to an exemption from registration under the Securities Act. Any such determination by the Committee shall be final, binding and conclusive. The Company may, but shall in no event be obligated to, register any securities covered hereby pursuant to the Securities Act. The Company shall not be obligated to take any affirmative action in order to cause the exercise of an Option or a SAR or the issuance of shares of Stock pursuant to the Plan to comply with any law or regulation of any governmental authority. As to any jurisdiction that expressly imposes the requirement that an Option (or SAR that may be settled in shares of Stock) shall not be exercisable until the shares of Stock covered by such Option (or SAR) are registered or are exempt from registration, the exercise of such Option (or SAR) under circumstances in which the laws of such jurisdiction apply shall be deemed conditioned upon the effectiveness of such registration or the availability of such an exemption.

14.2 Rule 16b-3.

During any time when the Company has a class of equity security registered under Section 12 of the Exchange Act, it is the intent of the Company that Grants pursuant to the Plan and the exercise of Options and SARs granted hereunder will qualify for the exemption provided by Rule 16b-3 under the Exchange Act. To the extent that any provision of the Plan or action by the Committee does not comply with the requirements of Rule 16b-3, such provision or action shall be deemed inoperative to the extent permitted by law and deemed advisable by the Committee, and shall not affect the validity of the Plan. In the event that Rule 16b-3 is revised or replaced, the Board may exercise its discretion to modify the Plan in any respect necessary to satisfy the requirements of, or to take advantage of any features of, the revised exemption or its replacement.

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15. AMENDMENT AND TERMINATION OF THE PLAN

The Board may, at any time and from time to time, amend, suspend or terminate the Plan as to any shares of Stock as to which Grants have not been made; provided, that, any amendment that materially increases the benefits available under the Plan or which is required to be submitted for stockholder approval by applicable law, rule or regulation (including, without limitation, rules of the exchange on which the Stock is traded) shall be adopted subject to stockholder approval. Except as permitted under this Section 15 or Section 16 hereof, no amendment, suspension or termination of the Plan shall, without the consent of the Grantee, alter or impair rights or obligations under any Grant theretofore awarded under the Plan.

16. EFFECT OF CHANGES IN CAPITALIZATION

16.1 Changes in Stock.

Subject to Section 16.2 hereof, in the event of any merger, reorganization, consolidation, recapitalization, separation, liquidation, stock dividend, spin-off, split-up, share combination or other change in the corporate structure of the Company affecting the shares of Stock, (a) such adjustment shall be made in the number and class of shares which may be delivered under Section 4 hereof and the Grant limits under Section 4 hereof, and in the number and class of or price of shares subject to outstanding Grants as may be determined to be appropriate and equitable by the Board or the Committee, in its sole discretion, to prevent dilution or enlargement of existing rights; and (b) the Board or the Committee or, if another legal entity assumes the obligations of the Company hereunder, the board of directors, compensation committee or similar body of such other legal entity shall either (i) make appropriate provision for the protection of outstanding Grants by the substitution on an equitable basis of appropriate equity interests or awards similar to the Grants, provided that the substitution neither enlarges nor diminishes the value and rights under the Grants, or (ii) upon written notice to the Grantees, provide that Grants shall be exercised, distributed, canceled or exchanged for value pursuant to such terms and conditions (including the waiver of any existing terms or constitute a "modification" within the meaning of Section 424(h)(3) of the Code. The conversion of any convertible securities of the Company shall not be treated as a change in the corporate structure of the Company affecting the shares of Stock, any restrictions applicable to such Restricted Stock shall apply as well to any replacement shares received by the Grantee as a result of the merger, reorganization or other transaction referred to in this Section 16.1.

16.2 Reorganization, Sale of Assets or Sale of Stock.

Upon the dissolution or liquidation of the Company or upon a merger, consolidation or reorganization of the Company with one or more other entities in which the Company is not the surviving entity, or upon a sale of substantially all of the assets of the Company to another entity, or upon any transaction (including, without limitation, a merger or reorganization in which the Company is the surviving entity) approved by the Board that results in any person or entity (or person or entities acting as a group or otherwise in concert) owning eighty percent (80%) or more of the combined voting power of all classes of securities of the Company, (i) all outstanding Restricted Stock and Restricted Stock Units shall be deemed to have vested, and all restrictions and conditions applicable to such Restricted Stock and Restricted Stock Units shall be deemed to have lapsed, immediately prior to the occurrence of such transaction, and (ii) all Options and SARs outstanding hereunder shall become immediately exercisable for a period of fifteen (15) days immediately prior to the scheduled consummation of such transaction. Any exercise of an Option or SAR during such fifteen (15) day period shall be conditioned upon the consummation of the transaction and shall be effective only immediately before the consummation of the transaction.

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This Section 16.2 shall not apply to any transaction to the extent that (A) provision is made in writing in connection with such transaction for the continuation of the Plan or the assumption of the Options, SARs, Restricted Stock and Restricted Stock Units theretofore granted, or for the substitution for such Options, SARs, Restricted Stock Units of new options, stock appreciation rights, restricted stock and restricted stock units covering the stock of a successor entity, or a parent or subsidiary thereof, with appropriate adjustments as to the number and kinds of shares or units and exercise prices, in which event the Plan and Options, SARs, Restricted Stock and Restricted Stock Units theretofore granted shall continue in the manner and under the terms so provided or (B) a majority of the full Board determines that such transaction shall not trigger application of the provisions of this Section 16.2 and limited by any "change in control" provision in any employment agreement or Award Agreement applicable to the Grantee. Upon consummation of any such transaction, the Plan and all outstanding but unexercised Options and SARs shall terminate, except to the extent provision is made in writing in connection with such transaction for the continuation of the Plan or the assumption of such Options and SARs theretofore granted, or for the substitution for such Options and SARs of new options and stock appreciation rights covering the shares of a successor entity, or a parent or subsidiary thereof, with appropriate adjustments as to the number and kinds of shares or units and exercise prices, in which event the Plan and Options and SARs theretofore granted, with appropriate adjustments as to the number and kinds of shares or units and exercise prices, in which event the Plan and Options and SARs theretofore granted, or for the substitution for such Options and SARs of new options and stock appreciation rights covering the shares of a successor entity, or a parent or subsidiary thereof, with appropriate adjustments as

16.3 Adjustments.

Adjustments under this Section 16 related to shares of Stock or securities of the Company shall be made by the Committee, whose determination in that respect shall be final and conclusive. No fractional shares or other securities shall be issued pursuant to any such adjustment, and any fractions resulting from any such adjustment shall be eliminated in each case by rounding downward to the nearest whole share.

16.4 No Limitations on Company.

The making of Grants pursuant to the Plan shall not affect or limit in any way the right or power of the Company to make adjustments, reclassifications, reorganizations or changes of its capital or business structure or to merge, consolidate, dissolve or liquidate, or to sell or transfer all or any part of its business or assets.

17. DISCLAIMER OF RIGHTS

No provision in the Plan or in any Grant or Award Agreement shall be construed to confer upon any individual the right to remain in the employ or service of the Company or any affiliate thereof, or to interfere in any way with any contractual or other right or authority of the Company or Service Provider either to increase or decrease the compensation or other payments to any individual at any time, or to terminate any employment or other relationship between any individual and the Company or any affiliate thereof. In addition, notwithstanding anything contained in the Plan to the contrary, unless otherwise stated in the applicable Award Agreement or employment agreement, no Grant awarded under the Plan shall be affected by any change of duties or position of the Grantee, so long as such Grantee continues to be a director, officer, consultant or employee of the Company. The obligation of the Company to pay any benefits pursuant to the Plan shall be interpreted as a contractual obligation to pay only those amounts described herein, in the manner and under the conditions prescribed herein. The Plan shall in no way be interpreted to require the Company to transfer any amounts to a third party trustee or otherwise hold any amounts in trust or escrow for payment to any participant or beneficiary under the terms of the Plan. No Grantee shall have any of the rights of a stockholder with respect to the shares of Stock subject to an Option or SAR except to the extent such shares of Stock shall have been issued upon the exercise of the Option or SAR.

18. NONEXCLUSIVITY OF THE PLAN

Neither the adoption of the Plan nor the submission of the Plan to the stockholders of the Company for approval shall be construed as creating any limitations upon the right and authority of the Committee to adopt such other incentive compensation arrangements (which arrangements may be applicable either generally to a class or classes of individuals or specifically to a particular individual or particular individuals) as the Committee in its discretion determines desirable, including, without limitation, the granting of Stock options otherwise than under the Plan.

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19. WITHHOLDING TAXES

The Company or a Subsidiary, as the case may be, shall have the right to deduct from payments of any kind otherwise due to a Grantee any federal, state or local taxes of any kind required by law to be withheld with respect to the vesting of or other lapse of restrictions applicable to Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units or upon the exercise of an Option or SAR or the grant of Unrestricted Stock. At the time of such vesting, lapse or exercise, the Grantee shall pay to the Company or the Subsidiary, as the case may be, any amount that the Company or the Subsidiary may reasonably determine to be necessary to satisfy such withholding obligation. Subject to the prior approval of the Company or the Subsidiary, which may be withheld by the Company or the Subsidiary, as the case may be, in its sole discretion, the Grantee may elect to satisfy such obligations, in whole or in part, (i) by causing the Company or the Subsidiary to withhold shares of Stock otherwise issuable to the Grantee or (ii) by delivering to the Company or the Subsidiary shares of Stock already owned by the Grantee. The shares of Stock used to satisfy such withholding obligations. The Fair Market Value of the shares of Stock used to satisfy such withholding obligation shall be determined by the Company or the Subsidiary as of the date that the amount of tax to be withheld is to be determined. A Grantee who has made an election pursuant to this Section 19 may satisfy such Grantee's withholding obligation only with shares of Stock that are not subject to any repurchase, forfeiture, unfulfilled vesting or other similar requirement.

20. CAPTIONS

The use of captions in the Plan or any Award Agreement is for convenience of reference only and shall not affect the meaning of any provision of the Plan or such Award Agreement.

21. OTHER PROVISIONS

Each Grant awarded under the Plan may contain such other terms and conditions not inconsistent with the Plan as may be determined by the Committee, in its sole discretion.

22. NUMBER AND GENDER

With respect to words used in this Plan, the singular form shall include the plural form and, the masculine gender shall include the feminine gender, as the context requires.

23. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of the Plan or any Award Agreement shall be finally determined to be illegal or unenforceable by any court of law in any jurisdiction, the remaining provisions hereof and thereof shall be severable and enforceable in accordance with their terms, and all provisions shall remain enforceable in any other jurisdiction.

24. GOVERNING LAW

The validity and construction of this Plan and the instruments evidencing the Grants awarded hereunder shall be governed by the laws of the State of Delaware (without giving effect to the choice of law provisions thereof).

25. SECTION 409A

To the extent that the Committee determines that a Grantee would be subject to the additional twenty percent (20%) tax imposed on certain deferred compensation arrangements pursuant to Section 409A of Code as a result of any provision of any Grant, such provision shall be deemed amended to the minimum extent necessary to avoid application of such additional tax. The Committee shall determine the nature and scope of any such amendment.

The Plan, prior to its amendment and restatement herein, was duly adopted and approved by the Board of Directors of the Company on March 12, 1999 and by the stockholders of the Company on April 7, 1999. An amended and restated Plan was approved by the Board of Directors of the Company on March 8, 2005 and by the stockholders of the Company on April 21, 2005. The Plan was subsequently amended by the Board of Directors of the Company on September 12, 2005, March 13, 2008, and February 26, 2013, and approved by the stockholders on May 7, 2008. The Plan, as amended and restated herein, was approved by the Board of Directors of the Company on February 19, 2014 and by the stockholders of the Company on April 30, 2014. The Plan was subsequently amended and restated by the Board of Directors as of May 7, 2014 and May 2, 2018.

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RETENTION AGREEMENT

This Retention Agreement is entered into as of May 2, 2018, by and between corporation (the "Company").

, an individual ("Executive") and Trex Company, Inc., a Delaware

Recitals

Executive is an officer of the Company. The Company has determined that it is in the best interests of the Company and its stockholders that Executive's employment with the Company be assured for a certain period of time. Therefore, the Company and Executive desire to set forth their agreement pursuant to which Executive will receive certain benefits from the Company under certain circumstances.

Agreement

Now, therefore, in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein, the parties hereby agree as follows:

 1. <u>Restricted Stock Units</u>. Subject to the vesting conditions set forth in this Agreement, the Company hereby grants to Executive restricted stock units ("RSUs") relating to its common stock, \$.01 par value (the "Stock") pursuant to the Trex Company, Inc. 2014 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). In the event that Executive is actively employed by the Company from the date of this Agreement through , the RSUs shall become fully vested on such date. Each RSU represents the right to receive one share of Stock, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement.

2. <u>Cash Payment</u>. In the event that Executive is actively employed by the Company from the date of this Agreement through , the Company shall pay Executive the amount of \$ (the "Cash Payment") on such date, subject to all applicable tax withholdings.

3. Definitions. As used in this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following definitions:

(a) "<u>Cause</u>" means one of the following reasons for which the Executive's employment with the Company is terminated: (i) Executive's willful or grossly negligent misconduct, or subversive, disruptive or insubordinate behavior, that is materially injurious to the Company; (ii) Executive's embezzlement or misappropriation of funds or property of the Company; (iii) Executive's conviction of a felony or the entrance of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to a felony; (iv) Executive's conviction of any crime involving fraud, dishonesty, moral turpitude or breach of trust or the entrance of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to such a crime; or (v) Executive's willful failure or refusal by Executive to devote his full business time (other than on account of disability or approved leave) and attention to the performance of his duties and responsibilities if such breach has not been cured within 15 days after written notice thereof is given to the Executive by the Board.

(b) "Good Reason" means, without the specific written consent of the Executive, any of the following: (i) a material and adverse change in Executive's status or position(s) as an officer or management employee of the Company, including, without limitation, any adverse change in his status or position as an employee of the Company as a result of a material diminution in his duties or responsibilities (other than, if applicable, any such change directly attributable to the fact that the Company is no longer publicly owned) or the assignment to him of any duties or responsibilities which are materially inconsistent with such status or position(s) (other than any isolated and inadvertent failure by the Company that is cured promptly upon his giving notice), or any removal of Executive from or any failure to reappoint or reelect him to such position(s) (except in connection with Executive's termination other than for Good Reason); (ii) a 10% or greater reduction in Executive's aggregate base salary and targeted bonus, other than any such reduction proportionately consistent with a general reduction of pay across the executive staff as a group, as an economic or strategic measure due to poor financial performance by the Company; (iii) the failure by the Company or any successor to continue in effect any material employee benefit plan (excluding any equity compensation plan) in which the Executive is participating (or plans providing the Executive with similar benefits that are not materially reduced in the aggregate) other than as a result of the normal expiration of any such plan in accordance with its terms; or the taking of any action, or the failure to act, by the Company or any successor which would adversely affect the Executive's continued participation in any of such plans on at least as favorable a basis to him or which would materially reduce his benefits under any of such plans, or (iv) Company's requiring Executive to be based at an office that is both more than 50 miles from where his office is located a

(c) "Disability" means a Disability within the meaning of Internal Revenue Code section 409A(a)(2)(C).

4. <u>Early Vesting/Cash Payment</u>. Notwithstanding the provisions of Sections 1 and 2 above, or the provisions of any other agreement between the parties, upon the occurrence of any of the following events prior to the date set forth in Sections 1 and 2 above, the RSUs shall immediately vest upon such occurrence, and the Cash Payment shall be made to Executive within 3 days after such occurrence, subject to all applicable tax withholdings:

(a) Executive's employment is terminated without "Cause" or at the election of Executive for "Good Reason"; or

(b) Executive's employment is terminated by death or because of "Disability".

If a "Change in Control" (as defined in Executive's Change in Control Agreement ("CIC Agreement") occurs prior to the date set forth in Section 1 above, the RSUs shall immediately vest as provided in such CIC Agreement.

5. <u>Forfeiture of Awards</u>. In the event Executive's employment is terminated for "Cause" or at the election of Executive for any reason other than "Good Reason" prior to the date set forth in Section 1 and 2 above, Executive shall forfeit the RSUs and Cash Payment, and this Agreement shall immediately terminate.

6. Provisions Relating to RSUs.

(a) Executive's RSUs may not be transferred, assigned, pledged or hypothecated, whether by operation of law or otherwise, nor may the RSUs be made subject to execution, attachment or similar process.

(b) As soon as practicable following the vesting of the RSUs hereunder, the Company will issue to Executive a share certificate for the shares of Stock to which such vested RSUs relate. In the alternative, the Company may use the book-entry method of share recordation to indicate Executive's share ownership. Executive will have no further rights with regard to a RSU once the share of Stock related to such RSU has been issued.

(c) Executive agrees, as a condition of this grant, that he will make acceptable arrangements to pay any withholding or other taxes that may be due as a result of the vesting of RSUs or delivery of Stock acquired under this grant. In the event that the Company determines that any federal, state, local or foreign tax or withholding payment is required relating to the vesting in RSUs or delivery of shares arising from this grant, the Company shall have the right to require such payments from Executive, withhold shares that would otherwise have been issued to Executive under this Agreement or withhold such amounts from other payments due to Executive from the Company.

(d) Except as provided in the following sentence, Executive does not have any of the rights of a shareholder with respect to the RSUs. If, prior to the vesting date, the Company declares a cash dividend on the Stock, Executive will be credited with dividend equivalents in an amount determined based on the dividends that Executive would have received, had Executive held shares of Stock equal to the vested number of your RSUs from the date of Executive's award to the date of the distribution of shares of Stock following the vesting of Executive's RSUs, and assuming that the dividends were reinvested in Stock (and any dividends on such shares were reinvested in Stock). Any such dividend equivalents will be subject to the same vesting conditions as the shares represented by Executive's RSUs and, in the event of vesting of Executive's RSUs, credited dividend equivalents will be settled as soon as practicable thereafter in cash.

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(e) In the event of a stock split, a stock dividend or a similar change in the Stock, including but not limited to the 2-1 stock split in the form of a stock dividend payable on June 18, 2018 to shareholders of record on May 23, 2018, the number of RSUs covered by this grant shall be adjusted (and rounded down to the nearest whole number) pursuant to the Plan. Executive's RSUs shall be subject to the terms of the agreement of merger, liquidation or reorganization in the event the Company is subject to such corporate activity.

(f) The Company may choose to deliver certain statutory materials relating to the Plan in electronic form. By accepting this grant, Executive agrees that the Company may deliver the Plan prospectus and the Company's annual report to him in an electronic format. Executive may elect to receive paper copies of these documents at any time.

7. Internal Revenue Code Section 409A and Regulations ("Section 409A"). To the extent applicable, the Cash Payment and the RSUs granted under this Agreement are intended to comply with Section 409A. The provisions of this paragraph shall qualify and supersede all other provisions of this Agreement and the Plan as necessary to fulfill the foregoing intent. In furtherance of the foregoing, any Cash Payment or RSUs that accelerate and vest upon a termination of services hereunder and that are otherwise subject to Section 409A. Additionally, if at the time of any such separation from service you are entitled to accelerated vesting of any RSUs granted hereunder and are also a "specified employee" (within the meaning of Section 409A and as determined by the Company) and such RSUs granted hereunder may not be settled without subjecting the Executive to additional tax, interest and/or penalties under Section 409A, then such RSUs shall accelerate and vest upon Executive's separation from service.

8. <u>Notices</u>. For purposes of this Agreement, notices and all other communications provided for in this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given when hand delivered, sent by overnight courier, or mailed by first-class, registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid, or transmitted by telegram, telecopy, or telex, addressed, in the case of Executive, to Executive's address as shown on the Company's records and, in the case of the Company, to the Company's principal office, to the attention of the General Counsel, or to such other address as either party may have furnished to the other in writing in accordance herewith, except that notices of change of address shall be effective only upon receipt.

9. Amendment. This Agreement may be amended or modified only by a written instrument executed by both the Company and Executive.

10. <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement shall be construed, interpreted and enforced as a sealed instrument under and in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, without reference to the conflicts of laws provisions thereof. Any action, suit or other legal proceeding which is commenced to resolve any matter arising under or relating to any provision of this Agreement shall be commenced only in a court of the Commonwealth of Virginia (or, if appropriate, a federal court located within Virginia), and the Company and Executive each consents to the jurisdiction of such a court.

11. <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of both parties and their respective successors and assigns, including any corporation with which or into which the Company may be merged or which may succeed to its assets or business, provided, however, that the obligations of Executive are personal and shall not be assigned by him. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event of Executive's death, any payments that Executive was otherwise entitled to under this Agreement shall be made to his estate.

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12. Acknowledgment. Executive states and represents that he has had an opportunity to fully discuss and review the terms of this Agreement with an attorney. Executive further states and represents that he has carefully read this Agreement, understands the contents herein, freely and voluntarily assents to all of the terms and conditions hereof, and signs his name of his own free act. The Company represents that it has obtained all necessary consents and approvals to execute this Agreement.

13. Miscellaneous.

(a) No delay or omission by the Company in exercising any right under this Agreement shall operate as a waiver of that or any other right. A waiver or consent given by the Company on any one occasion shall be effective only in that instance and shall not be construed as a bar or waiver of any right on any other occasion.

(b) The captions of the sections of this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and in no way define, limit or affect the scope or substance of any section of this Agreement.

(c) In case any provision of this Agreement shall be invalid, illegal or otherwise unenforceable, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall in no way be affected or impaired thereby.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the day and year set forth above.

Trex Company, Inc.

By:

James E. Cline, President and Chief Executive Officer

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CERTIFICATION

I, James E. Cline, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Trex Company, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:

(a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;

(b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;

(c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and

(d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and

5. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent function(s)):

(a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and

(b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: May 7, 2018

/s/ James E. Cline

James E. Cline President and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

CERTIFICATION

I, Bryan H. Fairbanks, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Trex Company, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:

(a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;

(b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;

(c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and

(d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and

5. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent function(s)):

(a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and

(b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: May 7, 2018

/s/ Bryan H. Fairbanks

Bryan H. Fairbanks Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)

Certifications of Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (18 U.S.C. Section 1350)

The undersigned, the President and Chief Executive Officer and the Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Trex Company, Inc. (the "Company"), each hereby certifies that, on the date hereof:

- (a) the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of the Company for the quarterly period ended March 31, 2018 filed on the date hereof with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Report") fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
- (b) information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

Date: May 7, 2018

Date: May 7, 2018

/s/ James E. Cline

James E. Cline President and Chief Executive Officer

/s/ Bryan H. Fairbanks Bryan H. Fairbanks Vice President and Chief Financial Officer