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Clarus Capital Hires Matt Worman to Lead Direct Investment Origination for Equipment Finance

Clarus Capital Continues to Expand Leadership Team with Key Hire

Boston, Massachusetts, January 20, 2022 – Clarus Capital (“Clarus”) announced today that it has hired Matt Worman as Managing Director and Head of Direct Investment Origination. In this role, he will lead the firm’s business development activities with responsibility for generating new financing opportunities with mid-sized companies, private equity owned firms and other centers of influence. Mr. Worman will be located in the firm’s Cleveland, Ohio office.

Mr. Worman brings more than 20 years of experience sourcing and structuring equipment financings for middle market organizations and maintains strong relationships with firms across the United States. Prior to joining Clarus Capital, he was a Managing Director at Utica Equipment Finance, where he was responsible for originating and executing equipment financings as a senior member of the direct originations group. Prior to that, Mr. Worman worked for Radius Equipment Finance, which was acquired from NewStar Equipment Finance, where he was responsible for sourcing and developing client relationships throughout the United States. Previously, Mr. Worman held senior business development roles at Nations Equipment Finance and First National Capital.

"I have known Matt for many years, and we are excited to have him join our team," said Steve O’Leary, Clarus Capital’s Chief Executive Officer. "Matt has a proven track record of performance and a deep understanding of our equipment finance products, customers and target markets. He is a client-focused professional with long-standing relationships and will have an immediate impact on the success of our business."

"I am thrilled to join the Clarus Capital team and look forward to building and leading its direct origination franchise," said Mr. Worman. "I was drawn to the opportunity given the team’s legacy of success and its culture of excellence. I look forward to working with a best-in-class investment team to deliver thoughtful equipment financing solutions to our broad client base."

About Clarus Capital

Clarus Capital is a commercial finance company specializing in delivering efficient capital solutions to finance tangible assets for non-investment grade middle market and large corporate borrowers. The Company targets investments up to \$30 million across a wide array of equipment types, industries and throughout the credit spectrum via a seasoned group of investment professionals with diverse risk management and structuring expertise. Clarus Capital was formed as a partnership between a proven leadership team and long-term institutional capital with the goal of building a comprehensive equipment finance platform that addresses the needs of U.S. middle market companies. The firm is headquartered in Boston, MA and has a nationwide footprint across the United States. For more detailed information about Clarus Capital, please visit our website at www.claruscap.com or contact us at info@claruscap.com.