

Clarus Capital Closes \$20 Million Loan Financing for Sponsor-Backed IT Service Provider

Financing Supports Capacity Expansion and Technology Modernization for New and Existing Customers

Boston, Massachusetts – Clarus Capital ("Clarus") announced today that it has completed a new \$20 million loan facility for a sponsor-backed IT service provider. The funding will support investments in critical data center equipment to expand capacity and refresh existing technology as part of the company's ongoing strategic upgrade initiative.

Clarus CEO Steve O'Leary stated "Our client has a long track record of success managing mission critical digital infrastructure systems for its blue-chip enterprise customers. This transaction serves as a great example of the wide-ranging and specialized industry expertise our team continues to deliver across sectors and essential-use asset types. With ample dry powder to grow the relationship into the future, Clarus continues to structure and execute transactions up to \$40 million for its own balance sheet, with reliability and certainty of closing."

Clarus Chairman Tim Conway added, "The team at Clarus has supported this client through various stages of its corporate development, including previous buyout transactions as owners and managers of NewStar Financial. This relationship demonstrates our team's ability to leverage unique industry and intimate company familiarity to now deliver a thoughtful financing solution for essential use assets."

About Clarus Capital

Clarus Capital is a commercial finance company specializing in delivering efficient capital solutions to finance tangible assets for middle market and large corporate borrowers. The Company targets investments up to \$40 million across 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 middle market and large U.S. 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.