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2021 ISDA INTEREST RATE DERIVATIVES DEFINITIONS

Any or all of the following provisions may be incorporated into a document (including in electronic form) by wording in the document indicating that, or the extent to which, the document (or one or more parts of it) is subject to the 2021 ISDA Interest Rate Derivatives Definitions, as published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc. All provisions so incorporated into a document will apply to that document unless otherwise provided in that document, and all terms defined in the 2021 Definitions and used in any provision that is incorporated into a document will have the meanings set out in the 2021 Definitions unless otherwise provided in that document.

SECTION 1 GENERAL DEFINITIONS AND PROVISIONS

1.1 Architecture.

1.1.1 **2021 Definitions.**

"2021 Definitions" means the 2021 ISDA Interest Rate Derivatives Definitions, including each Matrix (and any successor matrix thereto), each as published by ISDA on its 'MyLibrary' platform (or any successor platform) in 'contractual text' format.

1.1.2 **Matrix.**

"Matrix" means each of the following:

- (i) the Currency/Business Day Matrix;
- (ii) the Settlement Matrix;
- (iii) the Floating Rate Matrix;
- (iv) the Mark-to-Market Matrix; and
- (v) the Compounding/Averaging Matrix.

These are collectively referred to as the "Matrices".

1.1.3 Application of the 2021 Definitions.

Unless otherwise agreed, the latest version of the 2021 Definitions on the Trade Date of the Transaction will apply to each Transaction or, if they are specified to apply to only part of the Transaction, to that part of the Transaction, and will not be affected by any further updates in a later dated version of the 2021 Definitions. In order to exclude any amendments made to the 2021 Definitions pursuant to a subsequent version (whether to the 2021 Definitions generally or to one or more Matrices), the parties must, in the Confirmation, specify the version of the 2021 Definitions they wish to apply.

1.1.4 Application of Matrices.

- (i) If one or more of the Matrices apply, the relevant elections in the latest version of that Matrix on the Trade Date of the Transaction will be deemed to have been specified in the Confirmation.
- (ii) In the event of any inconsistency between the election in a Matrix and the election in the Confirmation, the election in the Confirmation shall prevail.

1.1.5 Application of the 2021 Definitions to Parties.

Any term used in a Confirmation will, when used in respect of a party, or a definition relating to a party, apply in respect of that party only.

1.1.6 **ISDA.**

"ISDA" means the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc. (or any successor).

1.1.7 ISDA Master Agreement.

"ISDA Master Agreement" means:

- (i) for the purposes of Section 1.2.1 (Calculation Agent), Section 8.6 (Generic Fallback Provisions), Section 12.6.1(i) (Notice of Exercise), Section 18.3.2 (Hierarchy of Dispute Resolution Provisions), and Section 18.4.16 (ISDA VM CSA), the ISDA Master Agreement, if any, between the parties and referred to in the Confirmation; and
- (ii) for all other purposes and unless otherwise provided in the 2021 Definitions, the standard form of the 2002 Master Agreement published by ISDA without any schedule and governed by the same law as governs the Transaction.

1.1.8 Transaction.

"Transaction" means any transaction evidenced by a Confirmation that incorporates the 2021 Definitions (or a part of them, provided that such partial incorporation is effected by express reference to the 2021 Definitions).

1.1.9 Confirmation.

"Confirmation" means, with respect to a Transaction, one or more documents or other confirming evidence exchanged between the parties (including by means of an electronic messaging system, email or electronic platform), or which are otherwise effective for the purpose of confirming that Transaction, and which taken together confirm all the terms of that Transaction.

1.2 **Determinations by the Calculation Agent.**

1.2.1 Calculation Agent.

- (i) "Calculation Agent" means the party specified as such in the schedule to the relevant ISDA Master Agreement or in the Confirmation, which may be a party to the relevant Transaction or a third party.
- (ii) The Calculation Agent is responsible for making all determinations that are not otherwise required to be made by a party to the Transaction or any other specified person.

1.2.2 Calculation Agent Standard.

Unless otherwise agreed between the parties:

- (i) whenever the Calculation Agent is required to act or make a determination it shall do so in good faith and using commercially reasonable procedures to produce a commercially reasonable result;
- (ii) whenever the Calculation Agent is required to select banks or dealers for the purpose of making any calculation or determination or to select any rate, the Calculation Agent will make the

- selection in good faith, and, if practicable, after consultation with the other party (or the parties, if the Calculation Agent is a third party); and
- (iii) the Calculation Agent does not act as a fiduciary for, or as an adviser to, either party in discharging its duties as Calculation Agent.

1.2.3 Calculation Statement.

"Calculation Statement" means a statement showing in reasonable detail any calculations made by the Calculation Agent in connection with a relevant determination (including any Relevant Market Data used for such determination).

1.2.4 Determinations by Calculation Agent.

- (i) Unless otherwise agreed between the parties:
 - (a) subject to paragraph (b) below, the Calculation Agent shall, as soon as reasonably practicable after making any required determination, notify the parties of that determination;
 - (b) if requested by a party in respect of one or more Dates for Payment, on the Calculation Date for each relevant date, the Calculation Agent shall notify such party of:
 - (I) the date on which payment is due;
 - (II) the party or parties required to make the payment or payments then due; and
 - (III) the amount of each such payment;
 - (c) on written request from a party, made within a reasonable time after being notified of a determination by the Calculation Agent, the Calculation Agent shall, as soon as reasonably practicable, provide that party with a Calculation Statement (to the extent that all information that would otherwise have been included in such Calculation Statement has not already been supplied);
 - (d) notwithstanding paragraph (c) above, the Calculation Agent is not required by this Section 1.2.4 to disclose (as part of the Calculation Statement or otherwise) any information that (in the determination of the Calculation Agent) comprises proprietary, or material non-public information or the disclosure of which would breach a duty of confidentiality to a third party; and
 - (e) if the Calculation Agent withholds any information, on the basis of paragraph (d) above, it shall notify the party that requested the Calculation Statement accordingly in writing.
- (ii) Any failure by a party to request a Calculation Statement within a reasonable time after being notified of a determination shall not constitute a waiver of any right it may have to challenge a determination made by the Calculation Agent.

1.2.5 Calculation Date.

"Calculation Date" means, in respect of any Date for Payment, the earliest day on which it is practicable for the Calculation Agent to give the notice it is required to provide for that Date for Payment, but in no event later than the Notification Deadline on the first Business Day before that Date for Payment (unless the calculation is in respect of a Payment Date for (i) a Compounded Floating Rate Option or an Overnight Floating Rate Option used in conjunction with an Overnight Rate Compounding Method or an Overnight Rate Averaging Method, (ii) an Index Floating Rate

Option used in connection with an Index Method or (iii) a Transaction that applies "Arrears Setting", in which case it will be no later than the latest time that will permit any payment due on that Payment Date to be made on that Payment Date).

1.2.6 Date for Payment.

"Date for Payment" means any Payment Date, Premium Payment Date, Exchange Date or any other date on which a payment is due.

1.2.7 Relevant Market Data.

"Relevant Market Data" means, in relation to a determination, any relevant information that:

- (i) has been supplied by one or more third parties (which may include central counterparties, exchanges, dealers in the relevant market, information vendors, brokers or other recognised sources of market information) but not any third party that is an Affiliate of the Calculation Agent (or, for the purposes of Section 8.6.7(ii) (Generic Fallback Provisions Dispute Resolution Process) or Section 18.3.1 (Fallback Cash Settlement Amount Dispute Resolution Process), an Affiliate of the disputing party); or
- (ii) to the extent that the information is not readily available from such third parties or would not produce a commercially reasonable result, has been obtained from internal sources (which may include an Affiliate of the Calculation Agent or, for the purposes of Section 8.6.7(ii) (Generic Fallback Provisions Dispute Resolution Process) or Section 18.3.1 (Fallback Cash Settlement Amount Dispute Resolution Process), an Affiliate of the disputing party) provided that the information is of the same type as that used by the Calculation Agent in a comparable manner in the ordinary course of its business.

1.2.8 Affiliate.

"Affiliate" has the meaning given to it in the ISDA Master Agreement.

1.3 Notices to the Calculation Agent.

If the Calculation Agent is not a party to the Transaction, any notice under a Transaction delivered by one party to the other shall also be sent to the Calculation Agent.

1.4 Acknowledgement Regarding any Modification to a Benchmark.

If the definition, methodology or formula for any Applicable Benchmark or other means of calculating the Applicable Benchmark is modified, unless otherwise specified or agreed, references to that Applicable Benchmark shall be to the Applicable Benchmark as modified.

1.5 **Times.**

1.5.1 Close of Business.

"Close of Business" means 17:00 (local time) in the latest time zone applicable to the parties (which, for the purposes of Section 8.6 (Generic Fallback Provisions), Section 11.5.2 (Generic Fallback Provisions in respect of the Currency Exchange Rate) and Section 17.3.5 (Generic Fallback Provisions in respect of the Settlement Rate), shall be by reference to the place of incorporation or organisation of each party and for all other purposes shall be by reference to the location of the office through which each party is transacting) on a Business Day.

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1.5.2 **Notification Deadline.**

"Notification Deadline" means the time specified as such in the Confirmation or, if no such time is specified, 17:00 (local time) in the time zone of the recipient (determined by reference to the address to which notices in physical form are to be sent to it or, if no such address is specified, by reference to the location of the office through which it is acting for the purposes of the Transaction).

SECTION 2 BUSINESS DAYS AND CURRENCIES

2.1 **Days.**

2.1.1 Business Day.

"Business Day" means:

- (i) a day on which commercial banks and foreign exchange markets are open for general business (including settling payments and dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in the place(s) specified for that purpose in the Confirmation or in the 2021 Definitions; and
- (ii) a day specified for that purpose in the Confirmation, which may be by reference to any of the defined terms set out in Section 2.1.5 (TARGET Settlement Day) to Section 2.1.9 (Abu Dhabi Days) or otherwise; and
- (iii) if place(s) and days, or such terms, are not specified, a Currency Business Day.

2.1.2 Currency Business Day.

"Currency Business Day" means a day:

- (i) on which commercial banks and foreign exchange markets are open for general business (including settling payments and dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in the same currency as the payment obligation that is payable on or calculated by reference to that date in the financial center(s) indicated for that currency in the Currency/Business Day Matrix or, if none is specified, the principal financial center of that currency;
- (ii) that is a TARGET Settlement Day, if the currency of the payment obligation that is payable on or calculated by reference to that date is Euro; or
- (iii) that is a Currency Business Day determined in accordance with paragraph (i) or (ii) above, as the case may be, in respect of each relevant currency, where the payment obligations that are payable on or calculated by reference to that date are denominated in different currencies.

2.1.3 Currency/Business Day Matrix.

"Currency/Business Day Matrix" means the "2021 ISDA Interest Rate Derivatives Definitions Currency/Business Day Matrix".

2.1.4 **Publication Calendar Day.**

"Publication Calendar Day" means, in respect of a benchmark, any day on which the Administrator is due to publish the rate for such benchmark pursuant to its publication calendar, as updated from time to time.

2.1.5 TARGET Settlement Day.

"TARGET Settlement Day" means any day on which TARGET2 (the Trans-European Automated Real-time Gross Settlement Express Transfer system) (or any successor transfer system) is open for the settlement of payments in Euro. References in the Confirmation to "TARGET" in respect of any day shall be construed as references to a TARGET Settlement Day.

2.1.6 New York Fed Business Day.

"New York Fed Business Day" means any day except for a Saturday, Sunday or a day on which the Fedwire Securities Service or the Fedwire Funds Service of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York is closed. References in the Confirmation to "New York Fed" in respect of any day shall be construed as a reference to a New York Fed Business Day.

2.1.7 NYSE Business Day.

"NYSE Business Day" means any day on which the New York Stock Exchange is open for business. References in the Confirmation to "New York Stock Exchange" or "NYSE" in respect of any day shall be construed as a reference to a NYSE Business Day.

2.1.8 U.S. Government Securities Business Day.

"U.S. Government Securities Business Day" means any day except for a Saturday, Sunday or a day on which The Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association (or a successor) recommends that the fixed income departments of its members be closed for the entire day for the purpose of trading in U.S. government securities.

2.1.9 Abu Dhabi Days.

- (i) "Abu Dhabi Settlement Day" means, in respect of a Date for Payment, for the purposes of making payment of an amount denominated in AED, a day on which commercial banks settle payments in Abu Dhabi.
- (ii) "Abu Dhabi Business Day" means, in respect of any day other than a Date for Payment, a day as determined in accordance with paragraph (i) of Section 2.1.1 (*Business Day*). References in the Confirmation to "Abu Dhabi" as a place for the purpose of Business Days shall be construed as a reference to an Abu Dhabi Business Day.

2.1.10 Local Business Day.

"Local Business Day" means:

- (i) in respect of a party, a day on which commercial banks and foreign exchange markets are open for general business (including settling payments and dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in the places specified in the address for notice provided by that party or, if no such address is provided, by reference to the location of the office through which it is acting for the purposes of the Transaction; and
- (ii) in respect of both parties, a day on which commercial banks and foreign exchange markets are open for general business (including settling payments and dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in each of the places specified in the address for notice provided by each party or, if no such address is provided for a party, in respect of such party, by reference to the location of the office through which it is acting for the purposes of the Transaction.

2.2 Hong Kong Business Days.

This Section 2.2 shall apply where "Hong Kong" is specified in the Confirmation as a place for the purpose of the Business Day definition.

2.2.1 Consequences of Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Day or Hong Kong Typhoon Day.

If any Period End Date or Date for Payment falls on a Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Day or a Hong Kong Typhoon Day, that date shall be deemed to be a Business Day in Hong Kong notwithstanding

any provision of Section 2.1.1 (*Business Day*). However, this Section 2.2 shall not apply to a Transaction which is to be settled by a cashier's order in Hong Kong Dollars.

2.2.2 Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Day.

"Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Day" means any day (excluding Saturdays, Sundays or public holidays) on which:

- (i) a black rainstorm warning is issued before working hours and is not cancelled at or prior to 12:00, Hong Kong time, on that day; or
- (ii) a black rainstorm warning is issued during working hours and commercial banks and foreign exchange markets close for general business in Hong Kong as a result.

2.2.3 Hong Kong Typhoon Day.

"Hong Kong Typhoon Day" means any day (excluding Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays) on which a No. 8 typhoon signal or above or an Extreme Conditions Announcement is in effect and is not cancelled or lowered at or prior to 12:00, Hong Kong time, on that day.

2.2.4 Extreme Conditions Announcement.

"Extreme Conditions Announcement" means an announcement made by the Hong Kong Government that "extreme conditions" exist as a result of a super typhoon.

2.2.5 Calculation Agent Determination Relating to Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Day and Hong Kong Typhoon Day.

If any amendment is made to the "Typhoon Guidelines and Rainstorm Guidelines" published by the Hong Kong Association of Banks (or its successor), the Calculation Agent shall make any adjustments to the application of Section 2.2.2 (Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Day), Section 2.2.3 (Hong Kong Typhoon Day) and Section 9.28.6 (Consequences of a Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Warning or No. 8 Typhoon Signal) that are necessary to reflect those amendments.

2.3 **Business Day Conventions.**

2.3.1 Business Day Convention.

"Business Day Convention" means the convention for adjusting any relevant date if it would otherwise fall on a day that is not a Business Day. The Business Day Conventions are:

- (i) the Following Business Day Convention;
- (ii) the Modified Following Business Day Convention;
- (iii) the Preceding Business Day Convention; and
- (iv) the No Adjustment Business Day Convention.

2.3.2 Following Business Day Convention.

"Following Business Day Convention" or "Following", when used in conjunction with a date, means that, if that date would otherwise fall on a day that is not a Business Day, it will instead fall on the first following day that is a Business Day.

2.3.3 Modified Following Business Day Convention.

"Modified Following Business Day Convention" or "Modified Following", when used in conjunction with a date, means that, if that date would otherwise fall on a day that is not a Business Day, subject to Section 2.3.6 (Consequences of an Unscheduled Holiday), it will instead fall on the first following day that is a Business Day unless this would be in the next calendar month, in which case the date will fall on the first preceding day that is a Business Day.

2.3.4 Preceding Business Day Convention.

"Preceding Business Day Convention" or "Preceding", when used in conjunction with a date, means that, if that date would otherwise fall on a day that is not a Business Day, subject to Section 2.3.6 (Consequences of an Unscheduled Holiday), it will instead fall on the first preceding day that is a Business Day.

2.3.5 No Adjustment Business Day Convention.

"No Adjustment Business Day Convention" or "No Adjustment" when used in conjunction with a date means that, if that date falls on a day that is not a Business Day, no adjustment will be made to that date.

2.3.6 Consequences of an Unscheduled Holiday.

- (i) If the Modified Following Business Day Convention or the Preceding Business Day Convention applies to any Cash Settlement Valuation Date, Date for Payment, Period End Date or the Termination Date, and that date would otherwise fall on a day that is not a Business Day or a Valuation Business Day, as applicable, as a result of an Unscheduled Holiday, then:
 - (a) in respect of any Cash Settlement Valuation Date or Date for Payment, unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation; and
 - (b) in respect of any Period End Date or Termination Date, if "Period End Date/Termination Date adjustment for Unscheduled Holiday" is specified in the Confirmation to be applicable,

notwithstanding the provisions of Section 2.3.3 (*Modified Following Business Day Convention*) and Section 2.3.4 (*Preceding Business Day Convention*), that date will instead fall on the first following day that is a Business Day.

(ii) If the scheduled Cash Settlement Valuation Date becomes subject to the Following Business Day Convention after the occurrence of an Unscheduled Holiday, and if the Cash Settlement Valuation Date has not occurred on or before the 30th consecutive day after the scheduled Cash Settlement Valuation Date, then the next day after such 30th day that would have been a Business Day but for the Unscheduled Holiday shall be deemed to be the Cash Settlement Valuation Date.

2.3.7 Unscheduled Holiday.

"Unscheduled Holiday" means, in respect of any day, that such day is not a Business Day, a Valuation Business Day or an Exercise Business Day, as applicable, and the market was not aware of such fact by means of a public announcement until after 09:00 in any place specified in the Confirmation for the purpose of the relevant Business Day or, if no such place is specified, in the principal financial center for each currency in which an amount is to be determined or paid on such day, on the day that is two Business Days, Valuation Business Days or Exercise Business Days, as

applicable, (not including days that would have been Business Days, Valuation Business Days or Exercise Business Days, as applicable, but for that announcement) prior to that day.

2.3.8 Application of Business Day Conventions.

The Business Day Convention applicable to a date that is specified in the 2021 Definitions or in the Confirmation to be subject to a Business Day Convention shall be:

- (i) the Business Day Convention specified for that date in the 2021 Definitions or in that Confirmation; or
- (ii) if a Business Day Convention is not specified for that date but a Business Day Convention is specified for the Transaction, the Business Day Convention so specified.

2.4 Currencies.

2.4.1 **Definitions of Currencies.**

Each currency shall have the meaning given to it in the Currency/Business Day Matrix and shall, in each case, include any Successor Currency.

2.4.2 Successor Currency.

"Successor Currency" means, in respect of a currency, any lawful successor currency.

2.4.3 Original Currency.

"Original Currency" means, in respect of a country and a Transaction, the currency in effect on the Trade Date.

2.4.4 Application of the Successor Currency.

If, after the Trade Date of a Transaction, a country has lawfully eliminated, converted, redenominated or exchanged the Original Currency for a Successor Currency, then, for the purpose of calculating any amounts of that currency pursuant to the Transaction, and for the purpose of effecting payment of any such amount, any Original Currency amounts shall be converted to the Successor Currency by multiplying the amount of Original Currency by a rate equal to the exchange rate set for the conversion pursuant to the law of the relevant country of the Original Currency to the Successor Currency on the date on which the elimination, conversion, redenomination or exchange took place. If there is more than one such date, the date closest to the relevant date for the calculation or payment of the amount, as applicable, shall be selected. Notwithstanding the foregoing, and subject to anything agreed by the parties, with respect to any currency that is substituted or replaced by the Euro, the consequences of that substitution or replacement shall be determined in accordance with applicable law.

2.4.5 **Euro-zone.**

"Euro-zone" means, at any time, the region comprised of member states of the European Union that adopt the Euro in accordance with the EC Treaty.

2.4.6 **EC Treaty.**

"EC Treaty" means the Treaty establishing the European Community (signed in Rome on March 25, 1957), as amended by the Treaty on European Union (signed in Maastricht on February 7, 1992), the Treaty of Amsterdam (signed in Amsterdam on October 2, 1997), the Treaty of Nice (signed in Nice on February 26, 2001) and the Treaty of Lisbon (signed in Lisbon on December 13, 2007) and as further amended from time to time.

SECTION 3 DATES AND PERIODS

3.1 **Dates.**

3.1.1 Trade Date.

"Trade Date" means the date specified as such in the Confirmation and which shall be the date on which the parties enter into the Transaction.

3.1.2 Effective Date.

"Effective Date" means the date specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose), which date is the first day of the Term of the Transaction. Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation or in the 2021 Definitions, the No Adjustment Business Day Convention shall apply to the Effective Date.

3.1.3 **Termination Date.**

"Termination Date" means the date specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose), which date is the last day of the Term of the Transaction. Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the No Adjustment Business Day Convention shall apply to the Termination Date.

3.1.4 Exchange Date.

"Exchange Date" means an Initial Exchange Date, Interim Exchange Date or Final Exchange Date, as applicable.

3.1.5 Initial Exchange Date.

"Initial Exchange Date" means:

- (i) the date specified as such in the Confirmation; or
- (ii) if a date is not specified but an Initial Exchange Amount is specified, the Effective Date.

Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Following Business Day Convention shall apply to the Initial Exchange Date.

3.1.6 Interim Exchange Date.

"Interim Exchange Date" means each date specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose). Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Modified Following Business Day Convention shall apply to each Interim Exchange Date.

3.1.7 Final Exchange Date.

"Final Exchange Date" means:

- (i) the date specified as such in the Confirmation; or
- (ii) if a date is not specified but a Final Exchange Amount is specified, the Termination Date.

Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Modified Following Business Day Convention shall apply to the Final Exchange Date.

3.1.8 Payment Date.

"Payment Date" means, in respect of a party, and subject to Section 3.1.10 (Business Day Convention for Payment Dates):

- (i) if Payment Dates are specified in the Confirmation or otherwise determined for the Transaction or that party, each day during the Term of the Transaction that is so specified or determined, and the Termination Date. However, a Payment Date in respect of a Fixed Amount Payer may be specified as a day prior to the Effective Date where a Fixed Amount is payable upfront including where the Floating Amounts payable by the Floating Amount Payer are calculated by reference to a Cap Rate or Floor Rate;
- (ii) if "FRN Convention" and an interval of calendar months is specified in respect of a Payment Date for the Transaction or that party, each day during the Term of the Transaction at the specified interval determined in accordance with Section 3.1.13 (Application of FRN Convention), and the Termination Date; and
- (iii) if "Delayed Payment" or "Early Payment" is specified for the Transaction or that party, each day determined in accordance with Section 3.1.9 (*Delayed Payment and Early Payment*).

3.1.9 Delayed Payment and Early Payment.

- (i) If "Delayed Payment" and a period of days are specified for the Transaction or a party, and Period End Dates are established for the Transaction or that party, the Payment Date shall be the day that is the specified number of days after the applicable Period End Date or after the Termination Date.
- (ii) If "Early Payment" and a period of days are specified for the Transaction or a party, and Period End Dates are established for the Transaction or that party, the Payment Date shall be the day that is the specified number of days before the applicable Period End Date or before the Termination Date.

3.1.10 Business Day Convention for Payment Dates.

Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Modified Following Business Day Convention shall apply to each Payment Date determined in accordance with paragraphs (i) and (iii) of Section 3.1.8 (Payment Date) and Section 3.1.9 (Delayed Payment and Early Payment).

3.1.11 Period End Date.

"Period End Date" means, in respect of a party and subject to Section 3.1.12 (Business Day Convention for Period End Dates):

- (i) if Period End Dates are not specified or otherwise determined for the Transaction or that party, each date specified as a Payment Date applicable to that party;
- (ii) if Period End Dates are specified or otherwise determined for the Transaction or that party, each day during the Term of the Transaction that is so specified or determined;
- (iii) if:
 - (a) "FRN Convention" and an interval of calendar months is specified in respect of a Period End Date for the Transaction or that party; and
 - (b) "Delayed Payment" or "Early Payment" is specified for the Transaction or that party,

each day during the Term of the Transaction at the specified interval, determined in accordance with Section 3.1.13 (*Application of FRN Convention*).

3.1.12 Business Day Convention for Period End Dates.

Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation:

- (i) the Business Day Convention that applies to Payment Dates shall apply to each Period End Date determined in accordance with paragraph (i) of Section 3.1.11 (*Period End Date*); and
- (ii) the Modified Following Business Day Convention shall apply to each Period End Date that is specified or determined in accordance with paragraph (ii) of Section 3.1.11 (*Period End Date*).

However, if "Actual/Actual (ICMA)" or "Act/Act (ICMA)" is the applicable Day Count Fraction, then the No Adjustment Business Day Convention shall apply to Period End Dates.¹

3.1.13 Application of FRN Convention.

If "FRN Convention" applies to the Payment Dates or Period End Dates for a party, those Payment Dates or Period End Dates (as applicable) shall be determined as follows:

- (i) the first Payment Date or Period End Date shall be the day, numerically corresponding to the Effective Date, that falls in the calendar month that is the specified number of months after the one in which the Effective Date occurred;
- (ii) each subsequent Payment Date or Period End Date shall be the day, numerically corresponding to the immediately preceding Payment Date or Period End Date (as the case may be), that falls in the calendar month that is the specified number of months after the one in which that preceding Payment Date or Period End Date occurred. However:
 - (a) if there is no such numerically corresponding day in the calendar month in which the relevant Payment Date or Period End Date should occur, then that Payment Date or Period End Date shall be the last Business Day in that month;
 - (b) if the relevant preceding Payment Date or Period End Date occurred on a Business Day that was the last day in a calendar month, then all subsequent Payment Dates or Period End Dates (as the case may be) of the relevant party prior to the Termination Date shall be the last Business Day in the calendar month that is the specified number of months after the one in which that preceding Payment Date or Period End Date occurred; and
- (iii) the Modified Following Business Day Convention shall apply to a Payment Date or Period End Date that would otherwise fall on a day that is not a Business Day.

3.1.14 **IMM Dates.**

(i) "IMM Settlement Dates" means, in respect of a Calculation Period and a currency or a Floating Rate Option for which contracts are written on the International Money Market Section of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, each day during that Calculation Period that is specified by the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, pursuant to its contract specifications, as a "First Delivery Date" for such currency or Floating Rate Option. References in the Confirmation to "IMM" shall be construed as a reference to IMM Settlement Dates.

In accordance with ICMA Rule 251, if a payment date falls on a non-business day, the number of days in the accrual period will not adjust. Accordingly, when "Actual/Actual (ICMA)" is specified as the Day Count Fraction, the Calculation Period should not adjust if the Period End Date falls on a day that is not a Business Day.

- (ii) "IMM AUD" means, in respect of a Calculation Period and a Currency Amount or Notional Amount denominated in AUD, the last trading day of the Sydney Futures Exchange 90 Day Bank Accepted Bills Futures contract.
- (iii) "IMM CAD" means, in respect of a Calculation Period and a Calculation Amount denominated in CAD, the last trading day of the Canadian Derivatives Exchange (Bourse de Montréal) 3-Month Canadian Bankers' Acceptance Futures contract. If the determined day is not a Business Day in Montreal or Toronto or is not a day on which the Bourse de Montréal is open for trading, the last trading day shall be the previous Business Day in Montreal or Toronto on which the Bourse de Montréal is open for trading.
- (iv) "IMM NZD" means, in respect of a Calculation Period and a Calculation Amount denominated in NZD, the last trading day of the Sydney Futures Exchange NZ 90 Day Bank Bill Futures contract.
- (v) "IMM Dates" means any of IMM Settlement Dates, IMM AUD, IMM CAD and IMM NZD.

3.1.15 EOM Convention.

"EOM Convention", "EOM" or "End-of-month" means the last calendar day of each month during the Term of the Transaction.

3.2 **Periods.**

3.2.1 **Term.**

"Term" means the period commencing on the Effective Date and ending on the Termination Date.

3.2.2 Calculation Period.

"Calculation Period" means each period from, and including, one Period End Date for the relevant party to, but excluding, the next following applicable Period End Date during the Term of the Transaction, except that:

- (i) the initial Calculation Period will commence on, and include, the Effective Date; and
- (ii) the final Calculation Period will end on, but exclude, the Termination Date.

3.3 Adjustment Hierarchy.

3.3.1 Payment Date(s) specified by reference to other dates.

Except as otherwise specified in a Confirmation, if one or more Payment Dates are specified as Period End Date(s) or the Termination Date:

- (i) the Payment Date for a Calculation Period will be (a) the Period End Date for that Calculation Period, or (b) in the case of the final Calculation Period, the Termination Date, without adjustment for any Business Day Convention that applies to that Period End Date or Termination Date but subject to adjustment in accordance with the Business Day Convention that applies to Payment Dates; and
- (ii) neither the Termination Date nor any Period End Date will be adjusted in accordance with the Business Day Convention that applies to Payment Dates solely because it is specified as a Payment Date.

3.3.2 Period End Date(s) specified by reference to other dates.

- (i) Except as otherwise specified in a Confirmation, if one or more Period End Dates are specified as Payment Date(s):
 - (a) the Period End Date for a Calculation Period will be the Payment Date for that Calculation Period without adjustment for any Business Day Convention that applies to that Payment Date but subject to adjustment in accordance with the Business Day Convention that applies to Period End Dates; and
 - (b) no Payment Date shall be adjusted in accordance with the Business Day Convention that applies to Period End Dates solely because it is specified as a Period End Date.
- (ii) Paragraph (i) above is without prejudice to paragraph (i) of Section 3.1.11 (*Period End Date*) and paragraph (i) of Section 3.1.12 (*Business Day Convention for Period End Dates*), which set out the days and adjustments applicable to the Period End Dates when no Period End Dates are specified or otherwise determined for the Transaction.

SECTION 4 CERTAIN PAYMENTS, CALCULATIONS AND CORRECTIONS

4.1 **Initial Exchange Amount.**

4.1.1 Payment of Initial Exchange Amount.

The party to which an Initial Exchange Amount relates shall pay the Initial Exchange Amount to the other party on the Initial Exchange Date.

4.1.2 Initial Exchange Amount.

"Initial Exchange Amount" means an amount that is specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose).

4.2 Interim Exchange Amount.

4.2.1 Payment of Interim Exchange Amount.

The party to which an Interim Exchange Amount relates shall pay the Interim Exchange Amount to the other party on the applicable Interim Exchange Date.

4.2.2 Interim Exchange Amount.

"Interim Exchange Amount" means an amount that is specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose).

4.3 Final Exchange Amount.

4.3.1 Payment of Final Exchange Amount.

The party to which a Final Exchange Amount relates shall pay the Final Exchange Amount to the other party on the applicable Final Exchange Date.

4.3.2 Final Exchange Amount.

"Final Exchange Amount" means an amount that is specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose).

4.4 Calculation Amount.

4.4.1 Calculation Amount.

"Calculation Amount" means the applicable Notional Amount or Currency Amount, as the case may be.

4.4.2 Notional Amount.

"Notional Amount" means:

- in respect of a Transaction involving one currency, other than an Option Transaction or a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies, the amount specified as such for the Transaction; and
- (ii) in respect of any Option Transaction or a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies:

- (a) if the Underlying Transaction or the Transaction, as appropriate, involves one currency, the amount specified as the Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction or the Transaction, as appropriate; or
- (b) if the Underlying Transaction or the Transaction, as appropriate, involves more than one currency, the Currency Amount in respect of the Buyer,

in each case as reduced or increased in accordance with any relevant terms set out in the Confirmation or as set out in Section 11 (*Mark-to-Market Currency Swaps*) for amortizing or increasing the Notional Amount or Currency Amount, as applicable.

4.4.3 Currency Amount.

"Currency Amount" means, subject to Section 11.4.9 (*Variable Currency Amount*), in respect of any Calculation Period for a Transaction involving more than one currency, the amount specified as such for the Transaction or a party.

4.5 Relating Payments to Calculation Periods.

4.5.1 Fixed Amount or Floating Amount.

Unless otherwise provided for in respect of a Transaction or a party, the Fixed Amount or Floating Amount applicable to a Payment Date will be the Fixed Amount or Floating Amount calculated with reference to the Calculation Period ending on, but excluding, the Period End Date that is (or is closest in time to) that Payment Date or, in the case of the final Calculation Period, ending on, but excluding, the Termination Date.

4.5.2 Discounted Amount, FRA Amount or FRA Yield Amount.

Unless otherwise provided for in respect of a Transaction or a party, a Discounted Amount, FRA Amount or FRA Yield Amount applicable to a Payment Date will be the Discounted Amount, as applicable, calculated with reference to the Calculation Period commencing on, and including, the Period End Date that is (or is closest in time to) that Payment Date or, in the case of the initial Calculation Period, commencing on, and including, the Effective Date.

4.6 **Day Count Fractions.**

4.6.1 **Day Count Fraction.**

"Day Count Fraction" means, in respect of the calculation of a Fixed Amount, a Floating Amount, a Compounding Amount, a Discounted Amount or a FRA Amount:

- (i) if "1/1" is specified, 1;
- (ii) if "Actual/Actual", "Actual/Actual (ISDA)", "Act/Act" or "Act/Act (ISDA)" is specified, the actual number of days in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period in respect of which the calculation is being made divided by 365 (or, if any portion of that Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls in a leap year, the sum of (1) the actual number of days in that portion of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falling in a leap year divided by 366 and (2) the actual number of days in that portion of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falling in a non-leap year divided by 365), calculated as follows:

Day Count Fraction=
$$\binom{D_{NLY}}{365} + \binom{D_{LY}}{366}$$

- (a) "**D**_{NLY}" is the actual number of days in that portion of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falling in a non-leap year; and
- (b) "**D**_{LY}" is the actual number of days in that portion of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falling in a leap year;
- (iii) if "Actual/Actual (ICMA)" or "Act/Act (ICMA)" is specified, a fraction calculated in accordance with Rule 251 of the statutes, by-laws, rules and recommendations of the International Capital Market Association (or any successor thereto), as applied to non-U.S. Dollar denominated straight and convertible bonds issued after December 31, 1998, as though the interest coupon on a bond were being calculated for a coupon period corresponding to the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period;
- (iv) if "Actual/365 (Fixed)", "Act/365 (Fixed)", "A/365 (Fixed)" or "A/365F" is specified, the actual number of days in the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period divided by 365, calculated as follows:

Day Count Fraction =
$$\binom{D_P}{365}$$

- (a) "**D**_P" is the actual number of days in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period in respect of which the calculation is being made;
- (v) if "Actual/360", "Act/360" or "A/360" is specified, the actual number of days in the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period divided by 360, calculated as follows:

Day Count Fraction =
$$\binom{D_p}{360}$$

where:

- (a) "**D**_P" is the actual number of days in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period in respect of which the calculation is being made;
- (vi) if "30/360", "360/360" or "Bond Basis" is specified, the number of days in the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period divided by 360, calculated as follows:

Day Count Fraction =
$$\frac{[360 \times (Y_2 - Y_1)] + [30 \times (M_2 - M_1)] + (D_2 - D_1)}{360}$$

- (a) "Y1" is the year, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;
- (b) "Y2" is the year, expressed as a number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;
- (c) "M₁" is the calendar month, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;
- (d) "M₂" is the calendar month, expressed as number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;

- (e) "D₁" is the first calendar day, expressed as a number, of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period, unless that number would be 31, in which case D₁ will be 30; and
- (f) "D₂" is the calendar day, expressed as a number, immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period, unless that number would be 31 and D₁ is greater than 29, in which case D₂ will be 30;
- (vii) if "30E/360" or "Eurobond Basis" is specified, the number of days in the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period divided by 360, calculated as follows:

Day Count Fraction =
$$\frac{[360 \times (Y_2 - Y_1)] + [30 \times (M_2 - M_1)] + (D_2 - D_1)}{360}$$

- (a) "Y₁" is the year, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;
- (b) "Y₂" is the year, expressed as a number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;
- (c) "M₁" is the calendar month, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;
- (d) "M₂" is the calendar month, expressed as a number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;
- (e) "D₁" is the first calendar day, expressed as a number, of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period, unless that number would be 31, in which case D₁ will be 30; and
- (f) "**D**₂" is the calendar day, expressed as a number, immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period, unless that number would be 31, in which case D₂ will be 30;
- (viii) if "30E/360 (ISDA)" is specified, the number of days in the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period divided by 360, calculated as follows:

Day Count Fraction =
$$\frac{[360 \times (Y_2 - Y_1)] + [30 \times (M_2 - M_1)] + (D_2 - D_1)}{360}$$

- (a) "Y₁" is the year, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;
- (b) "Y₂" is the year, expressed as a number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;
- (c) " M_1 " is the calendar month, expressed as a number, in which the first day of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;
- (d) "M₂" is the calendar month, expressed as a number, in which the day immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period falls;

- (e) "D₁" is the first calendar day, expressed as a number, of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period, unless (1) that day is the last day of February or (2) that number would be 31, in which case D₁ will be 30; and
- (f) "D₂" is the calendar day, expressed as a number, immediately following the last day included in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period, unless (1) that day is the last day of February but not the Termination Date or (2) that number would be 31, in which case D₂ will be 30;
- (ix) if "Act/365L" is specified, the actual number of days in the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period divided by 365 (or, if the later Period End Date of the Calculation Period or Compounding Date of the Compounding Period falls in a leap year, divided by 366), calculated as follows:

Day Count Fraction =
$$\binom{D_P}{365}$$
; or

Day Count Fraction =
$$\binom{D_{PLY}}{366}$$

- (a) "DP" is the actual number of days in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period in respect of which the calculation is being made, for which the later Period End Date of the Calculation Period or Compounding Date of the Compounding Period falls in a nonleap year; and
- (b) "DPLY" is the actual number of days in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period in respect of which the calculation is being made, for which the later Period End Date of the Calculation Period or Compounding Date of the Compounding Period falls in a leap year;
- (x) if "Calculation/252" is specified, the actual number of Calculation Days in the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period divided by 252, calculated as follows:

Day Count Fraction =
$$\binom{D_{CDp}}{252}$$

- (a) "Calculation Days" or "D_{CDp}" is, unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, in respect of the relevant Floating Amount or Fixed Amount to which this Day Count Fraction applies, the Business Days in the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period determined by reference to the Business Day and Business Day Convention applicable to the determination of such Floating Amount or Fixed Amount, as applicable; and
- (xi) if "RBA Bond Basis" is specified:
 - (a) if Calculation Periods for the Transaction are three months in length (excluding any shorter or longer first and last Calculation Period), 0.25, except that if the first Calculation Period or the final Calculation Period is less than three months, "Actual/Actual (ISDA)" shall apply to that Calculation Period;
 - (b) if Calculation Periods for the Transaction are six months in length (excluding any shorter or longer first and last Calculation Period), 0.5, except that if the first

- Calculation Period or the final Calculation Period is less than six months, "Actual/Actual (ISDA)" shall apply to that Calculation Period; and
- (c) if Calculation Periods for the Transaction are twelve months in length (excluding any shorter or longer first and last Calculation Period), 1, except that if the first Calculation Period or the final Calculation Period is less than twelve months, "Actual/Actual (ISDA)" shall apply to that Calculation Period.

4.7 **Discounting.**

4.7.1 Standard Discounting.

(i) In respect of a Transaction to which "Discounting" applies, a Discounted Amount for any Calculation Period of one year or less shall be calculated by dividing the Fixed Amount or the Floating Amount, as the case may be, for that Calculation Period by an amount equal to:

- (ii) Subject to Section 5.5 (Fixed Negative Interest Rates) and Section 6.8 (Floating Negative Interest Rates):
 - (a) the Fixed Amount Payer shall pay the Discounted Amount relating to a Fixed Amount to the other party on the applicable Payment Date; and
 - (b) the Floating Amount Payer shall pay the Discounted Amount relating to a Floating Amount to the other party on the applicable Payment Date.
- (iii) "Discounted Amount" means a discounted Floating Amount or Fixed Amount determined in accordance with paragraph (i) above.

4.7.2 FRA Discounting.

- (i) In respect of a Transaction to which "FRA Discounting" applies, a FRA Amount in respect of any Calculation Period of one year or less shall be calculated, instead of calculating a Fixed Amount and a Floating Amount for that Calculation Period.
- (ii) "FRA Amount" means an amount calculated in accordance with the following formula:

$$\frac{\text{Calculation Amount} \times \left\{ \begin{matrix} \text{(Floating Rate Floating Rate} \\ +\text{Spread} \end{matrix} \right. \times \left. \begin{matrix} \text{Day Count} \\ -\text{Fixed Rate} \end{matrix} \right. \\ \frac{\text{Discounting}}{\text{I+} \left\{ \begin{matrix} \text{Discounting Rate} \times \text{Day Count} \\ \text{Fraction} \end{matrix} \right\} }$$

- (iii) If the FRA Amount calculated in accordance with this Section 4.7.2 for any Calculation Period is:
 - (a) positive:
 - (I) the Floating Amount Payer shall pay to the Fixed Amount Payer the FRA Amount on the Payment Date in respect of that Calculation Period; and
 - (II) the Fixed Amount Payer shall not be required to pay any FRA Amount in respect of that Calculation Period;

- (b) negative:
 - (I) the Fixed Amount Payer shall pay to the Floating Amount Payer the absolute value of the FRA Amount on the Payment Date in respect of that Calculation Period; and
 - (II) the Floating Amount Payer shall not be required to pay any FRA Amount in respect of that Calculation Period.

4.7.3 **Discounting Rate.**

"Discounting Rate" means:

- (i) if a rate is specified as such in the Confirmation, the rate specified, expressed as a decimal;
- (ii) if a Discounting Rate is not specified and "Discounting" applies, the Fixed Rate or Floating Rate used to calculate the amount being discounted; or
- (iii) if a Discounting Rate is not specified and "FRA Discounting" applies, the Floating Rate for that Calculation Period plus the Spread.

4.7.4 **Discounting Day Count Fraction.**

"Discounting Day Count Fraction" means:

- (i) if a Discounting Day Count Fraction is specified as such in the Confirmation, the Day Count Fraction specified;
- (ii) if a Discounting Day Count Fraction is not specified and "Discounting" applies, the Day Count Fraction used to calculate the amount being discounted; or
- (iii) if a Discounting Day Count Fraction is not specified and "FRA Discounting" applies, the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction.

4.7.5 FRA Yield Discounting.

- (i) In respect of a Transaction to which "FRA Yield Discounting" applies, a FRA Yield Amount in respect of any Calculation Period of one year or less shall be calculated as set out in paragraph (ii) below.
- (ii) "FRA Yield Amount" means an amount calculated in accordance with the following formula:

$$Calculation \ Amount \times 365 \times \left\{ \frac{1}{365 + (R_1 \times ND)} - \frac{1}{365 + (R_2 \times ND)} \right\}$$

where:

(a) "R₁" is (1) if the Transaction is a forward rate transaction, the sum of the Floating Rate and the Spread in respect of the relevant Payment Date, expressed as a decimal and (2) if the Confirmation specifies a Cap Rate or a Floor Rate, the sum of the rate determined pursuant to Section 6.3.1 (Floating Rate), Section 6.3.2 (Unweighted Average Floating Rate) or Section 6.3.3 (Weighted Average Floating Rate), as applicable, in relation to that Cap Rate or Floor Rate and the Spread in respect of the relevant Payment Date, expressed as a decimal;

- (b) "R2" is (1) if the Transaction is a forward rate transaction, the Fixed Rate, expressed as a decimal and (2) if the Confirmation specifies a Cap Rate or a Floor Rate, that Cap Rate or Floor Rate, expressed as a decimal; and
- (c) "ND" is the actual number of days in the Calculation Period.
- (iii) If the FRA Yield Amount calculated in accordance with this Section 4.7.5 for any Calculation Period is:
 - (a) positive and the Transaction is a forward rate transaction:
 - (I) the Fixed Amount Payer shall pay to the Floating Amount Payer the FRA Yield Amount instead of the Fixed Amount on the Payment Date in respect of that Calculation Period; and
 - (II) the Floating Amount Payer's obligation to pay any Floating Amount in respect of that Calculation Period will be automatically satisfied and discharged;
 - (b) negative and the Transaction is a forward rate transaction:
 - (I) the Floating Amount Payer shall pay to the Fixed Amount Payer the absolute value of the FRA Yield Amount instead of the Floating Amount on the Payment Date in respect of that Calculation Period; and
 - (II) the Fixed Amount Payer's obligation to pay any Fixed Amount in respect of that Calculation Period will be automatically satisfied and discharged;
 - (c) positive and the Confirmation specifies a Floor Rate, the Floating Amount Payer shall pay to the Fixed Amount Payer the FRA Yield Amount instead of the Floating Amount on the Payment Date in respect of that Calculation Period; or
 - (d) negative and the Confirmation specifies a Cap Rate, the Floating Amount Payer shall pay to the Fixed Amount Payer the absolute value of the FRA Yield Amount instead of the Floating Amount on the Payment Date in respect of that Calculation Period.
- (iv) Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, "FRA Yield Discounting" shall apply to a Transaction which is identified in the Confirmation as an AUD forward rate transaction, AUD Cap Transaction, AUD Floor Transaction, AUD rate collar transaction, NZD forward rate transaction, NZD Cap Transaction, NZD Floor Transaction or NZD rate collar transaction.

4.8 **Rounding.**

For the purposes of any calculations referred to in the 2021 Definitions, unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation or in the 2021 Definitions (including in the Currency/Business Day Matrix or, in respect of a Compounded Floating Rate Option or an Overnight Floating Rate Option used in conjunction with an Overnight Rate Compounding Method or an Overnight Rate Averaging Method or a Compounded Index Floating Rate Option used in connection with an Index Method, in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix), the rounding conventions set out in Section 4.8.1 (*Rounding of Percentages*) and Section 4.8.2 (*Rounding of Amounts*) shall apply.

4.8.1 Rounding of Percentages.

All percentages resulting from a calculation will be rounded (if necessary):

(i) if determined other than through the use of interpolation by reference to two rates based on a Floating Rate Option, to the nearest one hundred-thousandth of a percentage point (e.g.,

- 9.876541% (or 0.09876541) being rounded down to 9.87654% (or 0.0987654) and 9.876545% (or 0.09876545) being rounded up to 9.87655% (or 0.0987655); and -9.876541% (or -0.09876541) being rounded up to -9.87654% (or -0.0987654) and -9.876545% (or -0.09876545) being rounded down to -9.87655% (or -0.0987655)); or
- (ii) if determined through the use of interpolation by reference to two rates based on a Floating Rate Option, in accordance with the method set forth in paragraph (i) above, but to the same degree of accuracy as the two rates used to make the determination (except that such percentages will not be rounded to a lower degree of accuracy than the nearest one thousandth of a percentage point (0.001%)).

4.8.2 Rounding of Amounts.

- (i) All currency amounts used in or resulting from a calculation will be rounded:
 - (a) in the manner indicated for the relevant currency under "Currency Specific Provision / Rounding of Amounts" in the Currency/Business Day Matrix; or
 - (b) if no rounding method is specified in relation to that currency in the Currency/Business Day Matrix, to the nearest two decimal places in the relevant currency (with 0.005 being rounded upwards (e.g., 0.674 being rounded down to 0.67 and 0.675 being rounded up to 0.68)).
- (ii) However, if any such currency amount is a negative amount and any of "Zero Interest Rate Method Excluding Spread", "Floating Negative Interest Rate Method" or "Fixed Negative Interest Rate Method" applies to that currency amount, then the provisions pursuant to "Zero Interest Rate Method Excluding Spread", "Floating Negative Interest Rate Method" or "Fixed Negative Interest Rate Method", as applicable, shall apply prior to that currency amount being rounded up or down.

4.9 Straight Compounding, Flat Compounding and Spread Exclusive Compounding.

For the purposes of the calculation of a Fixed Amount or a Floating Amount, where "Straight Compounding", "Flat Compounding" or "Spread Exclusive Compounding" applies, the provisions set out in this Section 4.9 shall apply, as applicable.

4.9.1 **Compounding Period.**

"Compounding Period" means, in respect of a Calculation Period, each period from, and including, one Compounding Date to, but excluding, the next following Compounding Date during that Calculation Period, except that:

- (i) the initial Compounding Period for a Transaction or a party will commence on, and include, the Effective Date; and
- (ii) the final Compounding Period for a Transaction or a party will end on, but exclude, the Termination Date.

4.9.2 Compounding Date.

"Compounding Date" means each day during the Term of a Transaction specified as such (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose) for the Transaction or a party. The Business Day Convention applicable to Period End Dates in respect of the Transaction or a party shall apply to a Compounding Date for the Transaction or that party.

4.9.3 CNY 7-Repo Compounding Date.

"CNY 7-Repo Compounding Date" means, in respect of each Calculation Period, the day that is the seventh calendar day following the immediately preceding CNY 7-Repo Compounding Date, provided that the first CNY 7-Repo Compounding Date will be the first day of such Calculation Period. Notwithstanding Section 4.9.2 (Compounding Date), CNY 7-Repo Compounding Dates, other than those falling on the Effective Date or Termination Date, will not be subject to adjustment in accordance with the Business Day Convention.

4.9.4 Compounding Amount.

"Compounding Amount" means a Straight Compounding Amount, a Flat Compounding Period Amount or a Spread Exclusive Compounding Amount, as applicable.

4.9.5 Straight Compounding Amount.

"Straight Compounding Amount" means, for any Calculation Period, an amount calculated as follows:

Straight Compounding Amount = Calculation Amount x
$$\left\{ \prod_{t=1}^{T} [1+(R_t+S)x d_t] - 1 \right\}$$

where:

- "d_t" means the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction or Fixed Rate Day Count Fraction, as applicable, for Compounding Period t;
- (ii) "R_t" means the Floating Rate or Fixed Rate, as applicable, for Compounding Period t;
- (iii) "S" means the Spread, if applicable; and
- (iv) "T" means the number of Compounding Periods in the relevant Calculation Period.

4.9.6 Flat Compounding Period Amount.

"Flat Compounding Period Amount" means:

(i) for the first Compounding Period in any related Calculation Period, an amount calculated for that Compounding Period as follows:

Flat Compounding Period Amount = Calculation Amount \times (R_1+S) \times d_1

where:

- (a) "d₁" means the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction for the first Compounding Period;
- (b) "R₁" means the Floating Rate for the first Compounding Period;
- (c) "S" means the Spread; and
- (ii) for each subsequent Compounding Period t in any related Calculation Period, an amount calculated for that Compounding Period as follows:

$$Flat \ Compounding \ Period \ Amount = Calculation \ Amount \times (R_t + S) \times d_t + \left(\sum_{i=1}^{t-1} CPA_i\right) \times R_t \times d_t$$

- (a) "CPA_i" means the Flat Compounding Period Amount for Compounding Period i;
- (b) "d_t" means the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction for Compounding Period t;
- (c) "R_t" means the Floating Rate for Compounding Period t; and
- (d) "S" means the Spread.

4.9.7 Spread Exclusive Compounding Amount.

"Spread Exclusive Compounding Amount" means, for any Calculation Period, an amount calculated as follows:

Spread Exclusive Compounding Amount = Calculation Amount ×
$$\left[\prod_{t=1}^{T} (1 + R_t \times d_t) - 1 + (S \times d)\right]$$

where:

- (i) "d" means the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction for the relevant Calculation Period;
- (ii) "d_t" means the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction for Compounding Period t;
- (iii) "R_t" means the Floating Rate for Compounding Period t;
- (iv) "S" means the Spread; and
- (v) "T" means the number of Compounding Periods in the relevant Calculation Period.

4.10 Successor Sources.

4.10.1 Successor Source.

"Successor Source" means, in respect of any specified display page, other published source, information vendor or provider:

- (i) the successor display page, other published source, information vendor or provider that has been officially designated by the sponsor of the original page or source; or
- (ii) if the sponsor has not officially designated a successor display page, other published source, service or provider (as the case may be), the successor display page, other published source, service or provider, if any, designated by the relevant information vendor or provider (if different from the sponsor),

or, in each case, any future successor source that succeeds or replaces such information source following a designation by the sponsor or information vendor or provider of that information source.

4.11 Corrections.

4.11.1 Corrections to Published and Displayed Rates.

If a Relevant Rate, Settlement Rate or Currency Exchange Rate (other than any Excluded Rate) for any day is based on a benchmark provided by an Administrator:

- (i) it will be subject to any corrections to the level of the benchmark subsequently provided by the Administrator and published within the Correction Time Period; and
- (ii) if one party notifies the other party of any correction referred to in paragraph (i) above no later than 15 days after the expiration of the Correction Time Period, an appropriate amount shall be payable, as calculated by the Calculation Agent, as a result of that correction upon demand

by a party to the other party (whether the correction or demand is made before or after the Termination Date).

4.11.2 Correction Time Period.

"Correction Time Period" means:

- (i) in respect of a Floating Rate Option, the period commencing at the time the level for that Floating Rate Option is first displayed and ending at the time specified in the Floating Rate Matrix as the "Correction Cut-off Time" or, if no time is specified, the longer of one hour and the period for corrections specified by the Administrator in the Administrator's benchmark methodology at the relevant time; and
- (ii) in respect of a Settlement Rate or Currency Exchange Rate, the longer of one hour and the period for corrections specified by the Administrator in the Administrator's benchmark methodology.

4.11.3 Excluded Rate.

"Excluded Rate" means any Relevant Rate determined by reference to Fallback Rate (AONIA), Fallback Rate (CORRA), Fallback Rate (EuroSTR), Fallback Rate (HONIA), Fallback Rate (SARON), Fallback Rate (SOFR), Fallback Rate (SONIA), Fallback Rate (SOR), Fallback Rate (THBFIX) or Fallback Rate (TONA).

SECTION 5 FIXED AMOUNTS

5.1 Fixed Amount.

5.1.1 Payment of Fixed Amounts.

Subject to Section 5.5 (*Fixed Negative Interest Rates*), the Fixed Amount Payer shall pay the Fixed Amount on the applicable Payment Date.

5.1.2 Fixed Amount.

"Fixed Amount" means, in respect of a Fixed Amount Payer, an amount that is:

- (i) specified in the Confirmation or determined pursuant to a method specified in the Confirmation; or
- (ii) determined as provided in this Section 5.

5.1.3 Fixed Amount Payer.

"Fixed Amount Payer" means the party specified as such in the Confirmation.

5.2 Calculation of a Fixed Amount.

Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Fixed Amount payable by a party in respect of a Payment Date shall be determined as set out below in this Section 5.2.

5.2.1 Specified Fixed Amount.

If an amount is specified for the Transaction as the Fixed Amount payable by that party for that Payment Date or for the related Calculation Period, that amount.

5.2.2 Fixed Amount – Non-Compounded.

Subject to Section 5.2.3 (*Fixed Amount – Straight Compounding*), if an amount is not specified for the Transaction as the Fixed Amount payable by that party for that Payment Date or for the related Calculation Period, an amount calculated for that Payment Date or for the related Calculation Period as follows:

Fixed Amount = Calculation Amount x Fixed Rate x Fixed Rate Day Count Fraction

5.2.3 Fixed Amount – Straight Compounding.

If "Straight Compounding" applies to the Transaction or that party, an amount equal to the Straight Compounding Amount for the related Calculation Period.

5.3 Fixed Rate.

"Fixed Rate" means, for any Payment Date or for any Calculation Period in respect of a Payment Date, a rate, expressed as a decimal, equal to the per annum rate specified as such for the Transaction or a party (or as determined pursuant to a method specified in the Confirmation for that purpose).

5.4 Fixed Rate Day Count Fraction.

"Fixed Rate Day Count Fraction" means, in respect of any calculation of a Fixed Amount, the Fixed Rate Day Count Fraction specified for the Transaction or the Fixed Amount Payer.

5.5 Fixed Negative Interest Rates.

5.5.1 Default application of Fixed Negative Interest Rate Method.

Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, "Fixed Negative Interest Rate Method" shall apply to a Transaction.

5.5.2 Payment of Fixed Amounts.

If "Fixed Negative Interest Rate Method" applies and the Fixed Amount payable by a party on a Payment Date has a negative value, then:

- (i) the Fixed Amount payable by that party on that Payment Date shall be deemed to be zero;
- (ii) the other party shall pay to that party the absolute value of the negative Fixed Amount as calculated, in addition to any amounts otherwise payable by the other party for the related Calculation Period, on that Payment Date; and
- (iii) any amounts paid by the other party with respect to the absolute value of a negative Fixed Amount shall be paid to the account designated by the receiving party (unless that other party gives timely notice of a reasonable objection to that designation) in the currency in which that Fixed Amount would have been paid if it had been a positive value (and without regard to the currency in which the other party is otherwise required to make payments).

SECTION 6 FLOATING AMOUNTS

6.1 Floating Amount.

6.1.1 Payment of Floating Amount.

Subject to Section 6.8 (*Floating Negative Interest Rates*), the Floating Amount Payer shall pay the Floating Amount on the applicable Payment Date.

6.1.2 Floating Amount Payer.

"Floating Amount Payer" means the party specified as such in the Confirmation.

6.1.3 Floating Amount.

"Floating Amount" means, in respect of a Floating Amount Payer, an amount that is:

- (i) determined pursuant to a method specified in the Confirmation; or
- (ii) determined as provided in Section 6.2 (Calculation of a Floating Amount).

6.2 Calculation of a Floating Amount.

Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation and subject to Section 6.8 (*Floating Negative Interest Rates*), the Floating Amount payable by a party on a Payment Date shall be determined in accordance with this Section 6.2.

6.2.1 Floating Amount.

If "Straight Compounding", "Flat Compounding" or "Spread Exclusive Compounding" does not apply for the Transaction or that party, the Floating Amount shall be an amount calculated for that Payment Date or for the related Calculation Period as follows:

Calculation Amount × (Floating Rate + Spread) × Floating Rate Day Count Fraction

6.2.2 Floating Amount – Straight Compounding.

If "Straight Compounding" applies to the Transaction or that party, the Floating Amount shall be an amount equal to the Straight Compounding Amount for the related Calculation Period.

6.2.3 Floating Amount – Flat Compounding.

If "Flat Compounding" applies to the Transaction or that party, the Floating Amount shall be an amount equal to the sum of the Flat Compounding Period Amounts for each of the Compounding Periods in the related Calculation Period.

6.2.4 Floating Amount – Spread Exclusive Compounding.

If "Spread Exclusive Compounding" applies to the Transaction or that party, the Floating Amount shall be an amount equal to the Spread Exclusive Compounding Amount for the related Calculation Period.

6.3 **Determination of the Floating Rate.**

6.3.1 Floating Rate.

"Floating Rate" means, subject as further set out in this Section 6.3, for any Calculation Period, Compounding Period or Reset Date, a rate, expressed as a decimal, equal to:

- (i) if a per annum rate, or a method for determining a per annum rate, is specified for the Transaction or a party to be the Floating Rate applicable to that Calculation Period, Compounding Period or Reset Date, the Floating Rate specified or determined in accordance with the method specified; or
- (ii) if paragraph (i) above does not apply and only one Reset Date is specified for the Transaction or a party during (or in respect of) that Calculation Period or Compounding Period, the Relevant Rate for that Reset Date.

6.3.2 Unweighted Average Floating Rate.

If more than one Reset Date is established for the Transaction or a party during (or in respect of) a Calculation Period or Compounding Period and either:

- (i) "Unweighted Average" is specified to apply; or
- (ii) neither "Unweighted Average" nor "Weighted Average" is specified to apply and no other method is specified as a "Method of Averaging" in the Confirmation,

the Floating Rate shall be the arithmetic mean of the Relevant Rates for each of those Reset Dates.

6.3.3 Weighted Average Floating Rate.

If more than one Reset Date is established for the Transaction or a party during (or in respect of) a Calculation Period or Compounding Period and "Weighted Average" is specified to apply, the Floating Rate shall be the arithmetic mean of the Relevant Rates in effect for each day in that Calculation Period or Compounding Period, calculated as follows:

$$\frac{\sum_{i}^{n} R_{i} D_{i}}{d}$$

where:

- (i) "i" is a series of whole numbers from 1 to n, representing each different Relevant Rate in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period;
- (ii) "R_i" means the Relevant Rate i;
- (iii) " \mathbf{D}_i " means the number of days in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period on which the rate R_i is in effect;
- (iv) "d" means the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period; and
- (v) "n" is the number of Reset Dates in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period.

6.3.4 Floating Rate for a Cap Transaction.

The Floating Rate in respect of a Cap Transaction shall be the excess, if any, of:

- (i) the rate determined pursuant to Section 6.3.1 (Floating Rate), Section 6.3.2 (Unweighted Average Floating Rate) or Section 6.3.3 (Weighted Average Floating Rate) (as applicable)
- (ii) the Cap Rate specified.

6.3.5 Floating Rate for a Floor Transaction.

The Floating Rate in respect of a Floor Transaction shall be the excess, if any, of:

(i) the Floor Rate specified

over

(ii) the rate determined pursuant to Section 6.3.1 (*Floating Rate*), Section 6.3.2 (*Unweighted Average Floating Rate*) or Section 6.3.3 (*Weighted Average Floating Rate*) (as applicable).

6.4 **Determination of the Relevant Rate.**

6.4.1 Relevant Rate.

"Relevant Rate" means, for any day, a per annum rate, expressed as a decimal, equal to:

- (i) subject to paragraph (iii) below, if that day is a Reset Date, the rate determined with respect to that day in accordance with Section 6.6.1 (*Determinations using the Floating Rate Matrix*) or Section 6.6.4 (*Determinations not using the Floating Rate Matrix*) (as applicable) for the specified Floating Rate Option and, if applicable, the specified Designated Maturity; or
- (ii) if that day is not a Reset Date, the Relevant Rate determined pursuant to paragraph (i) above for the preceding Reset Date or, if "Arrears Setting" is specified, the Relevant Rate determined pursuant to paragraph (i) above for the following Reset Date; or
- (iii) if an Overnight Rate Compounding Method, an Overnight Rate Averaging Method or an Index Method applies, the rate determined for the specified Reset Date in accordance with:
 - (a) the applicable Overnight Rate Compounding Method or Overnight Rate Averaging Method (as applicable) and Overnight Floating Rate Option; or
 - (b) the applicable Index Method and Index Floating Rate Option.

6.4.2 Rate Cut-off.

If a Rate Cut-off Date is specified, the Relevant Rate for each Reset Date in the period from, and including, a Rate Cut-off Date to, but excluding, the next applicable Period End Date (or, in the case of the final Calculation Period, the Termination Date) shall (solely for the purpose of calculating the Floating Amount payable on the next applicable Payment Date) be deemed to be the Relevant Rate in effect on that Rate Cut-off Date.

6.4.3 Rate Cut-off Date.

"Rate Cut-off Date" means each day specified as such (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose) for the Transaction or a party.

6.4.4 Provisions Relevant to Determination of the Relevant Rate.

The determination of the Relevant Rate is subject to Section 6.10.1 (*Use of Linear Interpolation*), Section 9.65 (*Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation*), Section 9.66 (*SGD-SOR and THB-THBFIX Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation*) and Section 9.67 (*SGD-SOR and THB-THBFIX Fallbacks – Short Calculation Periods*).

6.5 Certain Definitions Relating to Floating Amounts.

6.5.1 Floating Rate Option.

"Floating Rate Option" means the benchmark specified as the "Floating Rate Option" in the Confirmation, which may be specified by reference to a "Floating Rate Option" that is included in the Floating Rate Matrix.

6.5.2 Floating Rate Matrix.

"Floating Rate Matrix" means the "2021 ISDA Interest Rate Derivatives Definitions Floating Rate Matrix".

6.5.3 Floating Rate Day Count Fraction.

"Floating Rate Day Count Fraction" means:

- (i) if a Floating Rate Day Count Fraction is specified in the Confirmation for the Transaction or the Floating Amount Payer, the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction so specified;
- (ii) if a Floating Rate Day Count Fraction is not specified in the Confirmation for the Transaction or the Floating Amount Payer and the applicable Floating Rate Option is included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction, if any, specified in the Floating Rate Matrix for that Floating Rate Option; and
- (iii) if a Floating Rate Day Count Fraction is not specified in the Confirmation for the Transaction or the Floating Amount Payer and is not specified in the Floating Rate Matrix for the Floating Rate Option, the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction of "Actual/360".

6.5.4 **Spread.**

"**Spread**" means the per annum rate (which may be negative), if any, expressed as a decimal, specified as such for the Transaction or the party (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose).

6.5.5 Reset Date.

"Reset Date" means:

- (i) if "Arrears Setting" is specified for the Transaction or a party, in respect of each Calculation Period or Compounding Period:
 - (a) the first day of the next following Calculation Period or Compounding Period, as the case may be; or
 - (b) in the case of the final Calculation Period or Compounding Period, the Termination Date; and
- (ii) in all other cases:
 - (a) if one or more days are specified as Reset Dates in the Confirmation, each day specified as such (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose) for the Transaction or a party; or
 - (b) if no days are specified as Reset Dates:
 - (I) in respect of (A) a Compounded Floating Rate Option, (B) an Average Floating Rate Option, (C) an Overnight Floating Rate Option and either an Overnight Rate Compounding Method or an Overnight Rate Averaging Method or (D) a Compounded Index Floating Rate Option and an Index Method, the last day of the Calculation Period; and
 - (II) in all other cases, the first day of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period,

in each case, subject to adjustment in accordance with the applicable Business Day Convention. If a Business Day Convention is not specified in the Confirmation as being applicable to Reset Dates, the Business Day Convention applicable to Floating Amount Payer Period End Dates shall apply to the Reset Date, unless the No Adjustment Business Day Convention applies to Floating Amount Payer Period End Dates, in which case the Modified Following Business Day Convention shall apply to Reset Dates. If an adjustment in accordance with the applicable Business Day Convention would cause the Reset Date to fall on or after the Payment Date in respect of the Calculation Period to which the Reset Date relates, the Preceding Business Day Convention shall apply to the Reset Date.

6.5.6 Cap Transaction.

"Cap Transaction" means a Transaction where the Floating Rate is calculated by reference to a Cap Rate.

6.5.7 Floor Transaction.

"Floor Transaction" means a Transaction where the Floating Rate is calculated by reference to a Floor Rate.

6.5.8 Cap Rate.

"Cap Rate" means a rate, expressed as a decimal, equal to the per annum rate specified as such in the Confirmation.

6.5.9 Floor Rate.

"Floor Rate" means a rate, expressed as a decimal, equal to the per annum rate specified as such in the Confirmation.

6.6 Floating Rate Options.

6.6.1 **Determinations using the Floating Rate Matrix.**

Subject to Section 8.1 (*Temporary Non-Publication*), Section 8.2 (*Provisions Relating to Permanent Cessation*) and Section 8.3 (*Provisions Relating to Administrator/Benchmark Event*), if the Floating Rate Option is included in the Floating Rate Matrix and:

- (i) is identified as a "Screen Rate", the rate for a Reset Date will be the level of the benchmark in the column entitled "Underlying Benchmark" in the Floating Rate Matrix and, if "Designated Maturity" is applicable in the Floating Rate Matrix, for a period of the Designated Maturity, provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time (if any) on the Fixing Day; or
- (ii) is identified as a "Calculated Rate", the rate for a Reset Date will be the level determined in accordance with the process described for the Calculated Rate Style specified as the "Style" in the column entitled "Category / Style" in the Floating Rate Matrix.

6.6.2 Screen Rate Style.

A "Screen Rate" may be identified by reference to a "Style" which may be one of the styles set out in this Section 6.6.2.

- (i) "Compounded Index" means a benchmark that represents the rate of return of a daily compound interest rate investment in an underlying overnight rate.
- (ii) "Index" means a benchmark that represents the level of a calculated index.

- (iii) "Overnight Rate" means a benchmark that reflects the rate of return in the relevant market overnight.
- (iv) "Published Average Rate" means a benchmark that reflects the arithmetic average of an underlying benchmark over a specified period of time.
- (v) "Swap Rate" means a benchmark that reflects the fixed rate under an Interest Rate Swap for a transaction with a term equal to one or more specified periods of time, with the relevant term to be specified by the parties as the Designated Maturity.
- (vi) "Term Rate" means a benchmark that reflects the rate of return in the relevant market for one or more specified periods of time, with the relevant period of time to be specified by the parties as the Designated Maturity.
- (vii) "Other" means a benchmark specified as a "Screen Rate" in the Floating Rate Matrix that is not a Compounded Index, Index, Overnight Rate, Published Average Rate, Swap Rate or Term Rate.

6.6.3 Calculated Rate Style.

"Calculated Rate Style" means "Average Floating Rate Option", "Compounded Floating Rate Option" or "Specified Formula".

- (i) Average Floating Rate Option. If the Calculated Rate Style is identified as "Average Floating Rate Option", the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate determined in accordance with the Overnight Rate Averaging Method specified as the "Averaging Method" in the column entitled "Category / Style" in the Floating Rate Matrix.
- (ii) Compounded Floating Rate Option. If the Calculated Rate Style is identified as "Compounded Floating Rate Option", the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate determined in accordance with the Overnight Rate Compounding Method specified as the "Compounding Method" in the column entitled "Category / Style" in the Floating Rate Matrix.
- (iii) Specified Formula. If the Calculated Rate Style is identified as "Specified Formula", the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate determined in accordance with the formula or calculation method specified in the column entitled "Category / Style" in the Floating Rate Matrix or otherwise set out in the Floating Rate Matrix.

6.6.4 Determinations not using the Floating Rate Matrix.

If the Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, subject to Section 8.1 (*Temporary Non-Publication*), Section 8.2 (*Provisions Relating to Permanent Cessation*) and Section 8.3 (*Provisions Relating to Administrator/Benchmark Event*), the rate for a Reset Date will be determined in accordance with the terms of the Confirmation.

6.7 Certain Definitions Relating to Floating Rate Option Determinations.

6.7.1 Administrator.

"Administrator" means:

 (i) in respect of a Floating Rate Option for which an "Administrator" is included in the Floating Rate Matrix and the Underlying Benchmark, the administrator specified in the Floating Rate Matrix for such Floating Rate Option; and (ii) in respect of any other Applicable Benchmark, the administrator for that rate or benchmark or, if there is no administrator, the provider of that rate or benchmark; or

in either case, any successor administrator or, as applicable, any successor administrator or provider.

6.7.2 Average Floating Rate Option.

"Average Floating Rate Option" means each Floating Rate Option that determines an average rate in accordance with the applicable Overnight Rate Averaging Method and which is identified as an Average Floating Rate Option in the column entitled "Category / Style" in the Floating Rate Matrix.

6.7.3 Compounded Floating Rate Option.

"Compounded Floating Rate Option" means each Floating Rate Option that determines the rate of return of a daily compound interest investment in accordance with the applicable Overnight Rate Compounding Method and which is identified as a Compounded Floating Rate Option in the column entitled "Category / Style" in the Floating Rate Matrix.

6.7.4 **Designated Maturity.**

"Designated Maturity" means, in respect of a Floating Rate Option, the period of time specified as such in the Confirmation.

6.7.5 Fixing Day.

- (i) "Fixing Day" means, in respect of a Floating Rate Option and, unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation:
 - (a) if the Floating Rate Option is included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the day specified in the Floating Rate Matrix (or any amended publication day specified by the Administrator for the Underlying Benchmark in its benchmark methodology);
 - (b) if the Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the day specified, or determined pursuant to a methodology specified, in the Confirmation; or
 - (c) in respect of an Applicable Fallback Rate for that Floating Rate Option, the publication day specified, or determined pursuant to a methodology specified, by the Administrator for the Applicable Fallback Rate in its benchmark methodology or, if different, the day on which the Applicable Fallback Rate would ordinarily be observed.
- (ii) In respect of an Overnight Rate, the day specified as the "Fixing Day" in the Floating Rate Matrix shall be the scheduled publication day for the rate for the Reset Date, which may be prior to, on or after the Reset Date.
- (iii) In respect of a Floating Rate Option that is a Compounded Floating Rate Option or an Average Floating Rate Option, a reference in the column entitled "Fixing Day" in the Floating Rate Matrix to day "i" is to such day "i" as defined for the purpose of the applicable Overnight Rate Compounding Method or Overnight Rate Averaging Method.

6.7.6 **Fixing Time.**

- (i) "Fixing Time" means, in respect of a Floating Rate Option:
 - (a) if the Floating Rate Option is included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the time (if any) specified in the Floating Rate Matrix (which is expressed in the 24-hour clock) or any

amended publication time specified by the Administrator for the Underlying Benchmark in its benchmark methodology; and

- (b) if the Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the time specified in the Confirmation or any amended publication time specified by the Administrator for the Applicable Benchmark in its benchmark methodology.
- (ii) The time specified as the Fixing Time may be an approximation of the publication time for the Underlying Benchmark or Applicable Benchmark (as applicable), which may be provided or published by the Administrator as of, after, or on or about the specified time.

6.7.7 Underlying Benchmark.

"Underlying Benchmark" means, in respect of a Floating Rate Option, the benchmark specified in the Floating Rate Matrix.

6.8 Floating Negative Interest Rates.

The following provisions shall apply for the purposes of calculating a Floating Amount payable by a party, unless either Section 4.7.2 (*FRA Discounting*) or Section 4.7.5 (*FRA Yield Discounting*) applies, or either a Cap Rate or a Floor Rate applies.

6.8.1 **Default Application.**

Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, "Floating Negative Interest Rate Method" shall be deemed to apply.

6.8.2 Floating Negative Interest Rate Method (Straight/Flat/Spread Exclusive Compounding not applicable).

- (i) If:
 - (a) "Floating Negative Interest Rate Method" applies;
 - (b) "Straight Compounding", "Flat Compounding" or "Spread Exclusive Compounding" does not apply; and
 - (c) the Floating Amount payable by a party on a Payment Date has a negative value (either due to a negative Floating Rate or by the application of a negative Spread to the Floating Rate).

paragraph (ii) below shall apply.

- (ii) If this paragraph applies:
 - (a) the Floating Amount payable by the party referred to in paragraph (i)(c) above on that Payment Date shall be deemed to be zero;
 - (b) the other party shall pay to that party the absolute value of the negative Floating Amount, in addition to any amounts otherwise payable by the other party for the related Calculation Period, on that Payment Date; and
 - (c) any amounts paid by the other party with respect to the absolute value of a negative Floating Amount will be paid to the account designated by the receiving party (unless that other party gives timely notice of a reasonable objection to that designation) in the currency in which that Floating Amount would have been paid if it had a positive value

(and without regard to the currency in which the other party is otherwise required to make payments).

6.8.3 Floating Negative Interest Rate Method (Straight/Flat/Spread Exclusive Compounding applicable).

- (i) If:
 - (a) "Floating Negative Interest Rate Method" applies;
 - (b) "Straight Compounding", "Flat Compounding" or "Spread Exclusive Compounding" applies; and
 - (c) the Straight Compounding Amount, the Flat Compounding Period Amount or the Spread Exclusive Compounding Amount has a negative value (either due to a negative Floating Rate or by the application of a negative Spread to the Floating Rate),

paragraph (ii) below shall apply.

- (ii) If this paragraph applies, the Floating Amount for the Calculation Period in which the relevant Compounding Period(s) occur(s) will be the Straight Compounding Amount, the Spread Exclusive Compounding Amount or the sum of all the Flat Compounding Period Amounts in that Calculation Period (whether positive or negative) and if that Floating Amount is:
 - (a) positive, then the Floating Amount Payer with respect to the Floating Amount so calculated shall pay it to the other party; and
 - (b) negative, the Floating Amount payable by the party that would otherwise be required to pay it will be deemed to be zero, and the other party will pay to that party the absolute value of the negative Floating Amount so calculated, in addition to any amounts otherwise payable by the other party for the related Calculation Period, in accordance with paragraph (ii)(c) of Section 6.8.2 (Floating Negative Interest Rate Method (Straight/Flat/Spread Exclusive Compounding not applicable)).

6.8.4 Zero Interest Rate Method (Straight/Flat/Spread Exclusive Compounding not applicable).

- (i) If:
 - (a) "Zero Interest Rate Method" applies;
 - (b) "Straight Compounding", "Flat Compounding" or "Spread Exclusive Compounding" does not apply; and
 - (c) the Floating Amount payable by a party on a Payment Date has a negative value (either due to a negative Floating Rate or by the application of a negative Spread to the Floating Rate),

paragraph (ii) below shall apply.

- (ii) If this paragraph applies:
 - (a) the Floating Amount payable by the party referred to in paragraph (i)(c) above on that Payment Date will be deemed to be zero; and
 - (b) the other party will not be required to pay to that party the absolute value of the negative Floating Amount so calculated and will only be required to pay those amounts otherwise payable by it for the related Calculation Period on that Payment Date.

6.8.5 Zero Interest Rate Method (Straight/Flat/Spread Exclusive Compounding applicable).

If "Zero Interest Rate Method" applies and either:

- (i) "Straight Compounding" applies and the Straight Compounding Amount has a negative value (either due to a negative Floating Rate or by the application of a negative Spread to the Floating Rate);
- (ii) "Flat Compounding" applies and the Flat Compounding Period Amount has a negative value (either due to a negative Floating Rate or by the application of a negative Spread to the Floating Rate); or
- (iii) "Spread Exclusive Compounding" applies and the Spread Exclusive Compounding Amount has a negative value (either due to a negative Floating Rate or by the application of a negative Spread to the Floating Rate),

then that Straight Compounding Amount, Flat Compounding Period Amount or Spread Exclusive Compounding Amount will be deemed to be zero, and, accordingly, it will neither increase nor decrease any Floating Amount.

6.8.6 Zero Interest Rate Method Excluding Spread (Straight/Flat/Spread Exclusive Compounding not applicable).

- (i) If:
 - (a) "Zero Interest Rate Method Excluding Spread" applies;
 - (b) "Straight Compounding", "Flat Compounding" or "Spread Exclusive Compounding" does not apply; and
 - (c) the Floating Rate in relation to a Floating Amount payable by a party on a Payment Date has a negative value,

then, for the purpose of calculating the Floating Amount payable by that party on that Payment Date, the Floating Rate will be deemed to be zero.

- (ii) If the Floating Rate payable by a party is deemed to be zero pursuant to paragraph (i) above and the Spread payable by that party has a negative value, then:
 - (a) the Floating Amount payable by that party on that Payment Date will be deemed to be zero; and
 - (b) the other party shall pay to that party the absolute value of the negative Floating Amount as calculated using the negative Spread in addition to any amounts otherwise payable by it for the related Calculation Period, on that Payment Date.

6.9 Definitions Relating to Certain U.S. Dollar Floating Rate Options.

6.9.1 Bond Equivalent Yield.

"Bond Equivalent Yield" means, in respect of a security with a maturity of six months or less, the rate for which is quoted on a bank discount basis, a yield (expressed as a percentage) calculated in accordance with the following formula:

Bond Equivalent Yield =
$$\frac{D \times N}{360 \cdot (D \times M)} \times 100$$

- (i) "**D**" is the per annum rate for the security, quoted on a bank discount basis and expressed as a decimal;
- (ii) "N" is 365 or 366, as applicable; and
- (iii) "M" is:
 - (a) if the Designated Maturity approximately corresponds to the length of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period for which the Bond Equivalent Yield is being calculated, the actual number of calendar days in that Calculation Period or Compounding Period; and
 - (b) otherwise, the actual number of calendar days in the period from, and including, the applicable Reset Date to, but excluding, the day that numerically corresponds to that Reset Date (or, if there is not any such numerically corresponding day, the last day) in the calendar month that is the number of months corresponding to the Designated Maturity after the month in which that Reset Date occurred.

6.9.2 Money Market Yield.

"Money Market Yield" means, in respect of a security with a maturity of six months or less, the rate for which is quoted on a bank discount basis, a yield (expressed as a percentage) calculated in accordance with the following formula:

Money Market Yield =
$$\frac{D \times 360}{360 - (D \times M)} \times 100$$

where:

- (i) "**D**" is the per annum rate for the security, quoted on a bank discount basis and expressed as a decimal;
- (ii) "M" is:
 - (a) if the Designated Maturity approximately corresponds to the length of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period for which the Money Market Yield is being calculated, the actual number of calendar days in that Calculation Period or Compounding Period; and
 - (b) otherwise, the actual number of calendar days in the period from, and including, the applicable Reset Date to, but excluding, the day that numerically corresponds to that Reset Date (or, if there is not any such numerically corresponding day, the last day) in the calendar month that is the number of months corresponding to the Designated Maturity after the month in which that Reset Date occurred.

6.10 Interpolation.

6.10.1 Use of Linear Interpolation.

In respect of any Calculation Period to which "Linear Interpolation" applies, the Relevant Rate for the Reset Date in respect of that Calculation Period or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period shall be the Interpolated Rate.

6.10.2 Interpolated Rate.

"Interpolated Rate" means that the Relevant Rate for a Reset Date shall be the rate R_n , determined from the following formula:

$$R_n = R_1 + \frac{R_2 - R_1}{t_2 - t_1} \times (t_n - t_1)$$

- (i) "R₁" means the rate for the Reset Date determined from the Floating Rate Option as if the Designated Maturity were the Shorter Designated Maturity;
- (ii) "Shorter Designated Maturity" means the period of time for which rates are available and which are not Non-Representative (if Non-Representative applies in respect of the Floating Rate Option) that is next shorter than the Calculation Period or Compounding Period to which the Reset Date relates (or any alternative shorter Designated Maturity agreed by the parties);
- (iii) "R₂" means the rate for the Reset Date determined from the Floating Rate Option as if the Designated Maturity were the Longer Designated Maturity;
- (iv) "Longer Designated Maturity" means the period of time for which rates are available and which are not Non-Representative (if Non-Representative applies in respect of the Floating Rate Option) that is next longer than the Calculation Period or Compounding Period to which the Reset Date relates (or any alternative longer Designated Maturity agreed by the parties);
- (v) " t_1 " means the number of calendar days from and including S to but excluding P_1 ;
- (vi) "t₂" means the number of calendar days from and including S to but excluding P₂;
- (vii) "P1" means, if the Shorter Designated Maturity is:
 - (a) one day, the calendar day immediately following S, subject to adjustment in accordance with the Following Business Day Convention;
 - (b) one week, two weeks or three weeks, the calendar day that is the corresponding number of weeks immediately following S, subject to adjustment in accordance with the Business Day Convention applicable to Period End Dates or Compounding Dates (as applicable); or
 - (c) a period of months or years, the calendar day that is the corresponding number of months or years, as applicable, immediately following S (but if S is the 29th, 30th or the 31st day of a month and there is no corresponding numbered day in the month that is the relevant number of months following S, the last calendar day in the month that is the relevant number of months following S), subject to adjustment in accordance with the Business Day Convention applicable to Period End Dates or Compounding Dates (as applicable);
- (viii) "P2" means, if the Longer Designated Maturity is:
 - (a) one week, two weeks or three weeks, the calendar day that is the corresponding number of weeks immediately following S, subject to adjustment in accordance with the Business Day Convention applicable to Period End Dates or Compounding Dates (as applicable); or

- (b) a period of months or years, the calendar day that is the corresponding number of months or years, as applicable, immediately following S (but if S is the 29th, 30th or 31st day of a month and there is no corresponding numbered day in the month that is the relevant number of months following S, the last calendar day in the month that is the relevant number of months following S), subject to adjustment in accordance with the Business Day Convention applicable to Period End Dates or Compounding Dates (as applicable);
- (ix) "S" means the first day of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period (as applicable); and
- (x) " t_n " means the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period (as applicable).

6.10.3 Linear Interpolation – Fallback for Certain Floating Rate Options.

Section 6.10.1 (*Use of Linear Interpolation*) is subject to Section 9.65 (*Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation*) and Section 9.66 (*SGD-SOR and THB-THBFIX Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation*).

6.11 **Discontinued Rates Maturities.**

6.11.1 Use of Interpolated Rate.

- (i) If a Designated Maturity of a Floating Rate Option that is to be used to determine a rate for a Reset Date has been permanently discontinued or is Non-Representative (if Non-Representative applies) but, in respect of that Reset Date, the Administrator provides rates that would be the Floating Rate Option but for the fact that they involve maturity periods that are, respectively, longer than and shorter than the Designated Maturity of the specified Floating Rate Option and which are not Non-Representative (if Non-Representative applies), then, unless an Overriding Fallback Provision applies, the Interpolated Rate shall be used to determine the rate for that Reset Date in lieu of the Relevant Rate.
- (ii) If the Designated Maturity of the Floating Rate Option that has been permanently discontinued or is Non-Representative (if Non-Representative applies) is longer than or shorter than the Calculation Period or Compounding Period to which the Reset Date relates and "Linear Interpolation" does not apply to the Calculation Period or Compounding Period, then for the purposes of determining the Interpolated Rate, the references in the definitions of Shorter Designated Maturity and Longer Designated Maturity to "the Calculation Period or Compounding Period to which the Reset Date relates" shall be replaced with a reference to "the discontinued Designated Maturity".
- (iii) For the purpose of this Section 6.11.1, the reference to the "Floating Rate Option" in the definitions of both "R₁" and "R₂" in Section 6.10.2 (*Interpolated Rate*) shall be without regard to any fallback specified for such Floating Rate Option if the relevant Designated Maturity for such Floating Rate Option is permanently discontinued or is Non-Representative (if Non-Representative applies in respect of the Floating Rate Option).

6.11.2 Discontinued Rates Maturities – Index Cessation Event.

(i) If a Floating Rate Option (with a particular Designated Maturity) that is to be used to determine a rate for a Reset Date has been permanently discontinued or is Non-Representative (if Non-Representative applies) and, in respect of that Reset Date, Section 6.11.1 (*Use of Interpolated Rate*) does not apply because there is either no Shorter Designated Maturity or no Longer

Designated Maturity, an Index Cessation Event shall occur in respect of the Floating Rate Option (with that Designated Maturity) and the applicable Permanent Cessation Fallback shall apply.

- (ii) If an Index Cessation Event occurs as set out in paragraph (i) above, the Index Cessation Effective Date shall be the first date on which the Floating Rate Option for the particular Designated Maturity is permanently unavailable or is Non-Representative (if Non-Representative applies) (or, if later, the first date on which it is no longer possible to determine an Interpolated Rate).
- (iii) In respect of an IBOR Floating Rate Option, a reference in this Section 6.11 to a Floating Rate Option being permanently unavailable, permanently discontinued or permanently ceasing to be provided shall be deemed to be references to such rate being permanently unavailable, permanently discontinued or permanently ceasing to be provided following a public statement or publication of information which would constitute an Index Cessation Event in respect of the relevant tenor of the Floating Rate Option.

6.11.3 Inconsistencies.

- (i) In the event of any inconsistency between:
 - (a) this Section 6.11 and any applicable Floating Rate Option (including any fallback specified in the Floating Rate Matrix for that Floating Rate Option if a rate is permanently unavailable); or
 - (b) this Section 6.11 and, if applicable, the DRM Protocol (or any agreement on substantially the same terms),

this Section 6.11 shall prevail.

(ii) In the event of any inconsistency between this Section 6.11 and Section 9.65 (Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation), Section 9.65 (Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation) shall prevail.

6.12 Certain Definitions and Provisions Relating to Discontinued Rates Maturities.

6.12.1 DRM Protocol.

"DRM Protocol" means the ISDA 2013 Discontinued Rates Maturities Protocol published by ISDA on October 11, 2013.

6.12.2 IBOR Floating Rate Option.

"IBOR Floating Rate Option" means a Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option and each of SGD-SOR and THB-THBFIX.

6.12.3 Overriding Fallback Provision.

"Overriding Fallback Provision" means a provision in a Confirmation, protocol or other document (other than the 2021 Definitions or the DRM Protocol) adhered to or entered into after the Trade Date of the Transaction which specifies a method for determining the rate for a Reset Date where the Floating Rate Option (without regard to any fallback specified for such Floating Rate Option) that would otherwise be used to determine that rate has been permanently discontinued or is Non-Representative (if Non-Representative applies) but the Administrator provides rates that would be the

Floating Rate Option but for the fact that they involve maturity periods which are, respectively, longer than and shorter than the Designated Maturity of the Floating Rate Option.

6.12.4 Exception to Application of Discontinued Rates Maturities Provisions.

Section 6.11 (*Discontinued Rates Maturities*) shall not apply if the Floating Rate Option is GBP-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate, JPY-LIBOR TSR-10:00, JPY-LIBOR TSR-15:00, SGD-SOR, THB-THBFIX, USD-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate-11:00 or USD-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate-15:00.

6.12.5 Application of Index Cessation Event, Index Cessation Effective Date and Non-Representative to Discontinued Rates Maturities.

For the purpose of Section 6.11 (*Discontinued Rates Maturities*) and this Section 6.12, references to the Applicable Benchmark in the definitions of Index Cessation Event in Section 8.2.3 (*Index Cessation Event*), Index Cessation Effective Date in Section 8.2.4 (*Index Cessation Effective Date*) and Non-Representative in Section 8.2.5 (*Non-Representative*) will be deemed to be references to the relevant tenor of the Applicable Benchmark.

6.13 Planned Replacement of a Benchmark.

If a Successor Benchmark and a Successor Benchmark Effective Date are specified in the Confirmation, then, for any Reset Date falling on or after the Successor Benchmark Effective Date, the Relevant Rate for that Reset Date will be determined as if the parties had specified the Successor Benchmark as the applicable Floating Rate Option.

6.14 Certain Definitions Relating to Planned Replacement of a Benchmark.

6.14.1 Successor Benchmark.

"Successor Benchmark" means the Floating Rate Option specified as such in the Confirmation.

6.14.2 Successor Benchmark Effective Date.

"Successor Benchmark Effective Date" means the date specified as such or otherwise determined as provided in the Confirmation.

SECTION 7

OVERNIGHT RATE COMPOUNDING AND AVERAGING AND INDICES

7.1 Overnight Rate Averaging and Compounding.

If an Overnight Floating Rate Option and either an Overnight Rate Compounding Method or Overnight Rate Averaging Method are specified in the Confirmation, the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate determined in accordance with the Overnight Rate Compounding Method or Overnight Rate Averaging Method specified in the Confirmation and using the specified Overnight Floating Rate Option.

7.2 Certain Definitions Relating to Overnight Rate Averaging and Compounding.

7.2.1 Applicable Business Day.

"Applicable Business Day" means:

- (i) in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the day specified as such in the Floating Rate Matrix; and
- (ii) in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, any day that is a Business Day or other relevant day that applies, or is specified as such, for the purposes of the determination of the Relevant Rate pursuant to such Floating Rate Option or, in the absence of any such specified Business Day or other relevant day, a Business Day in the principal financial center for the relevant currency of the Floating Rate Option.

7.2.2 Compounding/Averaging Matrix.

"Compounding/Averaging Matrix" means the "2021 ISDA Interest Rate Derivatives Definitions Matrix for use with the Overnight Rate Compounding Methods, Overnight Rate Averaging Methods and Index Methods".

7.2.3 **Daily Floored Rate.**

"Daily Floored Rate" means the rate, expressed as a decimal, equal to the per annum rate specified as such in the Confirmation.

7.2.4 Daily Capped Rate.

"Daily Capped Rate" means the rate, expressed as a decimal, equal to the per annum rate specified as such in the Confirmation.

7.2.5 Overnight Floating Rate Option.

"Overnight Floating Rate Option" means a Floating Rate Option that references directly an overnight rate (but excluding any Compounded Floating Rate Option or Average Floating Rate Option) and, if the Floating Rate Option is included in the Floating Rate Matrix, which is identified as an Overnight Rate in the Floating Rate Matrix.

7.2.6 Overnight Rate Compounding Method.

"Overnight Rate Compounding Method" means:

- (i) "OIS Compounding";
- (ii) "Compounding with Lookback";
- (iii) "Compounding with Observation Period Shift";

- (iv) "Compounding with Lockout"; or
- (v) any other method of compounding an overnight rate that is set out either for a Compounded Floating Rate Option in the column entitled "Category / Style" in the Floating Rate Matrix or in the Confirmation.

7.2.7 Overnight Rate Averaging Method.

"Overnight Rate Averaging Method" means:

- (i) "Overnight Averaging";
- (ii) "Averaging with Lookback";
- (iii) "Averaging with Observation Period Shift";
- (iv) "Averaging with Lockout"; or
- (v) any other method of averaging that is set out for a Floating Rate Option in the column entitled "Category / Style" in the Floating Rate Matrix or in the Confirmation.

7.2.8 Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option.

"Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option" means:

- in respect of a Compounded Floating Rate Option or an Average Floating Rate Option, the Overnight Floating Rate Option with the same Underlying Benchmark as that Compounded Floating Rate Option or Average Floating Rate Option;
- (ii) in respect of a Compounded Index Floating Rate Option, the Overnight Floating Rate Option with the same Underlying Benchmark as the benchmark that is compounded pursuant to that Compounded Index Floating Rate Option, provided that if there is no Overnight Floating Rate Option included in the Floating Rate Matrix with such Underlying Benchmark, it shall mean the overnight rate underlying the Compounded Index Floating Rate Option; and
- (iii) in respect of an Overnight Floating Rate Option, such Overnight Floating Rate Option.

7.3 Overnight Rate Compounding Methods.

7.3.1 **OIS Compounding.**

If "OIS Compounding" applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate of return of a daily compound interest investment, calculated in accordance with the formula below, where the reference rate for the calculation of interest is the Underlying Benchmark specified in the Floating Rate Matrix in respect of the applicable Compounded Floating Rate Option or Overnight Floating Rate Option, as applicable, or if the applicable Overnight Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the overnight rate for the Overnight Floating Rate Option specified in the Confirmation, and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages), but to the nearest percentage point specified for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Compounded Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix or, if the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Compounded Floating Rate Option is not included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, rounding shall be as set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages).

$$\left[\prod_{i=1}^{d_0} \left(1 + \frac{\text{Underlying Benchmark Level}_i \times n_i}{\text{Day Count Basis}} \right) - 1 \right] \times \frac{\text{Day Count Basis}}{d}$$

- (i) "do", for any Calculation Period, is the number of Applicable Business Days in the Calculation Period, except, if the first calendar day of the Calculation Period is not an Applicable Business Day, then it is the number of Applicable Business Days in the Calculation Period plus 1;
- (ii) "i" is:
 - (a) if the first calendar day in the Calculation Period is an Applicable Business Day, a series of whole numbers from 1 to d₀, each representing the relevant Applicable Business Day in chronological order from, and including, the first Applicable Business Day in the Calculation Period; and
 - (b) if the first calendar day of the Calculation Period is not an Applicable Business Day, a series of whole numbers from 1 to d₀, where i = 1 represents the first calendar day of the Calculation Period and each of i = 2 to d₀ represents the relevant Applicable Business Day in chronological order from, and including, the first Applicable Business Day in the Calculation Period;
- (iii) "Underlying Benchmark Level;" is, in respect of any day "i":
 - (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is identified as a Compounded Floating Rate Option in the Floating Rate Matrix:
 - (I) if such day "i" is an Applicable Business Day, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for such day "i" as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; and
 - (II) if such day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for the immediately preceding Applicable Business Day as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; or
 - (b) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is an Overnight Floating Rate Option:
 - (I) if such day "i" is an Applicable Business Day, the rate determined in respect of such day "i" in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such day "i" were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; and
 - (II) if such day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, the rate determined in respect of the immediately preceding Applicable Business Day in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such Applicable Business Day were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; or
 - (c) if "Daily Capped Rate and/or Daily Floored Rate" is specified as applicable in the Confirmation, either:
 - (I) the greater of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Floored Rate specified (if any); or

(II) the lower of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Capped Rate specified (if any),

as applicable;

- (iv) " \mathbf{n}_i " is the number of calendar days from, and including, day "i" to, but excluding, the earlier of:
 - (a) the next Applicable Business Day; and
 - (b) the Period End Date for the Calculation Period or, in respect of the final Calculation Period, the Termination Date;
- (v) "Day Count Basis" is, in respect of a Floating Rate Option, as specified in the Confirmation, or, if not specified in the Confirmation, the denominator of the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction; and
- (vi) "d" is the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period.

7.3.2 Compounding with Lookback.

If "Compounding with Lookback" applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate of return of a daily compound interest investment, calculated in accordance with the formula below, where the reference rate for the calculation of interest is the Underlying Benchmark specified in the Floating Rate Matrix in respect of the applicable Compounded Floating Rate Option or Overnight Floating Rate Option, as applicable, or if the applicable Overnight Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the overnight rate for the Overnight Floating Rate Option specified in the Confirmation, and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages), but to the nearest percentage point specified for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Compounded Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix or, if the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Compounded Floating Rate Option is not included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, rounding shall be as set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages).

$$\left[\prod_{i=1}^{d_0} \left(1 + \frac{\text{Underlying Benchmark Level}_{i\text{-r ABD}} \times n_i}{\text{Day Count Basis}} \right) - 1 \right] \times \frac{\text{Day Count Basis}}{d}$$

- "do" for any Calculation Period, is the number of Applicable Business Days in the Calculation Period, except if the first calendar day of the Calculation Period is not an Applicable Business Day, then it is the number of Applicable Business Days in the Calculation Period plus 1;
- (ii) "i" is:
 - (a) if the first calendar day in the Calculation Period is an Applicable Business Day, a series of whole numbers from 1 to d₀, each representing the relevant Applicable Business Day in chronological order from, and including, the first Applicable Business Day in the Calculation Period; or
 - (b) if the first calendar day of the Calculation Period is not an Applicable Business Day, a series of whole numbers from 1 to d_0 , where i = 1 represents the first calendar day of the Calculation Period, and each of i = 2 to d_0 represents the relevant Applicable

Business Day in chronological order from, and including, the first Applicable Business Day in the Calculation Period;

- (iii) "Underlying Benchmark Level_{i-r ABD}" is, in respect of Applicable Business Dayi-rABD:
 - (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is identified as a Compounded Floating Rate Option in the Floating Rate Matrix, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for such Applicable Business Dayi-rABD as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; or
 - (b) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is an Overnight Floating Rate Option, the rate determined in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such Applicable Business Dayi-rABD were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; or
 - (c) if "Daily Capped Rate and/or Daily Floored Rate" is specified as applicable in the Confirmation, either:
 - (I) the greater of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Floored Rate specified (if any); or
 - (II) the lower of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Capped Rate specified (if any),

as applicable;

- (iv) "Applicable Business Day_{i-r ABD}" means, for any day "i" in the Calculation Period, the day "r" Applicable Business Days preceding such day "i", except if i = 1 and day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, then it is the day r + 1 Applicable Business Days preceding day "i";
- (v) "**r**" is:
 - (a) the number specified as the "Lookback" in the Confirmation; or
 - (b) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Lookback" in the Confirmation and the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option is included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, the number (if any) specified as the "Lookback" for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix; or
 - (c) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Lookback" in the Confirmation or in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, five;
- (vi) "n_i" is the number of calendar days from, and including, the day "i" to, but excluding, the earlier of:
 - (a) the next Applicable Business Day; and
 - (b) the Period End Date for the Calculation Period or, in respect of the final Calculation Period, the Termination Date;
- (vii) "Day Count Basis" is, in respect of a Floating Rate Option, as specified in the Confirmation, or, if not specified in the Confirmation, the denominator of the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction; and
- (viii) "d" is the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period.

7.3.3 Compounding with Observation Period Shift.

If "Compounding with Observation Period Shift" applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate of return of a daily compound interest investment, calculated in accordance with the formula below, where the reference rate for the calculation of interest is the Underlying Benchmark specified in the Floating Rate Matrix in respect of the applicable Compounded Floating Rate Option or Overnight Floating Rate Option, as applicable, or if the applicable Overnight Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the overnight rate for the Overnight Floating Rate Option specified in the Confirmation, and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (*Rounding of Percentages*), but to the nearest percentage point specified for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Compounded Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix or, if the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Compounded Floating Rate Option is not included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, rounding shall be as set out in Section 4.8.1 (*Rounding of Percentages*).

$$\left[\prod_{i=1}^{d_0} \left(1 + \frac{\text{Underlying Benchmark Level}_i \times n_i}{\text{Day Count Basis}} \right) - 1 \right] \times \frac{\text{Day Count Basis}}{d}$$

where:

- (i) "d₀" is the number of Applicable Business Days in the Observation Period;
- (ii) "i" is a series of whole numbers from 1 to d₀, each representing the relevant Applicable Business Day in chronological order from, and including, the first Applicable Business Day in the Observation Period;
- (iii) "Underlying Benchmark Leveli" is, in respect of any Applicable Business Day:
 - (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is identified as a Compounded Floating Rate Option in the Floating Rate Matrix, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for such Applicable Business Day as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day;
 - (b) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is an Overnight Floating Rate Option the rate determined in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such Applicable Business Day_i were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; or
 - (c) if "Daily Capped Rate and/or Daily Floored Rate" is specified as applicable in the Confirmation, either:
 - (I) the greater of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Floored Rate specified (if any); or
 - (II) the lower of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Capped Rate specified (if any),

as applicable;

- (iv) "s" is:
 - (a) the number specified as the "Observation Period Shift" in the Confirmation;

- (b) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Observation Period Shift" in the Confirmation and the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option is included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, the number (if any) specified as the "Observation Period Shift" for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix; or
- (c) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Observation Period Shift" in the Confirmation or in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, five;
- (v) "n_i" is the number of calendar days from, and including, the day "i" to, but excluding, the earlier of:
 - (a) the next Applicable Business Day; and
 - (b) the Standard Observation Period End Date or the Set-in-Advance Observation Period End Date (as applicable) for the Observation Period;
- (vi) "Day Count Basis" is, in respect of a Floating Rate Option, as specified in the Confirmation, or, if not specified in the Confirmation, the denominator of the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction;
- (vii) "d" is the number of calendar days in the Observation Period;
- (viii) "Observation Period" means:
 - (a) if "Set-in-Advance" is not applicable, for any Calculation Period, the period from, and including, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the first calendar day of the Calculation Period (and the first Observation Period shall begin on and include the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days prior to the Effective Date) to, but excluding, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the end of the Calculation Period (or, in respect of the final Observation Period, to, but excluding, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Termination Date) (the "Standard Observation Period End Date"); or
 - (b) if "Set-in-Advance" is applicable, the Set-in-Advance Observation Period;
- (ix) "Observation Period Shift Additional Business Day" means a Business Day in the financial centers, if any, specified for such purpose in the Confirmation;
- (x) "Observation Period Shift Business Day" means a day which is both an Applicable Business Day and an Observation Period Shift Additional Business Day;
- (xi) "Set-in-Advance Observation Period" means:
 - (a) subject to paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) below, in respect of a Calculation Period, the period from, and including, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date (or the Effective Date, as applicable) at the start of the previous Calculation Period to, but excluding, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the start of such Calculation Period (the "Regular Period Observation End Date");
 - (b) in respect of the second Calculation Period:

- (I) if the first Calculation Period is a Stub Period, the period from and including the Period Two Observation Start Date to, but excluding, the Period Two Observation End Date; and
- (II) if the first Calculation Period is not a Stub Period, the period as set out in paragraph (a) above,

where:

"Period Two Observation Start Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period Two Deemed Preceding Period End Date;

"Period Two Observation End Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the start of the second Calculation Period;

"Period Two Deemed Preceding Period End Date" means (1) if the first Calculation Period is not a Stub Period, the Effective Date, (2) if the first Calculation Period is a Stub Period and the Transaction has Period End Dates that are separated by regular intervals (which may be defined by reference to roll dates, IMM Dates, or intervals of calendar weeks, months or years), the date that falls the relevant regular interval prior to the Period End Date at the start of the second Calculation Period, otherwise (3) the date falling X Observation Period Shift Business Days prior to the Period End Date at the start of the second Calculation Period (or, if X is zero, the Observation Period Shift Business Day immediately preceding such Period End Date), where "X" is the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the second Calculation Period; and

"Stub Period" means, in respect of a Transaction which has Calculation Periods determined by Period End Dates that are separated by regular intervals (which may be defined by reference to specified dates, roll dates, IMM Dates, or intervals of calendar weeks, months or years), a Calculation Period that is longer or shorter than such regular interval;

(c) in respect of the first Calculation Period, the period from and including the Period One Observation Start Date to, but excluding, the Period One Observation End Date,

where:

"Period One Observation Start Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period One Deemed Preceding Period End Date;

"Period One Observation End Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period Two Deemed Preceding Period End Date; and

"Period One Deemed Preceding Period End Date" means the date falling Y Observation Period Shift Business Days prior to the Period Two Observation Start Date (or if Y is zero, the Observation Period Shift Business Day immediately preceding the Period Two Observation Start Date), where "Y" is the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the first Calculation Period;

- (d) in respect of the last Calculation Period:
 - (I) if that Calculation Period is a Stub Period, the period from, and including, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date

at the start of the penultimate Calculation Period (the "Final Period Observation Start Date") to, but excluding, the earlier of (1) the date falling Z Observation Period Shift Business Days following the Final Period Observation Start Date (or, if Z is zero, the first Observation Period Shift Business Day following the Final Period Observation Start Date), and (2) the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the end of the penultimate Calculation Period, where "Z" is the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the last Calculation Period (the date in either (1) or (2), the "Final Period Observation End Date")²; and

(II) if the last Calculation Period is not a Stub Period, the period set out in paragraph (a) above.

If "s" is zero and the Period One Observation Start Date, the Period Two Observation Start Date, the Final Period Observation End Date or any Period End Date that would otherwise be the start date or end date for any Set-in-Advance Observation Period, falls on a day that is not an Observation Period Shift Business Day, the Preceding Business Day Convention shall apply to that date by reference to Observation Period Shift Business Days; and

(xii) "Set-in-Advance Observation Period End Date" means the Regular Period Observation End Date, the Period One Observation End Date, the Period Two Observation End Date or the Final Period Observation End Date, as applicable.

7.3.4 Compounding with Lockout.

If "Compounding with Lockout" applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate of return of a daily compound interest investment, calculated in accordance with the formula below, where the reference rate for the calculation of interest is the Underlying Benchmark specified in the Floating Rate Matrix in respect of the applicable Compounded Floating Rate Option or Overnight Floating Rate Option, as applicable, or, if the applicable Overnight Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the overnight rate for the Overnight Floating Rate Option specified in the Confirmation, and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (*Rounding of Percentages*), but to the nearest percentage point specified for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Compounded Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix or, if the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Compounded Floating Rate Option is not included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, rounding shall be as set out in Section 4.8.1 (*Rounding of Percentages*).

$$\left[\prod_{i=1}^{d_0} \left(1 + \frac{\text{Underlying Benchmark Level}_i \times n_i}{\text{Day Count Basis}} \right) - 1 \right] \times \frac{\text{Day Count Basis}}{d}$$

where:

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The final Stub Period is shifted back by the length of one regular Calculation Period and runs for the length of the Stub Period (determined by reference to the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the Stub Period), unless it is a long Stub Period, in which case it is shortened to the length of the previous Calculation Period to enable the rate to be determined by the Reset Date of that last Calculation Period. This means that long last Stub Periods have a shorter Observation Period than the Calculation Period. Parties may therefore prefer to re-structure a long Stub Period into a regular length Calculation Period and a short Stub Period to avoid this truncated Observation Period for a long last Stub Period.

- "do" is, for any Calculation Period, the number of Applicable Business Days in the Calculation
 Period, except if the first calendar day of the Calculation Period is not an Applicable Business
 Day, then it is the number of Applicable Business Days in the Calculation Period plus 1;
- (ii) "i" is:
 - (a) if the first calendar day in the Calculation Period is an Applicable Business Day, a series of whole numbers from 1 to d₀, each representing the relevant Applicable Business Day in chronological order from, and including, the first Applicable Business Day in the Calculation Period; or
 - (b) if the first calendar day of the Calculation Period is not an Applicable Business Day, a series of whole numbers from 1 to d_0 where i=1 represents the first calendar day of the Calculation Period, and each of i=2 to d_0 represents the relevant Applicable Business Day in chronological order from, and including, the first Applicable Business Day in the Calculation Period;

(iii) "Underlying Benchmark Leveli" is:

- subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is identified as a Compounded Floating Rate Option in the Floating Rate Matrix:
 - (I) in respect of any day "i" other than a day in the Lockout Period:
 - (1) if such day "i" is an Applicable Business Day, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for such day "i" as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; and
 - (2) if such day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for the immediately preceding Applicable Business Day as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; and
 - (II) in respect of any day "i" in the Lockout Period, the level of the Underlying Benchmark in respect of the Lockout Date as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; or
- (b) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is an Overnight Floating Rate Option:
 - (I) in respect of any day "i" other than a day in the Lockout Period:
 - (1) if such day "i" is an Applicable Business Day, the rate determined in respect of such day "i" in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such day "i" were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; and
 - (2) if such day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, the rate determined in respect of the immediately preceding Applicable Business Day in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such Applicable Business Day were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; and
 - (II) in respect of any day "i" in the Lockout Period, the rate determined in respect of the Lockout Date in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if the Lockout Date were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; or

- (c) if "Daily Capped Rate and/or Daily Floored Rate" is specified as applicable in the Confirmation, in respect of any day "i" either:
 - (I) the greater of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Floored Rate specified (if any); or
 - (II) the lower of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Capped Rate specified (if any),

as applicable;

- (iv) "t" means:
 - (a) the number specified as the "Lockout" in the Confirmation;
 - (b) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Lockout" in the Confirmation and the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option is included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, the number (if any) specified as the "Lockout" for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix; or
 - (c) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Lockout" in the Confirmation or in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, five;
- (v) "n_i" is the number of calendar days from, and including, the day "i" to, but excluding, the earlier of:
 - (a) the next Applicable Business Day; and
 - (b) the Period End Date for the Calculation Period or, in respect of the final Calculation Period, the Termination Date;
- (vi) "Day Count Basis" is, in respect of a Floating Rate Option, as specified in the Confirmation, or, if not specified in the Confirmation, the denominator of the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction;
- (vii) "d" is the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period;
- (viii) "Lockout Period" is the period from, and including, the Lockout Date to, but excluding, the Period End Date at the end of the Calculation Period or, in respect of the final Calculation Period, the period from, and including, the Lockout Date to, but excluding, the Termination Date;
- (ix) "Lockout Date" is the date "t" Lockout Period Business Days preceding the Period End Date of the Calculation Period or, in respect of the final Calculation Period, the date "t" Lockout Period Business Days preceding the Termination Date; and
- (x) "Lockout Period Business Day" means:
 - (a) a Business Day in the financial centers specified for such purpose in the Confirmation; or
 - (b) if no financial centers are specified for such purpose in the Confirmation, an Applicable Business Day.

7.4 Overnight Rate Averaging Methods.

7.4.1 Overnight Averaging.

If "Overnight Averaging" applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the arithmetic average of the reference rate, such average calculated in accordance with the formula below, where the reference rate for the calculation of interest is the Underlying Benchmark specified in the Floating Rate Matrix in respect of the applicable Average Floating Rate Option or Overnight Floating Rate Option, as applicable, or, if the applicable Overnight Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the overnight rate for the Overnight Floating Rate Option specified in the Confirmation, and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages), but to the nearest percentage point specified for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Average Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix or, if the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Average Floating Rate Option is not included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, rounding shall be as set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages).

$$\left[\sum\nolimits_{i=1}^{i=d_0} \text{Underlying Benchmark Level}_i\right] \times \frac{1}{d}$$

- (i) "d₀", for any Calculation Period, is the number of calendar days in that Calculation Period;
- (ii) "i" is a series of whole numbers from 1 to d₀, each representing the relevant calendar day in the Calculation Period in chronological order from, and including, the first calendar day in the Calculation Period;
- (iii) "Underlying Benchmark Leveli" is, in respect of any day "i":
 - (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is identified as an Average Floating Rate Option in the Floating Rate Matrix:
 - (I) if such day "i" is an Applicable Business Day, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for such day "i" as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; and
 - (II) if such day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for the immediately preceding Applicable Business Day as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; or
 - (b) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is an Overnight Floating Rate Option:
 - (I) if such day "i" is an Applicable Business Day, the rate determined in respect of such day "i" in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such day "i" were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; and
 - (II) if such day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, the rate determined in respect of the immediately preceding Applicable Business Day in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such Applicable Business Day were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; or
 - (c) if "Daily Capped Rate and/or Daily Floored Rate" is specified as applicable in the Confirmation, either:

- (I) the greater of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Floored Rate specified (if any); or
- (II) the lower of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Capped Rate specified (if any),

as applicable; and

(iv) "d" is the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period.

7.4.2 Averaging with Lookback.

If "Averaging with Lookback" applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the arithmetic average of the reference rate, such average calculated in accordance with the formula below, where the reference rate for the calculation of interest is the Underlying Benchmark specified in the Floating Rate Matrix in respect of the applicable Average Floating Rate Option or Overnight Floating Rate Option, as applicable, or, if the applicable Overnight Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the overnight rate for the Overnight Floating Rate Option specified in the Confirmation, and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages), but to the nearest percentage point specified for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Average Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix or, if the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Average Floating Rate Option is not included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, rounding shall be as set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages).

$$\left[\sum\nolimits_{i=1}^{i=d_0} Underlying \; Benchmark \; Level_{i\text{-r ABD}}\right] \times \frac{1}{d}$$

- (i) "d₀", for any Calculation Period, is the number of calendar days in that Calculation Period;
- (ii) "i" is a series of whole numbers from 1 to d₀, each representing the relevant calendar day in the Calculation Period in chronological order from, and including, the first calendar day in the Calculation Period;
- (iii) "Underlying Benchmark Level_{i-r ABD}" is, in respect of any Applicable Business Dayi-r ABD:
 - (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is identified as an Average Floating Rate Option in the Floating Rate Matrix, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for such Applicable Business Dayi-rABD as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; or
 - (b) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is an Overnight Floating Rate Option, the rate determined in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such Applicable Business Dayi-rABD were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; or
 - (c) if "Daily Capped Rate and/or Daily Floored Rate" is specified as applicable in the Confirmation, either:
 - (I) the greater of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Floored Rate specified (if any); or

(II) the lower of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Capped Rate specified (if any),

as applicable;

- (iv) "Applicable Business Day_{i-r ABD}" means, for any day "i" in the Calculation Period, the day "r" Applicable Business Days preceding such day "i", except if day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, then it is the day r + 1 Applicable Business Days preceding day "i";
- (v) "r" is:
 - (a) the number specified as the "Lookback" in the Confirmation; or
 - (b) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Lookback" in the Confirmation and the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option is included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, the number (if any) specified as the "Lookback" for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix; or
 - (c) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Lookback" in the Confirmation or in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, five; and
- (vi) "d" is the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period.

7.4.3 Averaging with Observation Period Shift.

If "Averaging with Observation Period Shift" applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the arithmetic average of the reference rate, such average calculated in accordance with the formula below, where the reference rate for the calculation of interest is the Underlying Benchmark specified in the Floating Rate Matrix in respect of the applicable Average Floating Rate Option or Overnight Floating Rate Option, as applicable, or, if the applicable Overnight Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the overnight rate for the Overnight Floating Rate Option specified in the Confirmation, and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages), but to the nearest percentage point specified for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Average Floating Rate Option is not included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix or, if the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Average Floating Rate Option is not included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, rounding shall be as set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages).

$$\left[\sum\nolimits_{i=1}^{i=d_0} Underlying \ Benchmark \ Level_i\right] \times \frac{1}{d}$$

- (i) "d₀" is the number of calendar days in the Observation Period;
- (ii) "i" is a series of whole numbers from 1 to d₀, each representing the relevant calendar day in the Observation Period in chronological order from, and including, the first calendar day in the Observation Period;
- (iii) "Underlying Benchmark Leveli" is, in respect of any day "i":
 - (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is identified as an Average Floating Rate Option in the Floating Rate Matrix:

- (I) if such day "i" is an Applicable Business Day, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for such day "i" as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; and
- (II) if such day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for the immediately preceding Applicable Business Day as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; or
- (b) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is an Overnight Floating Rate Option:
 - (I) if such day "i" is an Applicable Business Day, the rate determined in respect of such day "i" in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such day "i" were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; and
 - (II) if such day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, the rate determined in respect of the immediately preceding Applicable Business Day in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such Applicable Business Day were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; or
- (c) if "Daily Capped Rate and/or Daily Floored Rate" is specified as applicable in the Confirmation, either:
 - (I) the greater of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Floored Rate specified (if any); or
 - (II) the lower of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Capped Rate specified (if any),

as applicable;

- (iv) "s" is:
 - (a) the number specified as the "Observation Period Shift" in the Confirmation;
 - (b) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Observation Period Shift" in the Confirmation and the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option is included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, the number (if any) specified as the "Observation Period Shift" for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix; or
 - (c) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Observation Period Shift" in the Confirmation or in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, five;
- (v) "d" is the number of calendar days in the Observation Period;
- (vi) "Observation Period Shift Additional Business Day" means a Business Day in the financial centers, if any, specified for such purpose in the Confirmation;
- (vii) "Observation Period Shift Business Day" means a day which is both an Applicable BusinessDay and an Observation Period Shift Additional Business Day;
- (viii) "Observation Period" means:
 - (a) if "Set-in-Advance" is not applicable, for any Calculation Period, the period from, and including, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the first

calendar day of the Calculation Period (and the first Observation Period shall begin on and include the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days prior to the Effective Date) to, but excluding, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the end of the Calculation Period (or, in respect of the final Observation Period, to, but excluding, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Termination Date) (the "Standard Observation Period End Date"); or

(b) if "Set-in-Advance" is applicable, the Set-in-Advance Observation Period;

(ix) "Set-in-Advance Observation Period" means:

- (a) subject to paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) below, in respect of a Calculation Period, the period from, and including, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date (or the Effective Date, as applicable) at the start of the previous Calculation Period to, but excluding, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the start of such Calculation Period (the "Regular Period Observation End Date");
- (b) in respect of the second Calculation Period:
 - (I) if the first Calculation Period is a Stub Period, the period from and including the Period Two Observation Start Date to, but excluding, the Period Two Observation End Date; and
 - (II) if the first Calculation Period is not a Stub Period, the period as set out in paragraph (a) above,

where:

"Period Two Observation Start Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period Two Deemed Preceding Period End Date;

"Period Two Observation End Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the start of the second Calculation Period;

"Period Two Deemed Preceding Period End Date" means (1) if the first Calculation Period is not a Stub Period, the Effective Date, (2) if the first Calculation Period is a Stub Period and the Transaction has Period End Dates that are separated by regular intervals (which may be defined by reference to roll dates, IMM Dates, or intervals of calendar weeks, months or years), the date that falls the relevant regular interval prior to the Period End Date at the start of the second Calculation Period, otherwise (3) the date falling X Observation Period Shift Business Days prior to the Period End Date at the start of the second Calculation Period (or, if X is zero, the Observation Period Shift Business Day immediately preceding such Period End Date), where "X" is the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the second Calculation Period; and

"Stub Period" means, in respect of a Transaction which has Calculation Periods determined by Period End Dates that are separated by regular intervals (which may be defined by reference to specified dates, roll dates, IMM Dates, or intervals of calendar weeks, months or years), a Calculation Period that is longer or shorter than such regular interval;

(c) in respect of the first Calculation Period, the period from and including the Period One Observation Start Date to, but excluding, the Period One Observation End Date,

"Period One Observation Start Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period One Deemed Preceding Period End Date;

"Period One Observation End Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period Two Deemed Preceding Period End Date; and

"Period One Deemed Preceding Period End Date" means the date falling Y Observation Period Shift Business Days prior to the Period Two Observation Start Date (or if Y is zero, the Observation Period Shift Business Day immediately preceding the Period Two Observation Start Date), where "Y" is the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the first Calculation Period;

(d) in respect of the last Calculation Period:

where:

- (I) if that Calculation Period is a Stub Period, the period from, and including, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the start of the penultimate Calculation Period (the "Final Period Observation Start Date") to, but excluding, the earlier of (1) the date falling Z Observation Period Shift Business Days following the Final Period Observation Start Date (or, if Z is zero, the first Observation Period Shift Business Day following the Final Period Observation Start Date), and (2) the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the end of the penultimate Calculation Period, where "Z" is the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the last Calculation Period (the date in either (1) or (2), the "Final Period Observation End Date")³; and
- (II) if the last Calculation Period is not a Stub Period, the period set out in paragraph (a) above.

If "s" is zero and the Period One Observation Start Date, the Period Two Observation Start Date, the Final Period Observation End Date or any Period End Date that would otherwise be the start date or end date for any Set-in-Advance Observation Period, falls on a day that is not an Observation Period Shift Business Day, the Preceding Business Day Convention shall apply to that date by reference to Observation Period Shift Business Days; and

(x) "Set-in-Advance Observation Period End Date" means the Regular Period Observation End Date, the Period One Observation End Date, the Period Two Observation End Date or the Final Period Observation End Date, as applicable.

7.4.4 Averaging with Lockout.

If "Averaging with Lockout" applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the arithmetic average of the reference rate, such average calculated in accordance with the formula below, where the reference rate

The final Stub Period is shifted back by the length of one regular Calculation Period and runs for the length of the Stub Period (determined by reference to the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the Stub Period), unless it is a long Stub Period, in which case it is shortened to the length of the previous Calculation Period to enable the rate to be determined by the Reset Date of that last Calculation Period. This means that long last Stub Periods have a shorter Observation Period than the Calculation Period. Parties may therefore prefer to re-structure a long Stub Period into a regular length Calculation Period and a short Stub Period to avoid this truncated Observation Period for a long last Stub Period.

for the calculation of interest is the Underlying Benchmark specified in the Floating Rate Matrix in respect of the applicable Average Floating Rate Option or Overnight Floating Rate Option, as applicable, or, if the applicable Overnight Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the overnight rate for the Overnight Floating Rate Option specified in the Confirmation, and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (*Rounding of Percentages*), but to the nearest percentage point specified for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Average Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix or, if the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option or Average Floating Rate Option is not included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, rounding shall be as set out in Section 4.8.1 (*Rounding of Percentages*).

$$\left[\sum\nolimits_{i=1}^{i=d_0} \text{Underlying Benchmark Level}_i \right] \times \frac{1}{d}$$

- (i) "do" is, for any Calculation Period, the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period;
- (ii) "i" is a series of whole numbers from 1 to d₀, each representing the relevant calendar day in the Calculation Period in chronological order from, and including, the first calendar day in the Calculation Period;
- (iii) "Underlying Benchmark Leveli" is:
 - (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is identified as an Average Floating Rate Option in the Floating Rate Matrix:
 - (I) in respect of any day "i" other than a day in the Lockout Period:
 - (1) if such day "i" is an Applicable Business Day, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for such day "i" as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; and
 - (2) if such day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, the level of the Underlying Benchmark for the immediately preceding Applicable Business Day as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; and
 - (II) in respect of any day "i" in the Lockout Period, the level of the Underlying Benchmark in respect of the Lockout Date as provided by the Administrator and published as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day; or
 - (b) subject to paragraph (c) below, in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is an Overnight Floating Rate Option:
 - (I) in respect of any day "i" other than a day in the Lockout Period:
 - (1) if such day "i" is an Applicable Business Day, the rate determined in respect of such day "i" in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such day "i" were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; and
 - (2) if such day "i" is not an Applicable Business Day, the rate determined in respect of the immediately preceding Applicable Business Day in

accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if such Applicable Business Day were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; and

- (II) in respect of any day "i" in the Lockout Period, the rate determined in respect of the Lockout Date in accordance with the Floating Rate Option as if the Lockout Date were a Reset Date for the purpose of such Floating Rate Option; or
- (c) if "Daily Capped Rate and/or Daily Floored Rate" is specified as applicable in the Confirmation, in respect of any day "i" either:
 - (I) the greater of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Floored Rate specified (if any); or
 - (II) the lower of the rate determined in accordance with paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, and the Daily Capped Rate specified (if any),

as applicable;

- (iv) "t" means:
 - (a) the number specified as the "Lockout" in the Confirmation; or
 - (b) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Lockout" in the Confirmation and the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option is included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, the number (if any) specified as the "Lockout" for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix; or
 - (c) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Lockout" in the Confirmation or in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, five;
- (v) "d" is the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period;
- (vi) "Lockout Date" is the date "t" Lockout Period Business Days preceding the Period End Date of the Calculation Period or, in respect of the final Calculation Period, the date "t" Lockout Period Business Days preceding the Termination Date;
- (vii) "Lockout Period" is the period from, and including, the Lockout Date to, but excluding, the Period End Date at the end of the Calculation Period or, in respect of the final Calculation Period, the period from, and including, the Lockout Date to, but excluding, the Termination Date; and
- (viii) "Lockout Period Business Day" means:
 - (a) a Business Day in the financial centers specified for such purpose in the Confirmation; or
 - (b) if no financial centers are specified for such purpose in the Confirmation, an Applicable Business Day.

7.5 Index Floating Rate Options and Index Methods.

If an Index Floating Rate Option is specified in the Confirmation and an Index Method applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate determined in accordance with the applicable Index Method and using the specified Index Floating Rate Option.

7.6 Certain Definitions Relating to Index Floating Rate Options and Index Methods.

7.6.1 **Index Method.**

- (i) "Index Method" means Standard Index Method, Compounded Index Method, Compounded Index Method with Observation Period Shift or any other method of determining a Floating Rate using an Index Floating Rate Option that is set out in the Confirmation.
- (ii) If a Transaction specifies a Floating Rate Option that is a Compounded Index Floating Rate Option, the Compounded Index Method shall apply unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation.

7.6.2 Compounded Index Floating Rate Option.

"Compounded Index Floating Rate Option" means a Floating Rate Option that describes the level of an index that represents the rate of return of a daily compound interest rate investment and, if such Floating Rate Option is included in the Floating Rate Matrix, which is identified as a "Compounded Index" in the Floating Rate Matrix.

7.6.3 Index Floating Rate Option.

"Index Floating Rate Option" means:

- (i) a Floating Rate Option that describes the level of a calculated index and, if the Floating Rate Option is included in the Floating Rate Matrix, which is identified as an "Index" in the Floating Rate Matrix; and
- (ii) a Compounded Index Floating Rate Option.

7.6.4 Relevant Index Level.

"Relevant Index Level" means, for any day, the level of the index referenced in the applicable Index Floating Rate Option specified in the Confirmation.

7.7 **Index Methods.**

7.7.1 Standard Index Method.

If "Standard Index Method" applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate of return of the index over the relevant period calculated in accordance with the formula below and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (*Rounding of Percentages*), unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation,

$$\left(\frac{\text{Index Level}_{\text{END}}}{\text{Index Level}_{\text{START}}}\text{-}1\right) \times \frac{\text{Day Count Basis}}{d}$$

where:

(i) "Index Level_{END}" is, for any Calculation Period, the Relevant Index Level in respect of the Reset Date⁴ at the start of the immediately following Calculation Period or, in respect of the final Calculation Period, the Relevant Index Level in respect of the Termination Date, as if such day were a Reset Date for the purpose of the applicable Index Floating Rate Option;

The level of the index is viewed from Reset Date to Reset Date. Firms should consider how to define Reset Dates, or whether to amend this provision via the Confirmation, depending upon the terms of the actual index and whether such index is published on a same day or next day basis.

- (ii) "Index Levelstart" is, for any Calculation Period, the Relevant Index Level in respect of the Reset Date at the start of the Calculation Period, as if such day were a Reset Date for the purpose of the applicable Index Floating Rate Option;
- (iii) "Day Count Basis" is as specified in the Confirmation, or, if not specified in the Confirmation, the denominator of the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction for the Index Floating Rate Option; and
- (iv) "d" is the number of calendar days in the relevant Calculation Period.

For the purpose only of the determination of Index Level_{END}, notwithstanding Section 3.1.3 (*Termination Date*), the Termination Date shall be adjusted in accordance with the Modified Following Business Day Convention, unless either of the Following Business Day Convention or Preceding Business Day Convention is specified to apply to the Termination Date in the Confirmation.

7.7.2 Compounded Index Method.

If "Compounded Index Method" applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate of return of the index calculated in accordance with the formula below and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages), but to the nearest percentage point specified for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix or, if the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option is not included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, rounding shall be as set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages).

$$\left(\frac{\text{Index Level}_{\text{END}}}{\text{Index Level}_{\text{START}}} - 1\right) \times \frac{\text{Day Count Basis}}{d}$$

where:

- (i) "Index Level_{END}" is, for any Calculation Period:
 - (a) if the Period End Date at the end of the Calculation Period (the "End PED") is an Applicable Business Day, the Relevant Index Level in respect of such End PED as if such End PED were a Reset Date for the purpose of the applicable Compounded Index Floating Rate Option; and
 - (b) if the End PED is not an Applicable Business Day, the Relevant Index Level in respect of the Applicable Business Day prior to the End PED as if such Applicable Business Day were a Reset Date for the purpose of the applicable Compounded Index Floating Rate Option multiplied by:

$$\left(1 + \frac{RFR_E \times n}{Day Count Basis}\right)$$

- (1) "RFRE" is the relevant overnight rate, determined in accordance with the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option, in respect of the Applicable Business Day prior to the End PED as though such Applicable Business Day were a Reset Date for the purpose of the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option; and
- (2) "**n**" is the number of calendar days from, and including, the Applicable Business Day prior to the End PED to, but excluding, the End PED;

- (ii) "Index Levelstart" is, for any Calculation Period:
 - (a) if the Period End Date at the start of the Calculation Period (the "Start PED") is an Applicable Business Day, the Relevant Index Level in respect of such Start PED as if such Start PED were a Reset Date for the purpose of the applicable Compounded Index Floating Rate Option; and
 - (b) if the Start PED is not an Applicable Business Day, the Relevant Index Level in respect of the first Applicable Business Day after the Start PED as if such Applicable Business Day were a Reset Date for the purpose of the applicable Compounded Index Floating Rate Option divided by:

$$\left(1 + \frac{RFR_S \times n}{Day Count Basis}\right)$$

where:

- (1) "RFRs" is the relevant overnight rate, determined in accordance with the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option, in respect of the Applicable Business Day prior to the Start PED as though such Applicable Business Day were a Reset Date for the purpose of the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option; and
- (2) "n" is the number of calendar days from, and including, the Start PED to, but excluding, the first Applicable Business Day after the Start PED;
- (iii) "Day Count Basis" is, in respect of the Compounded Index Floating Rate Option, as specified in the Confirmation, or, if not specified in the Confirmation, the denominator of the Floating Rate Day Count Fraction; and
- (iv) "d" is the number of calendar days in the relevant Calculation Period.

7.7.3 Compounded Index Method with Observation Period Shift.

If "Compounded Index Method with Observation Period Shift" applies, the rate for a Reset Date will be the rate of return of the index calculated in accordance with the formula below and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages), but to the nearest percentage point specified for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix or, if the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option is not included in the Compounding/Averaging Matrix, rounding shall be as set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages).

$$\left(\frac{\text{Index Level}_{\text{END}}}{\text{Index Level}_{\text{START}}}\text{-}1\right) \times \frac{\text{Day Count Basis}}{d}$$

- (i) "Index Level_{END}" is the Relevant Index Level in respect of the Observation Period End Date as if such Observation Period End Date were a Reset Date for the purpose of the applicable Compounded Index Floating Rate Option;
- (ii) "Index Levelstart" is the Relevant Index Level in respect of the Observation Period Start Date as if such Observation Period Start Date were a Reset Date for the purpose of the applicable Compounded Index Floating Rate Option;

- (iii) "Observation Period End Date" means the Standard Observation Period End Date or, if Setin-Advance applies, the Set-in-Advance Observation Period End Date;
- (iv) "Observation Period Start Date" means the Standard Observation Period Start Date or, if Set-in-Advance applies, the Set-in-Advance Observation Period Start Date;
- (v) "Day Count Basis" is, in respect of the Compounded Index Floating Rate Option, as specified
 in the Confirmation, or, if not specified in the Confirmation, the denominator of the Floating
 Rate Day Count Fraction;
- (vi) "Observation Period" means:
 - (a) if "Set-in-Advance" does not apply, for any Calculation Period, the period from, and including, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the first calendar day of the relevant Calculation Period (and the first Observation Period shall begin on and include the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days prior to the Effective Date) (in each case, the "Standard Observation Period Start Date") to, but excluding, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the end of the relevant Calculation Period (or, in respect of the final Observation Period, to, but excluding, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Termination Date) (in each case, the "Standard Observation Period End Date"); or
 - (b) if "Set-in-Advance" applies, the Set-in-Advance Observation Period;
- (vii) "Observation Period Shift Business Day" means a day which is both an Applicable Business Day and an Observation Period Shift Additional Business Day;
- (viii) "Observation Period Shift Additional Business Day" means a Business Day in the financial centers, if any, specified for such purpose in the Confirmation;
- (ix) "s" is:
 - (a) the number specified as the "Observation Period Shift" in the Confirmation;
 - (b) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Observation Period Shift" in the Confirmation and the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option is included in the ISDA Compounding/Averaging Matrix, the number (if any) specified as the "Observation Period Shift" for the Relevant Overnight Floating Rate Option in the ISDA Compounding/Averaging Matrix; or
 - (c) if a number is not specified for the purpose of the "Observation Period Shift" in the Confirmation or in the ISDA Compounding/Averaging Matrix, five;
- (x) "d" is the number of calendar days in the relevant Observation Period;
- (xi) "Set-in-Advance Observation Period" means:
 - (a) subject to paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) below, in respect of a Calculation Period, the period from, and including, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date (or the Effective Date, as applicable) at the start of the previous Calculation Period (the "Regular Period Observation Start Date") to, but excluding, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the start of such Calculation Period (the "Regular Period Observation End Date");

- (b) in respect of the second Calculation Period:
 - (I) if the first Calculation Period is a Stub Period, the period from, and including the Period Two Observation Start Date to, but excluding, the Period Two Observation End Date; and
 - (II) if the first Calculation Period is not a Stub Period, the period as set out in paragraph (a) above,

where:

"Period Two Observation Start Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period Two Deemed Preceding Period End Date;

"Period Two Observation End Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the start of the second Calculation Period;

"Period Two Deemed Preceding Period End Date" means (1) if the first Calculation Period is not a Stub Period, the Effective Date, (2) if the first Calculation Period is a Stub Period and the Transaction has Period End Dates that are separated by regular intervals (which may be defined by reference to roll dates, IMM Dates, or intervals of calendar weeks, months or years), the date that falls the relevant regular interval prior to the Period End Date at the start of the second Calculation Period, otherwise (3) the date falling X Observation Period Shift Business Days prior to the Period End Date at the start of the second Calculation Period (or, if X is zero, the Observation Period Shift Business Day immediately preceding such Period End Date), where "X" is the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the second Calculation Period; and

"Stub Period" means, in respect of a Transaction which has Calculation Periods determined by Period End Dates that are separated by regular intervals (which may be defined by reference to specified dates, roll dates, IMM Dates, or intervals of calendar weeks, months or years), a Calculation Period that is longer or shorter than such regular interval;

(c) in respect of the first Calculation Period, the period from, and including, the Period One Observation Start Date to, but excluding, the Period One Observation End Date,

where:

"Period One Observation Start Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period One Deemed Preceding Period End Date;

"Period One Observation End Date" means the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period Two Deemed Preceding Period End Date; and

"Period One Deemed Preceding Period End Date" means the date falling Y Observation Period Shift Business Days prior to the Period Two Observation Start Date (or if Y is zero, the Observation Period Shift Business Day immediately preceding the Period Two Observation Start Date), where "Y" is the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the first Calculation Period:

(d) in respect of the last Calculation Period:

- (I) if that Calculation Period is a Stub Period, the period from, and including, the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the start of the penultimate Calculation Period (the "Final Period Observation Start Date") to, but excluding, the earlier of (1) the date falling Z Observation Period Shift Business Days following the Final Period Observation Start Date (or, if Z is zero, the first Observation Period Shift Business Day following the Final Period Observation Start Date), and (2) the date "s" Observation Period Shift Business Days preceding the Period End Date at the end of the penultimate Calculation Period, where "Z" is the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the last Calculation Period (the date in either (1) or (2), the "Final Period Observation End Date")⁵; and
- (II) if the last Calculation Period is not a Stub Period, the period set out in paragraph (a) above.

If "s" is zero and the Period One Observation Start Date, the Period Two Observation Start Date, the Final Period Observation End Date or any Period End Date that would otherwise be the start date or end date for any Set-in-Advance Observation Period, falls on a day that is not an Observation Period Shift Business Day, the Preceding Business Day Convention shall apply to that date by reference to Observation Period Shift Business Days;

- (xii) "Set-in-Advance Observation Period Start Date" means the Regular Period Observation Start Date, the Period One Observation Start Date, the Period Two Observation Start Date or the Final Period Observation Start Date, as applicable; and
- (xiii) "Set-in-Advance Observation Period End Date" means the Regular Period Observation End Date, the Period One Observation End Date, the Period Two Observation End Date or the Final Period Observation End Date, as applicable.

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The final Stub Period is shifted back by the length of one regular Calculation Period and runs for the length of the Stub Period (determined by reference to the number of Observation Period Shift Business Days in the Stub Period), unless it is a long Stub Period, in which case it is shortened to the length of the previous Calculation Period to enable the rate to be determined by the Reset Date of that last Calculation Period. This means that long last Stub Periods have a shorter Observation Period than the Calculation Period. Parties may therefore prefer to re-structure a long Stub Period into a regular length Calculation Period and a short Stub Period to avoid this truncated Observation Period for a long last Stub Period.

SECTION 8 FALLBACKS

8.1 **Temporary Non-Publication.**

Subject to Section 8.2 (*Provisions Relating to Permanent Cessation*), if a Temporary Non-Publication Trigger occurs, the rate for any day for which the Applicable Benchmark is required shall be determined in accordance with the applicable Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for so long as the Temporary Non-Publication Trigger is continuing.

8.1.1 **Temporary Non-Publication Trigger.**

"Temporary Non-Publication Trigger" means:

- in respect of a Floating Rate Option, Standard Temporary Non-Publication Trigger unless a different Temporary Non-Publication Trigger is specified for the Floating Rate Option in the Floating Rate Matrix or in the Confirmation; and
- (ii) in respect of any other Applicable Benchmark that is required for any determination (other than any Applicable Fallback Rate for which a provision addressing temporary non-publication of that rate is set out in Section 9 (*Bespoke Triggers and Fallbacks*)), Standard Temporary Non-Publication Trigger or such other trigger (if any) specified in the Confirmation.

8.1.2 Standard Temporary Non-Publication Trigger.

"Standard Temporary Non-Publication Trigger" means, unless otherwise agreed by the parties:

- (i) in respect of a Floating Rate Option, the Applicable Benchmark for the Designated Maturity (if applicable) in respect of the day for which it is required is not published by the Administrator or an authorized distributor and is not otherwise provided by the Administrator by either:
 - (a) the later of (I) the Reset Date (including any day that is deemed to be a Reset Date pursuant to an Overnight Rate Compounding Method or an Overnight Rate Averaging Method) and (II) the Fixing Day; or
 - (b) such other date on which the Applicable Benchmark is required; and
- (ii) in respect of any other Applicable Benchmark which is required for any determination, the Applicable Benchmark in respect of the day for which it is required has not been published by the source that is specified or otherwise ordinarily used to determine the level of the Applicable Benchmark on the day on which it is required.

8.1.3 **Temporary Non-Publication Fallback.**

"Temporary Non-Publication Fallback" means:

- in respect of a Floating Rate Option included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the Temporary Non-Publication Fallback specified for the Floating Rate Option in the Floating Rate Matrix or (if different) in the Confirmation; and
- (ii) in respect of any other Applicable Benchmark (other than any Applicable Fallback Rate for which a provision addressing temporary non-publication of that rate is set out in Section 9 (Bespoke Triggers and Fallbacks)), and unless another Temporary Non-Publication Fallback is specified in the Confirmation:

- (a) if the Applicable Benchmark is a Term Rate as described in paragraph (vi) of Section 6.6.2 (*Screen Rate Style*), Temporary Non-Publication Fallback Alternative Rate;
- (b) if the Applicable Benchmark is an Overnight Rate as described in paragraph (iii) of Section 6.6.2 (*Screen Rate Style*), Temporary Non-Publication Fallback Previous Day's Rate;
- (c) if the Applicable Benchmark is a Swap Rate as described in paragraph (v) of Section 6.6.2 (*Screen Rate Style*), Temporary Non-Publication Fallback Reference Banks (for the purpose of which the Relevant Arithmetic Mean shall be Arithmetic Mean Eliminating Outliers, unless a different Relevant Arithmetic Mean is specified in the Confirmation); or
- (d) if the Applicable Benchmark is not a rate as described in paragraphs (a) to (c) above, Temporary Non-Publication Fallback Alternative Rate.

8.1.4 Temporary Non-Publication Fallback – Alternative Rate.

"Temporary Non-Publication Fallback – Alternative Rate" means that, unless otherwise agreed by the parties, the rate for any day for which an Applicable Benchmark is required will be:

- (i) a rate formally recommended for use by the Administrator; or
- (ii) a rate formally recommended for use by the supervisor or competent authority that is responsible for supervising the Applicable Benchmark or the Administrator, or by a committee officially endorsed or convened by a supervisor or competent authority that is responsible for supervising the Applicable Benchmark or the Administrator,

in each case, during the period of non-publication of the Applicable Benchmark. If a rate described in paragraph (i) above is available, that rate shall apply. If no such rate is available but a rate described in paragraph (ii) above is available, that rate shall apply. If neither a rate described in paragraph (i) above nor a rate described in paragraph (ii) above is available, then Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination shall apply.

8.1.5 Temporary Non-Publication Fallback – Previous Day's Rate.

"Temporary Non-Publication Fallback – Previous Day's Rate" means that the rate for any day for which an Applicable Benchmark is required will be the last provided or published level of that Applicable Benchmark.

8.1.6 Temporary Non-Publication Fallback – Reference Banks.

- (i) "Temporary Non-Publication Fallback Reference Banks" means that the rate for any day for which an Applicable Benchmark is required will be the Relevant Arithmetic Mean of the Required Quotations provided by the Reference Banks as of the Fixing Time (if any) on the Fixing Day or, if the Floating Rate Matrix or the Confirmation specifies a time other than the Fixing Time, as of such time, for a Representative Amount and, if the relevant Floating Rate Option to which this provision applies is a Swap Rate, with an acknowledged dealer of good credit in the swap market. If a Designated Maturity is specified for the purpose of the Floating Rate Option, the Required Quotations shall be for a term equal to the Designated Maturity commencing on the Reset Date.
- (ii) The Calculation Agent shall request each Reference Bank to provide a Required Quotation. If the Calculation Agent is required to request:

- (a) more than five quotations, and fewer than four are provided;
- (b) five quotations, and fewer than three quotations are provided;
- (c) three or four quotations, and fewer than two quotations are provided; or
- (d) two quotations, and fewer than two quotations are provided,

then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination shall apply.

- (iii) If "Major Bank Fallback" applies, then, notwithstanding paragraph (ii) above, if fewer than two quotations are provided, the rate for the Reset Date will be the arithmetic mean of the quotations provided by the "Major Banks" (as specified in the Floating Rate Matrix or the Confirmation), selected by the Calculation Agent, as of the Fixing Time on the Reset Date (unless another time is specified) for the "Major Bank Loans" (as specified in the Floating Rate Matrix or the Confirmation) for a period of the Designated Maturity commencing on the Reset Date and in a Representative Amount. If the Calculation Agent cannot determine a rate as set out in this paragraph (iii), Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination shall apply.
- (iv) For the purpose of this Section 8.1.6 and any fallbacks set out in Section 9 (*Bespoke Triggers and Fallbacks*):
 - (a) "Relevant Arithmetic Mean" means the relevant method for calculating the rate based on the Required Quotations received from the Reference Banks, which may be one of Arithmetic Mean Eliminating Outliers, Arithmetic Mean No Elimination, Arithmetic Mean Eliminating Outliers (Modified 1), Arithmetic Mean Eliminating Outliers (Modified 2) or any other method set out in the Floating Rate Matrix or in the Confirmation;
 - (b) "Arithmetic Mean Eliminating Outliers" means the arithmetic mean, after eliminating the highest quotation (or, in the event of equality, one of the highest) and the lowest quotation (or, in the event of equality, one of the lowest), unless only two quotations are provided, in which case neither the highest quotation nor the lowest quotation will be eliminated;
 - (c) "Arithmetic Mean No Elimination" means the arithmetic mean of all quotations without eliminating the highest or lowest quotation;
 - (d) "Arithmetic Mean Eliminating Outliers (Modified 1)" means the arithmetic mean, after eliminating the highest quotation (or, in the event of equality, one of the highest) and the lowest quotation (or, in the event of equality, one of the lowest), unless only two or three quotations are provided, in which case neither the highest quotation nor the lowest quotation will be eliminated; and
 - (e) "Arithmetic Mean Eliminating Outliers (Modified 2)" means the arithmetic mean, after eliminating the highest quotation (or, in the event of equality, one of the highest) and the lowest quotation (or, in the event of equality, one of the lowest), unless only two or three or four quotations are provided, in which case neither the highest quotation nor the lowest quotation will be eliminated.

8.1.7 Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

"Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination" means that the Calculation Agent shall determine a commercially reasonable alternative for the Applicable Benchmark, taking into account all available information that in good faith it considers relevant including a rate implemented by central counterparties and/or futures exchanges (if any), in each case with trading volumes in derivatives or futures referencing the Applicable Benchmark that the Calculation Agent considers sufficient for that rate to be a representative alternative rate.

8.1.8 Reference Banks.

"Reference Banks" means:

- (i) if the Floating Rate Option is included in the Floating Rate Matrix, unless otherwise specified for the Transaction, the types and number of institutions set out in the column entitled "Temporary Non-Publication Trigger / Temporary Non-Publication Fallback" in the Floating Rate Matrix; and
- (ii) if the Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the institutions, or the types and number of institutions, set out in the Confirmation, or, if not specified in the Confirmation, as selected by the Calculation Agent.

8.1.9 Representative Amount.

"Representative Amount" means an amount that is representative for a single transaction referencing the Applicable Benchmark, or the rate as described for the purpose of any Required Quotations, in the relevant market at the relevant time.

8.1.10 Required Quotations.

"Required Quotations" means the quotations to be requested from each Reference Bank by the Calculation Agent in respect of:

- (i) if the Floating Rate Option is included in the Floating Rate Matrix, and unless otherwise specified for the Transaction, the rate that is described as such in the column entitled "Temporary Non-Publication Trigger / Temporary Non-Publication Fallback" in the Floating Rate Matrix; and
- (ii) if the Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the rate that is described as such in the Confirmation or, if not described in the Confirmation, the rate for the Applicable Benchmark as of the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day.

8.2 Provisions Relating to Permanent Cessation.

If a Permanent Cessation Trigger occurs, the applicable Permanent Cessation Fallback shall apply from the date set out in the applicable Permanent Cessation Fallback or, if no such date is set out in the applicable Permanent Cessation Fallback and the Permanent Cessation Trigger is Index Cessation Event, from the Index Cessation Effective Date.

8.2.1 **Permanent Cessation Trigger.**

"Permanent Cessation Trigger" means:

(i) in respect of a Floating Rate Option included in the Floating Rate Matrix, Index Cessation Event unless:

- (a) a different trigger is specified in the relevant column of the Floating Rate Matrix; or
- (b) a different Permanent Cessation Trigger is specified in the Confirmation; and
- (ii) in respect of any other Applicable Benchmark, Index Cessation Event or the trigger specified in the Confirmation, if different.

8.2.2 Permanent Cessation Fallback.

"Permanent Cessation Fallback" means:

- (i) in respect of a Floating Rate Option included in the Floating Rate Matrix and a Permanent Cessation Trigger, the fallback which is specified to apply as the "Permanent Cessation Fallback" in the Floating Rate Matrix, unless a different Permanent Cessation Fallback is specified in the Confirmation;
- (ii) in respect of any Applicable Fallback Rate for a Floating Rate Option included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the fallback (if any) that is specified to apply to that rate in Section 9 (*Bespoke Triggers and Fallbacks*);
- (iii) in respect of an Applicable Fallback Rate specified in the Confirmation, the fallback (if any) that is specified to apply to that rate in the Confirmation; and
- (iv) in respect of any other Applicable Benchmark and a Permanent Cessation Trigger, Generic Fallback Provisions, unless a different Permanent Cessation Fallback is specified in the Confirmation.

8.2.3 Index Cessation Event.

- (i) "Index Cessation Event" means, in respect of an Applicable Benchmark:
 - (a) a public statement or publication of information by or on behalf of the Administrator of the Applicable Benchmark announcing that it has ceased or will cease to provide the Applicable Benchmark permanently or indefinitely, provided that, at the time of the statement or publication, there is no successor administrator or provider, as applicable, that will continue to provide the Applicable Benchmark;
 - (b) a public statement or publication of information by the regulatory supervisor for the Administrator of the Applicable Benchmark, the central bank for the currency of the Applicable Benchmark, an insolvency official with jurisdiction over the Administrator for the Applicable Benchmark, a resolution authority with jurisdiction over the Administrator for the Applicable Benchmark or a court or an entity with similar insolvency or resolution authority over the Administrator for the Applicable Benchmark, which states that the Administrator of the Applicable Benchmark has ceased or will cease to provide the Applicable Benchmark permanently or indefinitely, provided that, at the time of the statement or publication, there is no successor administrator or provider that will continue to provide the Applicable Benchmark (provided that, in each case, as used in this paragraph (b), the definition of Applicable Benchmark shall exclude each Excluded Fallback Rate);
 - (c) in respect of an Applicable Fallback Rate that has an Underlying Fallback Rate, a public statement or publication of information by the regulatory supervisor for the administrator of the Underlying Fallback Rate, the central bank for the currency of the Underlying Fallback Rate, an insolvency official with jurisdiction over the

administrator for the Underlying Fallback Rate, a resolution authority with jurisdiction over the administrator for the Underlying Fallback Rate or a court or an entity with similar insolvency or resolution authority over the administrator for the Underlying Fallback Rate, which states that the administrator of the Underlying Fallback Rate has ceased or will cease to provide the Underlying Fallback Rate permanently or indefinitely, provided that, at the time of the statement or publication, there is no successor administrator that will continue to provide the Underlying Fallback Rate; or

- (d) if Non-Representative applies, a public statement or publication of information by the regulatory supervisor for the Administrator of the Applicable Benchmark announcing that (I) the regulatory supervisor has determined that such Applicable Benchmark is no longer, or as of a specified future date will no longer be, representative of the underlying market and economic reality that such Applicable Benchmark is intended to measure and that representativeness will not be restored and (II) it is being made in the awareness that the statement or publication will engage certain contractual triggers for fallbacks activated by pre-cessation announcements by such supervisor (howsoever described) in contracts.
- (ii) An Index Cessation Event may also occur in accordance with Section 6.11 (*Discontinued Rates Maturities*), Section 9.46 (*SGD-SOR*) or Section 9.49 (*THB-THBFIX*).
- (iii) The occurrence of an event prior to the Trade Date that constitutes an Index Cessation Event shall be an Index Cessation Event for the purpose of that Transaction and the relevant Applicable Benchmark notwithstanding that the event occurred prior to the Trade Date.
- (iv) "Excluded Fallback Rate" means Fallback Rate (SONIA), Fallback Rate (SARON), Fallback Rate (SOFR), Fallback Rate (EuroSTR), Fallback Rate (TONA), Fallback Rate (AONIA), Fallback Rate (CORRA) and Fallback Rate (HONIA).

8.2.4 Index Cessation Effective Date.

"Index Cessation Effective Date" means:

- in respect of an Applicable Benchmark and one or more Index Cessation Events, the first date
 on which the Applicable Benchmark would ordinarily have been published or provided and is
 no longer published or provided; or
- (ii) if Non-Representative applies and in respect of one or more Index Cessation Events, the first date on which the Applicable Benchmark would ordinarily have been published or provided and is either:
 - (a) Non-Representative by reference to the most recent statement or publication contemplated in paragraph (i)(d) of Section 8.2.3 (*Index Cessation Event*) and even if such Applicable Benchmark continues to be published or provided on such date; or
 - (b) no longer published or provided.

An Index Cessation Effective Date may also occur in accordance with Section 6.11 (*Discontinued Rates Maturities*), Section 9.46 (*SGD-SOR*) or Section 9.49 (*THB-THBFIX*).

8.2.5 Non-Representative.

"Non-Representative" means that the regulatory supervisor for the administrator of the Applicable Benchmark:

- (i) has determined and announced that the Applicable Benchmark is no longer representative of the underlying market and economic reality it is intended to measure and representativeness will not be restored; and
- (ii) is aware that certain contractual triggers for fallbacks activated by pre-cessation announcements by such supervisor (howsoever described) in contracts have been or are engaged,

provided that such Applicable Benchmark will be "Non-Representative" by reference to the date indicated in the most recent statement or publication contemplated in paragraph (i)(d) of Section 8.2.3 (*Index Cessation Event*).

8.3 Provisions Relating to Administrator/Benchmark Event.

If an Administrator/Benchmark Event occurs, the applicable Administrator/Benchmark Fallback shall apply from the date set out in that applicable Administrator/Benchmark Fallback or, if no such date is specified in the applicable Administrator/Benchmark Fallback, from the Administrator/Benchmark Event Date.

8.3.1 Application of Administrator/Benchmark Event.

- (i) In respect of a Floating Rate Option included in the Floating Rate Matrix, Administrator/Benchmark Event shall apply if specified as applicable in the column entitled "Administrator/Benchmark Event / Administrator/Benchmark Fallback" in the Floating Rate Matrix, unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation.
- (ii) In respect of any other Applicable Benchmark, Administrator/Benchmark Event shall apply, unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation.

8.3.2 Administrator/Benchmark Event.

"Administrator/Benchmark Event" means:

- (i) the delivery of a notice by one party to the other specifying, and citing Publicly Available Information that reasonably confirms, an event or circumstance which has the effect that either or both of the parties or the Calculation Agent is not, or will not be, permitted under any applicable law or regulation to use the Applicable Benchmark to perform its or their obligations under the Transaction; or
- (ii) if an alternative definition of "Administrator/Benchmark Event" is specified in the Confirmation, the event or events so described.

8.3.3 Administrator/Benchmark Event Date.

"Administrator/Benchmark Event Date" means, in respect of an Administrator/Benchmark Event, the date from which the Applicable Benchmark may no longer be used under any applicable law or regulation by either or both of the parties or the Calculation Agent or, if that date occurs before the Trade Date, the Trade Date.

8.3.4 Administrator/Benchmark Fallback.

"Administrator/Benchmark Fallback" means:

in respect of a Floating Rate Option included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the fallback which
is specified to apply in the Floating Rate Matrix to an Administrator/Benchmark Event, unless
another Administrator/Benchmark Fallback is specified in the Confirmation;

- (ii) in respect of any Applicable Fallback Rate specified in the Floating Rate Matrix for a Floating Rate Option included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the fallback (if any) which is specified to apply to that rate in Section 9 (Bespoke Triggers and Fallbacks);
- (iii) in respect of an Applicable Fallback Rate specified in the Confirmation, the fallback (if any) that is specified to apply to that rate in the Confirmation; and
- (iv) in respect of any other Applicable Benchmark, Generic Fallback Provisions, unless another Administrator/Benchmark Fallback is specified in the Confirmation.

8.3.5 Publicly Available Information.

- (i) "Publicly Available Information" means, in respect of an Administrator/Benchmark Event, one or both of the following:
 - information received from or published by (I) the Administrator or sponsor of the Applicable Benchmark or (II) any national, regional or other supervisory or regulatory authority which is responsible for supervising the Administrator or sponsor of the Applicable Benchmark or regulating the Applicable Benchmark. However, where any information of the type described in (I) or (II) is not publicly available, it shall only constitute Publicly Available Information if it can be made public without violating any law, regulation, agreement, understanding or other restriction regarding the confidentiality of that information; or
 - (b) information published in a Specified Public Source (regardless of whether the reader or user thereof pays a fee to obtain that information).
- (ii) In relation to any information of the type described in paragraph (a) of the definition of Publicly Available Information, the party receiving that information may assume that such information has been disclosed to it without violating any law, regulation, agreement, understanding or other restriction regarding the confidentiality of that information and that the party delivering it has not taken any action or entered into any agreement or understanding with the Administrator or sponsor or any relevant national, regional or other supervisory or regulatory authority that would be breached by, or would prevent, the disclosure of that information to the party receiving it.

8.3.6 Specified Public Source.

"Specified Public Source" means each source specified as such in the Confirmation or, if no such source is specified, each of Bloomberg, Refinitiv, Dow Jones Newswires, The Wall Street Journal, The New York Times, The Nikkei, Asahi Shimbun, Yomiuri Shimbun, Financial Times, La Tribune, Les Echos, The Australian Financial Review and, in each case, any successor publications, the main source(s) of business news in the country in which the Administrator or the sponsor of the Applicable Benchmark is incorporated or organised and any other internationally recognised published or electronically displayed news sources.

8.4 Hierarchy of Events.

If, in respect of an Applicable Benchmark, (i) an event or circumstance which would otherwise constitute or give rise to an Administrator/Benchmark Event also constitutes an Index Cessation Event or (ii) an Index Cessation Event and an event as described in the definition of Administrator/Benchmark Event in Section 8.3.2 (Administrator/Benchmark Event) would otherwise be continuing at the same time, it will in either case constitute an Index Cessation Event and will not constitute or give rise to an Administrator/Benchmark Event.

However, if the Generic Fallback Provisions apply and the date that would otherwise have been the Administrator/Benchmark Event Date falls before the Applicable Benchmark ceases to be available, Section 8.6.6(ii) (*Interim measures*) shall apply as if an Administrator/Benchmark Event had occurred.

8.5 Certain Definitions Relating to Fallbacks.

8.5.1 **Applicable Benchmark.**

- (i) "Applicable Benchmark" means:
 - (a) in respect of a Floating Rate Option included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the Underlying Benchmark, unless a different benchmark is specified as the "Applicable Benchmark" for the Floating Rate Option either in the Floating Rate Matrix or in the Confirmation;
 - (b) in respect of a Floating Rate Option that is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the benchmark as specified in the Confirmation, or, if not specified in the Confirmation, the index, benchmark or other price source that is referred to in that Floating Rate Option;
 - (c) an Applicable Fallback Rate;
 - (d) an Agreed Discount Rate or a Discount Rate (or, if applicable, the index, benchmark or other price source that is referred to in it);
 - (e) a Discounting Rate (or, if applicable, the index, benchmark or other price source that is referred to in it);
 - (f) a Currency Exchange Rate;
 - (g) a Settlement Rate;
 - (h) the Impacted Index; and
 - (i) any other index, benchmark or price source specified in the 2021 Definitions or the Confirmation.
- (ii) If a Replacement Benchmark applies:
 - (a) it shall be an Applicable Benchmark from the day on which it first applies;
 - (b) if that Replacement Benchmark is a benchmark that is included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the Fallback Triggers and the related fallbacks for that Replacement Benchmark shall apply notwithstanding that such Replacement Benchmark may not be a Replacement Benchmark in respect of a Floating Rate Option; and
 - (c) if that Replacement Benchmark is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix,
 - (I) the Permanent Cessation Trigger in respect of that Replacement Benchmark shall be Index Cessation Event and the Permanent Cessation Fallback shall be Generic Fallback Provisions;
 - (II) (other than in respect of a Replacement Benchmark for a Currency Exchange Rate or a Settlement Rate) the Temporary Non-Publication Trigger in respect of that Replacement Benchmark shall be Standard Temporary Non-Publication Trigger and the Temporary Non-Publication Fallback shall be as set out in paragraph (ii) of Section 8.1.3 (Temporary Non-Publication Fallback); and

(III) Administrator/Benchmark Event shall apply in respect of that Replacement Benchmark and the Administrator/Benchmark Fallback shall be Generic Fallback Provisions.

8.5.2 Replacement Benchmark.

"Replacement Benchmark" means:

- (i) an Alternative Pre-nominated Index;
- (ii) an Alternative Post-nominated Index; or
- (iii) a Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index,

which applies pursuant to Section 8.6.3(ii) (Application of Alternative Pre-nominated Index), Section 8.6.3(iii) (Application of Alternative Post-nominated Index) or Section 8.6.3(iv) (Application of Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index), as applicable.

8.5.3 Applicable Fallback Rate.

"Applicable Fallback Rate" means, in respect of a Floating Rate Option:

- (i) each rate specified as such in the Floating Rate Matrix; or
- (ii) if the Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the rate specified in the Confirmation or, if not specified, any rate or benchmark that applies as a fallback to the Floating Rate Option.

8.5.4 Applicable Fallback Effective Date.

"Applicable Fallback Effective Date" means:

- (i) in respect of an Applicable Benchmark and an Index Cessation Event or an Administrator/Benchmark Event, the Index Cessation Effective Date or the Administrator/Benchmark Event Date, as applicable; and
- (ii) in respect of any other Permanent Cessation Trigger or an Administrator/Benchmark Event set out in the Confirmation, the specified date on which the related Permanent Cessation Fallback or Administrator/Benchmark Fallback, as applicable, will apply as set out in the Confirmation.

8.5.5 Fallback Trigger.

"Fallback Trigger" means, in respect of an Applicable Benchmark, a Temporary Non-Publication Trigger, a Permanent Cessation Trigger or an Administrator/Benchmark Event, as applicable.

8.5.6 Generic Fallback Provisions.

"Generic Fallback Provisions" means the provisions set out in Section 8.6 (Generic Fallback Provisions).

8.5.7 Underlying Fallback Rate.

"Underlying Fallback Rate" means, in respect of an Applicable Fallback Rate, the rate specified as the "Underlying Fallback Rate" in the Floating Rate Matrix (if any) or, if the Floating Rate Option is not included in the Floating Rate Matrix, the rate underlying the specified Applicable Fallback Rate unless another rate is specified in the Confirmation.

8.6 Generic Fallback Provisions.

8.6.1 Application of Alternative Continuation Fallbacks.

(i) Subject to Section 8.6.6 (*Cut-off Date and Determinations prior to Cut-off Date*) and Section 8.6.8(ii) (*Non-compliant fallbacks and material additional regulatory obligations*) and unless otherwise agreed between the parties, when the Generic Fallback Provisions apply, during the period from and including the date of the Permanent Cessation Trigger or the Administrator/Benchmark Event, to and including the Cut-off Date, each party shall act in good faith and use commercially reasonable efforts in seeking to apply each applicable Alternative Continuation Fallback (including in seeking to resolve any disputes under Section 8.6.7(ii) (*Generic Fallback Provisions – Dispute Resolution Process*)) to allow the Transaction to continue in accordance with its terms, as amended in accordance with the relevant Alternative Continuation Fallback.

(ii) If:

- (a) in seeking to apply Section 8.6.3(i) (Agreement between the parties) to Section 8.6.3(iv) (Application of Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index), a Continuation Amendment can be made under more than one applicable Alternative Continuation Fallback, then the Continuation Amendment which can be made under the first such applicable Alternative Continuation Fallback that appears in Section 8.6.3 (Alternative Continuation Fallbacks) shall prevail and that Alternative Continuation Fallback shall be implemented in accordance with Section 8.6.2 (Implementation of Utilized Fallback); or
- (b) no Continuation Amendment can be made under any of the applicable Alternative Continuation Fallbacks by Close of Business on the Cut-off Date, then Section 8.6.4 (*No Fault Termination*) shall apply.

8.6.2 Implementation of Utilized Fallback.

The first applicable Alternative Continuation Fallback that appears in Section 8.6.3 (*Alternative Continuation Fallbacks*) pursuant to which a Continuation Amendment can be made in accordance with Section 8.6.1 (*Application of Alternative Continuation Fallbacks*), if any, shall be implemented on the Local Business Day following the Cut-off Date.

8.6.3 Alternative Continuation Fallbacks.

(i) **Agreement between the parties.** The parties shall seek to agree on the actions, if any, to be taken in order to account for the Fallback Trigger.

- (ii) **Application of Alternative Pre-nominated Index**. If the parties have specified an Impacted Index and an Alternative Pre-nominated Index⁶, the terms of the Transaction shall be adjusted so that:
 - (a) references to the Impacted Index are replaced by references to the Alternative Prenominated Index;
 - (b) if the parties agree to an Adjustment Payment, the Adjustment Payment shall be made in accordance with that agreement or, if the parties do not agree to an Adjustment

⁶ If the parties want to rely on this fallback, the Impacted Index and one or more Alternative Pre-nominated Indices must be specified in the Confirmation.

Payment, the Calculation Agent shall apply the Adjustment Spread to the Alternative Pre-nominated Index; and

- (c) the Calculation Agent shall, after taking into account any Adjustment Payment or Adjustment Spread, make any other adjustments to the Transaction that are necessary to account for the effect on the Transaction of referencing the Alternative Prenominated Index.
- (iii) **Application of Alternative Post-nominated Index**. The terms of the Transaction shall be adjusted so that:
 - (a) references to the Applicable Benchmark are replaced by references to the Alternative Post-nominated Index;
 - (b) if the parties agree to an Adjustment Payment, the Adjustment Payment shall be made in accordance with that agreement or, if the parties do not agree to an Adjustment Payment, the Calculation Agent shall apply the Adjustment Spread to the Alternative Post-nominated Index; and
 - (c) the Calculation Agent shall, after taking into account any Adjustment Payment or Adjustment Spread, make any other adjustments to the Transaction that are necessary to account for the effect on the Transaction of referencing the Alternative Postnominated Index.

If, in respect of an Applicable Benchmark, more than one Relevant Nominating Body formally designates, nominates or recommends an Alternative Post-nominated Index or, in respect of the same Alternative Post-nominated Index, a spread or methodology for calculating a spread in relation to the replacement of the Applicable Benchmark with that Alternative Post-nominated Index, in each case by Close of Business on the Cut-off Date, and those designations, nominations or recommendations are not the same, then no Continuation Amendment can be made under this paragraph (iii).

- (iv) Application of Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index. The terms of the Transaction shall be adjusted so that:
 - (a) references to the Applicable Benchmark are replaced by references to the Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index;
 - (b) if the parties agree to an Adjustment Payment, the Adjustment Payment shall be made in accordance with that agreement or, if the parties do not agree to an Adjustment Payment, the Calculation Agent shall apply the Adjustment Spread to the Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index; and
 - (c) the Calculation Agent shall, after taking into account any Adjustment Payment or Adjustment Spread, make any other adjustments to the Transaction that are necessary to account for the effect on the Transaction of referencing the Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index.

8.6.4 No Fault Termination.

(i) Subject to paragraph (ii) below, if this Section 8.6.4 applies then, with effect from the Business Day following the Cut-off Date:

- (a) if the ISDA Master Agreement is a 1992 ISDA Master Agreement, Section 6 of the ISDA Master Agreement shall apply as if:
 - (I) an "Additional Termination Event" had occurred and is continuing;
 - (II) both parties were "Affected Parties"; and
 - (III) the Transactions in respect of which the Generic Fallback Provisions apply were the only "Affected Transactions",

(each of "Additional Termination Event", "Affected Parties" and "Affected Transactions" as defined in the ISDA Master Agreement); and

- (b) otherwise, Section 6(b)(iv)(2)(A) of the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement shall apply as if:
 - (I) a "Force Majeure Event" had occurred and is continuing and the "Waiting Period" had expired at Close of Business on the Cut-off Date;
 - (II) both parties were "Affected Parties"; and
 - (III) the Transactions in respect of which the Generic Fallback Provisions apply were the only "Affected Transactions",

(each of "Force Majeure Event", "Waiting Period", "Affected Parties" and "Affected Transactions" as defined in the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement).

(ii) If this Section 8.6.4 applies following a failure by the parties to resolve a dispute under Section 8.6.7(ii) (Generic Fallback Provisions – Dispute Resolution Process), neither party has exercised its right to terminate the Transaction by the Notification Deadline on the tenth Local Business Day following the Cut-off Date and, prior to the application of this Section 8.6.4, the Calculation Agent had notified the parties of a determination under a proposed Alternative Continuation Fallback (including under Section 8.6.7(ii) (Generic Fallback Provisions – Dispute Resolution Process)), then this Section 8.6.4 shall cease to apply and that determination and the applicable Alternative Continuation Fallback shall instead apply.

8.6.5 Adjustment Spread Determination.

The Adjustment Spread shall be:

- (i) as agreed between the parties (on the Trade Date or otherwise); or
- (ii) if the parties are unable to agree, either:
 - (a) determined by the Calculation Agent; or
 - (b) if, in relation to an Alternative Post-nominated Index, a spread or methodology for calculating a spread has been formally designated, nominated or recommended by any Relevant Nominating Body in relation to the replacement of the Applicable Benchmark with the Alternative Post-nominated Index, that spread or the spread determined using that methodology, as applicable, unless otherwise agreed between the parties.

8.6.6 Cut-off Date and Determinations prior to Cut-off Date.

(i) **Cut-off Date following a Fallback Trigger**. Unless otherwise agreed between the parties, the Cut-off Date will be the later of (1) fifteen Local Business Days following the day on which

the Generic Fallback Provisions first apply and (2) the Applicable Fallback Effective Date. However, if:

- (a) more than one Relevant Nominating Body formally designates, nominates or recommends an Alternative Post-nominated Index or a spread or methodology for calculating a spread and one or more of those Relevant Nominating Bodies does so on or after the day that is three Local Business Days before that date, then the Cut-off Date will instead be the second Local Business Day following the date that, but for this paragraph (a), would have been the Cut-off Date; or
- (b) a dispute under Section 8.6.7(ii) (Generic Fallback Provisions Dispute Resolution Process) is continuing on the date that, but for this paragraph (b), would have been the Cut-off Date, then the Cut-off Date will instead be the earlier of (1) the date on which that dispute is resolved and (2) the date on which the time period for resolution under Section 8.6.7(ii) (Generic Fallback Provisions Dispute Resolution Process) ends.
- (ii) **Interim measures**. If, after the Generic Fallback Provisions first apply, the Applicable Benchmark is required for any determination under the terms of the Transaction and, at that time, no Continuation Amendment has been made and, if applicable, the Transaction has not terminated pursuant to Section 8.6.4 (*No Fault Termination*), then, for the purposes of that determination, the level of the Applicable Benchmark shall be as agreed between the parties or, failing such agreement:
 - (a) if the Applicable Fallback Effective Date has not yet occurred, shall be determined pursuant to the terms that would apply to the determination of the Applicable Benchmark if no Permanent Cessation Trigger or Administrator/Benchmark Event had occurred (including pursuant to any Temporary Non-Publication Trigger and Temporary Non-Publication Fallback that applies);
 - (b) if an Applicable Fallback Effective Date has occurred, shall be determined pursuant to the relevant Temporary Non-Publication Fallback; and
 - (c) if a level for the Applicable Benchmark cannot be determined under paragraph (a) or (b) above, as applicable, shall be determined by reference to the rate published in respect of the Applicable Benchmark at the time at which the Applicable Benchmark is ordinarily determined on (I) the day on which the Applicable Benchmark ceased to be available or (II) the Administrator/Benchmark Event Date, as applicable or, if no rate is published at that time or that rate cannot be used in accordance with applicable law or regulation, by reference to the rate published at that time on the last day on which the rate was published or can be used in accordance with applicable law or regulation, as applicable.

8.6.7 Calculation Agent Determinations under the Generic Fallback Provisions.

- (i) Determinations made by the Calculation Agent.
 - (a) Whenever the Calculation Agent is required to act, make a determination or exercise judgement under the Generic Fallback Provisions, it shall do so by reference to Relevant Market Data available at, or a reasonable period of time prior to, the time of notification.
 - (b) The Calculation Agent shall notify the parties of any determination it makes pursuant to the Generic Fallback Provisions as soon as reasonably practicable after the Generic Fallback Provisions first apply and, in any event, at least two Local Business Days

before the Cut-off Date. However, any failure to provide such a notification shall not give rise to a Potential Event of Default or an Event of Default (each as defined in the ISDA Master Agreement) with respect to the party, if any, that is the Calculation Agent.

- (ii) Generic Fallback Provisions Dispute Resolution Process. If a party reasonably disputes the Calculation Agent's determination of an Adjustment Spread, the Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index or any other adjustment to be made by the Calculation Agent to the Transaction pursuant to the Generic Fallback Provisions, then:
 - (a) the disputing party shall, by the Notification Deadline on the second Local Business Day following the later of (1) the date on which it was notified of the determination and (2) the date on which it received the relevant Calculation Statement, notify the other party and the Calculation Agent (if the Calculation Agent is not the other party) in writing that it disputes that determination and provide reasonable detail of the reason for its dispute and any supporting Relevant Market Data;
 - (b) the parties shall consult with each other in good faith in an attempt to resolve the dispute; and
 - (c) if the dispute is not resolved by the Close of Business on the fourth Local Business Day following the notification of the dispute under paragraph (a) above, then the Alternative Continuation Fallback that is the subject of the dispute shall cease to apply and the next Alternative Continuation Fallback pursuant to which a Continuation Amendment can be made will apply. If no Continuation Amendment can be made under any of the other Alternative Continuation Fallbacks, Section 8.6.4 (*No Fault Termination*) shall apply but subject to paragraph (ii) of Section 8.6.4 (*No Fault Termination*).
- (iii) **Hierarchy of Calculation Agent dispute resolution processes**. If the parties have agreed to a different process for challenging or disputing determinations made by the Calculation Agent that applies to the Transaction (whether set out in the ISDA Master Agreement or any other documentation between the parties), then that process shall take precedence over paragraph (ii) (Generic Fallback Provisions Dispute Resolution Process) above only if the parties have expressly disapplied paragraph (ii) (Generic Fallback Provisions Dispute Resolution Process) above in writing or the corresponding paragraph in the ISDA Benchmarks Supplement.

8.6.8 Application of Generic Fallback Provisions.

- (i) **Separate application of fallbacks**. If there is more than one Applicable Benchmark, then Section 8.6.1 (*Application of Alternative Continuation Fallbacks*) to Section 8.6.5 (*Adjustment Spread Determination*) shall apply separately to each such Applicable Benchmark (except for Section 8.6.4 (*No Fault Termination*) which, if applicable, will apply to the whole Transaction).
- (ii) Non-compliant fallbacks and material additional regulatory obligations. If:
 - (a) it is or would be unlawful under any applicable law or regulation to determine the Applicable Benchmark in accordance with any applicable Alternative Continuation Fallback (or it would be unlawful were a determination to be made at that time);
 - (b) it would contravene any applicable licensing requirements to determine the Applicable Benchmark in accordance with any applicable Alternative Continuation Fallback (or it

would contravene those licensing requirements were a determination to be made at that time); or

(c) the Calculation Agent determines that the Adjustment Spread is or would be a benchmark, index or other price source whose production, publication, methodology or governance would subject the Calculation Agent to material additional regulatory obligations which it is unwilling to undertake,

then the applicable Alternative Continuation Fallback shall cease to apply for the purposes of Section 8.6.1 (*Application of Alternative Continuation Fallbacks*) and the next Alternative Continuation Fallback pursuant to which a Continuation Amendment can be made will apply.

- (iii) Consistent application of fallbacks and disputes. Unless otherwise agreed, whenever:
 - (a) the Calculation Agent is required to act, make a determination or exercise judgement under the Generic Fallback Provisions; or
 - (b) a party exercises a right under the Generic Fallback Provisions,

it will do so in a consistent manner in respect of all Transactions between the parties of the same type which are subject to the same Permanent Cessation Trigger or Administrator/Benchmark Event in respect of the same Applicable Benchmark.

8.7 Certain Definitions Relating to Generic Fallback Provisions.

8.7.1 Alternative Continuation Fallback.

"Alternative Continuation Fallback" means each of the alternative possible consequences following the occurrence of a Permanent Cessation Trigger or an Administrator/Benchmark Event set out in Section 8.6.3(i) (Agreement between the parties), Section 8.6.3(ii) (Application of Alternative Prenominated Index), Section 8.6.3(iii) (Application of Alternative Post-nominated Index) and Section 8.6.3(iv) (Application of Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index).

8.7.2 Continuation Amendment.

"Continuation Amendment" means an amendment to the terms of the Transaction to allow the Transaction to continue in accordance with its terms as amended in accordance with the relevant Alternative Continuation Fallback.

8.7.3 Alternative Pre-nominated Index.

"Alternative Pre-nominated Index" means, in respect of an Impacted Index, the first of the indices, benchmarks or other price sources specified by the parties as an "Alternative Pre-nominated Index" that is not subject to a Permanent Cessation Trigger or an Administrator/Benchmark Event.

8.7.4 Alternative Post-nominated Index.

"Alternative Post-nominated Index" means, in respect of an Applicable Benchmark, any index, benchmark or other price source which is formally designated, nominated or recommended by:

- (i) any Relevant Nominating Body; or
- (ii) the Administrator or sponsor of the Applicable Benchmark, provided that such index, benchmark or other price source is substantially the same as the Applicable Benchmark,

in each case, to replace the Applicable Benchmark.

If a replacement is designated, nominated or recommended under both paragraphs (i) and (ii) above, then the replacement under paragraph (i) above shall be the "Alternative Post-nominated Index".

8.7.5 Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index.

"Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index" means, in respect of an Applicable Benchmark, the index, benchmark or other price source that the Calculation Agent determines to be a commercially reasonable alternative for the Applicable Benchmark.

8.7.6 Adjustment Payment.

"Adjustment Payment" means the amount, if any, that the parties agree is to be paid by one party to the other in order to reduce or eliminate, to the extent reasonably practicable, any transfer of economic value from one party to the other as a result of the replacement made pursuant to Section 8.6.3(ii) (Application of Alternative Pre-nominated Index), Section 8.6.3(iii) (Application of Alternative Post-nominated Index) or Section 8.6.3(iv) (Application of Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index), as applicable (including any transfer of economic value as a result of any difference in the term structure or tenor of the Alternative Pre-nominated Index, Alternative Post-nominated Index or Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index, as applicable, by comparison to the Applicable Benchmark).

8.7.7 Adjustment Spread.

"Adjustment Spread" means the adjustment, if any, determined in accordance with Section 8.6.5 (Adjustment Spread Determination), which is required in order to reduce or eliminate, to the extent reasonably practicable, any transfer of economic value from one party to the other that would otherwise arise as a result of the replacement made pursuant to Section 8.6.3(ii) (Application of Alternative Pre-nominated Index), Section 8.6.3(iii) (Application of Alternative Post-nominated Index) or Section 8.6.3(iv) (Application of Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index), as applicable. Any such adjustment may take account of, without limitation, any anticipated transfer of economic value as a result of any difference in the term structure or tenor of the Alternative Prenominated Index, Alternative Post-nominated Index or Calculation Agent Nominated Replacement Index, as applicable, by comparison to the Applicable Benchmark. Subject to Section 8.6.5 (Adjustment Spread Determination), the Adjustment Spread may be positive, negative or zero or determined pursuant to a formula or methodology.

8.7.8 **Impacted Index.**

"Impacted Index" means the index, benchmark or other price source (however described) specified by the parties as an "Impacted Index".

8.7.9 Relevant Nominating Body.

"Relevant Nominating Body" means, in respect of an Applicable Benchmark:

- the central bank for the currency in which the Applicable Benchmark is denominated or any central bank or other supervisor which is responsible for supervising either the Applicable Benchmark or the administrator of the Applicable Benchmark; or
- (ii) any working group or committee officially endorsed or convened by:

If parties want to rely on the Alternative Pre-nominated Index Alternative Continuation Fallback, the Impacted Index and one or more Alternative Pre-nominated Indices must be specified in the Confirmation.

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- (a) the central bank for the currency in which the Applicable Benchmark is denominated;
- (b) any central bank or other supervisor which is responsible for supervising either the Applicable Benchmark or the administrator of the Applicable Benchmark;
- (c) a group of those central banks or other supervisors; or
- (d) the Financial Stability Board or any part thereof.

8.7.10 Cut-off Date.

"Cut-off Date" has the applicable meaning given to it in Section 8.6.6(i) (Cut-off Date following a Fallback Trigger).

SECTION 9 BESPOKE TRIGGERS AND FALLBACKS

9.1 Application of Administrator/Benchmark Event to the Transaction.

References to "Administrator/Benchmark Event" and "Administrator/Benchmark Event Date" in this Section 9 (*Bespoke Triggers and Fallbacks*) and in respect of a Floating Rate Option shall be applicable only if Administrator/Benchmark Event applies to that Floating Rate Option.

9.2 Application of Adjustment Spread following Administrator/Benchmark Event.

If, following the occurrence of an Administrator/Benchmark Event, the rate for a Fixing Day or a Reset Date is to be determined by reference to an Applicable Fallback Rate which includes an adjustment spread, references to the adjustment spread shall be to such adjustment spread calculated and provided on an indicative basis until such time as a spread adjustment fixing in respect of the relevant adjustment spread has occurred, whereupon references to the relevant adjustment spread shall be to such adjustment spread calculated and provided on a fixed basis.

9.3 AUD-AONIA and AUD-AONIA-OIS Compound.

9.3.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for AONIA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for AONIA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.3.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to AONIA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to AONIA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AONIA will be the RBA Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to RBA Recommended Rate. If there is an RBA Recommended Rate before the end of the first Sydney Business Day or Melbourne Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AONIA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the RBA Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the RBA Recommended Rate is required, references to the RBA Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published RBA Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published RBA Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the RBA Recommended Rate is required, references to the RBA Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published AONIA.
- (iii) No RBA Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to RBA Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no RBA Recommended Rate before the end of the first Sydney Business Day or Melbourne Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AONIA; or
 - (b) there is an RBA Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AONIA or the RBA Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.4 **AUD-BBSW.**

9.4.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for BBSW.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for BBSW" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.4.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to BBSW. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to BBSW occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to BBSW will be determined as if references to AUD-BBSW were references to Fallback Rate (AONIA) for the Original IBOR Rate Record Day that corresponds to the Fixing Day, as most recently provided or published as at 11:30, Sydney time on the related Fallback Observation Day. If neither Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time) provides, nor authorized distributors publish, Fallback Rate (AONIA) for that Original IBOR Rate Record Day at, or prior to, 11:30, Sydney time on the related Fallback Observation Day and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (AONIA) has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be Fallback Rate (AONIA) as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original IBOR Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the Fixing Day.
- (ii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fallback Rate (AONIA). If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (AONIA) occurs, the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (AONIA) will be AONIA, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (AONIA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (AONIA) after making such adjustments to AONIA as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of AONIA by comparison to Fallback Rate (AONIA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.
- (iii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to AONIA**. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish AONIA, then, subject to paragraph (iv) below, in respect of any day for which AONIA is required, references to AONIA will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published AONIA.
- (iv) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to AONIA. If an Applicable Fallback Effective Date occurs with respect to each of Fallback Rate (AONIA) and AONIA, then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (AONIA) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AONIA) will be the RBA Recommended Rate, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (AONIA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (AONIA) after making such adjustments to the RBA Recommended Rate as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of the RBA Recommended Rate by comparison to Fallback Rate (AONIA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

(v) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to RBA Recommended Rate. If there is an RBA Recommended Rate before the end of the first Sydney Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (AONIA) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AONIA) but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the RBA Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the RBA Recommended Rate has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which the RBA Recommended Rate is required, references to the RBA Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published RBA Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the RBA Recommended Rate is required, references to the RBA Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published AONIA.

9.4.2 **BBSW**.

"BBSW" means the Australian Dollar rate for prime bank eligible securities known as the Bank Bill Swap Rate administered by ASX Benchmarks Limited (or a successor administrator).

9.4.3 Fallback Rate (AONIA).

"Fallback Rate (AONIA)" means the term adjusted AONIA plus the spread relating to BBSW, in each case, for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time), as the provider of term adjusted AONIA and the spread, on the Fallback Rate (AONIA) Screen (or by other means) or provided to, and published by, authorized distributors.

9.4.4 Fallback Rate (AONIA) Screen.

"Fallback Rate (AONIA) Screen" means the Bloomberg Screen corresponding to the Bloomberg ticker for the fallback for BBSW for a period of the Designated Maturity accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <FBAK> <GO> Page (or, if applicable, accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <HP> <GO>) or any other published source designated by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time).

9.5 General Definitions Relating to AUD (Australian Dollar) Floating Rate Options.

9.5.1 RBA Recommended Rate.

"RBA Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for AONIA by the Reserve Bank of Australia (which rate may be produced by the Reserve Bank of Australia or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.6 **CAD-CDOR.**

9.6.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for CDOR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for CDOR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.6.1.

(i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to CDOR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to CDOR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CDOR will be determined as if references to CAD-CDOR were references to

Fallback Rate (CORRA) for the Original IBOR Rate Record Day that corresponds to the Fixing Day, as most recently provided or published as at 11:30, Toronto time on the related Fallback Observation Day. If neither Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time) provides, nor authorized distributors publish, Fallback Rate (CORRA) for that Original IBOR Rate Record Day at, or prior to, 11:30, Toronto time on the related Fallback Observation Day and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (CORRA) has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be Fallback Rate (CORRA) as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original IBOR Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the Fixing Day.

- (ii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fallback Rate (CORRA). If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (CORRA) occurs, the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (CORRA) will be CORRA, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (CORRA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (CORRA) after making such adjustments to CORRA as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of CORRA by comparison to Fallback Rate (CORRA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.
- (iii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to CORRA**. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish CORRA, then, subject to paragraph (iv) below, in respect of any day for which CORRA is required, references to CORRA will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published CORRA.
- (iv) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to CORRA. If an Applicable Fallback Effective Date occurs with respect to each of Fallback Rate (CORRA) and CORRA, then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (CORRA) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CORRA) will be the CAD Recommended Rate, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (CORRA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (CORRA) after making such adjustments to the CAD Recommended Rate as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of the CAD Recommended Rate by comparison to Fallback Rate (CORRA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.
- (v) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to CAD Recommended Rate. If there is a CAD Recommended Rate before the end of the first Toronto Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (CORRA) (or, if later, the end of the first Toronto Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CORRA) but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the CAD Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (vi) below, in respect of any day for which the CAD Recommended Rate is required, references to the CAD Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published CAD Recommended Rate. However,

if there is no last provided or published CAD Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the CAD Recommended Rate is required, references to the CAD Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published CORRA.

- (vi) No CAD Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to CAD Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no CAD Recommended Rate before the end of the first Toronto Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (CORRA) (or, if later, the end of the first Toronto Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CORRA); or
 - (b) there is a CAD Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (CORRA) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CORRA) or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the CAD Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be the BOC Target Rate, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (CORRA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (CORRA) after making such adjustments to the BOC Target Rate as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of the BOC Target Rate by comparison to Fallback Rate (CORRA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

(vii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to BOC Target Rate. In respect of any day for which the BOC Target Rate is required, references to the BOC Target Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published BOC Target Rate as at close of business in Toronto on that day.

9.6.2 **CDOR.**

"CDOR" means the Canadian Dollar rate for bankers' acceptance borrowings known as the Canadian Dollar Offered Rate administered by Refinitiv Benchmark Services (UK) Limited (or a successor administrator).

9.6.3 Fallback Rate (CORRA).

"Fallback Rate (CORRA)" means the term adjusted CORRA plus the spread relating to CDOR, in each case, for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time), as the provider of term adjusted CORRA and the spread, on the Fallback Rate (CORRA) Screen (or by other means) or provided to, and published by, authorized distributors.

9.6.4 Fallback Rate (CORRA) Screen.

"Fallback Rate (CORRA) Screen" means the Bloomberg Screen corresponding to the Bloomberg ticker for the fallback for CDOR for a period of the Designated Maturity accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <FBAK> <GO> Page (or, if applicable, accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <HP> <GO>) or any other published source designated by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time).

9.7 CAD-CORRA and CAD-CORRA-OIS Compound.

9.7.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for CORRA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for CORRA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.7.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to CORRA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to CORRA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CORRA will be the CAD Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to CAD Recommended Rate. If there is a CAD Recommended Rate before the end of the first Toronto Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CORRA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the CAD Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the CAD Recommended Rate is required, references to the CAD Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published CAD Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published CAD Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the CAD Recommended Rate is required, references to the CAD Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published CORRA.
- (iii) No CAD Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to CAD Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no CAD Recommended Rate before the end of the first Toronto Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CORRA; or
 - (b) there is a CAD Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CORRA or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the CAD Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be the BOC Target Rate.

(iv) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to BOC Target Rate. In respect of any day for which the BOC Target Rate is required, references to the BOC Target Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published BOC Target Rate as at close of business in Toronto on that day.

9.8 General Definitions Relating to CAD (Canadian Dollar) Floating Rate Options.

9.8.1 CAD Recommended Rate.

"CAD Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for CORRA by a committee officially endorsed or convened by the Bank of Canada for the purpose of recommending a replacement for CORRA (which rate may be produced by the Bank of Canada or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.8.2 **BOC Target Rate.**

"BOC Target Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the Bank of Canada's Target for the Overnight Rate as set by the Bank of Canada, in respect of that day.

9.9 CHF-LIBOR.

9.9.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Swiss Franc LIBOR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Swiss Franc LIBOR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.9.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Swiss Franc LIBOR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Swiss Franc LIBOR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Swiss Franc LIBOR will be determined as if references to CHF-LIBOR were references to Fallback Rate (SARON) for the Original IBOR Rate Record Day that corresponds to the Fixing Day, as most recently provided or published as at 20:30, Zurich time on the related Fallback Observation Day. If neither Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time) provides, nor authorized distributors publish, Fallback Rate (SARON) for that Original IBOR Rate Record Day at, or prior to, 20:30, Zurich time on the related Fallback Observation Day and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SARON) has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be Fallback Rate (SARON) as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original IBOR Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the Fixing Day.
- (ii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SARON). If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (SARON) occurs, the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SARON) will be SARON, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SARON), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (SARON) after making such adjustments to SARON as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of SARON by comparison to Fallback Rate (SARON) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.
- (iii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to SARON**. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish SARON, then, subject to paragraph (iv) below, in respect of any day for which SARON is required, references to SARON will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SARON.
- (iv) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SARON. If an Applicable Fallback Effective Date occurs with respect to each of Fallback Rate (SARON) and SARON, then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SARON) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SARON) will be the NWG Recommended Rate, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SARON), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (SARON) after making such adjustments to the NWG Recommended Rate as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of the NWG Recommended Rate by comparison to

Fallback Rate (SARON) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

If there is no NWG Recommended Rate before the end of the first Zurich Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SARON) (or, if later, the end of the first Zurich Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SARON), then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SARON) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SARON), will be the Modified SNB Policy Rate, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SARON), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (SARON) after making such adjustments to the Modified SNB Policy Rate as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of the Modified SNB Policy Rate by comparison to Fallback Rate (SARON) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

(v) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to NWG Recommended Rate or SNB Policy Rate. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the NWG Recommended Rate or the SNB Policy Rate, as applicable, and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to that rate has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which that rate is required, references to that rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published NWG Recommended Rate or SNB Policy Rate, as applicable.

9.9.2 Swiss Franc LIBOR.

"Swiss Franc LIBOR" means the Swiss Franc wholesale funding rate known as Swiss Franc LIBOR (London Interbank Offered Rate) administered by ICE Benchmark Administration Limited (or a successor administrator).

9.9.3 Fallback Rate (SARON).

"Fallback Rate (SARON)" means the term adjusted SARON plus the spread relating to Swiss Franc LIBOR, in each case, for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time), as the provider of term adjusted SARON and the spread, on the Fallback Rate (SARON) Screen (or by other means) or provided to, and published by, authorized distributors.

9.9.4 Fallback Rate (SARON) Screen.

"Fallback Rate (SARON) Screen" means the Bloomberg Screen corresponding to the Bloomberg ticker for the fallback for Swiss Franc LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <FBAK> <GO> Page (or, if applicable, accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <HP> <GO>) or any other published source designated by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time).

9.10 CHF-SARON and CHF-SARON-OIS Compound.

9.10.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SARON.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SARON" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.10.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SARON. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to SARON occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SARON will be the NWG Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to NWG Recommended Rate. If there is an NWG Recommended Rate before the end of the first Zurich Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SARON but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the NWG Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the NWG Recommended Rate is required, references to the NWG Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published NWG Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published NWG Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the NWG Recommended Rate is required, references to the NWG Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SARON.
- (iii) No NWG Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to NWG Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no NWG Recommended Rate before the end of the first Zurich Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SARON; or
 - (b) there is an NWG Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SARON or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the NWG Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be the Modified SNB Policy Rate.

- (iv) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to SNB Policy Rate. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the SNB Policy Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the SNB Policy Rate has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which the SNB Policy Rate is required, references to the SNB Policy Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SNB Policy Rate.
- 9.11 Additional Provision for the Purposes of the Definitions of Index Cessation Event, Index Cessation Effective Date, Administrator/Benchmark Event and Administrator/Benchmark Event Date.

For the purposes of Section 9.9 (CHF-LIBOR) and Section 9.10 (CHF-SARON and CHF-SARON-OIS Compound), and the definitions of Index Cessation Event in Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event), Index Cessation Effective Date in Section 8.2.4 (Index Cessation Effective Date), Administrator/Benchmark Event in Section 8.3.2 (Administrator/Benchmark Event) and Administrator/Benchmark Event Date in Section 8.3.3 (Administrator/Benchmark Event Date), SNB Policy Rate (for the purpose of Modified SNB Policy Rate) shall be deemed to be an Applicable Fallback Rate.

- 9.12 General Definitions Relating to CHF (Swiss Franc) Floating Rate Options.
 - 9.12.1 NWG Recommended Rate.

"NWG Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for SARON by any working group or committee in Switzerland organized in the same or a similar manner as the National Working Group on Swiss Franc Reference Rates that was founded in 2013 for the purpose of, among

other things, considering proposals to reform reference interest rates in Switzerland, and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.12.2 Modified SNB Policy Rate.

"Modified SNB Policy Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), a rate equal to the SNB Policy Rate in respect of that day, plus the SNB Spread.

9.12.3 SNB Policy Rate.

"SNB Policy Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the policy rate of the Swiss National Bank, in respect of that day.

9.12.4 **SNB Spread.**

"SNB Spread" means:

- (i) for the purpose of the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Swiss Franc LIBOR, the historical median between SARON and the SNB Policy Rate over an observation period of two years starting two years prior to the day on which the CHF Fallback Trigger Date occurs and ending on the Zurich Business Day immediately preceding the CHF Fallback Trigger Date; and
- (ii) for the purpose of the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SARON:
 - (a) if no NWG Recommended Rate is recommended before the end of the first Zurich Business Day following the CHF Fallback Effective Date, the historical median between SARON and the SNB Policy Rate over an observation period of two years starting two years prior to the day on which the CHF Fallback Trigger Date occurs and ending on the Zurich Business Day immediately preceding the day on which the CHF Fallback Trigger Date occurs; or
 - (b) if an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to the NWG Recommended Rate occurs, the historical median between the NWG Recommended Rate (or, in the absence of the NWG Recommended Rate, SARON) and the SNB Policy Rate over an observation period of two years starting two years prior to the day on which the Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to the NWG Recommended Rate occurs and ending on the Zurich Business Day immediately preceding the day on which the Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to the NWG Recommended Rate occurs,

in each case, as determined by the Calculation Agent,

where:

"CHF Fallback Effective Date" means the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SARON; and

"CHF Fallback Trigger Date" means:

(I) for the purpose of the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Swiss Franc LIBOR, the later of (a) the day on which the Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (SARON) occurs and (b) the day on which the first Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to SARON occurs; and

(II) for the purpose of the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SARON, the day on which the Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to SARON occurs.

9.13 CZK-CZEONIA and CZK-CZEONIA-OIS Compound.

9.13.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for CZEONIA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for CZEONIA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.13.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to CZEONIA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to CZEONIA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CZEONIA will be the CZK Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to CZK Recommended Rate. If there is a CZK Recommended Rate before the end of the first Prague Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CZEONIA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the CZK Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the CZK Recommended Rate is required, references to the CZK Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published CZK Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published CZK Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the CZK Recommended Rate is required, references to the CZK Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published CZEONIA.
- (iii) No CZK Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to CZK Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no CZK Recommended Rate before the end of the first Prague Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CZEONIA; or
 - (b) there is a CZK Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CZEONIA or the CZK Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.13.2 CZK Recommended Rate.

"CZK Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for CZEONIA by the Czech National Bank (or any successor administrator of CZEONIA) or by a committee officially endorsed or convened by the Czech National Bank (or any successor administrator of CZEONIA) for the purpose of recommending a replacement for CZEONIA (which rate may be produced by the Czech National Bank or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.14 EUR-EONIA, EUR-EONIA-Average and EUR-EONIA-OIS Compound.

9.14.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EONIA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EONIA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.14.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to EONIA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to EONIA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EONIA will be Modified EuroSTR.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EuroSTR. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish EuroSTR, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which EuroSTR is required, references to EuroSTR will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EuroSTR.
- (iii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to EuroSTR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to EuroSTR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR will be determined as if references to EONIA were references to the ECB Recommended Rate (EONIA).
- (iv) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to ECB Recommended Rate. If there is an ECB Recommended Rate before the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the ECB Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (v) below, in respect of any day for which the ECB Recommended Rate is required, references to that rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published ECB Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published ECB Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the ECB Recommended Rate (EONIA) is required, references to ECB Recommended Rate (EONIA) will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EuroSTR plus 0.085%.
- (v) No ECB Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to ECB Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no ECB Recommended Rate before the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR; or
 - (b) there is an ECB Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the ECB Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be Modified EDFR (EONIA).

(vi) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EDFR**. In respect of any day for which EDFR is required, references to that rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EDFR as at close of business in Frankfurt on that day.

9.14.2 Modified EuroSTR.

"Modified EuroSTR" means, in respect of any day (including any day "i"), a reference rate equal to EuroSTR in respect of that day, plus 0.085%.

9.14.3 ECB Recommended Rate (EONIA).

"ECB Recommended Rate (EONIA)" means (i) ECB Recommended Rate, plus (ii) 0.085%.

9.14.4 Modified EDFR (EONIA).

"Modified EDFR (EONIA)" means, in respect of any day (including any day "i"), (i) a rate equal to EDFR in respect of that day, plus the EDFR Spread, plus (ii) 0.085%.

9.15 EUR-EURIBOR and EUR-LIBOR.

9.15.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EURIBOR and Euro LIBOR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EURIBOR and Euro LIBOR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.15.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to EURIBOR or Euro LIBOR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to EURIBOR or Euro LIBOR (as applicable) occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EURIBOR or Euro LIBOR (as applicable) will be determined as if references to EUR-EURIBOR or EUR-LIBOR (as applicable) were references to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) for the Original IBOR Rate Record Day that corresponds to the Fixing Day, as most recently provided or published as at 11:30, Frankfurt time on the related Fallback Observation Day. If neither Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time) provides, nor authorized distributors publish, Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) for that Original IBOR Rate Record Day at, or prior to, 11:30, Frankfurt time on the related Fallback Observation Day and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original IBOR Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the Fixing Day.
- (ii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR). If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) occurs, the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) will be EuroSTR, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) after making such adjustments to EuroSTR as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of EuroSTR by comparison to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.
- (iii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EuroSTR**. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish EuroSTR, then, subject to paragraph (iv) below, in respect of any day for which EuroSTR is required, references to EuroSTR will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EuroSTR.
- (iv) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to EuroSTR. If an Applicable Fallback Effective Date occurs with respect to each of Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) and EuroSTR, then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR) will be the ECB Recommended Rate, to which the Calculation Agent

shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) after making such adjustments to the ECB Recommended Rate as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of the ECB Recommended Rate by comparison to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

- (v) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to ECB Recommended Rate. If there is an ECB Recommended Rate before the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) (or, if later, the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR) but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the ECB Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (vi) below, in respect of any day for which the ECB Recommended Rate is required, references to the ECB Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published ECB Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the ECB Recommended Rate is required, references to the ECB Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published ECB Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published ECB Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EUB Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EUB Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EUROSTR.
- (vi) No ECB Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to ECB Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) no ECB Recommended Rate is recommended before the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) (or, if later, the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR); or
 - (b) there is an ECB Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR) or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the ECB Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be Modified EDFR, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) after making such adjustments to Modified EDFR as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of Modified EDFR by comparison to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

(vii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EDFR**. In respect of any day for which EDFR is required, references to that rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EDFR as at close of business in Frankfurt on that day.

9.15.2 **EURIBOR.**

"EURIBOR" means the Euro wholesale funding rate known as the Euro Interbank Offered Rate administered by the European Money Markets Institute (or any successor administrator).

9.15.3 **Euro LIBOR.**

"Euro LIBOR" means the Euro wholesale funding rate known as Euro LIBOR (London Interbank Offered Rate) administered by ICE Benchmark Administration Limited (or a successor administrator).

9.15.4 Fallback Rate (EuroSTR).

"Fallback Rate (EuroSTR)" means the term adjusted EuroSTR plus the spread relating to EURIBOR or Euro LIBOR (as applicable), in each case, for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time), as the provider of term adjusted EuroSTR and the spread, on the Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) Screen (or by other means) or provided to, and published by, authorized distributors.

9.15.5 Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) Screen.

"Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) Screen" means the Bloomberg Screen corresponding to the Bloomberg ticker for the fallback for EURIBOR or Euro LIBOR (as applicable) for a period of the Designated Maturity accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <FBAK> <GO> Page (or, if applicable, accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <HP> <GO>) or any other published source designated by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time).

9.16 EUR-EuroSTR and EUR-EuroSTR-OIS Compound.

9.16.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EuroSTR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EuroSTR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.16.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to EuroSTR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to EuroSTR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR will be the EUR Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EUR Recommended Rate. If there is a EUR Recommended Rate before the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the EUR Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the EUR Recommended Rate is required, references to the EUR Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EUR Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published EUR Recommended Rate is required, references to the EUR Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EUR Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EuroSTR.
- (iii) No EUR Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to EUR Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no EUR Recommended Rate before the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR; or
 - (b) there is a EUR Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the EUR Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be Modified EDFR.

- (iv) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EDFR. In respect of any day for which EDFR is required, references to that rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EDFR as at close of business in Frankfurt on that day.
- 9.17 EUR-EuroSTR Average 1W, EUR-EuroSTR Average 1M, EUR-EuroSTR Average 3M, EUR-EuroSTR Average 6M and EUR-EuroSTR Average 12M.
 - 9.17.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EuroSTR Averages.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EuroSTR Averages" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.17.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to a EuroSTR Average. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to a EuroSTR Average occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to that EuroSTR Average will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the benchmark methodology for that EuroSTR Average published by the Administrator and EuroSTR as provided by the Administrator of EuroSTR for each day in respect of which EuroSTR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination.
- (ii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EuroSTR**. Subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which EuroSTR is required by the Calculation Agent, if on the TARGET Settlement Day immediately following such day, neither the Administrator of EuroSTR nor an authorized distributor of EuroSTR has provided or published EuroSTR in respect of that day, EuroSTR for the purpose of the EuroSTR Average benchmark methodology will be the last provided or published EuroSTR.
- (iii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to EuroSTR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to EuroSTR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the EuroSTR Average benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to EuroSTR for each day in respect of which EuroSTR is required occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR were references to the EUR Recommended Rate in respect of the same day for which a rate for EuroSTR was required.
- (iv) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EUR Recommended Rate. If there is a EUR Recommended Rate before the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the EUR Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (v) below, in respect of any day for which the EUR Recommended Rate is required, references to the EUR Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EUR Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published EUR Recommended Rate is required, references to the EUR Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EUR Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EuroSTR.
- (v) No EUR Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to EUR Recommended Rate. If:

- (a) there is no EUR Recommended Rate before the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR; or
- (b) there is a EUR Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR or the EUR Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the EuroSTR Average benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to EuroSTR for each day in respect of which EuroSTR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to Modified EDFR.

(vi) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EDFR**. In respect of any day for which EDFR is required, references to that rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EDFR as at close of business in Frankfurt on that day.

9.17.2 EuroSTR 1W Average.

"EuroSTR 1W Average" means the one-week compounded average of EuroSTR administered by the European Central Bank (or a successor administrator).

9.17.3 EuroSTR 1M Average.

"EuroSTR 1M Average" means the one-month compounded average of EuroSTR administered by the European Central Bank (or a successor administrator).

9.17.4 EuroSTR 3M Average.

"EuroSTR 3M Average" means the three-month compounded average of EuroSTR administered by the European Central Bank (or a successor administrator).

9.17.5 EuroSTR 6M Average.

"EuroSTR 6M Average" means the six-month compounded average of EuroSTR administered by the European Central Bank (or a successor administrator).

9.17.6 EuroSTR 12M Average.

"EuroSTR 12M Average" means the twelve-month compounded average of EuroSTR administered by the European Central Bank (or a successor administrator).

9.17.7 EuroSTR Average.

"EuroSTR Average" means the EuroSTR 1W Average, the EuroSTR 1M Average, the EuroSTR 3M Average, the EuroSTR 6M Average or the EuroSTR 12M Average, as applicable.

9.18 EUR-EuroSTR Compounded Index.

9.18.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EuroSTR Compounded Index.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EuroSTR Compounded Index" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.18.1.

(i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to EuroSTR Compounded Index. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to the EuroSTR Compounded Index occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day

occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the EuroSTR Compounded Index will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the EuroSTR Compounded Index, the EuroSTR Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator and EuroSTR as provided by the Administrator of EuroSTR for each day in respect of which EuroSTR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination.

- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EuroSTR. Subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which EuroSTR is required by the Calculation Agent, if on the TARGET Settlement Day immediately following such day, neither the Administrator of EuroSTR nor an authorized distributor of EuroSTR has provided or published EuroSTR in respect of that day, EuroSTR for the purpose of the EuroSTR Compounded Index benchmark methodology will be the last provided or published EuroSTR.
- (iii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to EuroSTR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to EuroSTR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the EuroSTR Compounded Index and the EuroSTR Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to EuroSTR for each day in respect of which EuroSTR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to the EUR Recommended Rate in respect of the same day for which a rate for EuroSTR was required.
- (iv) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EUR Recommended Rate. If there is a EUR Recommended Rate before the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the EUR Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (v) below, in respect of any day for which the EUR Recommended Rate is required, references to the EUR Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EUR Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published EUR Recommended Rate is required, references to the EUR Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EuroSTR.
- (v) No EUR Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to EUR Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no EUR Recommended Rate before the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR; or
 - (b) there is a EUR Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR or the EUR Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the EuroSTR Compounded Index and the EuroSTR Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to EuroSTR for each day in respect of which EuroSTR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to Modified EDFR.

(vi) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to EDFR. In respect of any day for which EDFR is required, references to that rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published EDFR as at close of business in Frankfurt on that day.

9.18.2 EuroSTR Compounded Index.

"EuroSTR Compounded Index" means the level of the index measuring the change in the returns from a rolling unit of investment earning compound interest each day at EuroSTR, administered by the European Central Bank (or a successor administrator).

9.19 Additional Provisions for the Purposes of the Definitions of Index Cessation Event, Index Cessation Effective Date, Administrator/Benchmark Event and Administrator/Benchmark Event Date.

9.19.1 Additional Applicable Fallback Rates.

For the purposes of Section 9.14 (EUR-EONIA, EUR-EONIA-Average and EUR-EONIA-OIS Compound), Section 9.15 (EUR-EURIBOR and EUR-LIBOR) and Section 9.16 (EUR-EuroSTR and EUR-EuroSTR-OIS Compound), as applicable, and the definitions of Index Cessation Event in Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event), Index Cessation Effective Date in Section 8.2.4 (Index Cessation Effective Date), Administrator/Benchmark Event in Section 8.3.2 (Administrator/Benchmark Event) and Administrator/Benchmark Event Date in Section 8.3.3 (Administrator/Benchmark Event Date), each of EuroSTR (for the purpose of Modified EuroSTR), ECB Recommended Rate (for the purpose of ECB Recommended Rate (EONIA)) and EDFR (for the purpose of Modified EDFR and Modified EDFR (EONIA), as applicable) shall be deemed to be an Applicable Fallback Rate.

9.19.2 Additional Applicable Benchmark.

For the purposes of Section 9.17 (EUR-EuroSTR Average 1W, EUR-EuroSTR Average 1M, EUR-EuroSTR Average 3M, EUR-EuroSTR Average 6M and EUR-EuroSTR Average 12M) and Section 9.18 (EUR-EuroSTR Compounded Index) and the definitions of Index Cessation Event in Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event), Index Cessation Effective Date in Section 8.2.4 (Index Cessation Effective Date), Administrator/Benchmark Event in Section 8.3.2 (Administrator/Benchmark Event) and Administrator/Benchmark Event Date in Section 8.3.3 (Administrator/Benchmark Event Date), EuroSTR (for the purpose of the EuroSTR Average and the EuroSTR Compounded Index, as applicable) shall be deemed to be an Applicable Benchmark.

9.20 General Definitions Relating to EUR (Euro) Floating Rate Options.

9.20.1 ECB Recommended Rate.

"ECB Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for EuroSTR by the European Central Bank (or any successor administrator of EuroSTR) or by a committee officially endorsed or convened by the European Central Bank (or any successor administrator of EuroSTR) for the purpose of recommending a replacement for EuroSTR (which rate may be produced by the European Central Bank or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.20.2 EUR Recommended Rate.

"EUR Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for EuroSTR by:

- (i) the European Central Bank (or any successor administrator of EuroSTR); or
- (ii) a committee officially endorsed or convened by (a) the European Central Bank (or any successor administrator of EuroSTR) and/or (b) the European Securities and Markets Authority,

in each case for the purpose of recommending a replacement for EuroSTR (which rate may be produced by the European Central Bank or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.20.3 EDFR.

"EDFR" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate on the deposit facility, which banks may use to make overnight deposits with the Eurosystem, in respect of that day.

9.20.4 Modified EDFR.

"Modified EDFR" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), a rate equal to EDFR in respect of that day, plus the EDFR Spread.

9.20.5 EDFR Spread.

"EDFR Spread" means:

- (i) if no ECB Recommended Rate or EUR Recommended Rate, as applicable, is recommended before the end of the first TARGET Settlement Day following the EUR Fallback Effective Date, the arithmetic mean of the daily difference between EuroSTR and EDFR over an observation period of 30 TARGET Settlement Days starting 30 TARGET Settlement Days prior to the EUR Fallback Trigger Date and ending on the TARGET Settlement Day immediately preceding the EUR Fallback Trigger Date; or
- (ii) if an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to the ECB Recommended Rate or the EUR Recommended Rate, as applicable, occurs, the arithmetic mean of the daily difference between the ECB Recommended Rate or the EUR Recommended Rate, as applicable, and EDFR over an observation period of 30 TARGET Settlement Days starting 30 TARGET Settlement Days prior to the day on which the Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to the ECB Recommended Rate or the EUR Recommended Rate, as applicable, occurs and ending on the TARGET Settlement Day immediately preceding the day on which the Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to the ECB Recommended Rate or the EUR Recommended Rate, as applicable, occurs,

where:

"EUR Fallback Effective Date" means:

- (I) for the purpose of the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EONIA and the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EuroSTR, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR; and
- (II) for the purpose of the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EURIBOR and Euro LIBOR, the later to occur of (a) the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) and (b) the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to EuroSTR; and

"EUR Fallback Trigger Date" means:

- (I) for the purpose of the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EONIA and the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EuroSTR, the day on which the Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to EuroSTR occurs; and
- (II) for the purpose of the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for EURIBOR and Euro LIBOR, the later of (a) the day on which the Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) occurs and (b) the day on which the first Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to EuroSTR occurs.

9.21 **GBP-LIBOR.**

9.21.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Sterling LIBOR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Sterling LIBOR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.21.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Sterling LIBOR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Sterling LIBOR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Sterling LIBOR will be determined as if references to GBP-LIBOR were references to Fallback Rate (SONIA) for the Original IBOR Rate Record Day that corresponds to the Fixing Day, as most recently provided or published as at 11:30, London time on the related Fallback Observation Day. If neither Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time) provides, nor authorized distributors publish, Fallback Rate (SONIA) for that Original IBOR Rate Record Day at, or prior to, 11:30, London time on the related Fallback Observation Day and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SONIA) has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be Fallback Rate (SONIA) as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original IBOR Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the Fixing Day.
- (ii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SONIA). If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (SONIA) occurs, the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SONIA) will be SONIA, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SONIA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (SONIA) after making such adjustments to SONIA as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of SONIA by comparison to Fallback Rate (SONIA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.
- (iii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to SONIA**. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish SONIA, then, subject to paragraph (iv) below, in respect of any day for which SONIA is required, references to SONIA will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SONIA.
- (iv) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SONIA. If an Applicable Fallback Effective Date occurs with respect to each of Fallback Rate (SONIA) and SONIA, then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback

Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SONIA) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA) will be the GBP Recommended Rate, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SONIA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (SONIA) after making such adjustments to the GBP Recommended Rate as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of the GBP Recommended Rate by comparison to Fallback Rate (SONIA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

- (v) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to GBP Recommended Rate. If there is a GBP Recommended Rate before the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SONIA) (or, if later, the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA) but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the GBP Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (vi) below, in respect of any day for which the GBP Recommended Rate is required, references to the GBP Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published GBP Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published GBP Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the GBP Recommended Rate is required, references to the GBP Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SONIA.
- (vi) No GBP Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to GBP Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no GBP Recommended Rate before the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SONIA) (or, if later, the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA); or
 - (b) there is a GBP Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SONIA) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA) or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the GBP Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be the UK Bank Rate, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SONIA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (SONIA) after making such adjustments to the UK Bank Rate as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of the UK Bank Rate by comparison to Fallback Rate (SONIA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

(vii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to UK Bank Rate. In respect of any day for which the UK Bank Rate is required, references to the UK Bank Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published UK Bank Rate as at close of business in London on that day.

9.21.2 Sterling LIBOR.

"Sterling LIBOR" means the Sterling wholesale funding rate known as Sterling LIBOR (London Interbank Offered Rate) administered by ICE Benchmark Administration Limited (or a successor administrator).

9.21.3 Fallback Rate (SONIA).

"Fallback Rate (SONIA)" means the term adjusted SONIA rate plus the spread relating to Sterling LIBOR, in each case, for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time), as the provider of term adjusted SONIA and the spread, on the Fallback Rate (SONIA) Screen (or by other means) or provided to, and published by, authorized distributors.

9.21.4 Fallback Rate (SONIA) Screen.

"Fallback Rate (SONIA) Screen" means the Bloomberg Screen corresponding to the Bloomberg ticker for the fallback for Sterling LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <FBAK> <GO> Page (or, if applicable, accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <HP> <GO>) or any other published source designated by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time).

9.22 GBP-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate.

9.22.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for GBP LIBOR ICE Swap Rate.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for GBP LIBOR ICE Swap Rate" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.22.1.

- (i) GBP LIBOR Applicable Index Cessation Effective Date. If a GBP LIBOR Index Cessation Event with respect to an Applicable GBP Tenor occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the GBP LIBOR Applicable Index Cessation Effective Date will be:
 - (a) the Published GBP ISR Fallback Rate; or
 - (b) if there is no Published GBP ISR Fallback Rate, the Calculated GBP ISR Fallback Rate (as calculated by the Calculation Agent),

in each case with a maturity of the Designated Maturity, expressed as a percentage, provided or calculated (as applicable) as of 11:00, London time, on that Fixing Day,

where

"Applicable GBP Tenor" means, in respect of Sterling LIBOR:

- if the Designated Maturity or, for the purpose of determining a Settlement Rate, the remaining Term of the Relevant Transaction, is equal to one year, three months; or
- (b) if the Designated Maturity or, for the purpose of determining a Settlement Rate, the remaining Term of the Relevant Transaction, is longer than one year, six months,

or, in each case, any tenor of Sterling LIBOR which is referenced in fixed-for-floating Sterling swap transactions on which the Underlying Benchmark for GBP-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate with a maturity of the Designated Maturity or the remaining Term of the Relevant Transaction, as applicable, is based;

"Calculated GBP ISR Fallback Rate" means the rate calculated as follows, and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (*Rounding of Percentages*), but to the nearest one ten-thousandth of a percentage point (0.0001%):

(a) if the Designated Maturity is equal to one year:

$$y^{L} = \begin{cases} y^{OIS} + s^{3M} \frac{\left((1 + y^{OIS})^{\frac{1}{4}} + 1 \right) \left((1 + y^{OIS})^{\frac{1}{2}} + 1 \right)}{4} \end{cases}$$

(b) if the Designated Maturity is longer than one year:

$$y^{L} = \left\{ 2\left((1 + y^{OIS})^{\frac{1}{2}} - 1 \right) + s^{6M} \right\}$$

in each case, where:

"y^L" is the Calculated GBP ISR Fallback Rate with a maturity of the Designated Maturity;

"y^{OIS}" is the GBP SONIA ICE Swap Rate in respect of the Reset Date with a maturity of the Designated Maturity;

"s3M" is 0.1193%; and

"s^{6M}" is 0.2766%;

"GBP LIBOR Applicable Index Cessation Effective Date" means, in respect of a GBP LIBOR Index Cessation Event for the Applicable GBP Tenor, the first date on which Sterling LIBOR for that Applicable GBP Tenor would ordinarily have been provided and is either (A) Non-Representative by reference to the most recent statement or publication contemplated in paragraph (a) of the definition of GBP LIBOR Index Cessation Event or paragraph (i)(d) of Section 8.2.3 (*Index Cessation Event*) and even if Sterling LIBOR continues to be provided on such date or (B) no longer provided;

"GBP LIBOR Index Cessation Event" means, in respect of Sterling LIBOR for the Applicable GBP Tenor:

- (a) the statement by the Financial Conduct Authority on 5 March 2021 that Sterling LIBOR for the Applicable GBP Tenor will be Non-Representative after 31 December 2021; or
- (b) the occurrence of an Index Cessation Event where the Applicable Benchmark is Sterling LIBOR for the Applicable GBP Tenor provided that for the purpose of determining if the Applicable Benchmark is "Non-Representative", Sterling LIBOR for the Applicable GBP Tenor will be "Non-Representative" by reference to the date included in the most recent statement or publication contemplated in paragraph (a) of this definition of GBP LIBOR Index Cessation Event or paragraph (i)(d) of Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event);

"GBP SONIA ICE Swap Rate" means the swap rate for a fixed-for-floating Sterling swap transaction where the floating leg references the Sterling Overnight Index Average rate administered by the Bank of England (or any successor administrator) (SONIA), as administered by ICE Benchmark Administration Limited (or a successor administrator); and

- "Published GBP ISR Fallback Rate" means the rate calculated in accordance with the formula set forth in the definition of Calculated GBP ISR Fallback Rate, as provided by the Administrator of that rate.
- (ii) No GBP SONIA ICE Swap Rate. If the GBP SONIA ICE Swap Rate in respect of the Reset Date is not published by the Administrator of the GBP SONIA ICE Swap Rate or an authorized distributor and is not otherwise provided by the Administrator of the GBP SONIA ICE Swap Rate by either (A) the Reset Date or (B) such other date on which the GBP SONIA ICE Swap Rate is required, then, in respect of any day for which that rate is required, references to that rate will be references to the rate determined by the Calculation Agent.

9.23 GBP-SONIA and GBP-SONIA-OIS Compound.

9.23.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SONIA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SONIA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.23.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SONIA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to SONIA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA will be the GBP Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to GBP Recommended Rate. If there is a GBP Recommended Rate before the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the GBP Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the GBP Recommended Rate is required, references to the GBP Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published GBP Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published GBP Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the GBP Recommended Rate is required, references to the GBP Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SONIA.
- (iii) No GBP Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to GBP Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no GBP Recommended Rate before the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA; or
 - (b) there is a GBP Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,
 - then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the GBP Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be the UK Bank Rate.
- (iv) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to UK Bank Rate. In respect of any day for which the UK Bank Rate is required, references to the UK Bank Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published UK Bank Rate as at close of business in London on that day.

9.24 GBP-SONIA Compounded Index.

9.24.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SONIA Compounded Index.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SONIA Compounded Index" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.24.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SONIA Compounded Index. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to the SONIA Compounded Index occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the SONIA Compounded Index will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the SONIA Compounded Index, the SONIA Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator and SONIA as provided by the Administrator of SONIA for each day in respect of which SONIA is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to SONIA. Subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which SONIA is required by the Calculation Agent, if on the London Business Day immediately following such day, neither the Administrator of SONIA nor an authorized distributor of SONIA has provided or published SONIA in respect of that day, SONIA for the purpose of the SONIA Compounded Index benchmark methodology will be the last provided or published SONIA.
- (iii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SONIA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to SONIA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the SONIA Compounded Index and the SONIA Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to SONIA for each day in respect of which SONIA is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to the GBP Recommended Rate in respect of the same day for which a rate for SONIA was required.
- (iv) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to GBP Recommended Rate. If there is a GBP Recommended Rate before the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the GBP Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (v) below, in respect of any day for which the GBP Recommended Rate is required, references to the GBP Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published GBP Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published GBP Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the GBP Recommended Rate is required, references to the GBP Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SONIA.
- (v) No GBP Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to GBP Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no GBP Recommended Rate before the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA; or

(b) there is a GBP Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SONIA or the GBP Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the SONIA Compounded Index and the SONIA Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to SONIA for each day in respect of which SONIA is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to the UK Bank Rate.

(vi) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to UK Bank Rate. In respect of any day for which the UK Bank Rate is required, references to the UK Bank Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published UK Bank Rate as at close of business in London on that day.

9.24.2 SONIA Compounded Index.

"SONIA Compounded Index" means the level of the index measuring the change in the returns from a rolling unit of investment earning compound interest each day at SONIA, administered by the Bank of England (or a successor administrator).

9.24.3 Additional Provision for the Purposes of the Definitions of Index Cessation Event, Index Cessation Effective Date, Administrator/Benchmark Event and Administrator/Benchmark Event Date.

For the purposes of Section 9.24 (GBP-SONIA Compounded Index) and the definitions of Index Cessation Event in Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event), Index Cessation Effective Date in Section 8.2.4 (Index Cessation Effective Date), Administrator/Benchmark Event in Section 8.3.2 (Administrator/Benchmark Event) and Administrator/Benchmark Event Date in Section 8.3.3 (Administrator/Benchmark Event Date), SONIA (for the purpose of the SONIA Compounded Index) shall be deemed to be an Applicable Benchmark.

9.25 GBP-SONIA ICE Term.

9.25.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for ICE Term SONIA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for ICE Term SONIA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.25.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to ICE Term SONIA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to ICE Term SONIA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to ICE Term SONIA will be the ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate. If there is an ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate before the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to ICE Term SONIA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate is required, references to the ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity. However, if there is no last

provided or published ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then in respect of any day for which the ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate is required, references to the ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published ICE Term SONIA for a period of the Designated Maturity.

- (iii) No ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate before the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to ICE Term SONIA; or
 - (b) there is an ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to ICE Term SONIA or the ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.25.2 ICE Term SONIA.

"ICE Term SONIA" means the term Sterling Overnight Index Average (SONIA) rate administered by ICE Benchmark Administration Limited (or a successor administrator).

9.25.3 ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate.

"ICE Term SONIA Recommended Rate" means the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for ICE Term SONIA by the Administrator of ICE Term SONIA or, if the Administrator of ICE Term SONIA does not make a recommendation, a committee officially endorsed or convened by the Bank of England or the supervisor for the Administrator of ICE Term SONIA for the purpose of recommending a replacement for ICE Term SONIA (which rate may be produced by the Administrator of ICE Term SONIA or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor.

9.26 GBP-SONIA Refinitiv Term.

9.26.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Refinitiv Term SONIA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Refinitiv Term SONIA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.26.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Refinitiv Term SONIA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Refinitiv Term SONIA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Refinitiv Term SONIA will be the Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate.

 If there is a Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate before the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Refinitiv Term SONIA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the

Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate is required, references to the Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity. However, if there is no last provided or published Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then in respect of any day for which the Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate is required, references to the Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published Refinitiv Term SONIA for a period of the Designated Maturity.

- (iii) No Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate before the end of the first London Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Refinitiv Term SONIA; or
 - (b) there is a Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Refinitiv Term SONIA or the Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.26.2 Refinitiv Term SONIA.

"Refinitiv Term SONIA" means the forward-looking term Sterling Overnight Index Average (SONIA) rate administered by Refinitiv Benchmark Services (UK) Limited (or a successor administrator).

9.26.3 Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate.

"Refinitiv Term SONIA Recommended Rate" means the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for Refinitiv Term SONIA by the Administrator of Refinitiv Term SONIA or, if the Administrator of Refinitiv Term SONIA does not make a recommendation, a committee officially endorsed or convened by the Bank of England or the supervisor for the Administrator of Refinitiv Term SONIA for the purpose of recommending a replacement for Refinitiv Term SONIA (which rate may be produced by the Administrator of Refinitiv Term SONIA or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor.

9.27 General Definitions Relating to GBP (Sterling) Floating Rate Options.

9.27.1 GBP Recommended Rate.

"GBP Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for SONIA by (i) the administrator of SONIA if the administrator of SONIA is a national central bank, or (ii) if the national central bank administrator of SONIA does not make a recommendation or the administrator of SONIA

is not a national central bank, a committee designated for this purpose by one or both of the Financial Conduct Authority (or any successor thereto) and the Bank of England and as provided by the then Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.27.2 UK Bank Rate.

"UK Bank Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the official bank rate as determined by the Monetary Policy Committee of the Bank of England and published by the Bank of England from time to time, in effect on that day.

9.28 HKD-HIBOR and CNH-HIBOR.

9.28.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for HIBOR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for HIBOR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.28.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to HIBOR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to HIBOR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to HIBOR will be determined as if references to HKD-HIBOR were references to Fallback Rate (HONIA) for the Original IBOR Rate Record Day that corresponds to the Fixing Day, as most recently provided or published as at 19:30, Hong Kong time on the related Fallback Observation Day. If neither Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time) provides, nor authorized distributors publish, Fallback Rate (HONIA) for that Original IBOR Rate Record Day at, or prior to, 19:30, Hong Kong time on the related Fallback Observation Day and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (HONIA) has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be Fallback Rate (HONIA) as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original IBOR Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the Fixing Day.
- (ii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fallback Rate (HONIA). If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (HONIA) occurs, the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (HONIA) will be HONIA, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (HONIA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (HONIA) after making such adjustments to HONIA as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of HONIA by comparison to Fallback Rate (HONIA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.
- (iii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to HONIA. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish HONIA, then, subject to paragraph (iv) below, in respect of any day for which HONIA is required, references to HONIA will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published HONIA.
- (iv) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to HONIA. If an Applicable Fallback Effective Date occurs with respect to each of Fallback Rate (HONIA) and HONIA, then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or

any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (HONIA) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to HONIA) will be the HKD Recommended Rate, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (HONIA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (HONIA) after making such adjustments to the HKD Recommended Rate as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of the HKD Recommended Rate by comparison to Fallback Rate (HONIA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

(v) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to HKD Recommended Rate. If there is a HKD Recommended Rate before the end of the first Hong Kong Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (HONIA) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to HONIA) but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the HKD Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the HKD Recommended Rate has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which the HKD Recommended Rate is required, references to the HKD Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published HKD Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the HKD Recommended Rate is required, references to the HKD Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published HKD Recommended Rate is required, references to the HKD Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published HONIA.

9.28.2 HIBOR.

"HIBOR" means the offer rate at which deposits in Hong Kong Dollars are quoted to prime banks in the Hong Kong interbank market known as the HKAB HKD Interest Settlement Rate administered by the Treasury Markets Association (or a successor administrator).

9.28.3 Fallback Rate (HONIA).

"Fallback Rate (HONIA)" means the term adjusted HONIA rate plus the spread relating to HIBOR, in each case, for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time), as the provider of term adjusted HONIA and the spread, on the Fallback Rate (HONIA) Screen (or by other means) or provided to, and published by, authorized distributors.

9.28.4 Fallback Rate (HONIA) Screen.

"Fallback Rate (HONIA) Screen" means the Bloomberg Screen corresponding to the Bloomberg ticker for the fallback for HIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <FBAK> <GO> Page (or, if applicable, accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <HP> <GO>) or any other published source designated by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time).

9.28.5 Additional Temporary Non-Publication Fallbacks for HIBOR Floating Rate Options.

"Additional Temporary Non-Publication Fallbacks for HIBOR Floating Rate Options" means the provisions set out in Section 9.28.6 (*Consequences of a Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Warning or No. 8 Typhoon Signal*) to Section 9.28.13 (*HIBOR (CNH)*).

9.28.6 Consequences of a Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Warning or No. 8 Typhoon Signal.

In respect of a Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option the determination of the Relevant Rate on the Fixing Day shall be subject to Section 9.28.6(i) (*Scenario 1*) to Section 9.28.6(vi) (*Scenario 6*) (as applicable).

- (i) Scenario 1. If a black rainstorm warning is issued before 09:00, Hong Kong time and is not cancelled at or before 12:00, Hong Kong time, on that day, then, irrespective of whether a No. 8 typhoon signal is in effect on that day, the rate for the Reset Date will be determined on the next Hong Kong Business Day.
- (ii) Scenario 2. If a No. 8 typhoon signal or above is not in effect and a black rainstorm warning is issued before 09:00, Hong Kong time, on a Fixing Day and is cancelled at or before 12:00, Hong Kong time, on that day, the rate for the Reset Date will be determined by reference to the Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option as of 14:30, Hong Kong time on that day.
- (iii) Scenario 3. If a No. 8 typhoon signal or above is not in effect and a black rainstorm warning is not issued or is issued at or after 09:00, Hong Kong time, on a Fixing Day, the rate for the Reset Date will continue to be determined by reference to the Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option as of the relevant Fixing Time on that day.
- (iv) **Scenario 4**. If a No. 8 typhoon signal or above is in effect at or before 11:00, Hong Kong time, on a Fixing Day and:
 - (a) the signal is:
 - (I) lowered at or before 12:00, Hong Kong time, on that day, and it is not raised again before 14:30, Hong Kong time, on that day; and
 - (II) a black rainstorm warning is (A) not issued, (B) issued at or after 09:00, Hong Kong time, on that day, or (C) issued before 09:00, Hong Kong time, on that day, but is cancelled at or before 12:00, Hong Kong time, on that day,

the rate for the Reset Date will be determined by reference to the Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option as of 14:30, Hong Kong time, on that day; or

- (b) the signal is:
 - (I) not lowered at or before 12:00, Hong Kong time on that day, or is lowered at or before 12:00, Hong Kong time, on that day but it is raised again before 14:30, Hong Kong time on that day; and
 - (II) irrespective of whether a black rainstorm warning is also issued on that day, the rate for the Reset Date will be determined on the next Hong Kong Business Day.
- (v) **Scenario 5**. If a No. 8 typhoon signal or above is raised after 11:00, Hong Kong time, on a Fixing Day and:
 - (a) regardless of whether it is lowered at or before 12:00, Hong Kong time, on that day or not; and
 - (b) a black rainstorm warning is either not issued or issued at or after 09:00, Hong Kong time, on that day,

the rate for the Reset Date will continue to be determined by reference to the Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option as of the relevant Fixing Time on that day.

- (vi) Scenario 6. If a No. 8 typhoon signal or above is raised after 11:00, Hong Kong time and:
 - (a) on the Fixing Day:
 - (I) the No. 8 typhoon signal is lowered at or before 12:00, Hong Kong time; and
 - (II) a black rainstorm warning is also issued before 09:00, Hong Kong time, on that day, but is cancelled at or before 12:00, Hong Kong time, on that day,

the rate for the Reset Date will be determined by reference to the Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option as of 14:30, Hong Kong time, on that day; or

- (b) on the Fixing Day:
 - (I) the No. 8 typhoon signal is not lowered at or before 12:00, Hong Kong time; and
 - (II) a black rainstorm warning is also issued before 09:00, Hong Kong time, regardless of whether it is cancelled at or before 12:00, Hong Kong time, on that day or not,

the rate for the Reset Date will be determined on the next Hong Kong Business Day.

9.28.7 HIBOR Floating Rate Option Fallback Arrangements.

Notwithstanding the arrangements for publication of a Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option following the issuing of a black rainstorm warning and/or a No. 8 typhoon signal set out in Section 9.28.6 (Consequences of a Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Warning or No. 8 Typhoon Signal), the HIBOR Floating Rate Option Fallback Arrangements will also apply to each Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option (including the application of those HIBOR Floating Rate Option Fallback Arrangements following an Extreme Conditions Announcement).

"HIBOR Floating Rate Option Fallback Arrangements" means, if on a Fixing Day the rate in respect of the Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option is not published as of the Fixing Time on that day, then:

- (i) if the Administrator of HIBOR or HIBOR (CNH), as applicable, displays a notification on its website informing users that HIBOR or HIBOR (CNH), as applicable, will be published at 14.30, Hong Kong time, on that day, the rate for the Fixing Day will be determined by reference to the Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option published as of 14:30, Hong Kong time, on that day; or
- (ii) if the Administrator of HIBOR or HIBOR (CNH), as applicable, displays a notification on its website informing users that HIBOR or HIBOR (CNH), as applicable, will not be calculated on that day, the rate for the Fixing Day will be determined:
 - (a) if it is a business day in Hong Kong (as determined by the Hong Kong Observatory), by reference to the published Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option for the preceding business day in Hong Kong; or
 - (b) if it is not a business day in Hong Kong (as determined by the Hong Kong Observatory), by reference to the published Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option on the next business day in Hong Kong (notwithstanding that the Reset Date may be adjusted pursuant to the applicable Business Day Convention).

9.28.8 Determination of Calculation Periods and Termination Dates.

Nothing in Section 9.28.6 (Consequences of a Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Warning or No. 8 Typhoon Signal) or Section 9.28.7 (HIBOR Floating Rate Option Fallback Arrangements) shall affect the determination of any Calculation Period or the Termination Date.

9.28.9 Interpretation of Particular Terms.

As used in Section 9.28.6(i) (*Scenario 1*) to Section 9.28.6(vi) (*Scenario 6*), the term "lowered" means that a typhoon signal is lowered to below a No. 8 typhoon signal and the term "raised" means raised to or above a No. 8 typhoon signal.

9.28.10 Adjustments to Payment Dates.

If:

- (i) the Transaction is a "Forward Rate Agreement";
- (ii) "Arrears Setting" applies for a Calculation Period; or
- (iii) the Payment Date is defined by reference to a Reset Date and accordingly is specified to be on, or a number of days after, the Reset Date for a Calculation Period,

and, in accordance with Section 9.28.6 (Consequences of a Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Warning or No. 8 Typhoon Signal) and Section 9.28.7 (HIBOR Floating Rate Option Fallback Arrangements), the rate for a Reset Date is determined on the next Hong Kong Business Day (or the next business day in Hong Kong as determined by the Hong Kong Observatory) following the original Reset Date, the Payment Date relating to such Reset Date shall adjust to fall the same number of Business Days (which may be zero) following the date on which the rate is determined as would have separated the original Reset Date and Payment Date but for the application of Section 9.28.6 (Consequences of a Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Warning or No. 8 Typhoon Signal) and Section 9.28.7 (HIBOR Floating Rate Option Fallback Arrangements).

9.28.11 Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date in respect of a Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option.

If an Applicable Fallback Effective Date has occurred in respect of a Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option to which Section 9.28.6 (*Consequences of a Hong Kong Black Rainstorm Warning or No. 8 Typhoon Signal*) and Section 9.28.7 (*HIBOR Floating Rate Option Fallback Arrangements*) apply, those sections shall cease to apply with respect to that Floating Rate Option from the Applicable Fallback Effective Date.

9.28.12 Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option.

"Relevant HIBOR Floating Rate Option" means each of HKD-HIBOR and CNH-HIBOR.

9.28.13 **HIBOR (CNH).**

"HIBOR (CNH)" means the offer rate at which deposits in offshore Chinese Renminbi are quoted to prime banks in the Hong Kong interbank market known as the CNH Hong Kong Interbank Offered Rate administered by the Treasury Markets Association (or any successor administrator).

9.29 HKD-HONIA and HKD-HONIA-OIS Compound.

9.29.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for HONIA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for HONIA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.29.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to HONIA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to HONIA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to HONIA will be the HKD Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to HKD Recommended Rate. If there is a HKD Recommended Rate before the end of the first Hong Kong Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to HONIA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the HKD Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the HKD Recommended Rate is required, references to the HKD Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published HKD Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published HKD Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the HKD Recommended Rate is required, references to the HKD Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published HONIA.
- (iii) No HKD Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to HKD Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no HKD Recommended Rate before the end of the first Hong Kong Business
 Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to HONIA; or
 - (b) there is a HKD Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to HONIA or the HKD Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.30 General Definitions Relating to HKD (Hong Kong Dollar) Floating Rate Options.

9.30.1 HKD Recommended Rate.

"HKD Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for HONIA by the administrator of HONIA or by a committee officially endorsed or convened by the administrator of HONIA for the purpose of recommending a replacement for HONIA (which rate may be produced by the administrator of HONIA or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.31 **INR-MIFOR.**

9.31.1 Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for MIFOR.

"Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for MIFOR" means that the rate for the Reset Date will be determined by the Calculation Agent as set out below. If the rate cannot be so determined (including if fewer than two quotations are provided by the Reference Banks) and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date in respect of the Underlying Benchmark has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

The Calculation Agent shall ask each of the Reference Banks to provide a Required Quotation. The "Forward Points" for the purpose of the formula below will be, if at least two quotations are provided,

the arithmetic mean of those quotations. The Calculation Agent will then determine the rate for the Reset Date by applying the following formula:

$$Floating \ Rate = \Big\{ \Big[\frac{(Spot \ Rate + Forward \ Points)}{Spot} \\ Rate \times (1 + LIBOR \times N1) \Big] - 1 \Big\} \times N2 \times 100$$

where:

"Spot Rate" means the Clearing Corporation of India Ltd (or its successor) published USD/INR spot rate (expressed as a number of INR per one USD) as of 15:00, India Standard (Mumbai) time, on the date that is two Mumbai Business Days preceding the Reset Date (if such rate is not available the Calculation Agent will ask each of the Reference Banks to provide a quotation of such rate and the Spot Rate shall be the arithmetic average of the quotations received);

"LIBOR" means USD-LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity commencing on the Reset Date:

"N1" means the number of days in the Calculation Period divided by 360;

"N2" means 365 divided by the number of days in the Calculation Period;

"Reference Banks" means four major banks in the Mumbai interbank market; and

"Required Quotations" means the offered side of the INR/USD forward points for the sale of INR against USD for a Representative Amount for settlement on the last day of a period equivalent to the Designated Maturity and commencing on the Reset Date.

9.32 INR-Modified MIFOR.

9.32.1 Temporary Non-Publication Trigger for Modified MIFOR.

"Temporary Non-Publication Trigger for Modified MIFOR" means that the Underlying Benchmark for a period of the Designated Maturity is not published by the Administrator or an authorized distributor and is not otherwise provided by the Administrator at, or prior to, the Fixing Time on the Fixing Day.

9.32.2 Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for Modified MIFOR.

"Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for Modified MIFOR" means that the rate for the Reset Date will be Modified MIFOR for a period of the Designated Maturity as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the day that is two Mumbai Business Days preceding that Reset Date.

9.32.3 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Modified MIFOR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Modified MIFOR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.32.3.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Modified MIFOR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Modified MIFOR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Modified MIFOR will be the Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate. If there is a Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate before the end of the first Mumbai Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Modified MIFOR but

neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate is required, references to the Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity. However, if there is no last provided or published Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then in respect of any day for which the Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate is required, references to the Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published Modified MIFOR for a period of the Designated Maturity.

- (iii) No Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate before the end of the first Mumbai Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Modified MIFOR; or
 - (b) there is a Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Modified MIFOR or the Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.32.4 Modified MIFOR.

"Modified MIFOR" means the Modified Mumbai Interbank Forward Outright Rate administered by Financial Benchmarks India Pvt Limited (or a successor administrator) and computed by using the Financial Benchmarks India Pvt Limited Forward Premia Curve published by Financial Benchmarks India Pvt Limited and the 'Adjusted Reference Rate', where the 'Reference Rate' is SOFR, published by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider).

9.32.5 Rate Record Day.

"Rate Record Day" means, when used in connection with INR-Modified MIFOR, the 'Rate Record Day' as that term (or any successor term) is used by the Administrator of Modified MIFOR or any authorized distributors of Modified MIFOR in connection with the provision or publication of Modified MIFOR.

9.32.6 Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate.

"Modified MIFOR Recommended Rate" means the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for Modified MIFOR by the Administrator of Modified MIFOR in consultation with the regulatory supervisor for the Administrator of Modified MIFOR and a committee officially endorsed or convened by the regulatory supervisor for the Administrator of Modified MIFOR for the purpose of recommending a replacement for Modified MIFOR, if any, (which rate may be produced by the Administrator of Modified MIFOR or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor.

9.33 JPY-LIBOR, JPY-TIBOR and JPY-Euroyen TIBOR.

9.33.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Yen LIBOR, Yen TIBOR and Euroyen TIBOR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for Yen LIBOR, Yen TIBOR and Euroyen TIBOR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.33.1.

- Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Yen LIBOR, Yen TIBOR or Euroyen TIBOR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Yen LIBOR, Yen TIBOR or Euroyen TIBOR (as applicable) occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Yen LIBOR, Yen TIBOR or Euroyen TIBOR (as applicable) will be determined as if references to JPY-LIBOR, JPY-TIBOR or JPY-Euroyen TIBOR (as applicable) were references to Fallback Rate (TONA) for the Original IBOR Rate Record Day that corresponds to the Fixing Day, as most recently provided or published as at 12:30, Tokyo time on the related Fallback Observation Day. If neither Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time) provides, nor authorized distributors publish, Fallback Rate (TONA) for that Original IBOR Rate Record Day at, or prior to, 12:30, Tokyo time on the related Fallback Observation Day and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (TONA) has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be Fallback Rate (TONA) as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original IBOR Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the Fixing Day.
- (ii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fallback Rate (TONA). If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (TONA) occurs, the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (TONA) will be TONA, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (TONA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (TONA) after making such adjustments to TONA as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of TONA by comparison to Fallback Rate (TONA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.
- (iii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to TONA**. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish TONA, then, subject to paragraph (iv) below, in respect of any day for which TONA is required, references to TONA will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published TONA.
- (iv) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to TONA. If an Applicable Fallback Effective Date occurs with respect to each of Fallback Rate (TONA) and TONA, then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (TONA) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA) will be the JPY Recommended Rate, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (TONA), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (TONA) after making such adjustments to the JPY Recommended Rate as are necessary to account for any difference

in term structure or tenor of the JPY Recommended Rate by comparison to Fallback Rate (TONA) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

(v) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to JPY Recommended Rate. If there is a JPY Recommended Rate before the end of the first Tokyo Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (TONA) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA) but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the JPY Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the JPY Recommended Rate has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which the JPY Recommended Rate is required, references to the JPY Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published JPY Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published JPY Recommended Rate is required, references to the JPY Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published TONA.

9.33.2 Yen TIBOR.

"Yen TIBOR" means the prevailing market rate in the Japan unsecured call market known as the Japanese Yen Tokyo Interbank Offered Rate administered by the Japanese Bankers Association TIBOR Administration (or a successor administrator).

9.33.3 Euroyen TIBOR.

"Euroyen TIBOR" means the prevailing market rate for prime bank transactions in the Japan offshore market known as the Euroyen Tokyo Interbank Offered Rate administered by the Japanese Bankers Association TIBOR Administration (or a successor administrator).

9.33.4 Fallback Rate (TONA).

"Fallback Rate (TONA)" means the term adjusted TONA plus the spread relating to Yen LIBOR (in the case of JPY-LIBOR), Yen TIBOR (in the case of JPY-TIBOR) or Euroyen TIBOR (in the case of JPY-Euroyen TIBOR), in each case, for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time), as the provider of term adjusted TONA and the spread, on the Fallback Rate (TONA) Screen (or by other means) or provided to, and published by, authorized distributors.

9.33.5 Fallback Rate (TONA) Screen.

"Fallback Rate (TONA) Screen" means the Bloomberg Screen corresponding to the Bloomberg ticker for the fallback for Yen LIBOR (in the case of JPY-LIBOR), Yen TIBOR (in the case of JPY-TIBOR) or Euroyen TIBOR (in the case of JPY-Euroyen TIBOR) for a period of the Designated Maturity accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <FBAK> <GO> Page (or, if applicable, accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <HP> <GO>) or any other published source designated by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time).

9.34 JPY-LIBOR TSR-10:00 and JPY-LIBOR TSR-15:00.

9.34.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for JPY LIBOR Tokyo Swap Rate.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for JPY LIBOR Tokyo Swap Rate" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.34.1.

- (i) JPY LIBOR Applicable Index Cessation Effective Date. If a JPY LIBOR Index Cessation Event with respect to an Applicable JPY Tenor occurs, then, if the day that is two Tokyo and London Business Days following the Fixing Day falls on or after the day that is two London Business Days following the JPY LIBOR Applicable Index Cessation Effective Date, the rate for that Fixing Day will be:
 - (a) the Published JPY TSR Fallback Rate; or
 - (b) if there is no Published JPY TSR Fallback Rate, the Calculated JPY TSR Fallback Rate (as calculated by the Calculation Agent),

in each case with a maturity of the Designated Maturity, expressed as a percentage, and, in respect of JPY-LIBOR TSR-10:00, provided at or around 10:30, Tokyo time (which reflects publication as of 10:00, Tokyo time) or calculated as of 10:00, Tokyo time (as applicable) on that Fixing Day, or, in respect of JPY-LIBOR TSR-15:00, provided at or around 15:30, Tokyo time (which reflects publication as of 15:00, Tokyo time) or calculated as of 15:00, Tokyo time (as applicable) on that Fixing Day,

where:

"Applicable JPY Tenor" means, in respect of Yen LIBOR, six months;

"Calculated JPY TSR Fallback Rate" means the rate calculated as follows, and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (*Rounding of Percentages*), but to the nearest one thousandth of a percentage point (0.001%):

$$2 \times [\sqrt{1 + TONA TSR} - 1] + S_{6M} \times \frac{365}{360}$$

where:

"TONA TSR" is JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-10:00 or JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-15:00 (as applicable) in respect of the Reset Date with a maturity of the Designated Maturity; and

" S_{6M} " is 0.05809%;

"JPY LIBOR Applicable Index Cessation Effective Date" means, in respect of a JPY LIBOR Index Cessation Event for the Applicable JPY Tenor, the first date on which Yen LIBOR for that Applicable JPY Tenor would ordinarily have been provided and is either (A) Non-Representative by reference to the most recent statement or publication contemplated in paragraph (a) of the definition of JPY LIBOR Index Cessation Event or paragraph (i)(d) of Section 8.2.3 (*Index Cessation Event*) and even if Yen LIBOR continues to be provided on such date or (B) no longer provided;

"JPY LIBOR Index Cessation Event" means, in respect of Yen LIBOR for the Applicable JPY Tenor:

- (a) the statement by the Financial Conduct Authority on 5 March 2021 that Yen LIBOR for the Applicable JPY Tenor will be Non-Representative after 31 December 2021; or
- (b) the occurrence of an Index Cessation Event where the Applicable Benchmark is Yen LIBOR for the Applicable JPY Tenor provided that for the purpose of determining if the Applicable Benchmark is "Non-Representative", Yen LIBOR for the Applicable JPY Tenor will be "Non-Representative" by reference to the date included in the most

recent statement or publication contemplated in paragraph (a) of this definition of JPY LIBOR Index Cessation Event or paragraph (i)(d) of Section 8.2.3 (*Index Cessation Event*);

"JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-10:00" means the 10:00, Tokyo time, swap rate for Yen swap transactions where the floating leg references the Tokyo Overnight Average Rate (TONA), known as the 'Tokyo Swap Rate (for swaps referencing TONA)', published at or around 10:30, Tokyo time, as administered by Refinitiv Benchmark Services (UK) Limited (or a successor administrator);

"JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-15:00" means the 15:00, Tokyo time, swap rate for Yen swap transactions where the floating leg references the Tokyo Overnight Average Rate (TONA), known as the 'Tokyo Swap Rate (for swaps referencing TONA)', published at or around 15:30, Tokyo time, as administered by Refinitiv Benchmark Services (UK) Limited (or a successor administrator); and

"Published JPY TSR Fallback Rate" means the rate calculated in accordance with the formula set forth in the definition of Calculated JPY TSR Fallback Rate, as provided by the Administrator of that rate and known as the 'Fallback for the Tokyo Swap Rate (for swaps referencing 6-month JPY interbank offered rates from London banks)'.

(ii) No JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-10:00 or JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-15:00.

If JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-10:00 or JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-15:00 (as applicable) in respect of the Reset Date is not published by the Administrator of JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-10:00 or JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-15:00 (as applicable) or an authorized distributor and is not otherwise provided by the Administrator of JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-10:00 or JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-15:00 (as applicable) by either (A) the Reset Date or (B) such other date on which JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-10:00 or JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-15:00 (as applicable) is required, then, in respect of any day for which that rate is required, references to that rate will be references to the rate determined by the Calculation Agent.

9.35 JPY-LTPR MHBK.

9.35.1 Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for LTPR.

"Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for LTPR" means the rate for the Reset Date will be the 5Yr Rate plus the Average Spread, where:

"5Yr Rate" means the mid-market swap rate for Yen swap transactions (known as the Tokyo Swap Reference Rate) with a maturity of 5 years published or provided as of 10:00, Tokyo time, on the Fixing Day; and

"Average Spread" means the arithmetic mean of the difference between the amounts determined in paragraphs (i) and (ii) below for each relevant date:

(i) each long-term prime rate quoted in the most recent six months which appears on the Refinitiv Screen 17094 Page under the sub-heading "RATE" of the heading "LONG-PRIME (MHCB)" for each date as shown under the sub-heading "ANNOUNCE" (and if the long-term prime rate is quoted as unchanged for a period, such unchanged long-term prime rate is constructed as an newly long-term prime rate for the purpose of determining the relevant date in paragraph (ii) below); and (ii) the 5Yr Rate on the relevant date that each such long-term prime rate as determined in paragraph (i) above was announced.

Once the Average Spread for a Reset Date is determined, the Average Spread for any Reset Dates following that Reset Date will be the Average Spread so determined for that Reset Date. If the rate for the Reset Date cannot be determined as set out above and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date in respect of the Underlying Benchmark has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.36 JPY-STPR-Quoting Banks.

9.36.1 Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for STPR.

"Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for STPR" means the rate for the Reset Date will be the rate determined using JPY-LIBOR with a Designated Maturity of 3 months plus the Average Spread, where:

"Average Spread" means the arithmetic mean of the difference between (i) STPR and (ii) JPY 3-Month LIBOR, and where:

"STPR" means the arithmetic mean of the short-term prime rates quoted by the Quoting Banks in the most recent six months which appear on the Refinitiv Screen 17094 Page under the subheading "CURRENT SHORT-PRIME" of the heading "JAPAN MAJOR INTEREST RATES" as of 15:00, Tokyo time, on each last Tokyo and London Business Day. If at least two short-term prime rate quotations are provided by the Quoting Banks, the "STPR" for that Reset Date will be the arithmetic mean of those quotations. If only one short-term prime rate quotation is provided by a Quoting Bank, the "STPR" for that Reset Date will be such quotation;

"JPY 3-Month LIBOR" means the six rates for Yen LIBOR with a tenor of three months quoted in the most recent six months as of 11:00, London time, on each last Tokyo and London Business Day of the relevant month;

"Quoting Banks" means SMBC, BTMU and MHBK;

"SMBC" means Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation, or any successor acceptable to the parties;

"BTMU" means The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd, or any successor acceptable to the parties; and

"MHBK" means Mizuho Bank, Ltd, or any successor acceptable to the parties.

Once the Average Spread for a Reset Date is determined, the Average Spread for any Reset Dates following that Reset Date will be the Average Spread so determined for that Reset Date. If the rate for the Reset Date cannot be determined as set out above and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date in respect of the Underlying Benchmark has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.37 JPY-TONA and JPY-TONA-OIS Compound.

9.37.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for TONA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for TONA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.37.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to TONA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to TONA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA will be the JPY Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to JPY Recommended Rate. If there is a JPY Recommended Rate before the end of the first Tokyo Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the JPY Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the JPY Recommended Rate is required, references to the JPY Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published JPY Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published JPY Recommended Rate is required, references to the JPY Recommended Rate is required, references to the JPY Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published TONA.
- (iii) No JPY Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to JPY Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no JPY Recommended Rate before the end of the first Tokyo Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA; or
 - (b) there is a JPY Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA or the JPY Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.38 JPY-TONA Average 30D, JPY-TONA Average 90D and JPY-TONA Average 180D.

9.38.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for TONA Averages.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for TONA Averages" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.38.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to a TONA Average. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to a TONA Average occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to that TONA Average will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the benchmark methodology for that TONA Average published by the Administrator and TONA as provided by the Administrator of TONA for each day in respect of which TONA is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to TONA. Subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which TONA is required by the Calculation Agent, if on the Tokyo Business Day immediately following such day, neither the Administrator of TONA nor an authorized distributor of TONA has provided or published TONA in respect of that day, TONA for the purpose of the TONA Average benchmark methodology will be the last provided or published TONA.

- (iii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to TONA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to TONA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the TONA Average benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to TONA for each day in respect of which TONA is required occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA were references to the JPY Recommended Rate in respect of the same day for which a rate for TONA was required.
- (iv) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to JPY Recommended Rate. If there is a JPY Recommended Rate before the end of the first Tokyo Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the JPY Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (v) below, in respect of any day for which the JPY Recommended Rate is required, references to the JPY Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published JPY Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published JPY Recommended Rate is required, references to the JPY Recommended Rate is required, references to the JPY Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published TONA.
- (v) No JPY Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to JPY Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no JPY Recommended Rate before the end of the first Tokyo Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA; or
 - (b) there is a JPY Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA or the JPY Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the TONA Average benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to TONA for each day in respect of which TONA is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to a rate determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.38.2 **TONA 30D Average.**

"TONA 30D Average" means the 30-day compounded average of TONA administered by QUICK Corp. (or a successor administrator).

9.38.3 TONA 90D Average.

"TONA 90D Average" means the 90-day compounded average of TONA administered by QUICK Corp. (or a successor administrator).

9.38.4 TONA 180D Average.

"TONA 180D Average" means the 180-day compounded average of TONA administered by QUICK Corp. (or a successor administrator).

9.38.5 TONA Average.

"TONA Average" means the TONA 30D Average, the TONA 90D Average or the TONA 180D Average, as applicable.

9.39 JPY-TONA Compounded Index.

9.39.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for TONA Compounded Index.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for TONA Compounded Index" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.39.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to TONA Compounded Index. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to the TONA Compounded Index occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the TONA Compounded Index will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the TONA Compounded Index, the TONA Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator and TONA as provided by the Administrator of TONA for each day in respect of which TONA is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination.
- (ii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to TONA**. Subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which TONA is required by the Calculation Agent, if on the Tokyo Business Day immediately following such day, neither the Administrator of TONA nor an authorized distributor of TONA has provided or published TONA in respect of that day, TONA for the purpose of the TONA Compounded Index benchmark methodology will be the last provided or published TONA.
- (iii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to TONA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to TONA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the TONA Compounded Index and the TONA Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to TONA for each day in respect of which TONA is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to the JPY Recommended Rate in respect of the same day for which a rate for TONA was required.
- (iv) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to JPY Recommended Rate. If there is a JPY Recommended Rate before the end of the first Tokyo Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the JPY Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (v) below, in respect of any day for which the JPY Recommended Rate is required, references to the JPY Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published JPY Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published JPY Recommended Rate is required, references to the JPY Recommended Rate is required, references to the JPY Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published TONA.
- (v) No JPY Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to JPY Recommended Rate. If:

- (a) there is no JPY Recommended Rate before the end of the first Tokyo Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA; or
- (b) there is a JPY Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TONA or the JPY Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the TONA Compounded Index and the TONA Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to TONA for each day in respect of which TONA is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to a rate determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.39.2 TONA Compounded Index.

"TONA Compounded Index" means the level of the index measuring the change in the returns from a rolling unit of investment earning compound interest each day at TONA, administered by QUICK Corp. (or a successor administrator).

9.40 Additional Provision for the Purposes of the Definitions of Index Cessation Event, Index Cessation Effective Date, Administrator/Benchmark Event and Administrator/Benchmark Event Date in relation to TONA as an Applicable Benchmark.

For the purposes of Section 9.38 (JPY-TONA Average 30D, JPY-TONA Average 90D and JPY-TONA Average 180D) and Section 9.39 (JPY-TONA Compounded Index) and the definitions of Index Cessation Event in Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event), Index Cessation Effective Date in Section 8.2.4 (Index Cessation Effective Date), Administrator/Benchmark Event in Section 8.3.2 (Administrator/Benchmark Event) and Administrator/Benchmark Event Date in Section 8.3.3 (Administrator/Benchmark Event Date), TONA (for the purpose of the TONA Average and the TONA Compounded Index, as applicable) shall be deemed to be an Applicable Benchmark.

9.41 **JPY-TORF QUICK.**

9.41.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for TORF.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for TORF" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.41.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to TORF. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to TORF occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TORF will be the TORF Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to TORF Recommended Rate. If there is a TORF Recommended Rate before the end of the first Tokyo Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TORF but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the TORF Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the TORF Recommended Rate is required, references to the TORF Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published TORF Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity. However, if there is no last provided or published TORF Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated

Maturity, then in respect of any day for which the TORF Recommended Rate is required, references to the TORF Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published TORF for a period of the Designated Maturity.

(iii) No TORF Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to TORF Recommended Rate. If:

- (a) there is no TORF Recommended Rate before the end of the first Tokyo Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TORF; or
- (b) there is a TORF Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to TORF or the TORF Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.41.2 **TORF.**

"**TORF**" means the Tokyo Term Risk Free Rate (TORF) administered by QUICK Benchmarks Inc. (or any successor administrator).

9.41.3 TORF Recommended Rate.

"TORF Recommended Rate" means the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for TORF by the Administrator of TORF or, if the Administrator of TORF does not make a recommendation, a committee officially endorsed or convened by the Bank of Japan or the supervisor for the Administrator of TORF for the purpose of recommending a replacement for TORF (which rate may be produced by the Administrator of TORF or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor.

9.42 General Definitions Relating to JPY (Japanese Yen) Floating Rate Options.

9.42.1 **Yen LIBOR.**

"Yen LIBOR" means the Yen wholesale funding rate known as Yen LIBOR (London Interbank Offered Rate) administered by ICE Benchmark Administration Limited (or a successor administrator).

9.42.2 JPY Recommended Rate.

"JPY Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for TONA by a committee officially endorsed or convened by the Bank of Japan for the purpose of recommending a replacement for TONA (which rate may be produced by the Bank of Japan or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.43 NOK-NOWA and NOK-NOWA-OIS Compound.

9.43.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for NOWA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for NOWA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.43.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to NOWA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to NOWA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to NOWA will be the NOK Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to NOK Recommended Rate. If there is a NOK Recommended Rate before the end of the first Oslo Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to NOWA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the NOK Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the NOK Recommended Rate is required, references to the NOK Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published NOK Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published NOK Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the NOK Recommended Rate is required, references to the NOK Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published NOWA.
- (iii) No NOK Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to NOK Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no NOK Recommended Rate before the end of the first Oslo Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to NOWA; or
 - (b) there is a NOK Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to NOWA or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the NOK Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be the NB Policy Rate.

(iv) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to NB Policy Rate**. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the NB Policy Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the NB Policy Rate has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which the NB Policy Rate is required, references to the NB Policy Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published NB Policy Rate.

9.43.2 NOK Recommended Rate.

"NOK Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for NOWA by Norges Bank (or any successor administrator of NOWA) or by a committee officially endorsed or convened by Norges Bank (or any successor administrator of NOWA) for the purpose of recommending a replacement for NOWA (which rate may be produced by Norges Bank or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.43.3 NB Policy Rate.

"NB Policy Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the policy rate as set by Norges Bank, in respect of that day.

9.44 NZD-NZIONA and NZD-NZIONA-OIS Compound.

9.44.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for NZIONA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for NZIONA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.44.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to NZIONA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to NZIONA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to NZIONA will be the RBNZ Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to RBNZ Recommended Rate. If there is an RBNZ Recommended Rate before the end of the first Wellington and Auckland Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to NZIONA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the RBNZ Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the RBNZ Recommended Rate is required, references to the RBNZ Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published RBNZ Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published RBNZ Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the RBNZ Recommended Rate is required, references to the RBNZ Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published NZIONA.
- (iii) No RBNZ Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to RBNZ Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no RBNZ Recommended Rate before the end of the first Wellington and Auckland Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to NZIONA; or
 - (b) there is an RBNZ Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to NZIONA or the RBNZ Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.44.2 RBNZ Recommended Rate.

"RBNZ Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for NZIONA by the Reserve Bank of New Zealand (which rate may be produced by the Reserve Bank of New Zealand or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.45 **PHP-PHIREF.**

9.45.1 Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for PHIREF.

"Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for PHIREF" means that the rate for the Reset Date will be determined by the Calculation Agent in accordance with PHP-PHIREF-Reference Banks below. If the rate cannot be determined pursuant to the definition of PHP-PHIREF-Reference Banks on the Fixing Day and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date in respect of the Underlying Benchmark has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

"PHP-PHIREF-Reference Banks" means that the rate for a Reset Date will be determined by the Calculation Agent in accordance with the following formula:

$$(\frac{\text{Swap Points}}{\text{Spot Rate}}) \times (\frac{360+\text{USD Rate x \# days}}{\text{\# days}}) + \text{USD Rate}$$

where:

"Swap Points" means the weighted average of the FX forward points for the forward exchange of Philippine Peso against U.S. Dollars for settlement on the last day of a period equivalent to the Designated Maturity and commencing on the relevant Reset Date as of 11:30, Manila time, on the Fixing Day made available or provided directly to trading participants by Bloomberg or its authorized representative. If such rate is not available by 16:00, Manila time, on the Fixing Day, then the rate for that Reset Date will be determined by the Calculation Agent on the basis of mid-market indicative quotations obtained by the Calculation Agent from the Reference Banks, as of 11:30, Manila time, on the Fixing Day or as close to such time as is reasonably practicable. The Swap Points for that Reset Date shall be the Arithmetic Mean – Eliminating Outliers (Modified 2) of the quotations obtained. If fewer than three quotations are provided, the Swap Points for that Reset Date shall be determined by the Calculation Agent acting in good faith and in a commercially reasonable manner;

"Spot Rate" means the U.S. Dollar/Philippine Peso morning weighted average rate, expressed as the amount of Philippine Pesos per one U.S. Dollar, for settlement in one Manila Business Day, reported by the Philippine Dealing System PDEX, which appears on the Refinitiv Screen PDSPESO Page to the right of the caption "AM WT AVE" at approximately 11:30, Manila time, or as soon thereafter as practicable, on the Fixing Day. If such rate does not appear on the Refinitiv Screen PDSPESO Page at such time, the Spot Rate for that Reset Date shall be determined by the Calculation Agent;

"# days" means the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period in respect of which the calculation is being made;

"Reference Banks" means five major banks in the Manila interbank market; and

"USD Rate" means U.S. Dollar LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity as published or provided as of 11:00 a.m., London time, on a London Business Day as of 28 hours prior to the day on which the Spot Rate is determined. If such rate is not provided or published for such day, the USD Rate for that Reset Date shall be determined by the Calculation Agent.

9.46 **SGD-SOR.**

9.46.1 Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for SOR.

"Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for SOR" means that the rate for the Reset Date will be any substitute rate announced by ABS Benchmarks Administration Co Pte. Ltd. (or its successor as administrator or sponsor of that rate). If ABS Benchmarks Administration Co Pte. Ltd. (or its successor as administrator or sponsor of that rate) does not announce such rate by 21:00 Singapore time, on the Fixing Day, then, subject to Section 9.46.2 (*Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SOR*), and unless otherwise agreed by the parties, the rate for the Reset Date will be:

- (i) a rate formally recommended for use by the Administrator; or
- (ii) a rate formally recommended for use by the Monetary Authority of Singapore (or any other supervisor which is responsible for supervising SOR or the Administrator) or a committee officially endorsed or convened by the Monetary Authority of Singapore (or any other supervisor which is responsible for supervising SOR or the Administrator),

in each case, during the period of non-publication of SOR. If a rate described in paragraph (i) above is available, that rate shall apply. If no such rate is available but a rate described in paragraph (ii) above is available, that rate shall apply. If neither a rate described in paragraph (i) above nor a rate described in paragraph (ii) above is available, then the Calculation Agent shall determine a commercially reasonable alternative for SOR, taking into account any rate implemented by central counterparties and/or futures exchanges, in each case with trading volumes in derivatives or futures referencing SOR that the Calculation Agent considers sufficient for that rate to be a representative alternative rate.

9.46.2 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SOR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SOR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.46.2.

(i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date. If an Index Cessation Event with respect to U.S. Dollar LIBOR occurs or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to SOR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Index Cessation Effective Date with respect to U.S. Dollar LIBOR or the Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SOR will be determined as if references to SGD-SOR were references to Fallback Rate (SOR) for the Original SOR Rate Record Day that corresponds to the Fixing Day, as most recently provided or published as at 11:30, New York City time on the related Fallback Observation Day. If neither ABS Benchmarks Administration Co Pte. Ltd. (or a successor provider) provides, nor authorized distributors publish, Fallback Rate (SOR) for that Original SOR Rate Record Day at, or prior to, 11:30, New York City time on the related Fallback Observation Day and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOR) has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be Fallback Rate (SOR) as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original SOR Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the Fixing Day.

An Index Cessation Event will also occur if SOR for a period of the Designated Maturity is not published by the Administrator or an authorized distributor and is not otherwise provided by the Administrator and, as of the Fixing Day, U.S. Dollar LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity has been permanently discontinued or is Non-Representative and there is either no U.S. Dollar LIBOR which has not been permanently discontinued and which is not Non-Representative for a period which is longer than the Designated Maturity or no U.S. Dollar LIBOR which has not been permanently discontinued and which is not Non-Representative for a period which is shorter than the Designated Maturity. The related Index Cessation Effective Date shall be the first date on which there is no such longer or shorter rate (or, if later, the first date on which U.S. Dollar LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity is permanently unavailable or Non-Representative).

- (ii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOR). If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (SOR) occurs, the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOR) will be the MAS Recommended Rate.
- (iii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to MAS Recommended Rate**. If there is a MAS Recommended Rate before the end of the first Singapore Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOR) but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the MAS Recommended Rate,

then, subject to paragraph (iv) below, in respect of any day for which the MAS Recommended Rate is required, references to the MAS Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published MAS Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published MAS Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the MAS Recommended Rate is required, references to the MAS Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published Fallback Rate (SOR).

- (iv) No MAS Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to MAS Recommended Rate. If:
 - there is no MAS Recommended Rate before the end of the first Singapore Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOR); or
 - (b) there is a MAS Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOR) or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the MAS Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be SORA, to which the Calculation Agent shall make such adjustments as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of SORA by comparison to Fallback Rate (SOR) and by reference to the Calculation Methodology for Fallback Rate (SOR).

(v) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to SORA. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish SORA and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SORA has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which SORA is required, references to SORA will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SORA.

9.46.3 Further Application of the Definitions of Index Cessation Event and Non-Representative to Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SOR.

For the purposes of Section 9.46.2 (Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SOR), references to:

- (i) a rate being permanently unavailable or permanently discontinued shall be deemed to be references to such rate being permanently unavailable or permanently discontinued following a public statement or publication of information which would constitute an Index Cessation Event in accordance with paragraph (i)(a) or (i)(b) of Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event) in respect of that rate in the relevant tenor; and
- (ii) the Applicable Benchmark in the definition of Non-Representative in Section 8.2.5 (*Non-Representative*) will be deemed to be references to the relevant tenor of the Applicable Benchmark.

9.46.4 Fallback Rate (SOR).

"Fallback Rate (SOR)" means the rate based on actual transactions in the U.S. Dollar/Singapore Dollar foreign exchange swap market and a U.S. Dollar interest rate calculated by reference to Fallback Rate (SOFR) including any fallback rate to Fallback Rate (SOFR) that may apply pursuant to the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for U.S. Dollar LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by ABS Benchmarks Administration Co Pte. Ltd. (or a successor provider), as the provider

of Fallback Rate (SOR), on the Fallback Rate (SOR) Screen (or by other means) or provided to, and published by, authorized distributors.

9.46.5 Fallback Rate (SOR) Screen.

"Fallback Rate (SOR) Screen" means the Refinitiv Screen corresponding to the Refinitiv ticker for the fallback for SOR for a period of the Designated Maturity accessed via the Refinitiv Screen <FBKSORFIX> (or, if applicable, accessed via the relevant Refinitiv Screen for 'price history') or any other published source designated by ABS Benchmarks Administration Co Pte. Ltd. (or a successor provider).

9.46.6 Original SOR Rate Record Day.

"Original SOR Rate Record Day" means, when used in connection with SGD-SOR, the 'Original SOR Rate Record Day' as that term is used on the relevant Refinitiv Screen.

9.46.7 **SOR.**

"SOR" means the synthetic rate for deposits in Singapore Dollars known as the Singapore Dollar Swap Offer Rate administered by ABS Benchmarks Administration Co Pte. Ltd (or a successor administrator).

9.46.8 Calculation Methodology for Fallback Rate (SOR).

"Calculation Methodology for Fallback Rate (SOR)" means the Calculation Methodology for Fallback Rate (SOR) published by ABS Benchmarks Administration Co Pte. Ltd. as updated from time to time.

9.47 SGD-SORA and SGD-SORA-OIS Compound.

9.47.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SORA.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SORA" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.47.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SORA. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to SORA occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SORA will be the MAS Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to MAS Recommended Rate. If there is a MAS Recommended Rate before the end of the first Singapore Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SORA but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the MAS Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the MAS Recommended Rate is required, references to the MAS Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published MAS Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published MAS Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the MAS Recommended Rate is required, references to the MAS Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SORA.
- (iii) No MAS Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to MAS Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no MAS Recommended Rate before the end of the first Singapore Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SORA; or

(b) there is a MAS Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SORA or the MAS Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.48 General Definitions Relating to SGD (Singapore Dollar) Floating Rate Options.

9.48.1 MAS Recommended Rate.

"MAS Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for Fallback Rate (SOR) (in the case of SGD-SOR) or SORA (in the case of SGD-SORA and SGD-SORA-OIS Compound) by the Monetary Authority of Singapore or by a committee officially endorsed or convened by the Monetary Authority of Singapore (which rate may be produced by the Monetary Authority of Singapore or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.49 **THB-THBFIX.**

9.49.1 Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for THBFIX.

"Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for THBFIX" means that the rate for the Reset Date will be determined by the Calculation Agent in accordance with the definition of THB-THBFIX-Reference Banks below. If the rate cannot be determined pursuant to the definition of THB-THBFIX-Reference Banks, then subject to Section 9.49.2 (*Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for THBFIX*), the rate for the Reset Date will be determined by the Calculation Agent taking into consideration all available information that in good faith it deems relevant.

"THB-THBFIX-Reference Banks" means the rate determined in accordance with the following formula:

$$\left\{ \left[\left(\frac{\text{Spot Rate+Forward Points}}{\text{Spot Rate}} \right) \times \left(1 + \frac{\text{USD Rate} \times \# \text{days}}{360} \right) \right] - 1 \right\} \times \frac{365}{\# \text{ days}} \times 100$$

where:

"**Spot Rate**" means the average of the bid and offered exchange rates for the sale of Thai Baht against U.S. Dollars for settlement on a spot basis obtained by the Calculation Agent from the Reference Banks, as of 15:00, Bangkok time, on the Fixing Day as close to such time as is reasonably practicable. The Spot Rate for that Reset Date will be the Arithmetic Mean – Eliminating Outliers of the quotations obtained;

"Forward Points" means the offered side of the FX forward points for the forward sale of Thai Baht against U.S. Dollars for settlement on the last day of a period equivalent to the Designated Maturity and commencing on the relevant Reset Date as determined by the Calculation Agent on the basis of the offered side of indicative quotations obtained by the Calculation Agent from the Reference Banks, as of 15:00, Bangkok time, on the Fixing Day or as close to such time as is reasonably practicable. The Forward Points for that Reset Date will be the Arithmetic Mean – Eliminating Outliers of the quotations obtained;

"# days" means the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period in respect of which the calculation is being made;

"USD Rate" means a rate determined in accordance with USD-LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity provided that the Fixing Day shall be the day that is two Bangkok Business Days preceding the relevant Reset Date, or if such day is not a London Business Day, the immediately preceding London Business Day; and

"Reference Banks" means five major banks in the Bangkok interbank market.

9.49.2 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for THBFIX.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for THBFIX" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.49.2.

(i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date. If an Index Cessation Event with respect to U.S. Dollar LIBOR occurs or an Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to THBFIX occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Index Cessation Effective Date with respect to U.S. Dollar LIBOR or the Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to THBFIX will be determined as if references to THB-THBFIX were references to Fallback Rate (THBFIX) for the Original THBFIX Rate Record Day that corresponds to the Fixing Day, as most recently provided or published as at 10:00, Bangkok time on the related Fallback Observation Day. If neither the Bank of Thailand (or a successor provider) provides, nor authorized distributors publish, Fallback Rate (THBFIX) for that Original THBFIX Rate Record Day at, or prior to, 10:00, Bangkok time on the related Fallback Observation Day and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (THBFIX) as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original THBFIX Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the Fixing Day.

An Index Cessation Event will also occur if THBFIX for a period of the Designated Maturity is not published by the Administrator or an authorized distributor and is not otherwise provided by the Administrator and, as of the Fixing Day, U.S. Dollar LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity has been permanently discontinued or is Non-Representative and there is either no U.S. Dollar LIBOR which has not been permanently discontinued and which is not Non-Representative for a period which is longer than the Designated Maturity or no U.S. Dollar LIBOR which has not been permanently discontinued and which is not Non-Representative for a period which is shorter than the Designated Maturity. The related Index Cessation Effective Date shall be the first date on which there is no such longer or shorter rate (or, if later, the first date on which U.S. Dollar LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity is permanently unavailable or Non-Representative).

- (ii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fallback Rate (THBFIX). If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (THBFIX) occurs, the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (THBFIX) will be the BOT Recommended Rate.
- (iii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to BOT Recommended Rate. If there is a BOT Recommended Rate before the end of the first Bangkok Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (THBFIX) but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the BOT Recommended Rate, then, subject to

paragraph (iv) below, in respect of any day for which the BOT Recommended Rate is required, references to the BOT Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published BOT Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published BOT Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the BOT Recommended Rate is required, references to the BOT Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published Fallback Rate (THBFIX).

- (iv) No BOT Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to BOT Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no BOT Recommended Rate before the end of the first Bangkok Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (THBFIX); or
 - (b) there is a BOT Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (THBFIX) or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the BOT Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be THOR, to which the Calculation Agent shall make such adjustments as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of THOR by comparison to Fallback Rate (THBFIX) and by reference to the Bank of Thailand THBFIX Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

(v) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to THOR. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish THOR and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to THOR has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which THOR is required, references to THOR will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published THOR.

9.49.3 Further Application of the Definitions of Index Cessation Event and Non-Representative to Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for THBFIX.

For the purposes of Section 9.49.2 (Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for THBFIX), references to:

- (i) a rate being permanently unavailable or permanently discontinued shall be deemed to be references to such rate being permanently unavailable or permanently discontinued following a public statement or publication of information which would constitute an Index Cessation Event in accordance with paragraph (i)(a) or (i)(b) of Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event) in respect of that rate in the relevant tenor; and
- (ii) the Applicable Benchmark in the definition of Non-Representative in Section 8.2.5 (*Non-Representative*) will be deemed to be references to the relevant tenor of the Applicable Benchmark.

9.49.4 THBFIX.

"THBFIX" means the synthetic rate for deposits in Thai Baht derived from the swap offered points known as the Thai Baht Interest Rate Fixing provided by the Bank of Thailand as the administrator of the benchmark (or a successor administrator).

9.49.5 Fallback Rate (THBFIX).

"Fallback Rate (THBFIX)" means the rate based on actual transactions in the U.S. Dollar/Thai Baht foreign exchange swap market and a U.S. Dollar interest rate calculated by reference to Fallback Rate (SOFR) including any fallback rate to Fallback Rate (SOFR) that may apply pursuant to the Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for U.S. Dollar LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by the Bank of Thailand (or a successor provider), as the provider of Fallback Rate (THBFIX), on the Fallback Rate (THBFIX) Screen (or by other means) or provided to, and published by, authorized distributors.

9.49.6 Fallback Rate (THBFIX) Screen.

"Fallback Rate (THBFIX) Screen" means the Refinitiv Screen corresponding to the Refinitiv ticker for the fallback for THBFIX for a period of the Designated Maturity accessed via the Refinitiv Screen <FBKTHBFIX> (or, if applicable, accessed via the relevant Refinitiv Screen for 'price history') or any other published source designated by the Bank of Thailand (or a successor provider).

9.49.7 Original THBFIX Rate Record Day.

"Original THBFIX Rate Record Day" means, when used in connection with THB-THBFIX, the 'Original THBFIX Rate Record Day' as that term is used on the relevant Refinitiv Screen.

9.49.8 Bank of Thailand THBFIX Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

"Bank of Thailand THBFIX Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book" means the THBFIX Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book published by the Bank of Thailand as updated from time to time.

9.50 THB-THOR and THB-THOR-OIS Compound.

9.50.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for THOR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for THOR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.50.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to THOR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to THOR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to THOR will be the BOT Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to BOT Recommended Rate. If there is a BOT Recommended Rate before the end of the first Bangkok Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to THOR but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the BOT Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the BOT Recommended Rate is required, references to the BOT Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published BOT Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published BOT Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the BOT Recommended Rate is required, references to the BOT Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published THOR.
- (iii) No BOT Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to BOT Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no BOT Recommended Rate before the end of the first Bangkok Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to THOR; or

(b) there is a BOT Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to THOR or the BOT Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.51 General Definitions Relating to THB (Thai Baht) Floating Rate Options.

9.51.1 **THOR.**

"THOR" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the Thai Overnight Repurchase Rate administered by the Bank of Thailand (or a successor administrator), in respect of that day.

9.51.2 BOT Recommended Rate.

"BOT Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for Fallback Rate (THBFIX) (in the case of THB-THBFIX) or THOR (in the case of THB-THOR and THB-THOR-OIS Compound) by the Bank of Thailand or by a committee officially endorsed or convened by the Bank of Thailand (which rate may be produced by the Bank of Thailand or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.52 USD-AMERIBOR Term and USD-AMERIBOR Term Structure.

9.52.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for AMERIBOR Term and AMERIBOR Term Structure.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for AMERIBOR Term and AMERIBOR Term Structure" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.52.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to AMERIBOR Term or AMERIBOR Term Structure. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to AMERIBOR Term or AMERIBOR Term Structure (as applicable) occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AMERIBOR Term or AMERIBOR Term Structure (as applicable) will be the AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate. If there is an AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate before the end of the first New York Fed Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AMERIBOR Term or before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AMERIBOR Term Structure (as applicable) but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate is required, references to the AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate for a period of the

Designated Maturity. However, if there is no last provided or published AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then in respect of any day for which the AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate is required, references to the AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published AMERIBOR Term or AMERIBOR Term Structure (as applicable) for a period of the Designated Maturity.

- (iii) No AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate before the end of the first New York Fed Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AMERIBOR Term or before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AMERIBOR Term Structure (as applicable); or
 - (b) there is an AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to AMERIBOR Term, AMERIBOR Term Structure or the AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.52.2 AMERIBOR Term.

"AMERIBOR Term" means the U.S. Dollar wholesale funding rate known as 'AMERIBOR Term' (the forward-looking term American Interbank Offered Rate) administered by the American Financial Exchange (or any successor administrator).

9.52.3 AMERIBOR Term Structure.

"AMERIBOR Term Structure" means the rate known as 'AMERIBOR Term Structure of Interest Rates' administered by the American Financial Exchange (or any successor administrator).

9.52.4 AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate.

"AMERIBOR Term/AMERIBOR Term Structure Recommended Rate" means the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for AMERIBOR Term or AMERIBOR Term Structure (as applicable) by the Administrator of AMERIBOR Term or AMERIBOR Term Structure (as applicable) (which rate may be produced by the Administrator of AMERIBOR Term or AMERIBOR Term Structure (as applicable) or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor.

9.53 **USD-BSBY.**

9.53.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for BSBY.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for BSBY" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.53.1.

(i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to BSBY. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to BSBY

occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to BSBY will be the BSBY Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity.

- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to BSBY Recommended Rate. If there is a BSBY Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to BSBY but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the BSBY Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the BSBY Recommended Rate is required, references to the BSBY Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published BSBY Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity. However, if there is no last provided or published BSBY Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then in respect of any day for which the BSBY Recommended Rate is required, references to the BSBY Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published BSBY for a period of the Designated Maturity.
- (iii) No BSBY Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date of Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to BSBY Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no BSBY Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to BSBY; or
 - (b) there is a BSBY Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to BSBY or the BSBY Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.53.2 **BSBY.**

"BSBY" means the U.S. Dollar wholesale funding rate known as the Bloomberg Short-Term Bank Yield Index (also known as 'BSBY') administered by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or any successor administrator).

9.53.3 BSBY Recommended Rate.

"BSBY Recommended Rate" means the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for BSBY by the Administrator of BSBY (which rate may be produced by the Administrator of BSBY or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor.

9.54 USD-CMT and USD-CMT Average 1W.

9.54.1 Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for CMT.

"Temporary Non-Publication Fallback for CMT" means that the rate for the Reset Date will be determined by the Calculation Agent and will be a yield-to-maturity calculated as the Arithmetic Mean – Eliminating Outliers (Modified 2) of the secondary market bid prices as of 15:30, New York City time, on the day that is two U.S. Government Securities Business Days preceding that Reset Date, of three leading primary U.S. government securities dealers in New York City selected by the

Calculation Agent (from five such dealers) for United States Treasury securities with an original maturity equal to the Designated Maturity, a remaining term to maturity no more than one year shorter than the Designated Maturity and in a Representative Amount.

If fewer than three prices are provided as requested, the rate for that Reset Date will be calculated by the Calculation Agent and will be a yield-to-maturity calculated as the Arithmetic Mean – Eliminating Outliers (Modified 2) of the secondary market bid prices as of 15:30, New York City time, on the day that is two U.S. Government Securities Business Days preceding that Reset Date, of three leading primary United States government securities dealers in New York City selected by the Calculation Agent (from five such dealers) for United States Treasury securities with an original maturity longer than the Designated Maturity, a remaining term to maturity closest to the Designated Maturity and in a Representative Amount. If two United States Treasury securities with an original maturity greater than the Designated Maturity have remaining terms to maturity equally close to the Designated Maturity, the quotes for the Treasury security with the shorter original term to maturity will be used. If fewer than three prices are provided as requested, the rate for the Reset Date will be calculated using Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.55 **USD-CRITR.**

9.55.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for CRITR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for CRITR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.55.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to the Credit Inclusive Term Rate. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to the Credit Inclusive Term Rate occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the Credit Inclusive Term Rate will be the CRITR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to CRITR Recommended Rate. If there is a CRITR Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the Credit Inclusive Term Rate but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the CRITR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the CRITR Recommended Rate is required, references to the CRITR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published CRITR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity. However, if there is no last provided or published CRITR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then in respect of any day for which the CRITR Recommended Rate is required, references to the CRITR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published Credit Inclusive Term Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity.
- (iii) No CRITR Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to CRITR Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no CRITR Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the Credit Inclusive Term Rate; or
 - (b) there is a CRITR Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the Credit Inclusive Term Rate or the CRITR Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.55.2 Credit Inclusive Term Rate.

"Credit Inclusive Term Rate" means the U.S. Dollar rate measuring the credit cost of funding in institutional markets known as the Credit Inclusive Term Rate (also known as 'CRITR') administered by IHS Markit Benchmark Administration Ltd. (or any successor administrator).

9.55.3 CRITR Recommended Rate.

"CRITR Recommended Rate" means the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for the Credit Inclusive Term Rate by the Administrator of the Credit Inclusive Term Rate (which rate may be produced by the Administrator of the Credit Inclusive Term Rate or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor.

9.56 USD-LIBOR.

9.56.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for U.S. Dollar LIBOR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for U.S. Dollar LIBOR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.56.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to U.S. Dollar LIBOR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to U.S. Dollar LIBOR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to U.S. Dollar LIBOR will be determined as if references to USD-LIBOR were references to Fallback Rate (SOFR) for the Original IBOR Rate Record Day that corresponds to the Fixing Day, as most recently provided or published as at 10:30, New York City time on the related Fallback Observation Day. If neither Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time) provides, nor authorized distributors publish, Fallback Rate (SOFR) for that Original IBOR Rate Record Day at, or prior to, 10:30, New York City time on the related Fallback Observation Day and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR) has not occurred, then the rate for the Reset Date will be Fallback Rate (SOFR) as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original IBOR Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the Fixing Day.
- (ii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR). If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR) occurs, the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR) will be SOFR, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (SOFR) after making such adjustments to SOFR as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of SOFR by comparison to Fallback Rate (SOFR) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

- (iii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to SOFR**. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish SOFR, then, subject to paragraph (iv) below, in respect of any day for which SOFR is required, references to SOFR will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SOFR.
- (iv) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SOFR. If an Applicable Fallback Effective Date occurs with respect to each of Fallback Rate (SOFR) and SOFR, then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR) will be the Fed Recommended Rate, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (SOFR) after making such adjustments to the Fed Recommended Rate as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of the Fed Recommended Rate by comparison to Fallback Rate (SOFR) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.
- (v) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to Fed Recommended Rate. If there is a Fed Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR) (or, if later, the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR) but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the Fed Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (vi) below, in respect of any day for which the Fed Recommended Rate is required, references to the Fed Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published Fed Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published Fed Recommended Rate is required, references to the Fed Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SOFR.
- (vi) No Fed Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fed Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no Fed Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR) (or, if later, the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR); or
 - (b) there is a Fed Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR) (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR) or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the Fed Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be OBFR, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (SOFR) after making such adjustments to OBFR as are

necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of OBFR by comparison to Fallback Rate (SOFR) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

- (vii) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to OBFR**. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish OBFR, then, subject to paragraph (viii) below, in respect of any day for which OBFR is required, references to OBFR will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published OBFR.
- (viii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to OBFR. If (a) there is no Fed Recommended Rate, or there is a Fed Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it, and (b) an Applicable Fallback Effective Date also occurs with respect to OBFR, then the rate for a Reset Date which relates to a Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) in respect of which the Fallback Observation Day occurs on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to OBFR (or, if later, the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the Fed Recommended Rate, SOFR or Fallback Rate (SOFR), as applicable) will be the FOMC Target Rate, to which the Calculation Agent shall apply the most recently published spread, as at the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to Fallback Rate (SOFR), referred to in the definition of Fallback Rate (SOFR) after making such adjustments to the FOMC Target Rate as are necessary to account for any difference in term structure or tenor of the FOMC Target Rate by comparison to Fallback Rate (SOFR) and by reference to the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.
- (ix) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to FOMC Target Rate**. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the FOMC Target Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the FOMC Target Rate has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which the FOMC Target Rate is required, references to the FOMC Target Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published FOMC Target Rate.

9.56.2 U.S. Dollar LIBOR.

"U.S. Dollar LIBOR" means the U.S. Dollar wholesale funding rate known as U.S. Dollar LIBOR (London Interbank Offered Rate) administered by ICE Benchmark Administration Limited (or a successor administrator).

9.56.3 Fallback Rate (SOFR).

"Fallback Rate (SOFR)" means the term adjusted SOFR plus the spread relating to U.S. Dollar LIBOR, in each case, for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time), as the provider of term adjusted SOFR and the spread, on the Fallback Rate (SOFR) Screen (or by other means) or provided to, and published by, authorized distributors.

9.56.4 Fallback Rate (SOFR) Screen.

"Fallback Rate (SOFR) Screen" means the Bloomberg Screen corresponding to the Bloomberg ticker for the fallback for U.S. Dollar LIBOR for a period of the Designated Maturity accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <FBAK> <GO> Page (or, if applicable, accessed via the Bloomberg Screen <HP> <GO>) or any other published source designated by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time).

9.57 USD-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate-11:00 and USD-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate-15:00.

9.57.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for USD LIBOR ICE Swap Rate.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for USD LIBOR ICE Swap Rate" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.57.1.

- (i) USD LIBOR Applicable Index Cessation Effective Date. If a USD LIBOR Index Cessation Event with respect to an Applicable USD Tenor occurs, then, if the day that is two New York City and London Business Days following the Fixing Day falls on or after the day that is two London Business Days following the USD LIBOR Applicable Index Cessation Effective Date, the rate for that Fixing Day will be:
 - (a) the Published USD ISR Fallback Rate with a maturity of the Designated Maturity, expressed as a percentage,
 - (I) in respect of USD-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate-11:00, provided as of 11:00, New York City time, on that Fixing Day; and
 - (II) in respect of USD-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate-15:00, provided as of 15:00, New York City time, on that Fixing Day, or, if there is no Published USD ISR Fallback Rate provided at such time, the Published USD ISR Fallback Rate provided as of 11:00, New York City time, on that Fixing Day; or
 - (b) if there is no Published USD ISR Fallback Rate provided in accordance with paragraph (a) above, the Calculated USD ISR Fallback Rate (as calculated by the Calculation Agent) with a maturity of the Designated Maturity, expressed as a percentage, provided, in respect of USD-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate-11:00, as of 11:00, New York City time, on that Fixing Day, or, in respect of USD-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate-15:00, as of 15:00, New York City time, on that Fixing Day,

where:

"Applicable USD Tenor" means, in respect of U.S. Dollar LIBOR, three months or any tenor of U.S. Dollar LIBOR which is referenced in fixed-for-floating U.S. Dollar swap transactions on which the Underlying Benchmark for USD-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate-11:00 or USD-LIBOR ICE Swap Rate-15:00 (as applicable) with a maturity of the Designated Maturity is based;

"Calculated USD ISR Fallback Rate" means the rate calculated as follows, and the resulting percentage will be rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set out in Section 4.8.1 (Rounding of Percentages):

$$y^{L} = \frac{365.25}{360} \left[2 \times \left(\sqrt{1 + y^{OIS}} - 1 \right) + \left(s^{3M} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \left(\sqrt[4]{1 + y^{OIS}} + 1 \right) \right) \right]$$

where:

"y^L" is the Calculated USD ISR Fallback Rate with a maturity of the Designated Maturity;

"y^{OIS}" is the USD SOFR ICE Swap Rate in respect of the Reset Date with a maturity of the Designated Maturity; and

" s^{3M} " is 0.26161%:

"USD LIBOR Applicable Index Cessation Effective Date" means, in respect of a USD LIBOR Index Cessation Event for the Applicable USD Tenor, the first date on which U.S. Dollar LIBOR for that Applicable USD Tenor would ordinarily have been provided and is either (A) Non-Representative by reference to the most recent statement or publication contemplated in paragraph (a) of the definition of USD LIBOR Index Cessation Event or paragraph (i)(d) of Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event) and even if U.S. Dollar LIBOR continues to be provided on such date or (B) no longer provided;

"USD LIBOR Index Cessation Event" means, in respect of U.S. Dollar LIBOR for the Applicable USD Tenor:

- (a) the statement by the Financial Conduct Authority on 5 March 2021 that U.S. Dollar LIBOR for the Applicable USD Tenor will be Non-Representative after 30 June 2023; or
- (b) the occurrence of an Index Cessation Event where the Applicable Benchmark is U.S. Dollar LIBOR for the Applicable USD Tenor provided that for the purpose of determining if the Applicable Benchmark is "Non-Representative", U.S. Dollar LIBOR for the Applicable USD Tenor will be "Non-Representative" by reference to the date included in the most recent statement or publication contemplated in paragraph (a) of this definition of USD LIBOR Index Cessation Event or paragraph (i)(d) of Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event);

"USD SOFR ICE Swap Rate" means the swap rate for a fixed-for-floating U.S. Dollar swap transaction where the floating leg references the Secured Overnight Financing Rate administered by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York (or any successor administrator) (SOFR), as administered by ICE Benchmark Administration Limited (or a successor administrator); and

"Published USD ISR Fallback Rate" means the rate calculated in accordance with the formula set forth in the definition of Calculated USD ISR Fallback Rate, as provided by the Administrator of that rate.

(ii) No USD SOFR ICE Swap Rate. If the USD SOFR ICE Swap Rate in respect of the Reset Date is not published by the Administrator of the USD SOFR ICE Swap Rate or an authorized distributor and is not otherwise provided by the Administrator of the USD SOFR ICE Swap Rate by either (A) the Reset Date or (B) such other date on which the USD SOFR ICE Swap Rate is required, then, in respect of any day for which that rate is required, references to that rate will be references to the rate determined by the Calculation Agent.

9.58 USD-SOFR and USD-SOFR-OIS Compound.

9.58.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SOFR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SOFR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.58.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SOFR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to SOFR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR will be the Fed Recommended Rate.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to Fed Recommended Rate. If there is a Fed Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day

following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the Fed Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the Fed Recommended Rate is required, references to the Fed Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published Fed Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published Fed Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the Fed Recommended Rate is required, references to the Fed Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SOFR.

- (iii) No Fed Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fed Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no Fed Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR; or
 - (b) there is a Fed Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the Fed Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be OBFR and references to a U.S. Government Securities Business Day for the purposes of any Fixing Day and any Applicable Business Day shall be read as references to a New York Fed Business Day.

- (iv) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to OBFR**. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish OBFR, then, subject to paragraph (v) below, in respect of any day for which OBFR is required, references to OBFR will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published OBFR.
- (v) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to OBFR. If:
 - (a) there is no Fed Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR, or there is a Fed Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it; and
 - (b) an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to OBFR also occurs,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to OBFR (or, if the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the Fed Recommended Rate (as applicable) is later, a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR or the Fed Recommended Rate, as applicable) will be the FOMC Target Rate and references to a U.S. Government Securities Business Day for the purposes of any Fixing Day and any Applicable Business Day shall be read as references to a New York City Business Day.

(vi) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to FOMC Target Rate. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the FOMC Target Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the FOMC Target Rate has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which the FOMC Target Rate is required, references to the FOMC Target Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published FOMC Target Rate.

- 9.59 USD-SOFR Average 30D, USD-SOFR Average 90D and USD-SOFR Average 180D.
 - 9.59.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SOFR Averages.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SOFR Averages" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.59.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to a SOFR Average. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to a SOFR Average occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to that SOFR Average will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the benchmark methodology for that SOFR Average published by the Administrator and SOFR as provided by the Administrator of SOFR for each day in respect of which SOFR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to SOFR. Subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which SOFR is required by the Calculation Agent, if on the U.S. Government Securities Business Day immediately following such day, neither the Administrator of SOFR nor an authorized distributor of SOFR has provided or published SOFR in respect of that day, SOFR for the purpose of the SOFR Average benchmark methodology will be the last provided or published SOFR.
- (iii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SOFR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to SOFR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the SOFR Average benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to SOFR for each day in respect of which SOFR is required occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR were references to the Fed Recommended Rate in respect of the same day for which a rate for SOFR was required.
- (iv) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to Fed Recommended Rate. If there is a Fed Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the Fed Recommended Rate, then, subject to paragraph (v) below, in respect of any day for which the Fed Recommended Rate is required, references to the Fed Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published Fed Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published Fed Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the Fed Recommended Rate is required, references to the Fed Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SOFR.
- (v) No Fed Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fed Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no Fed Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR; or

(b) there is a Fed Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR or the Fed Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the SOFR Average benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to SOFR for each day in respect of which SOFR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to OBFR.

- (vi) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to OBFR. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish OBFR, then, subject to paragraph (vii) below, in respect of any day for which OBFR is required, references to OBFR will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published OBFR.
- (vii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to OBFR. If:
 - (a) there is no Fed Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR, or there is a Fed Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it; and
 - (b) an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to OBFR also occurs,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to OBFR (or, if the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the Fed Recommended Rate (as applicable) is later, a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR or the Fed Recommended Rate, as applicable) will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the SOFR Average benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to SOFR for each day in respect of which SOFR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to the prevailing FOMC Target Rate.

(viii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to FOMC Target Rate. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the FOMC Target Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the FOMC Target Rate has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which the FOMC Target Rate is required, references to the FOMC Target Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published FOMC Target Rate.

9.59.2 **SOFR 30D Average.**

"SOFR 30D Average" means the 30-day compounded average of SOFR administered by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York (or a successor administrator).

9.59.3 **SOFR 90D Average.**

"SOFR 90D Average" means the 90-day compounded average of SOFR administered by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York (or a successor administrator).

9.59.4 **SOFR 180D Average.**

"SOFR 180D Average" means the 180-day compounded average of SOFR administered by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York (or a successor administrator).

9.59.5 SOFR Average.

"SOFR Average" means the SOFR 30D Average, the SOFR 90D Average or the SOFR 180D Average, as applicable.

9.60 USD-SOFR CME Term.

9.60.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for CME Term SOFR.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for CME Term SOFR" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.60.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to CME Term SOFR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to CME Term SOFR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CME Term SOFR will be the CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate. If there is a CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CME Term SOFR but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then, subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which the CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate is required, references to the CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then in respect of any day for which the CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity, then in respect of any day for which the CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate for a period of the Designated Maturity will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published CME Term SOFR for a period of the Designated Maturity.
- (iii) No CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CME Term SOFR; or
 - (b) there is a CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to CME Term SOFR or the CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined in accordance with Calculation Agent Alternative Rate Determination.

9.60.2 CME Term SOFR.

"CME Term SOFR" means the forward-looking term Secured Overnight Financing Rate (SOFR) administered by CME Group Benchmark Administration Limited (or any successor administrator).

9.60.3 CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate.

"CME Term SOFR Recommended Rate" means the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for CME Term SOFR by the Administrator of CME Term SOFR or, if the Administrator of CME Term SOFR does not make a recommendation, a committee officially endorsed or convened by the Federal Reserve Board or the Federal Reserve Bank of New York or the supervisor for the Administrator of CME Term SOFR for the purpose of recommending a replacement for CME Term SOFR (which rate may be produced by the Administrator of CME Term SOFR or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor.

9.61 USD-SOFR Compounded Index.

9.61.1 Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SOFR Compounded Index.

"Permanent Cessation Fallbacks for SOFR Compounded Index" means the provisions set out in this Section 9.61.1.

- (i) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SOFR Compounded Index. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to the SOFR Compounded Index occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the SOFR Compounded Index will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the SOFR Compounded Index, the SOFR Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator and SOFR as provided by the Administrator of SOFR for each day in respect of which SOFR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination.
- (ii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to SOFR. Subject to paragraph (iii) below, in respect of any day for which SOFR is required by the Calculation Agent, if on the U.S. Government Securities Business Day immediately following such day, neither the Administrator of SOFR nor an authorized distributor of SOFR has provided or published SOFR in respect of that day, SOFR for the purpose of the SOFR Compounded Index benchmark methodology will be the last provided or published SOFR.
- (iii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to SOFR. If an Index Cessation Event or Administrator/Benchmark Event with respect to SOFR occurs, the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the SOFR Compounded Index and the SOFR Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to SOFR for each day in respect of which SOFR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to the Fed Recommended Rate in respect of the same day for which a rate for SOFR was required.
- (iv) **Temporary Non-Publication with respect to Fed Recommended Rate**. If there is a Fed Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR but neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the Fed Recommended Rate, then,

subject to paragraph (v) below, in respect of any day for which the Fed Recommended Rate is required, references to the Fed Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published Fed Recommended Rate. However, if there is no last provided or published Fed Recommended Rate, then in respect of any day for which the Fed Recommended Rate is required, references to the Fed Recommended Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published SOFR.

- (v) No Fed Recommended Rate or Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to Fed Recommended Rate. If:
 - (a) there is no Fed Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR; or
 - (b) there is a Fed Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR or the Fed Recommended Rate (as applicable) will be determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the SOFR Compounded Index and the SOFR Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to SOFR for each day in respect of which SOFR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to OBFR in respect of the same day for which a rate for SOFR was required and references to a U.S. Government Securities Business Day for the purposes of any Fixing Day and any Applicable Business Day shall be read as references to a New York Fed Business Day.

- (vi) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to OBFR. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish OBFR, then, subject to paragraph (vii) below, in respect of any day for which OBFR is required, references to OBFR will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published OBFR.
- (vii) Index Cessation Effective Date or Administrator/Benchmark Event Date with respect to OBFR. If:
 - (a) there is no Fed Recommended Rate before the end of the first U.S. Government Securities Business Day following the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR, or there is a Fed Recommended Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date subsequently occurs with respect to it; and
 - (b) an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to OBFR also occurs,

then the rate for a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to OBFR (or, if the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the Fed Recommended Rate (as applicable) is later, a Fixing Day occurring on or after the Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to SOFR or the Fed Recommended Rate, as applicable) will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent by reference to the last published level of the SOFR Compounded Index and the SOFR Compounded Index benchmark methodology published by the Administrator as if references in that methodology to SOFR for each day in respect of which SOFR is required by the Calculation Agent for that determination were references to the prevailing FOMC Target Rate and references to a U.S. Government Securities Business Day for the purposes of any

Fixing Day and any Applicable Business Day shall be read as references to a New York City Business Day.

(viii) Temporary Non-Publication with respect to FOMC Target Rate. If neither the Administrator nor authorized distributors provide or publish the FOMC Target Rate and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date with respect to the FOMC Target Rate has not occurred, then in respect of any day for which the FOMC Target Rate is required, references to the FOMC Target Rate will be deemed to be references to the last provided or published FOMC Target Rate.

9.61.2 SOFR Compounded Index.

"SOFR Compounded Index" means the level of the index measuring the change in the returns from a rolling unit of investment earning compound interest each day at SOFR, administered by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York (or a successor administrator).

9.62 Additional Provision for the Purposes of the Definitions of Index Cessation Event, Index Cessation Effective Date, Administrator/Benchmark Event and Administrator/Benchmark Event Date in relation to SOFR as an Applicable Benchmark.

For the purposes of Section 9.59 (USD-SOFR Average 30D, USD-SOFR Average 90D and USD-SOFR Average 180D) and Section 9.61 (USD-SOFR Compounded Index) and the definitions of Index Cessation Event in Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event), Index Cessation Effective Date in Section 8.2.4 (Index Cessation Effective Date), Administrator/Benchmark Event in Section 8.3.2 (Administrator/Benchmark Event) and Administrator/Benchmark Event Date in Section 8.3.3 (Administrator/Benchmark Event Date), SOFR (for the purpose of the SOFR Average and the SOFR Compounded Index, as applicable) shall be deemed to be an Applicable Benchmark.

9.63 General Definitions Relating to USD (U.S. Dollar) Floating Rate Options.

9.63.1 Fed Recommended Rate.

"Fed Recommended Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the rate (inclusive of any spreads or adjustments) recommended as the replacement for SOFR by the Federal Reserve Board or the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, or by a committee officially endorsed or convened by the Federal Reserve Board or the Federal Reserve Bank of New York for the purpose of recommending a replacement for SOFR (which rate may be produced by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York or another administrator) and as provided by the Administrator of that rate or, if that rate is not provided by the Administrator thereof, published by an authorized distributor, in respect of that day.

9.63.2 Federal Reserve Board.

"Federal Reserve Board" means the Board of Governors of the U.S. Federal Reserve System.

9.63.3 **OBFR.**

"OBFR" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the Overnight Bank Funding Rate administered by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York (or a successor administrator), in respect of that day.

9.63.4 FOMC Target Rate.

"FOMC Target Rate" means, in respect of any relevant day (including any day "i"), the short-term interest rate target set by the Federal Open Market Committee or, if the Federal Open Market

Committee does not target a single rate, the mid-point of the short-term interest rate target range set by the Federal Open Market Committee (calculated as the arithmetic average of the upper bound of the target range and the lower bound of the target range, rounded, if necessary, in accordance with the method set forth in Section 4.8.2 (*Rounding of Amounts*)), in respect of that day.

9.64 General Definitions Relevant to the Fallbacks for Various Interbank Offered Rates.

9.64.1 Fallback Observation Day.

"Fallback Observation Day" means, in respect of a Reset Date and the Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period) to which that Reset Date relates, unless otherwise agreed, the day that is two Business Days preceding the related Payment Date, such Business Days being those Business Days applicable for the purposes of the payment obligation which is calculated by reference to the relevant Floating Rate Option.

9.64.2 Original IBOR Rate Record Day.

"Original IBOR Rate Record Day" means, when used in connection with a Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option, the 'Original IBOR Rate Record Day' as that term is used on the relevant Bloomberg Screen.

9.64.3 Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book.

"Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book" means the IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book published by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time) as updated from time to time in accordance with its terms.

9.64.4 LIBOR Floating Rate Option.

"LIBOR Floating Rate Option" means a Floating Rate Option for which the Underlying Benchmark is Sterling LIBOR, Swiss Franc LIBOR, U.S. Dollar LIBOR, Euro LIBOR or Yen LIBOR.

9.64.5 Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option.

"Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option" means each of AUD-BBSW, CHF-LIBOR, CAD-CDOR, EUR-EURIBOR, EUR-LIBOR, GBP-LIBOR, HKD-HIBOR, JPY-LIBOR, JPY-TIBOR, JPY-Euroyen TIBOR and USD-LIBOR, as specified in the Floating Rate Matrix.

9.64.6 Bloomberg Screen.

"Bloomberg Screen" means, when used in connection with any designated page and any Floating Rate Option, the display page so designated on the Bloomberg service, or any Successor Source.

9.64.7 Refinitiv Screen.

"Refinitiv Screen" means, when used in connection with any designated page and/or any Floating Rate Option, the display page so designated on the Refinitiv service, or any Successor Source.

9.65 Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation.

9.65.1 Specified IBOR Floating Rate Options – Linear Interpolation following Permanent Discontinuation of a Relevant Tenor.

In respect of any Calculation Period to which "Linear Interpolation" applies, if the Relevant Rate for the Reset Date in respect of that Calculation Period, or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period, is to be determined by reference to a Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option, then:

- (i) subject to paragraph (ii) below, Section 6.10 (*Interpolation*) shall apply, provided that if one or more alternative Designated Maturities by reference to which the Relevant Rate is to be determined have been agreed by the parties pursuant to Section 6.10 (*Interpolation*) and the Underlying Benchmark for that Floating Rate Option with any such Designated Maturity has been permanently discontinued (or, in respect of a LIBOR Floating Rate Option, is Non-Representative), then Section 6.11 (*Discontinued Rates Maturities*) shall apply (except that Section 6.11.2 (*Discontinued Rates Maturities Index Cessation Event*) shall not apply);
- (ii) if:
 - (a) a tenor of the Underlying Benchmark for the Floating Rate Option that is to be used to determine a rate for a Reset Date has been permanently discontinued (or, in respect of a LIBOR Floating Rate Option, is Non-Representative); and
 - (b) in respect of that Reset Date, neither Section 6.10 (*Interpolation*) nor Section 6.11 (*Discontinued Rates Maturities*) applies because there is either no Shorter Designated Maturity available or no Longer Designated Maturity available,

then, notwithstanding the terms of the relevant Floating Rate Option and Section 6.6.1 (*Determinations using the Floating Rate Matrix*), the Relevant Rate for the Reset Date in respect of that Calculation Period, or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period, shall be determined in accordance with the following formula:

Adjusted RFR + Interpolated Spread

where:

"Adjusted RFR" is determined in accordance with the following formula:

$$\frac{\text{Day Count}_{\text{IBOR}}}{\text{Day Count}_{\text{RFR}}} \times \frac{\text{Day Count}_{\text{RFR}}}{\text{d}} \times \left[\prod_{i=1}^{d_0} \left(1 + \frac{\text{RFR}_i \times n_i}{\text{Day Count}_{\text{RFR}}} \right) - 1 \right];$$

"do" is the number of Reference Rate Business Days in the relevant Observation Period;

"Observation Period" is, for any Calculation Period or Compounding Period, the period from, and including, the Observation Period Start Date to, but excluding, the Observation Period End Date;

"Observation Period Start Date" is the date that is two Applicable Reference Rate Business Days preceding the first day of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period;

"Observation Period End Date" is the date that is two Applicable Reference Rate Business Days preceding the Period End Date or Compounding Date at the end of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period, except that for the final Calculation Period or Compounding Period, the Observation Period End Date shall be the date that is two Applicable Reference Rate Business Days preceding the Termination Date;

"i" is a series of whole numbers from one to d₀, each representing the relevant Reference Rate Business Day in chronological order from, and including, the first Applicable Reference Rate Business Day in the relevant Observation Period;

"RFR_i", for any day "i" in the Observation Period, is a rate equal to the level of the relevant RFR, in each case, in respect of that day as provided by the administrator thereof;

"RFR" is:

- (a) if the Floating Rate Option is GBP-LIBOR, SONIA;
- (b) if the Floating Rate Option is CHF-LIBOR, SARON;
- (c) if the Floating Rate Option is USD-LIBOR, SOFR;
- (d) if the Floating Rate Option is EUR-EURIBOR or EUR-LIBOR, EuroSTR;
- (e) if the Floating Rate Option is JPY-LIBOR, JPY-TIBOR or JPY-Euroyen TIBOR, TONA;
- (f) if the Floating Rate Option is AUD-BBSW, AONIA;
- (g) if the Floating Rate Option is CAD-CDOR, CORRA; or
- (h) if the Floating Rate Option is HKD-HIBOR, HONIA;
- "n_i" is the number of calendar days from, and including, the day "i" to, but excluding, the next Reference Rate Business Day;
- "Day Count_{RFR}" is the day count basis with respect to RFR_i (as shown in Table 4 (*Reference Rate Information*) in Appendix A (*Rate Adjustment Information*) of the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book);
- "Day Count_{IBOR}" is the day count basis for the relevant Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option (as shown in respect of the relevant "IBOR" in Table 2 (*IBOR Information*) in Appendix A (*Rate Adjustment Information*) of the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book);
- "d" is the number of calendar days in the relevant Observation Period;
- "Applicable Reference Rate Business Day" is a day which is both a Reference Rate Business Day and a Business Day applicable for the purposes of the payment obligation which is calculated by reference to the relevant Floating Rate Option;
- "Reference Rate Business Day" has the meaning given to it in the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book;
- "Spread Adjustment" has the meaning given to it in the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book;
- "Spread Adjustment Fixing Date" has the meaning given to it in the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book;
- "Interpolated Spread" is, in respect of the relevant Floating Rate Option and the Underlying Benchmark:
- (a) if Spread Adjustment Fixing Dates have, on or prior to the Observation Period End Date, occurred for Tenors which are both shorter and longer than the length of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period, a rate determined by the Calculation Agent through the use of straight-line interpolation by reference to two Spread Adjustments, in each case as published by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time) on the Relevant Spread Screen, one corresponding to the Tenor next shorter than the length of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period and the other corresponding

- to the Tenor next longer than the length of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period;
- (b) if a Spread Adjustment Fixing Date has occurred only for either a Tenor shorter than the length of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period or for a Tenor longer than the length of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period, a rate equal to the Spread Adjustment published by Bloomberg Index Services Limited (or a successor provider as approved and/or appointed by ISDA from time to time) on the Relevant Spread Screen corresponding to the Tenor next shorter or next longer than the length of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period for which a Spread Adjustment Fixing Date has occurred, as the case may be;

"**Tenor**" has the meaning given to it in the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book; and

"Relevant Spread Screen" is:

- (a) if the Floating Rate Option is GBP-LIBOR, the Fallback Rate (SONIA) Screen;
- (b) if the Floating Rate Option is CHF-LIBOR, the Fallback Rate (SARON) Screen;
- (c) if the Floating Rate Option is USD-LIBOR, the Fallback Rate (SOFR) Screen;
- (d) if the Floating Rate Option is EUR-EURIBOR or EUR-LIBOR, the Fallback Rate (EuroSTR) Screen;
- (e) if the Floating Rate Option is JPY-LIBOR, JPY-TIBOR or JPY-Euroyen TIBOR, the Fallback Rate (TONA) Screen;
- (f) if the Floating Rate Option is AUD-BBSW, the Fallback Rate (AONIA) Screen;
- (g) if the Floating Rate Option is CAD-CDOR, the Fallback Rate (CORRA) Screen; or
- (h) if the Floating Rate Option is HKD-HIBOR, the Fallback Rate (HONIA) Screen; and
- (iii) if the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book is updated such that defined terms used in paragraph (ii) above are no longer defined in the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book or if the Bloomberg IBOR Fallback Rate Adjustments Rule Book is replaced, then, for the purposes of applying the formula set out in paragraph (ii) above, the Calculation Agent shall make such adjustments as are necessary to account for such differences or replacement.

9.65.2 Inconsistencies between this Section 9.65 and Provisions Relating to Specified IBOR Floating Rate Options.

In the event of any inconsistency between the provisions of this Section 9.65 and the provisions relating to a Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option (including, for the avoidance of doubt, where the provisions of a Floating Rate Option provide for a fallback if a rate is permanently unavailable or, in respect of a LIBOR Floating Rate Option, Non-Representative), this Section 9.65 shall prevail for the purposes of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period (as applicable) to which this Section 9.65 relates.

9.66 SGD-SOR and THB-THBFIX Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation.

9.66.1 SGD-SOR or THB-THBFIX – Linear Interpolation following Permanent Discontinuation of a Relevant Tenor.

In respect of any Calculation Period to which "Linear Interpolation" is specified to be applicable, if the Relevant Rate for the Reset Date in respect of that Calculation Period, or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period, is to be determined by reference to SGD-SOR or THB-THBFIX, then, if, in respect of that Reset Date, Section 6.10 (*Interpolation*) does not apply because there is either no Shorter Designated Maturity or no Longer Designated Maturity, then, the Calculation Agent shall determine the rate for that Reset Date in respect of that Calculation Period, or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period, in accordance with the following formula:

$$\left\{ \left[\left(\frac{\text{Averaged}}{\text{Spot Rate}} + \frac{\text{Interpolated}}{\text{Forward Points}} \right) X \left(1 + \frac{\text{USD Rate X \# days}}{360} \right) \right] - 1 \right\} X \frac{365}{\# \text{ days}} X 100$$

where:

"Averaged Spot Rate" means, if the Relevant Rate is to be determined by reference to:

- (i) SGD-SOR, the average of the USD/SGD spot rate for the near leg of FX swaps that are next shorter than the length of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period and the USD/SGD spot rate for the near leg of FX swaps that are next longer than the length of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period, each as is published on Refinitiv Screen <ABSFIX01> under the heading "SGD Reference" as of 16:45, Singapore time, on the Fixing Day; or
- (ii) THB-THBFIX, the USD/THB spot rate published on Refinitiv Screen <THBFIX> as of 15:30, Bangkok time, on the Fixing Day;

"Interpolated Forward Points" is the straight-line interpolation of the USD/SGD or USD/THB (as applicable) FX forward points for the far leg of FX swaps that are next shorter than the length of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period and FX forward points for the far leg of FX swaps that are next longer than the length of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period, each as is published on Refinitiv Screen <ABSFIX01> under the heading "SGD Fwd Pts" as of 16:45, Singapore time, on the relevant Fixing Day for the purpose of SGD-SOR or on Refinitiv Screen <THBFIX> as of 17:00, Bangkok time, on the relevant Fixing Day for the purpose of THB-THBFIX (as applicable);

"USD Rate" means a rate that is determined:

- (i) through the use of straight-line interpolation by reference to two rates determined using U.S. Dollar LIBOR, one of which shall be determined as if the Designated Maturity were the period of time for which a rate for U.S. Dollar LIBOR has not been permanently discontinued and is not Non-Representative next shorter than the length of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period and the other of which shall be determined as if the Designated Maturity were the period of time for which a rate for U.S. Dollar LIBOR has not been permanently discontinued and is not Non-Representative next longer than the length of the Calculation Period or Compounding Period; or
- (ii) if no such shorter or longer U.S. Dollar LIBOR rate is available, pursuant to the formula in paragraph (ii) of Section 9.65.1 (*Specified IBOR Floating Rate Options Linear Interpolation*

following Permanent Discontinuation of a Relevant Tenor) for that Calculation Period (or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period), as if USD-LIBOR were the applicable Floating Rate Option and as if the:

- (a) "Observation Period Start Date" were the date that is two Observation Period Business Days preceding the first day of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period. If such date is not a U.S. Government Securities Business Day, then the Observation Period Start Date shall be the first date prior to such date that is a U.S. Government Securities Business Day; and
- (b) "Observation Period End Date" were the date that is two Observation Period Business Days preceding the Period End Date or Compounding Date at the end of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period, except that for the final Calculation Period or Compounding Period, the Observation Period End Date shall be the date that is two Observation Period Business Days preceding the Termination Date. In each case, if such date is not a U.S. Government Securities Business Day, then the Observation Period End Date shall be the first date prior to such date that is a U.S. Government Securities Business Day;

"Observation Period Business Day" is a day which is both (a) a Singapore Business Day (if the relevant Floating Rate Option is SGD-SOR) or a Bangkok Business Day (if the relevant Floating Rate Option is THB-THBFIX) and (b) a Business Day applicable for the purposes of the payment obligation which is calculated by reference to the relevant Floating Rate Option; and

"# days" means the number of calendar days in the Calculation Period or Compounding Period in respect of which the calculation is being made.

9.66.2 Inconsistencies between this Section 9.66 and Provisions Relating to SGD-SOR or THB-THBFIX.

In the event of any inconsistency between the provisions of this Section 9.66 and the provisions relating to SGD-SOR or THB-THBFIX, as applicable (including, for the avoidance of doubt, where the provisions relating to SGD-SOR or THB-THBFIX, as applicable, provide for a fallback if SOR or THBFIX is unavailable), this Section 9.66 shall prevail for the purposes of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period (as applicable).

9.67 SGD-SOR and THB-THBFIX Fallbacks – Short Calculation Periods.

9.67.1 Short Calculation Periods to which Linear Interpolation does not apply.

In respect of any Calculation Period to which "Linear Interpolation" is not specified to be applicable and which is shorter than the length of the Designated Maturity, if the Relevant Rate for the Reset Date in respect of that Calculation Period, or any Compounding Period included in that Calculation Period, is to be determined by reference to Fallback Rate (SOR) pursuant to SGD-SOR or Fallback Rate (THBFIX) pursuant to THB-THBFIX, then the Calculation Agent shall determine whether to apply Fallback Rate (SOR) or Fallback Rate (THBFIX), as applicable, in accordance with the provisions of that Floating Rate Option or Modified Fallback Rate (SOR) or Modified Fallback Rate (THBFIX), as applicable.

For the purposes of this Section 9.67:

"Modified Fallback Rate (SOR)" will be determined by applying the FX Data to Fallback Rate (SOFR) (as defined in Section 9.56.3 (Fallback Rate (SOFR))) for a period of the Designated Maturity

for the Original IBOR Rate Record Day that corresponds to the relevant Fixing Day for the purpose of SGD-SOR, as most recently provided or published as at the SOR Cut-off Time or, if Fallback Rate (SOFR) for that Original IBOR Rate Record Day has not been provided or published as at the SOR Cut-off Time, Fallback Rate (SOFR) for a period of the Designated Maturity as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original IBOR Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the relevant Fixing Day for the purpose of SGD-SOR;

"SOR Cut-off Time" means 11:30, New York City time on the Fallback Observation Day;

"Modified Fallback Rate (THBFIX)" will be determined by applying the FX Data to Fallback Rate (SOFR) (as defined in Section 9.56.3 (Fallback Rate (SOFR))) for a period of the Designated Maturity for the Original IBOR Rate Record Day that corresponds to the relevant Fixing Day for the purpose of THB-THBFIX, as most recently provided or published as at the THBFIX Cut-off Time or, if Fallback Rate (SOFR) for that Original IBOR Rate Record Day has not been provided or published as at the THBFIX Cut-off Time, Fallback Rate (SOFR) for a period of the Designated Maturity as most recently provided or published at that time for the most recent Original IBOR Rate Record Day, notwithstanding that such day does not correspond to the relevant Fixing Day for the purpose of THB-THBFIX:

"THBFIX Cut-off Time" means 10:00, Bangkok time on the Fallback Observation Day; and

"FX Data" means (i) in respect of Modified Fallback Rate (SOR), the USD/SGD FX spot rates and forward points for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by ABS Benchmarks Administration Co Pte. Ltd. (or any successor administrator) on Refinitiv Screen <ABSFIX01> on the relevant Fixing Day for the purpose of SGD-SOR and (ii) in respect of Modified Fallback Rate (THBFIX), the USD/THB FX spot rates and forward points for a period of the Designated Maturity provided by the Bank of Thailand (or any successor administrator) on Refinitiv Screen <THBFIX> on the relevant Fixing Day for the purpose of THB-THBFIX.

9.67.2 Inconsistencies between this Section 9.67 and Provisions Relating to SGD-SOR or THB-THBFIX.

In the event of any inconsistency between the provisions of this Section 9.67 and the provisions relating to SGD-SOR or THB-THBFIX, as applicable (including, for the avoidance of doubt, where the provisions relating to SGD-SOR or THB-THBFIX, as applicable, provide for a fallback if SOR or THBFIX is unavailable), this Section 9.67 shall prevail for the purposes of the relevant Calculation Period or Compounding Period (as applicable).

9.68 Further Application of the Definitions of Index Cessation Event and Non-Representative to Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option Fallbacks and SGD-SOR and THB-THBFIX Fallbacks.

9.68.1 Application of the Definition of Index Cessation Event.

For the purposes of Section 9.65 (Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation), Section 9.66 (SGD-SOR and THB-THBFIX Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation), and Section 9.67 (SGD-SOR and THB-THBFIX Fallbacks – Short Calculation Periods), references to a rate being permanently unavailable, permanently discontinued or permanently ceasing to be provided, are references to such rate being permanently unavailable, permanently discontinued or permanently ceasing to be provided following a public statement or publication of information which would constitute an Index Cessation Event in accordance with paragraph (i)(a) or (i)(b) of Section 8.2.3 (Index Cessation Event) in respect of that rate in the relevant tenor.

9.68.2 Application of the Definition of Applicable Benchmark.

For the purposes of Section 9.65 (Specified IBOR Floating Rate Option Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation) and Section 9.66 (SGD-SOR and THB-THBFIX Fallbacks – Linear Interpolation), references to the Applicable Benchmark in the definition of Non-Representative in Section 8.2.5 (Non-Representative) will be deemed to be references to the relevant tenor of the Applicable Benchmark.

SECTION 10 DISCOUNT RATES AND CERTAIN BENCHMARKS

10.1 Discount Rates and Agreed Discount Rates.

10.1.1 Discount Rate in Settlement Matrix and Agreed Discount Rate specified in Confirmation.

- (i) Each Discount Rate set out in the Settlement Matrix and any Agreed Discount Rate specified in a Confirmation by reference to a benchmark defined in this Section 10 shall have the meaning given in Section 10.3 (Overnight Rate Benchmarks), subject to paragraph (ii) below.
- (ii) Where the level of the benchmark described in Section 10.3 (*Overnight Rate Benchmarks*) for the day for which it is required is provided by the administrator of the benchmark on a different day (the publication day), then the Discount Rate or Agreed Discount Rate for the day for which it is required shall be the level as provided on the publication day.

10.1.2 Applicable Benchmark.

Each Discount Rate and any Agreed Discount Rate shall be an Applicable Benchmark for the purposes of Section 8 (*Fallbacks*).

10.2 Fallbacks in respect of the Discount Rate and Agreed Discount Rate.

10.2.1 Permanent Cessation Trigger and Permanent Cessation Fallback.

In respect of any Discount Rate or Agreed Discount Rate and unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Permanent Cessation Trigger shall be Index Cessation Event and the Permanent Cessation Fallback shall be Generic Fallback Provisions.

10.2.2 Administrator/Benchmark Event and Administrator/Benchmark Fallback.

In respect of any Discount Rate or Agreed Discount Rate and unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, Administrator/Benchmark Event shall apply and the Administrator/Benchmark Fallback shall be Generic Fallback Provisions.

10.2.3 Temporary Non-Publication Trigger and Temporary Non-Publication Fallback.

In respect of any Discount Rate or Agreed Discount Rate and unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, if the level of the relevant benchmark has not been provided for any day in respect of which it is required and an Applicable Fallback Effective Date in respect of the Discount Rate or Agreed Discount Rate has not occurred, the rate for any day for which the level of the relevant benchmark is required will be the last provided or published level of the relevant benchmark prior to the day in respect of which it is required.

10.3 Overnight Rate Benchmarks.

10.3.1 **AMERIBOR.**

"AMERIBOR" means the closing rate for overnight unsecured loans in U.S. Dollars transacted on the American Financial Exchange, LLC known as 'AMERIBOR' (the American Interbank Offered Rate) administered by American Financial Exchange, LLC (or any successor administrator).

10.3.2 **AONIA.**

"AONIA" means the interbank overnight cash rate administered by the Reserve Bank of Australia (or any successor administrator).

10.3.3 CORRA.

"CORRA" means the Canadian Overnight Repo Rate Average administered by the Bank of Canada (or any successor administrator).

10.3.4 **CZEONIA.**

"CZEONIA" means the Czech Overnight Index Average administered by the Czech National Bank (or any successor administrator).

10.3.5 DKK OIS.

"**DKK OIS**" means the daily fixing for Danish Kroner tomorrow next deposits administered by the Danish Central Bank FX (or any successor administrator).

10.3.6 **EONIA.**

"**EONIA**" means the Euro Overnight Index Average administered by the European Money Markets Institute (or any successor administrator).

10.3.7 EuroSTR.

"EuroSTR" means the euro short-term rate (€STR) administered by the European Central Bank (or any successor administrator).

10.3.8 Fed Funds.

"Fed Funds" or "EFFR" means the U.S. Dollar effective federal funds rate administered by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York (or any successor administrator).

10.3.9 **HONIA.**

"HONIA" means the Hong Kong Dollar Overnight Index Average rate administered by the Treasury Markets Association (or any successor administrator).

10.3.10 **HUFONIA.**

"HUFONIA" means the Hungarian Forint Overnight Index Average administered by Magyar Nemzeti Bank, Central Bank of Hungary (or any successor administrator).

10.3.11 **NOWA.**

"NOWA" means the Norwegian Overnight Weighted Average administered by Norges Bank (or any successor administrator).

10.3.12 **NZIONA.**

"NZIONA" means the official cash rate administered by the Reserve Bank of New Zealand (or any successor administrator).

10.3.13 **POLONIA.**

"POLONIA" means the Polish Overnight Index Average administered by the National Bank of Poland (or any successor administrator).

10.3.14 **SARON.**

"SARON" means the Swiss Average Rate Overnight administered by SIX Swiss Exchange AG (or any successor administrator).

10.3.15 **SFXROD.**

"SFXROD" means the SAFEX Overnight Deposit Rate administered by SAFEX JIBAR (or any successor administrator).

10.3.16 **SOFR.**

"**SOFR**" means the Secured Overnight Financing Rate administered by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York (or any successor administrator).

10.3.17 **SONIA.**

"SONIA" means the Sterling Overnight Index Average rate administered by the Bank of England (or any successor administrator).

10.3.18 **SORA.**

"SORA" means the Singapore Overnight Rate Average administered by the Monetary Authority of Singapore (or any successor administrator).

10.3.19 **STIBOR.**

"STIBOR" means the Stockholm Interbank Offered Rate Tomorrow Next administered by the Riksbank (Central Bank of Sweden) (or any successor administrator).

10.3.20 **TELBOR.**

"TELBOR" means the Tel Aviv Inter-Bank Offered Rate administered by the Bank of Israel (or any successor administrator).

10.3.21 **TONA.**

"TONA" means the Tokyo Overnight Average Rate administered by the Bank of Japan (or any successor administrator).

SECTION 11 MARK-TO-MARKET CURRENCY SWAPS

11.1 Mark-to-Market Currency Swap.

"Mark-to-Market Currency Swap" means a Transaction involving two currencies that is identified in the Confirmation as a Mark-to-Market Currency Swap and pursuant to which an MTM Amount is payable between the parties.

11.2 Features of a Mark-to-Market Currency Swap.

The features of a Mark-to-Market Currency Swap include those set out in this Section 11.2.

11.2.1 Currency Amount.

The Currency Amount in respect of one party will be subject to adjustment during the Term of the Transaction while the Currency Amount in respect of the other party will remain constant.

11.2.2 MTM Amount.

In addition to any amounts otherwise payable on an MTM Payment Date relating to a Calculation Period, on that MTM Payment Date:

- (i) if the MTM Amount is positive, the Constant Currency Payer shall pay the MTM Amount to the Variable Currency Payer; and
- (ii) if the MTM Amount is negative, the Variable Currency Payer shall pay the absolute value of that amount to the Constant Currency Payer.

11.2.3 MTM Payment Date.

"MTM Payment Date" means:

- (i) the date specified as the MTM Payment Date in the Confirmation; or
- (ii) if no date is specified as the MTM Payment Date, the date specified as an Interim Exchange Date in the Confirmation; or
- (iii) if an MTM Payment Date or an Interim Exchange Date is not specified, the Payment Date relating to the Calculation Period.

11.3 Application of Mark-to-Market Matrix.

Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Mark-to-Market Matrix will apply in respect of a Mark-to-Market Currency Swap that involves two currencies specified as a "Currency Pair" in the Mark-to-Market Matrix as of the Trade Date.

11.4 General Terms Relating to Mark-to-Market Currency Swaps.

11.4.1 Constant Currency.

"Constant Currency" means the currency in which the Constant Currency Amount is denominated.

11.4.2 Constant Currency Amount.

"Constant Currency Amount" means, in respect of any Calculation Period, the Currency Amount specified in respect of the Constant Currency Payer in the Confirmation.

11.4.3 Constant Currency Payer.

"Constant Currency Payer" means the party specified as such in the Confirmation, being the party required to make payments from time to time pursuant to the terms of the Mark-to-Market Currency Swap of amounts calculated by reference to a Constant Currency Amount.

11.4.4 Currency Exchange Rate.

- (i) "Currency Exchange Rate" means, in respect of any Calculation Period, a rate of exchange between the Constant Currency and the Variable Currency, which will be:
 - (a) if a method for determining the Currency Exchange Rate is specified in the Confirmation, the exchange rate determined pursuant to that method; and
 - (b) if a method for determining the Currency Exchange Rate is not specified in the Confirmation and the Mark-to-Market Matrix applies to the relevant Mark-to-Market Currency Swap, the exchange rate (expressed in the manner specified under the heading "Rate" in the Mark-to-Market Matrix for the relevant "Currency Pair") which appears on the "Source Page" specified in the Mark-to-Market Matrix for the "Currency Pair" comprising the Constant Currency and the Variable Currency as at the "MTM Fixing Time" on the "MTM Fixing Date" specified in the Mark-to-Market Matrix for the relevant Calculation Period.
- (ii) Subject to Section 11.5 (Permanent Cessation Trigger and Administrator/Benchmark Event in respect of the Currency Exchange Rate), if:
 - (a) the Currency Exchange Rate is to be determined pursuant to a method set out in the Confirmation and the rate is not available on the day and/or at the time on which it is required and the parties are unable to agree an alternative exchange rate; or
 - (b) the Currency Exchange Rate is to be determined in accordance with the relevant "Rate" in the Mark-to-Market Matrix and such a rate is not available at the "MTM Fixing Time" on the "MTM Fixing Date", as specified in the Mark-to-Market Matrix, on the relevant "Source Page" and the parties are unable to agree an alternative exchange rate by the "Cut Off Time" specified in the Mark-to-Market Matrix,

then Calculation Agent Exchange Rate Determination will apply.

11.4.5 Calculation Agent Exchange Rate Determination.

"Calculation Agent Exchange Rate Determination" means that:

- (i) the Calculation Agent will determine an exchange rate equivalent to the relevant rate that is described in the Confirmation as at the time and day on which the Currency Exchange Rate is to be determined in accordance with the Confirmation or, if no time and day is specified, as at the Close of Business on the day on which the relevant rate is required; or
- (ii) if the Mark-to-Market Matrix applies for the purpose of determining the Currency Exchange Rate, the Calculation Agent will determine an exchange rate equivalent to the relevant rate that is described in the Mark-to-Market Matrix under the heading "Rate", at the applicable "Cut Off Time" on the applicable "MTM Fixing Date", or as close to that time as is reasonably practicable.

11.4.6 Mark-to-Market Matrix.

"Mark-to-Market Matrix" means the "2021 ISDA Interest Rate Derivatives Definitions Matrix for Mark-to-Market Currency Swaps".

11.4.7 **MTM Amount.**

"MTM Amount" means, in respect of each Calculation Period other than the final one, an amount, if any, equal to:

- (i) the Variable Currency Amount for the next following Calculation Period, less
- (ii) the Variable Currency Amount for the Calculation Period in respect of which the MTM Amount is being determined.

11.4.8 Variable Currency.

"Variable Currency" means the currency in which the Variable Currency Amount is denominated.

11.4.9 Variable Currency Amount.

"Variable Currency Amount" means, in respect of any Calculation Period, the Currency Amount in respect of the Variable Currency Payer, which, notwithstanding Section 4.4.3 (*Currency Amount*), will be:

- (i) for the first Calculation Period:
 - (a) the Currency Amount specified in respect of the Variable Currency Payer in the Confirmation; or
 - (b) if no such Currency Amount is specified, an amount equal to the Constant Currency Amount expressed in the Variable Currency by reference to the Currency Exchange Rate for that Calculation Period; and
- (ii) for each subsequent Calculation Period, an amount equal to the Constant Currency Amount expressed in the Variable Currency by reference to the Currency Exchange Rate for that Calculation Period.

11.4.10 Variable Currency Payer.

"Variable Currency Payer" means the party specified as such in the Confirmation, being the party required to make payments from time to time pursuant to the terms of the Mark-to-Market Currency Swap of amounts calculated by reference to a Variable Currency Amount.

11.5 Permanent Cessation Trigger and Administrator/Benchmark Event in respect of the Currency Exchange Rate.

11.5.1 Fallback following Permanent Cessation Trigger or Administrator/Benchmark Event in respect of the Currency Exchange Rate.

If, in respect of a Currency Exchange Rate, a Permanent Cessation Trigger or an Administrator/Benchmark Event occurs, the Currency Exchange Rate shall be determined in accordance with Section 8.6 (*Generic Fallback Provisions*), as modified by Section 11.5.2 (*Generic Fallback Provisions* in respect of the Currency Exchange Rate).

11.5.2 Generic Fallback Provisions in respect of the Currency Exchange Rate.

As applied to the Currency Exchange Rate, the following amendments shall be made to Section 8.6 (*Generic Fallback Provisions*).

- (i) Application of Alternative Continuation Fallbacks. Paragraph (ii)(b) of Section 8.6.1 (Application of Alternative Continuation Fallbacks) shall not apply. If no Continuation Amendment can be made under any of the applicable Alternative Continuation Fallbacks by Close of Business on the Cut-off Date, then Calculation Agent Exchange Rate Determination will apply.
- (ii) **Interim measures**. Paragraphs (b) and (c) of Section 8.6.6(ii) (*Interim measures*) shall not apply. For the purposes of Section 8.6.6(ii) (*Interim measures*), if the Currency Exchange Rate is no longer available or the Applicable Fallback Effective Date has occurred, then Calculation Agent Exchange Rate Determination will apply.
- (iii) Calculation Agent Determinations. Section 8.6.7 (Calculation Agent Determinations under the Generic Fallback Provisions) shall apply to any determination by the Calculation Agent pursuant to Section 8.6 (Generic Fallback Provisions) for the purposes of the Currency Exchange Rate.

SECTION 12

CERTAIN DEFINITIONS AND PROVISIONS RELATING TO OPTION TRANSACTIONS AND OPTIONAL EARLY TERMINATION RIGHTS

12.1 **Option Transactions.**

12.1.1 Option Transaction.

"Option Transaction" means:

- (i) a Swaption;
- (ii) a Swaption Straddle; and
- (iii) any other transaction identified as an Option Transaction in the Confirmation.

12.2 Swaptions and Swaption Straddles.

12.2.1 **Swaption.**

"Swaption" means a Transaction that is identified in the Confirmation as a Swaption and pursuant to which the Seller grants to the Buyer, upon the exercise or deemed exercise of the Swaption pursuant to Section 12.6 (Exercise of Options and Optional Early Termination Right):

- (i) if "Cash Settlement" applies, the right to require the Seller to pay to the Buyer the Cash Settlement Amount, if any, on the Cash Settlement Payment Date;
- (ii) if "Physical Settlement" applies, the right to cause the Underlying Transaction to become effective; and
- (iii) if "Cleared Physical Settlement" applies, the right to cause the Underlying Transaction to become effective in accordance with Section 14.3 (*Cleared Physical Settlement*).

12.2.2 Swaption Straddle.

"Swaption Straddle" means a Transaction or pair of Transactions that is or are identified in the Confirmation(s) as a Swaption Straddle and which comprises two Swaptions, one in respect of an Underlying Transaction that is an Underlying Payer Transaction and one in respect of an Underlying Transaction that is an Underlying Receiver Transaction.

12.3 Parties to an Option Transaction or a Transaction to which Optional Early Termination applies.

12.3.1 **Seller.**

"Seller" means:

- (i) in respect of a Swaption, the party specified as such in the Confirmation;
- (ii) in respect of a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies:
 - (a) the party specified as such in the Confirmation; or
 - (b) if neither party is specified as such, each party; and
- (iii) in respect of any other Option Transaction, the party specified as such in the Confirmation.

12.3.2 Buyer.

"Buyer" means:

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- (i) in respect of a Swaption, the party specified as such;
- (ii) in respect of a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies:
 - (a) the party specified as such in the Confirmation; or
 - (b) if neither party is specified as such, each party; and
- (iii) in respect of any other Option Transaction, the party specified as such in the Confirmation.

12.3.3 Seller's Agent.

"Seller's Agent" means the agent, if any, designated by the Seller in the Confirmation for the purpose of receiving notice of exercise.

12.3.4 Exercising Party.

"Exercising Party" means the party that gives notice of exercise pursuant to Section 12.6.1 (*Procedure for Exercise*).

12.3.5 Non-exercising Party.

"Non-exercising Party" means the party to which notice of exercise is given pursuant to Section 12.6.1 (*Procedure for Exercise*).

12.4 **Option Style.**

12.4.1 American.

"American" means a style of Option Transaction or Optional Early Termination Right, specified as such in the Confirmation, pursuant to which the right or rights granted are exercisable during an Exercise Period that consists of a period of days.

12.4.2 **Bermuda.**

"Bermuda" means a style of Option Transaction or Optional Early Termination Right, specified as such in the Confirmation, pursuant to which the right or rights granted are exercisable only on certain specified dates.

12.4.3 European.

"European" means a style of Option Transaction or Optional Early Termination Right, specified as such in the Confirmation, pursuant to which the right or rights granted are exercisable only on the Expiration Date.

12.5 **Premium.**

12.5.1 Payment of Premium.

The Buyer shall, on the Premium Payment Date or on each Premium Payment Date if more than one is specified, pay to the Seller the Premium, if any, in respect of that Premium Payment Date.

12.5.2 **Premium.**

"**Premium**" means the amount, if any, that is specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose).

12.5.3 Premium Payment Date.

"Premium Payment Date" means one or more dates specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose). Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Following Business Day Convention shall apply to the Premium Payment Date.

12.6 Exercise of Options and Optional Early Termination Right.

12.6.1 Procedure for Exercise.

(i) Notice of Exercise.

- (a) Except when rights granted pursuant to a Swaption are deemed to be exercised pursuant to Section 13.1 (*Automatic Exercise*) or Section 13.2 (*Fallback Exercise*), the Buyer must give notice (which may be done orally, including by telephone, unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation) during the Exercise Period to the Seller or, if designated in the Confirmation, the Seller's Agent, of its exercise of those rights in accordance with the contact details, if any, specified in the Confirmation. Any such notice will be irrevocable and will be effective when given in accordance with the contact details and method for giving notice in the Confirmation. If no contact details are specified in the Confirmation, the Buyer may give notice by any method set out in the ISDA Master Agreement governing the Option Transaction or if no contact details are specified in the ISDA Master Agreement, by any means customarily used by the Buyer in its course of dealing with the Seller.
- (b) Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Buyer shall execute and deliver to the Seller or, if designated in the Confirmation, the Seller's Agent, a written confirmation confirming the substance of any oral notice within one Exercise Business Day of that notice. However, a failure to provide that written confirmation will not affect the validity of the oral notice.

(ii) Latest Exercise.

- (a) In respect of an American style Option Transaction or an American style Optional Early Termination Right, if notice of exercise is given after the Latest Exercise Time on any day in an Exercise Period, then that notice will be deemed given on the next following Exercise Business Day, if any, in that Exercise Period.
- (b) In respect of a European style or a Bermuda style Option Transaction or a European style or Bermuda style Optional Early Termination Right, if notice of exercise is given after the Latest Exercise Time on any day in an Exercise Period then that notice of exercise will be ineffective.
- (iii) **Expiration**. In respect of any Option Transaction or Optional Early Termination Right, if notice is given after the Expiration Time on the Expiration Date, or on any date after the Expiration Date, then that notice of exercise will be ineffective.
- (iv) **Earliest Exercise**. If, in respect of any Option Transaction or Optional Early Termination Right, notice of exercise is given before the Earliest Exercise Time on any day in the Exercise Period, then that notice will be deemed given at the Earliest Exercise Time on that day.
- (v) Notice of Partial Exercise or Multiple Exercise. In the case of an Option Transaction or Optional Early Termination Right to which Partial Exercise or Multiple Exercise applies, the Buyer must specify in the notice the Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction or the

Transaction in respect of which the rights granted pursuant to the Option Transaction or Optional Early Termination Right, as applicable, are being exercised on the relevant Exercise Date.

12.6.2 Notice of Exercise of a Swaption Straddle.

In the case of a Swaption that forms part of a Swaption Straddle, the Buyer must specify in the notice whether it is exercising the Swaption in respect of the Underlying Payer Transaction or the Swaption in respect of the Underlying Receiver Transaction.

12.6.3 Partial Exercise.

- (i) If "Partial Exercise" applies to a European style Option Transaction or European style Optional Early Termination Right:
 - (a) the Buyer may exercise its rights in respect of all or less than all of the Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction or the Transaction containing the rights, as applicable, on the Expiration Date, but not in respect of less than the Minimum Notional Amount; and
 - (b) if an amount is specified as the "Integral Multiple" in the Confirmation, the Notional Amount in respect of which exercise takes place must be equal to, or be an integral multiple of, the amount specified.
- (ii) An attempt to exercise rights in respect of:
 - (a) less than the Minimum Notional Amount will be ineffective; and
 - (b) a Notional Amount not equal to, or an integral multiple of, the Integral Multiple will be deemed to be an exercise of rights in respect of a Notional Amount equal to the next lower integral multiple of the Integral Multiple (and the Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction or Transaction exceeding that amount shall remain unexercised).

12.6.4 Multiple Exercise.

If "Multiple Exercise" applies to an American style or a Bermuda style Option Transaction or an American style or a Bermuda style Optional Early Termination Right, the rights under that Transaction may be exercised in accordance with this Section 12.6.4.

- (i) **Full or Partial Exercise**. The Buyer may exercise its rights in respect of all or less than all of the unexercised Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction or the Transaction containing the rights, as applicable, on one or more days in the Exercise Period.
- (ii) **Integral Multiple**. Subject to paragraph (iv) below, if an amount is specified as the "Integral Multiple" in the Confirmation:
 - (a) the Notional Amount in respect of which the exercise takes place must be equal to, or be an integral multiple of, the amount specified; and
 - (b) an attempt to exercise on any occasion option rights in respect of a Notional Amount not equal to, or an integral multiple of, the Integral Multiple will be deemed to be an exercise of rights in respect of a Notional Amount equal to the next lower integral multiple of the Integral Multiple (and in respect of any remaining Notional Amount the rights shall remain unexercised).

- (iii) Maximum Notional Amount and Minimum Notional Amount. Subject to paragraph (iv) below, if a Maximum Notional Amount or Minimum Notional Amount is specified in the Confirmation, the Buyer may not exercise rights in respect of less than the Minimum Notional Amount or more than the Maximum Notional Amount. An attempt to exercise on any occasion option rights in respect of:
 - (a) more than the Maximum Notional Amount shall be deemed to be an exercise of rights in respect of the Maximum Notional Amount (and in respect of any remaining Notional Amount the rights shall remain unexercised); and
 - (b) less than the Minimum Notional Amount will be ineffective.

(iv) Exercise of remaining Notional Amount.

- (a) On any day in the Exercise Period other than the Expiration Date, the Buyer may exercise its rights in respect of any Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction or Transaction that does not exceed the Maximum Notional Amount (including an amount which is less than the Minimum Notional Amount) if the exercise relates to all the Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction or Transaction remaining unexercised.
- (b) On the Expiration Date, the Buyer may exercise its rights in respect of the entire Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction or Transaction remaining unexercised, regardless of whether this is less than the Minimum Notional Amount or more than the Maximum Notional Amount.

12.6.5 Minimum Notional Amount.

"Minimum Notional Amount" means the amount, if any, specified as such in the Confirmation.

12.6.6 Maximum Notional Amount.

"Maximum Notional Amount" means the amount, if any, specified as such in the Confirmation.

12.6.7 Proportionate Reduction of Currency Amounts.

With the exception of a reduction in a Variable Currency Amount pursuant to Section 11 (*Mark-to-Market Currency Swaps*), if, pursuant to the terms of an Option Transaction or a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies, a Currency Amount of a Relevant Transaction is deemed to be reduced, either for the purpose of exercise or for calculating future payments under the Relevant Transaction, any reduction in the Currency Amount of one party to the Relevant Transaction will result in an immediate and proportionate reduction in the Currency Amount of the other party.

12.7 Certain Definitions Relating to Exercise of Options and Optional Early Termination Rights.

12.7.1 Exercise Business Day.

"Exercise Business Day" means any day which is a Business Day in the place(s) specified or deemed to have been specified for that purpose in the Confirmation and, if no place is specified, a day which is a Currency Business Day in respect of each currency that is specified as a Cash Settlement Currency.

12.7.2 Exercise Date.

"Exercise Date" means, in respect of each exercise or deemed exercise of rights under an Option Transaction or Optional Early Termination Right, the day during the Exercise Period on which that exercise or deemed exercise occurs.

12.7.3 Exercise Period.

"Exercise Period" means:

- in respect of a European style Option Transaction or a European style Optional Early Termination Right, the Expiration Date from, and including, the Earliest Exercise Time to, and including, the Expiration Time;
- (ii) in respect of a Bermuda style Option Transaction or a Bermuda style Optional Early Termination Right, each Bermuda Option Potential Exercise Date and the Expiration Date from, and including, the Earliest Exercise Time to, and including, the Latest Exercise Time; and
- (iii) in respect of an American style Option Transaction or an American style Optional Early Termination Right, all days which are Exercise Business Days from, and including, the Commencement Date to, and including, the Expiration Date from, and including, the Earliest Exercise Time to, and including, the Latest Exercise Time on each such day.

12.7.4 Expiration Date.

"Expiration Date" means:

- (i) in respect of a single currency Swaption involving U.S. Dollars, the date specified or deemed to have been specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose), except that:
 - (a) subject to paragraph (b) below, if that date is not an Exercise Business Day, the Expiration Date will be the first preceding Exercise Business Day; and
 - (b) if that date is not an Exercise Business Day as a result of an Unscheduled Holiday, the Expiration Date will be the next following Exercise Business Day; and
- (ii) in respect of any other Option Transaction or Optional Early Termination Right, the date specified or deemed to have been specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose) or, if that date is not an Exercise Business Day, the next following Exercise Business Day.

12.7.5 Bermuda Option Potential Exercise Date.

"Bermuda Option Potential Exercise Date" means, in respect of a Bermuda style Option Transaction or a Bermuda style Optional Early Termination Right, each date specified as such in the Confirmation or, if that date is not an Exercise Business Day, the next following Exercise Business Day.

12.7.6 Commencement Date.

"Commencement Date" means, in respect of an American style Option Transaction or an American style Optional Early Termination Right:

- (i) the date specified or deemed to have been specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose); or
- (ii) if no such date is specified:
 - (a) in respect of a Swaption, the first Premium Payment Date; and
 - (b) in respect of:

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- (I) an Option Transaction that is not a Swaption; or
- (II) an Optional Early Termination Right,

the Trade Date.

12.7.7 Earliest Exercise Time.

"Earliest Exercise Time" means the time specified or deemed to have been specified as such in the Confirmation.

12.7.8 Latest Exercise Time.

"Latest Exercise Time" means:

- (i) on any day in the Exercise Period other than the Expiration Date, the time specified or deemed to have been specified as such in the Confirmation; and
- (ii) if no such time is specified or deemed to have been specified and, in any event, on the Expiration Date, the Expiration Time.

12.7.9 Expiration Time.

"Expiration Time" means the time specified or deemed to have been specified as such in the Confirmation.

SECTION 13

AUTOMATIC EXERCISE AND FALLBACK EXERCISE OF SWAPTIONS; EXERCISE OF SWAPTION STRADDLES

13.1 Automatic Exercise.

13.1.1 Automatic Exercise.

If "Automatic Exercise" applies to a Swaption, the rights in respect of the Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction not previously exercised under that Swaption shall be deemed to be exercised at the Expiration Time on the Expiration Date if at that time the Buyer is In-the-Money, unless:

- the Underlying Transaction is an Interest Rate Swap and at that time the difference between the Settlement Rate and the Fixed Rate under the Relevant Transaction is less than any applicable Exercise Threshold; or
- (ii) prior to that time the Buyer notifies the Seller or, if applicable, the Seller's Agent (orally, including by telephone, or in writing) that it does not wish "Automatic Exercise" to apply.

13.1.2 Notification to Other Party.

If either party believes that exercise pursuant to this Section 13.1 has occurred, it shall immediately notify the other party. However, a failure to provide that notification shall not affect the validity of the exercise.

13.2 Fallback Exercise.

13.2.1 Applicability.

If "Automatic Exercise" does not apply, "Fallback Exercise" shall be deemed to apply to any Swaption in respect of which the Underlying Transaction is an Interest Rate Swap.

13.2.2 Fallback Exercise.

If "Fallback Exercise" applies to a Swaption, then the option rights in respect of the Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction not previously exercised under that Swaption will be deemed to be exercised at the Expiration Time on the Expiration Date if at that time the Buyer is In-the-Money, unless:

- (i) at that time the difference between the Settlement Rate and the Fixed Rate under the Relevant Transaction is less than one tenth of a percentage point (0.10% or 0.001); or
- (ii) prior to that time the Buyer notifies the Seller or, if applicable, the Seller's Agent (orally, including by telephone, or in writing) that it does not wish "Fallback Exercise" to apply.

13.2.3 Notification to Other Party.

If either party believes that exercise pursuant to this Section 13.2 has occurred, it shall immediately notify the other party. However, a failure to provide that notification shall not affect the validity of that exercise.

13.3 Definitions Relating to Automatic Exercise and Fallback Exercise.

13.3.1 Interest Rate Swap.

"Interest Rate Swap" means a transaction pursuant to which one party is required to make periodic payments of a fixed amount (or an amount calculated by applying a fixed rate to a notional amount)

and the other party is required to make periodic payments of amounts in the same currency calculated by applying a floating rate of interest to a notional amount and such transaction contains no additional payment obligations, rights or optionality that would affect the value of those fixed and floating payments.

13.3.2 Exercise Threshold.

"Exercise Threshold" means the percentage, if any, specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose).

13.4 Exercise of Swaption Straddles.

13.4.1 European Style.

In the case of a European style Swaption Straddle, on the Expiration Date, the Buyer may exercise either the Swaption in respect of the Underlying Payer Transaction or the Swaption in respect of the Underlying Receiver Transaction. If, on the Expiration Date, the Buyer exercises one of these Swaptions or one of them is deemed to be exercised pursuant to Section 13.1 (*Automatic Exercise*) or Section 13.2 (*Fallback Exercise*), the other Swaption will expire unexercised.

13.4.2 American Style or Bermuda Style.

- (i) In the case of an American style or Bermuda style Swaption Straddle:
 - (a) if, on any day in the Exercise Period other than the Expiration Date, the Buyer exercises either the Swaption in respect of the Underlying Payer Transaction or the Swaption in respect of the Underlying Receiver Transaction, it may exercise the other Swaption on a subsequent day in the Exercise Period; and
 - (b) if neither Swaption has been exercised or deemed to have been exercised prior to the Expiration Date and, on the Expiration Date, the Buyer exercises one of the Swaptions or one of the Swaptions is deemed to be exercised pursuant to Section 13.1 (Automatic Exercise) or Section 13.2 (Fallback Exercise), the other Swaption will expire unexercised.
- (ii) Paragraph (i)(a) above is without prejudice to the Buyer's right under Section 12.6.4 (*Multiple Exercise*) if "Multiple Exercise" applies.

SECTION 14 SETTLEMENT OF SWAPTIONS

14.1 Cash Settlement.

14.1.1 Election for Cash Settlement.

If "Cash Settlement" applies to a Swaption, the Seller grants to the Buyer, pursuant to the Swaption, the right to require the Seller to pay the Buyer the Cash Settlement Amount, if any, determined in accordance with Section 18 (*Cash Settlement*) on the Cash Settlement Payment Date.

14.1.2 Settlement of a Cash-Settled Swaption.

In respect of each Exercise Date under a Swaption to which "Cash Settlement" applies:

- (i) if the Buyer is the party which is In-the-Money, the Seller shall pay to the Buyer the Cash Settlement Amount, if any, on:
 - (a) the Cash Settlement Payment Date; or
 - (b) if the Swaption is deemed to be exercised pursuant to Section 13.1 (*Automatic Exercise*) or Section 13.2 (*Fallback Exercise*), the later of the Cash Settlement Payment Date and the date that is two Business Days after either party notifies the other party, in accordance with Section 13.1 (*Automatic Exercise*) or Section 13.2 (*Fallback Exercise*), that it believes that exercise has occurred; and
- (ii) if the Seller is the party which is In-the-Money, no amount shall be payable.

14.2 **Physical Settlement.**

14.2.1 Election for Physical Settlement.

If "Physical Settlement" applies to a Swaption in the Confirmation, the Seller grants to the Buyer, pursuant to the Swaption, the right to cause the Underlying Transaction (which, in the case of a Swaption forming part of a Swaption Straddle, will be either an Underlying Payer Transaction or an Underlying Receiver Transaction) to become effective in accordance with Section 14.2.2 (Settlement of a Physically Settled Swaption).

14.2.2 Settlement of a Physically Settled Swaption.

In respect of each Exercise Date under a Swaption to which "Physical Settlement" applies:

- the Underlying Transaction (which, in the case of a Swaption forming part of a Swaption Straddle, will be either an Underlying Payer Transaction or an Underlying Receiver Transaction) will become effective; and
- (ii) the Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction will (subject to Section 12.6.3 (*Partial Exercise*), if Partial Exercise applies, or subject to Section 12.6.4 (*Multiple Exercise*), if Multiple Exercise applies) be equal to the Notional Amount specified in the relevant notice of exercise.

14.3 Cleared Physical Settlement.

14.3.1 Election for Cleared Physical Settlement.

If "Cleared Physical Settlement" is specified in the Confirmation for a Swaption, this Section 14.3 shall apply to the Swaption, in addition to Section 14.2 (*Physical Settlement*).

14.3.2 Clearing through a Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse.

- (i) The Seller shall grant the Buyer the right to cause the Underlying Transaction (which, in the case of a Swaption forming part of a Swaption Straddle, will be either an Underlying Payer Transaction or an Underlying Receiver Transaction) to become effective in accordance with Section 14.2 (*Physical Settlement*), on the basis that, subject to Section 14.3.3 (*Fallback to Cash Settlement*), the Underlying Transaction shall be cleared through the Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse.
- (ii) Once the Underlying Transaction has been submitted for clearing it shall be governed by the terms of any agreement related to clearing between the parties. For the avoidance of doubt, if the Underlying Transaction is submitted for clearing but fails to clear, the terms of any agreement related to clearing between the parties shall apply.
- (iii) If both a Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse and an Agreed Discount Rate have been specified in the Confirmation, and as at the Exercise Date, the Clearinghouse Discount Rate is not the same as the Agreed Discount Rate, compensation shall be payable by one party to the other to reflect the difference between the Agreed Discount Rate and the Clearinghouse Discount Rate. The parties shall act in good faith in order to agree the amount of such compensation taking into account all relevant factors. For the purpose of this paragraph (iii), Agreed Discount Rate has the meaning given in Section 18.4.2 (Agreed Discount Rate).

14.3.3 Fallback to Cash Settlement.

If:

- (i) the parties have not specified a Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse in the Confirmation and cannot agree on a clearing house at the time of exercise; or
- (ii) the Relevant Transaction fails to clear and the parties have not entered into an agreement relating to clearing; or
- (iii) on the Exercise Date, the Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse no longer accepts swaps with the terms of the Relevant Transaction for clearing; or
- (iv) the parties are unable to agree the compensation amount pursuant to paragraph (iii) of Section 14.3.2 (*Clearing through a Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse*) by the latest date on which the Relevant Transaction has to be cleared,

the Relevant Transaction resulting from the exercise of the Swaption shall terminate as of the Exercise Date (or any other date agreed by the parties), "Cash Settlement" shall apply, the Cash Settlement Amount shall be an amount calculated by using Collateralized Cash Price, and for the purpose of Section 18.2.6 (Collateralized Cash Price), the Cash Settlement Valuation Date shall be the Exercise Date or such other date as agreed by the parties as the date on which the Relevant Transaction terminates. For the avoidance of doubt, if "Cash Settlement" applies pursuant to paragraph (i) above, paragraph (vii) of Section 18.2.6 (Collateralized Cash Price), which provides for the Settlement Rate to be adjusted by the Adjustment Amount, shall not apply to the Cash Settlement Amount determined pursuant to paragraph (i) above.

14.4 Certain Definitions Relating to Swaptions Settlement.

14.4.1 Underlying Transaction.

"Underlying Transaction" means, in respect of a Swaption, a Transaction (which, in the case of a Swaption forming part of a Swaption Straddle, will be either an Underlying Payer Transaction or an Underlying Receiver Transaction), the terms of which are identified in the Confirmation.

14.4.2 Underlying Payer Transaction.

"Underlying Payer Transaction" means, in respect of a Swaption Straddle, a Transaction in respect of which the Buyer is the Fixed Amount Payer.

14.4.3 Underlying Receiver Transaction.

"Underlying Receiver Transaction" means, in respect of a Swaption Straddle, a Transaction in respect of which the Buyer is the Floating Amount Payer.

14.4.4 Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse.

"Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse" means, in respect of a Swaption, the clearing house specified as such in the Confirmation.

14.4.5 Clearinghouse Discount Rate.

"Clearinghouse Discount Rate" means the interest rate benchmark used by the Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse to calculate payments of interest in respect of cash collateral denominated in the same currency as the Relevant Transaction.

SECTION 15 OPTIONAL EARLY TERMINATION

15.1 **Optional Early Termination.**

15.1.1 Right to Early Terminate.

In respect of a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies, the Seller grants to the Buyer the right, upon exercise pursuant to Section 12.6 (*Exercise of Options and Optional Early Termination Right*), to terminate the Transaction, in whole or in part, in accordance with this Section 15.1.

15.1.2 Deemed Application of Cash Settlement.

Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, "Cash Settlement" shall apply if "Optional Early Termination" applies.

15.1.3 Consequences of Exercise Date.

In respect of each Exercise Date under a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies:

- (i) if "Cash Settlement" applies:
 - (a) if the Transaction has one Cash Settlement Currency, the party which is Out-of-the-Money shall pay to the party which is In-the-Money the Cash Settlement Amount, determined in accordance with Section 18 (Cash Settlement), on the Cash Settlement Payment Date;
 - (b) if the Transaction has two Cash Settlement Currencies, with respect to each Cash Settlement Currency, the party which is Out-of-the-Money shall pay to the party which is In-the-Money the relevant Cash Settlement Amount for such Cash Settlement Currency, determined in accordance with Section 18 (Cash Settlement), on the Cash Settlement Payment Date; and
 - (c) with effect from the Optional Early Termination Date,
 - (I) the Calculation Amount in respect of the Transaction will be reduced by an amount equal to the Calculation Amount of the Transaction exercised on that Exercise Date; and
 - (II) the Calculation Amount, as reduced in accordance with paragraph (I) above, will be used for the purpose of determining each Fixed Amount and Floating Amount which becomes payable subsequent to the Optional Early Termination Date, notwithstanding that the reduction in the Calculation Amount may have occurred during the Calculation Period applicable to that Fixed Amount or Floating Amount;
- (ii) if "Cash Settlement" does not apply, with effect from the Optional Early Termination Date:
 - (a) the Calculation Amount in respect of the Transaction will be reduced by an amount equal to the Calculation Amount exercised on that Exercise Date; and
 - (b) the Calculation Amount, as reduced in accordance with paragraph (a) above, will be used to determine each Fixed Amount and Floating Amount which becomes payable subsequent to the Optional Early Termination Date, even if the reduction in the

Calculation Amount occurred during the Calculation Period applicable to that Fixed Amount or Floating Amount.

15.1.4 Optional Early Termination Date.

"Optional Early Termination Date" means, in respect of a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies and, in respect of an Exercise Date, either:

- (i) the date specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose); or
- (ii) if a date or a method of determination is not specified, but "Cash Settlement" applies, the Cash Settlement Payment Date in respect of that Exercise Date.

In each case, unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Following Business Day Convention shall apply to the Optional Early Termination Date.

15.1.5 Unscheduled Holiday – Optional Early Termination Date.

If the Cash Settlement Valuation Date is subject to the Following Business Day Convention pursuant to Section 2.3.6 (*Consequences of an Unscheduled Holiday*), the Optional Early Termination Date will be adjusted to fall such number of relevant days after the adjusted Cash Settlement Valuation Date as separates the scheduled Cash Settlement Valuation Date and the scheduled Optional Early Termination Date.

15.2 **Optional Early Termination Right.**

"Optional Early Termination Right" means the right of the Buyer, upon exercise pursuant to Section 12.6 (Exercise of Options and Optional Early Termination Right), to terminate the Transaction, in whole or in part, in accordance with Section 15.1 (Optional Early Termination).

SECTION 16 MANDATORY EARLY TERMINATION

16.1 **Mandatory Early Termination.**

In respect of a Transaction to which "Mandatory Early Termination" applies, the provisions set out in this Section 16.1 shall apply.

16.1.1 Payment of Cash Settlement Amount.

The party which is Out-of-the-Money shall pay to the party which is In-the-Money, the Cash Settlement Amount, determined in accordance with Section 18 (*Cash Settlement*), on the Mandatory Early Termination Date.

16.1.2 Calculation Amount Reduced to Zero.

With effect from the Mandatory Early Termination Date, the Calculation Amount in respect of the Transaction shall be reduced to zero and (other than the amount, if any, payable pursuant to Section 16.1.1 (*Payment of Cash Settlement Amount*) and any amounts that have fallen due for payment pursuant to the Transaction but which remain unpaid as at the Mandatory Early Termination Date) neither party shall be required to make any further payments in respect of that Transaction.

16.1.3 Mandatory Early Termination Date.

"Mandatory Early Termination Date" means the date specified as such in the Confirmation (or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose). Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Modified Following Business Day Convention shall apply to the Mandatory Early Termination Date.

16.1.4 Unscheduled Holiday – Mandatory Early Termination Date.

If the Cash Settlement Valuation Date is subject to the Following Business Day Convention pursuant to Section 2.3.6 (*Consequences of an Unscheduled Holiday*), the Mandatory Early Termination Date will be adjusted to fall such number of relevant days after the adjusted Cash Settlement Valuation Date as separates the scheduled Cash Settlement Valuation Date and the scheduled Mandatory Early Termination Date.

SECTION 17

SETTLEMENT RATE, IN-THE-MONEY AND OUT-OF-THE-MONEY

17.1 Settlement Rate Provisions.

17.1.1 Settlement Rate.

"Settlement Rate" means the rate determined in accordance with this Section 17.1, subject to Section 17.1.5 (*Temporary Non-publication of the Swap Rate*) and Section 4.11.1 (*Corrections to Published and Displayed Rates*).

17.1.2 Settlement Rate specified in Settlement Matrix.

Subject to Section 17.1.3 (Settlement Rate specified in Confirmation), if the Settlement Matrix applies and a Settlement Rate (other than "Reference Banks") is specified in it with respect to the currency in which the Relevant Transaction is denominated, the Settlement Rate shall be the par swap rate for swaps in that currency with a floating leg referencing the same benchmark as the benchmark that applies pursuant to the Floating Rate Option for the Relevant Transaction, for a term for which a rate is available that is as close as practical to the remaining Term of the Relevant Transaction, as provided by the relevant Administrator and, if a price source is specified in the Settlement Matrix, published in that price source, as of:

- (i) in connection with the exercise of a Swaption on the Expiration Date, the Expiration Time on the Expiration Date; and
- (ii) for all other purposes, the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date.

17.1.3 Settlement Rate specified in Confirmation.

If a Settlement Rate (other than "Reference Banks") is specified in the Confirmation, the Settlement Rate shall be the par swap rate for swaps in the currency in which the Relevant Transaction is denominated with a floating leg referencing the same benchmark as the benchmark that applies pursuant to the Floating Rate Option for the Relevant Transaction, for a term for which a rate is available that is as close as practical to the remaining Term of the Relevant Transaction and for the Quotation Rate (if applicable), as provided by the relevant Administrator and published in the price source, if any, specified in the Confirmation as of:

- (i) in connection with the exercise of a Swaption on the Expiration Date, the Expiration Time on the Expiration Date; and
- (ii) for all other purposes, the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date.

17.1.4 Settlement Rate is not specified or Settlement Matrix does not apply.

If:

- (i) the Settlement Matrix applies but a Settlement Rate is not specified in it with respect to the currency in which the Relevant Transaction is denominated and for swaps with a floating leg referencing the same benchmark as the benchmark that applies pursuant to the Floating Rate Option for the Relevant Transaction; or
- (ii) the Settlement Matrix does not apply and the Settlement Rate is not specified in the Confirmation.

"Reference Banks" will be deemed to have been specified for the purpose of determining the Settlement Rate.

17.1.5 Temporary Non-publication of the Swap Rate.

Subject to Section 17.3 (Permanent Cessation Trigger and Administrator/Benchmark Event in respect of the Settlement Rate), if the Settlement Rate is a swap rate provided by an Administrator and such swap rate for a term that is as close as practical to the remaining Term of the Relevant Transaction, as determined by the Calculation Agent, is not published or otherwise provided by the relevant Administrator, "Reference Banks" will apply for the purpose of determining the Settlement Rate.

17.1.6 Settlement Rate – Reference Banks.

If "Reference Banks" applies for the purpose of determining the Settlement Rate, the Settlement Rate will be determined on the basis of the par swap rates quoted by the Settlement Rate Reference Banks, using the Quotation Rate, for the Relevant Swap Rate and for a swap transaction with a dealer in the relevant market which satisfies all the credit criteria which the Settlement Rate Reference Bank applies generally at the time in deciding whether to offer or make an extension of credit. The quotation from the Settlement Rate Reference Bank shall be provided as of:

- (i) in connection with the exercise of a Swaption on the Expiration Date, the Expiration Time on the Expiration Date; and
- (ii) for all other purposes, the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date.

The Settlement Rate shall be the Arithmetic Mean of the amounts specified in those quotations, except that, if fewer than three quotations are provided, the Settlement Rate shall be the Relevant Swap Rate as determined by the Calculation Agent.

17.2 Definitions Relating to the Settlement Rate.

17.2.1 ICE Swap Rate.

"ICE Swap Rate" means the par swap rate, known as the 'ICE Swap Rate', for swaps in the currency in which the Relevant Transaction is denominated with a floating leg referencing the same benchmark as the benchmark that applies pursuant to the Floating Rate Option for the Relevant Transaction for a period that is as close as practical to the remaining Term of the Relevant Transaction, as published or provided by the Administrator of that rate.

17.2.2 Tokyo Swap Rate.

"Tokyo Swap Rate" means the par swap rate, known as the 'Tokyo Swap Rate', for swaps denominated in Yen with a floating leg referencing the same benchmark as the benchmark that applies pursuant to the Floating Rate Option for the Relevant Transaction for a period that is as close as practical to the remaining Term of the Relevant Transaction, as published or provided by the Administrator of that rate.

17.2.3 Quotation Rate.

"Quotation Rate" means the rate specified as such in the Confirmation and which may be a "bid", "ask" or "mid" rate, or, if a "Quotation Rate" is not specified in the related Confirmation, "mid".

17.2.4 Relevant Swap Rate.

"Relevant Swap Rate" means the swap rate for swaps in the currency in which the Relevant Transaction is denominated with a floating leg referencing the same benchmark as the benchmark that applies pursuant to the Floating Rate Option for the Relevant Transaction, for the period for which swap rates for such currency and Floating Rate Option are usually quoted that is as close as practical to the remaining Term of the Relevant Transaction.

17.2.5 Settlement Rate Reference Banks.

"Settlement Rate Reference Banks" means:

- (i) if institutions are specified as Cash Settlement Reference Banks in the Confirmation, the institutions specified as such in the Confirmation (but if any such institution has ceased to exist or to quote relevant rates or prices generally, that institution shall cease to be a Cash Settlement Reference Bank and the parties shall use reasonable efforts to agree a replacement); or
- (ii) if institutions are not specified as Cash Settlement Reference Banks, five institutions agreed between the parties; or
- (iii) if institutions are not specified as contemplated in paragraph (i) above, or are specified but one or more such institutions has ceased to exist or to quote relevant rates or prices generally, and the parties are unable to agree the institutions, or the additional institutions, by the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Exercise Date or the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, as applicable, five leading swap dealers in the relevant market (or such additional number as is required to replace any institutions originally specified) selected by the Calculation Agent.

17.3 Permanent Cessation Trigger and Administrator/Benchmark Event in respect of the Settlement Rate.

17.3.1 Fallback following Permanent Cessation Trigger or Administrator/Benchmark Event in respect of the Settlement Rate.

- (i) Subject to Section 17.3.6 (Permanent Cessation Fallback Provisions in respect of the Settlement Rate for LIBOR Swap Rate Transactions) and paragraph (ii) and (iii) below, if, in respect of a Settlement Rate, a Permanent Cessation Trigger or an Administrator/Benchmark Event occurs, the Settlement Rate shall be determined in accordance with Section 8.6 (Generic Fallback Provisions), as modified by Section 17.3.5 (Generic Fallback Provisions in respect of the Settlement Rate);
- (ii) If the Settlement Rate is the GBP LIBOR ICE Swap Rate and an Administrator/Benchmark Event occurs in respect of a Designated Maturity of such Settlement Rate, subject to Section 17.3.6 (Permanent Cessation Fallback Provisions in respect of the Settlement Rate for LIBOR Swap Rate Transactions), from and including the Administrator/Benchmark Event Date, the Settlement Rate will be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent; and
- (iii) If the Settlement Rate is the JPY LIBOR Tokyo Swap Rate or the USD LIBOR ICE Swap Rate and an Administrator/Benchmark Event occurs in respect of a Designated Maturity of either such Settlement Rate, subject to Section 17.3.6 (Permanent Cessation Fallback Provisions in respect of the Settlement Rate for LIBOR Swap Rate Transactions), from and including the Administrator/Benchmark Event Date, "Reference Banks" will apply for purposes of determining the Settlement Rate.

17.3.2 GBP LIBOR ICE Swap Rate.

"GBP LIBOR ICE Swap Rate" means the ICE Swap Rate for Sterling swap transactions where the floating leg references Sterling LIBOR.

17.3.3 USD LIBOR ICE Swap Rate.

"USD LIBOR ICE Swap Rate" means the 11:00, New York City time, ICE Swap Rate for U.S. Dollar swap transactions where the floating leg references U.S. Dollar LIBOR, published as of 11:00, New York City time.

17.3.4 JPY LIBOR Tokyo Swap Rate.

"JPY LIBOR Tokyo Swap Rate" means the 15:00, Tokyo time, Tokyo Swap Rate where the floating leg references Yen LIBOR, published at or around 15:30, Tokyo time.

17.3.5 Generic Fallback Provisions in respect of the Settlement Rate.

As applied to the Settlement Rate, the following amendments shall be made to Section 8.6 (*Generic Fallback Provisions*).

- (i) Application of Alternative Continuation Fallbacks. Paragraph (ii)(b) of Section 8.6.1 (Application of Alternative Continuation Fallbacks) shall not apply. If no Continuation Amendment can be made under any of the applicable Alternative Continuation Fallbacks by Close of Business on the Cut-off Date, then the Settlement Rate shall be determined in accordance with Section 17.1.6 (Settlement Rate Reference Banks) as though "Reference Banks" had been specified for the purposes of the Settlement Rate.
- (ii) Interim measures. Paragraphs (b) and (c) of Section 8.6.6(ii) (Interim measures) shall not apply. For the purposes of Section 8.6.6(ii) (Interim measures), if the Settlement Rate is no longer available or the Administrator/Benchmark Event Date has occurred, the Settlement Rate shall be determined in accordance with Section 17.1.6 (Settlement Rate Reference Banks) as though "Reference Banks" had been specified for the purposes of the Settlement Rate.
- (iii) Calculation Agent Determinations. Section 8.6.7 (Calculation Agent Determinations under the Generic Fallback Provisions) shall apply to any determination by the Calculation Agent pursuant to Section 8.6 (Generic Fallback Provisions) for the purposes of the Settlement Rate.

17.3.6 Permanent Cessation Fallback Provisions in respect of the Settlement Rate for LIBOR Swap Rate Transactions.

- (i) Subject to paragraph (iii) below, if the Relevant Transaction is a LIBOR Swap Rate Transaction denominated in Sterling and an Index Cessation Event with respect to the Applicable Tenor of the GBP LIBOR ICE Swap Rate has occurred, from and including the Index Cessation Effective Date, the Settlement Rate shall be the rate determined by the Calculation Agent.
- (ii) Subject to paragraph (iii) below, if the Relevant Transaction is a LIBOR Swap Rate Transaction denominated in U.S. Dollars or Yen and an Index Cessation Event with respect to the Applicable Tenor of the USD LIBOR ICE Swap Rate or the JPY LIBOR Tokyo Swap Rate has occurred, from and including the Index Cessation Effective Date, "Reference Banks" will apply for purposes of determining the Settlement Rate.
- (iii) If the Relevant Transaction is a LIBOR Swap Rate Transaction and an Applicable LIBOR Index Cessation Effective Date has occurred, the Settlement Rate shall be:

- (a) the Applicable Published SR Fallback Rate; or
- (b) if there is no Applicable Published SR Fallback Rate, the Applicable Calculated SR Fallback Rate,

in each case for a period equivalent to the remaining Term of the LIBOR Swap Rate Transaction, provided or calculated (as applicable) as of the Expiration Time or the Cash Settlement Valuation Time (as applicable) on the Expiration Date or the Cash Settlement Valuation Date (as applicable). However, if the Applicable RFR Swap Rate is not published by the Administrator of that rate or an authorized distributor and is not otherwise provided by the Administrator of that rate by when such rate is required then, in respect of any day for which that rate is required, references to that rate will be deemed to be references to the rate determined by the Calculation Agent,

where, for these purposes:

- "Applicable Calculated SR Fallback Rate" means, if the currency in which the LIBOR Swap Rate Transaction is denominated is:
- (a) Sterling, the Calculated GBP ISR Fallback Rate;
- (b) U.S. Dollar, the Calculated USD ISR Fallback Rate; or
- (c) Yen, the Calculated JPY TSR Fallback Rate,

provided that, for the purposes of this Section 17.3.6,

- (I) references in the definitions of "Calculated GBP ISR Fallback Rate", "Calculated USD ISR Fallback Rate", and "Calculated JPY TSR Fallback Rate" to (1) "Designated Maturity" shall be deemed to be references to "remaining Term of the Relevant Transaction" and (2) "the Reset Date" shall be deemed to be references to "the Expiration Date or the Cash Settlement Valuation Date (as applicable)"; and
- (II) reference in the definition of "Calculated JPY TSR Fallback Rate" to "JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-10:00 or JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-15:00 (as applicable)" shall be deemed to be a reference to "JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-15:00";
- "Applicable Currency" means Sterling, U.S. Dollar or Yen;
- "Applicable LIBOR" means, if the currency in which the LIBOR Swap Rate Transaction is denominated is:
- (a) Sterling LIBOR;
- (b) U.S. Dollar, U.S. Dollar LIBOR; or
- (c) Yen, Yen LIBOR;
- "Applicable LIBOR Index Cessation Effective Date" means, if the currency in which the LIBOR Swap Rate Transaction is denominated is:
- (a) Sterling and in respect of a GBP LIBOR Index Cessation Event;
- (b) U.S. Dollar and in respect of a USD LIBOR Index Cessation Event; or
- (c) Yen and in respect of a JPY LIBOR Index Cessation Event,

in each case for the Applicable Tenor, the first date on which the Applicable LIBOR for that Applicable Tenor would ordinarily have been provided and is either (a) Non-Representative by reference to the most recent statement or publication contemplated in subparagraph (a) of the definition of GBP LIBOR Index Cessation Event, USD LIBOR Index Cessation Event or JPY LIBOR Index Cessation Event (as applicable) or paragraph (i)(d) of Section 8.2.3 (*Index Cessation Event*) and even if the Applicable LIBOR continues to be provided on such date or (b) no longer provided, where 'Non-Representative' has the meaning given in Section 8.2.5 (*Non-Representative*) where the Applicable Benchmark is the Applicable LIBOR for the Applicable Tenor;

"Applicable Published SR Fallback Rate" means, if the currency in which the LIBOR Swap Rate Transaction is denominated is:

- (a) Sterling, the Published GBP ISR Fallback Rate;
- (b) U.S. Dollar, the Published USD ISR Fallback Rate; or
- (c) Yen, the Published JPY TSR Fallback Rate;

"Applicable RFR Swap Rate" means, if the currency in which the LIBOR Swap Rate Transaction is denominated is:

- (a) Sterling, GBP SONIA ICE Swap Rate;
- (b) U.S. Dollar, USD SOFR ICE Swap Rate; or
- (c) Yen, JPY TONA Tokyo Swap Rate-15:00;

"Applicable Tenor" means, if the currency in which the LIBOR Swap Rate Transaction is denominated is:

- (a) Sterling, the Applicable GBP Tenor;
- (b) U.S. Dollar, the Applicable USD Tenor, except that, for the purposes of this Section 17.3.6, the definition of "Applicable USD Tenor" shall be the following:
 - ""Applicable USD Tenor" means, in respect of U.S. Dollar LIBOR, three months or any tenor of U.S. Dollar LIBOR which is referenced in fixed-for-floating U.S. Dollar swap transactions on which the USD LIBOR ICE Swap Rate with a maturity of the remaining Term of the Relevant Transaction is based"; or
- (c) Yen, the Applicable JPY Tenor; and

"LIBOR Swap Rate Transaction" means a Relevant Transaction that: (i) is denominated in an Applicable Currency; (ii) references a Floating Rate Option that is based on the London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR) for that Applicable Currency; and (iii) applies "ICE Swap Rate" or "Tokyo Swap Rate" (or references a price source on which either of those rates are published) as the 'Settlement Rate'.

17.4 In-the-Money and Out-of-the-Money.

17.4.1 In-the-Money.

"In-the-Money" has the meaning set out in Section 17.4.2 (Determining the Party that is In-the-Money).

17.4.2 Determining the Party that is In-the-Money.

A party to an Option Transaction or a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" or "Mandatory Early Termination" applies is "In-the-Money" in respect of an Exercise Date or a Mandatory Early Termination Date, as appropriate, if:

- (i) in respect of a Transaction or an Underlying Transaction that is an Interest Rate Swap:
 - (a) that party is the Fixed Amount Payer under the Relevant Transaction and the Settlement Rate exceeds the Fixed Rate under the Relevant Transaction; or
 - (b) that party is the Floating Amount Payer under the Relevant Transaction and the Fixed Rate under the Relevant Transaction exceeds the Settlement Rate;
- (ii) in respect of any other Transaction and for the purpose of the payment of a Cash Settlement Amount on a Cash Settlement Payment Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date, the Cash Settlement Amount represents an amount or amounts payable to such party by the other party to the Transaction; and
- (iii) in respect of any other Transaction and for the purposes of "Automatic Exercise" or "Fallback Exercise", the Calculation Agent determines that, were such Transaction to be subject to "Cash Settlement" using Mid-market Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination), the Cash Settlement Amount would represent an amount payable to such party by the other party to the Transaction. Such determination is without prejudice to the settlement method and (if applicable) the Cash Settlement Method that applies to such Transaction.

17.4.3 Out-of-the-Money.

"Out-of-the-Money" has the meaning set out in Section 17.4.4 (*Determining the Party that is Out-of-the-Money*).

17.4.4 Determining the Party that is Out-of-the-Money.

A party to an Option Transaction or a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" or "Mandatory Early Termination" applies is "Out-of-the-Money" in respect of an Exercise Date or a Mandatory Early Termination Date, as appropriate, if:

- (i) in respect of a Transaction or an Underlying Transaction that is an Interest Rate Swap:
 - (a) such party is the Floating Amount Payer under the Relevant Transaction and the Settlement Rate exceeds the Fixed Rate under the Relevant Transaction; or
 - (b) such party is the Fixed Amount Payer under the Relevant Transaction and the Fixed Rate under the Relevant Transaction exceeds the Settlement Rate;
- (ii) in respect of any other Transaction, and for the purpose of the payment of a Cash Settlement Amount on a Cash Settlement Payment Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date, the Cash Settlement Amount represents an amount or amounts payable by such party to the other party to the Transaction; and
- (iii) in respect of any other Transaction and for the purposes of "Automatic Exercise" or "Fallback Exercise", the Calculation Agent determines that, were such Transaction to be subject to "Cash Settlement" using Mid-market Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination), the Cash Settlement Amount would represent an amount payable by such party to the other party to the

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SECTION 18 CASH SETTLEMENT

18.1 Cash Settlement Amount and Related Terms.

18.1.1 Cash Settlement Amount.

"Cash Settlement Amount" means, in respect of an Exercise Date or a Mandatory Early Termination Date:

- (i) subject to paragraph (ii) below, the amount (expressed in the Cash Settlement Currency) or, in the case of a Transaction involving two Cash Settlement Currencies, the amounts (expressed in the respective Cash Settlement Currencies) agreed between the parties;
- (ii) if the Cash Settlement Method is Collateralized Cash Price or Par Yield Curve Unadjusted, the amount agreed between the parties that is determined in accordance with Section 18.2.6 (Collateralized Cash Price) or Section 18.2.7 (Par Yield Curve Unadjusted), as applicable; or
- (iii) if the parties are unable to agree that amount or those amounts, as the case may be, by the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount.

18.1.2 Determination of Fallback Cash Settlement Amount.

The Calculation Agent shall determine the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount, if applicable, and which party is due to pay it.

18.1.3 Cash Settlement Method.

"Cash Settlement Method" means the method specified or deemed to have been specified as the "Cash Settlement Method" in the Confirmation, which may be by reference to any of the methods set out in Section 18.2 (Cash Settlement Methods) or any method described as the Cash Settlement Method in the Confirmation.

18.1.4 Fallback Cash Settlement Amount.

"Fallback Cash Settlement Amount" means:

- the amount(s) determined as the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount in accordance with the applicable Cash Settlement Method; or
- (ii) if no Cash Settlement Method is so specified, the amount(s) determined in accordance with the following:
 - (a) if the Relevant Transaction involves one currency and that currency is included in the Settlement Matrix, the Cash Settlement Method specified in the Settlement Matrix for that currency for single currency Transactions and for the relevant ground for cash settlement (Swaption, "Optional Early Termination" or "Mandatory Early Termination");
 - (b) if the Relevant Transaction involves two currencies, and those currencies are included as a "Currency Pair" in the Settlement Matrix, the Cash Settlement Method specified in the Settlement Matrix for that "Currency Pair" for cross currency Transactions and for the relevant ground for cash settlement (Swaption, "Optional Early Termination" or "Mandatory Early Termination");

- (c) if the currency or the "Currency Pair", as applicable, of the Relevant Transaction is not included in the Settlement Matrix:
 - (I) in respect of an Exercise Date under a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies, Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) with "Existing CSA" as the "MMV Applicable CSA";
 - (II) in respect of a Mandatory Early Termination Date, Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations); and
 - (III) in respect of a Swaption or Swaption Straddle, Collateralized Cash Price.

18.1.5 Cash Settlement Reference Banks.

- (i) "Cash Settlement Reference Banks" means, subject to Section 18.2.2 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) Alternate Method):
 - (a) the institutions specified as such in the Confirmation (but if any such institution has ceased to exist or to quote relevant rates or prices generally, that institution shall cease to be a Cash Settlement Reference Bank and the parties shall use reasonable efforts to agree a replacement); or
 - (b) if institutions are not specified, five institutions agreed between the parties.
- (ii) If, by the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, the parties have not reached any agreement that is required under paragraph (i) above, the Cash Settlement Reference Banks (or replacement Cash Settlement Reference Bank(s)) shall be selected in the following way:
 - (a) if the Calculation Agent is not a party to the Transaction, or it is a party but the other
 party does not deliver a Selection Notice, the selection shall be made by the Calculation
 Agent; and
 - (b) if the Calculation Agent is a party to the Transaction and the other party delivers a Selection Notice:
 - (I) if Cash Settlement Reference Banks must be selected because they are not specified in the Confirmation, up to two of them may be selected by the party delivering the Selection Notice (and shall be specified in that notice) and the remainder shall be selected by the Calculation Agent;
 - (II) if a single replacement Cash Settlement Reference Bank is required, it shall be selected by the Calculation Agent;
 - (III) if two replacement Cash Settlement Reference Banks are required, one shall be selected by the Calculation Agent and one shall be selected by the other party and specified in the Selection Notice;
 - (IV) if three replacement Cash Settlement Reference Banks are required, two shall be selected by the Calculation Agent and the third shall be selected by the other party and specified in the Selection Notice;
 - (V) if four replacement Cash Settlement Reference Banks are required, two shall be selected by the Calculation Agent and two shall be selected by the other party and specified in the Selection Notice; and

- (VI) if five replacement Cash Settlement Reference Banks are required, three shall be selected by the Calculation Agent and two shall be selected by the other party and specified in the Selection Notice.
- (iii) Each Cash Settlement Reference Bank and each replacement Cash Settlement Reference Bank shall be a leading dealer that is active in the market for the relevant type of Transaction and, unless selected by a party that is also exercising its right to seek Quotations from Cash Settlement Reference Banks in accordance with Section 18.1.6 (Requesting Quotations from Cash Settlement Reference Banks), shall be an institution with which the Calculation Agent is able to enter into Transactions of that type. The Calculation Agent shall consult promptly with the other party, if requested to do so, with a view to identifying whether the Calculation Agent is able to enter Transactions with a particular institution.
- (iv) "Selection Notice" means a written notice (in substantially the form set out in Appendix II (Form of Selection Notice) to the 2021 Definitions) given to the Calculation Agent by the other party, acting in good faith, as soon as reasonably practicable, but no later than 30 minutes following, the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date specifying the institution(s) that such other party wishes to act as Cash Settlement Reference Bank(s) or replacement Cash Settlement Reference Bank(s), as applicable.

18.1.6 Requesting Quotations from Cash Settlement Reference Banks.

- (i) If Quotations are required from Cash Settlement Reference Banks other than pursuant to Section 18.2.2 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) Alternate Method*) and the Calculation Agent is a party to the Transaction, the other party may request Quotations from up to two of the Cash Settlement Reference Banks. If that other party has selected any of the Cash Settlement Reference Banks pursuant to Section 18.1.5 (*Cash Settlement Reference Banks*), whether or not as replacement Cash Settlement Reference Banks, the Cash Settlement Reference Banks) from which it requests Quotations shall include each of those selected by it.
- (ii) If a party intends to exercise the right set out in paragraph (i) above, it shall state this in any Selection Notice it delivers or, if it does not deliver a Selection Notice, in a notice given to the Calculation Agent in writing as soon as reasonably practicable, but no later than 30 minutes following, the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date. If it fails to do so, the Calculation Agent shall request the relevant Quotations from all Cash Settlement Reference Banks and such Quotations shall be used for the purpose of the relevant Cash Settlement Method.
- (iii) If a party exercises the right set out in paragraph (i) above but does not provide one or more of the relevant Quotations to the Calculation Agent by the Notification Deadline on the Valuation Business Day following the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, it shall be deemed that no Quotations were received from the Cash Settlement Reference Bank(s) in respect of which such party has failed to provide Quotations.
- (iv) Subject to paragraph (v) below, any person requesting Quotations from a Cash Settlement Reference Bank shall:
 - (a) use the appropriate Template Quotation Request Form if one is available for the relevant Cash Settlement Method;
 - (b) at the request of the other party, provide a copy of the Quotation requests;

- (c) act in good faith;
- (d) use reasonable endeavours to ensure that all Quotation requests are submitted (x) at, or as soon as reasonably practicable after, the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, and (y) on the same day; and
- (e) specify that Quotations are to be provided as of the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date.
- (v) If Replacement Value (Firm Quotations) applies and it is not reasonably practicable for Quotations to be provided as of the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, the Quotation requests shall specify that Quotations are to be provided as of the time and date agreed between the parties or, if the parties are unable to agree this, as of the time and date determined by the Calculation Agent (which shall be as soon as reasonably practicable after the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date).

18.2 Cash Settlement Methods.

18.2.1 Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations).

- (i) "Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)" means the Cash Settlement Method set out in this Section 18.2.1.
- (ii) If Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) applies, the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be:
 - (a) if there is one Cash Settlement Currency, an amount (expressed in the Cash Settlement Currency) determined as:
 - (I) in the case of an Exercise Date under a Swaption, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from each of the parties under the Relevant Transaction if it had come into effect on the Exercise Date; and
 - (II) in the case of a Mandatory Early Termination Date or an Exercise Date under a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from each of the parties under the Relevant Transaction on or after the Cash Settlement Valuation Date but for the occurrence of the Exercise Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date.

In each case, the present value of any payments that are not denominated in the Cash Settlement Currency shall be converted into the Cash Settlement Currency at the Settlement FX Rate after discounting using the discount factors determined in accordance with paragraph (iv)(c) below; and

- (b) if there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, for each Cash Settlement Currency:
 - (I) in the case of an Exercise Date under a Swaption, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from each of the parties in that Cash Settlement Currency under the Relevant Transaction if it had come into effect on the Exercise Date; and
 - (II) in the case of a Mandatory Early Termination Date or an Exercise Date under a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from each of the parties in that Cash Settlement Currency under the Relevant Transaction on or after the Cash

Settlement Valuation Date but for the occurrence of the Exercise Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date.

- (iii) The Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined as of the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, as follows:
 - (a) the Calculation Agent and, in the circumstances set out in Section 18.1.6 (Requesting Quotations from Cash Settlement Reference Banks), the other party, shall ask the Cash Settlement Reference Banks to provide their estimates of the net present value (or, as the case may be, each present value), using the Prescribed Methodology (each estimate, an "Indicative Quotation"); and
 - (b) the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be the Arithmetic Mean of the amounts (or, in the case of a Transaction involving two Cash Settlement Currencies, for each Cash Settlement Currency, the Arithmetic Mean of the amounts expressed in that Cash Settlement Currency) specified in those Indicative Quotations. However, if fewer than two Indicative Quotations are provided, the Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined by the Calculation Agent as if the Cash Settlement Method were Midmarket Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination).
- (iv) The "**Prescribed Methodology**" is as follows:
 - (a) any price, rate or value that is used shall be the mid-point between the relevant "bid" and "offer" rates;
 - (b) the Relevant Transaction shall be deemed to be governed by a Relevant Master Agreement and:
 - (I) if "No CSA" applies as the "MMV Applicable CSA", that Relevant Master Agreement shall have no Credit Support Annex;
 - (II) if "Existing CSA" applies as the "MMV Applicable CSA" and (1) a Credit Support Annex for variation margin (whether or not the term "variation margin" is expressly used therein) entered into between the parties to the Transaction applies to the Transaction, that Relevant Master Agreement shall have a Credit Support Annex that includes the same Relevant Terms as that Credit Support Annex, but on the basis that the Relevant Transaction is deemed to be the only Transaction subject to that Credit Support Annex (the "Existing CSA"), or (2) no such Credit Support Annex applies to the Transaction, "No CSA" shall be deemed to apply;
 - (III) if neither "No CSA" nor "Existing CSA" applies as the "MMV Applicable CSA", that Relevant Master Agreement shall have a bilateral VM Credit Support Annex (the "Reference VM CSA") under which the Relevant Transaction is the only transaction subject to that VM Credit Support Annex and providing for the following elections in respect of each party:
 - (1) the only "Eligible Collateral (VM)" or "Eligible Credit Support (VM)" (each as defined in the VM Credit Support Annex) is cash denominated in the Cash Settlement Currency (or, if there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, the "Cash Collateral Currency" specified in the Confirmation or, if none is specified, the Single Cash Settlement Currency);

- (2) the "Interest Rate (VM)" in respect of that cash collateral is the "Cash Collateral Interest Rate" specified in the Confirmation or, if none is specified, the Discount Rate for the relevant currency;
- (3) "Negative Interest" applies;
- (4) the "Minimum Transfer Amount" is zero; and
- (5) the "Threshold" is zero,

or, in each case, if any of the terms "Eligible Collateral (VM)", "Eligible Credit Support (VM)", "Interest Rate (VM)", "Negative Interest", "Minimum Transfer Amount" or "Threshold" do not appear in the relevant VM Credit Support Annex, the comparable term or provision that appears in the relevant VM Credit Support Annex (if applicable);

- (c) the discount factors used to calculate that present value will be calculated from a zero coupon curve determined as at the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date and which:
 - (I) if "No CSA" applies, is derived from, or adjusted to take into account, the Agreed Discount Rate or, if no Agreed Discount Rate is specified in the Confirmation, the Discount Rate for the Cash Settlement Currency (or, if there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, the Single Cash Settlement Currency); or
 - (II) if "Existing CSA" or "Reference VM CSA" applies, is derived from, or adjusted to take into account, the Relevant Terms of the Relevant Collateral Agreement, as the case may be,

in each case as adjusted by the Basis Adjustment, if applicable, but without further adjustment for any other factors.

For the purposes of this paragraph (c), if "Existing CSA" applies, the Cash Settlement Reference Bank shall be required to assume that the collateral provider pursuant to the Existing CSA will deliver the collateral that from time to time involves the lowest funding cost, as determined by the Cash Settlement Reference Bank;

- (d) no adjustments shall be made to any present value (other than any adjustment required as a result of a contingency under paragraph (e) below), including any adjustment to reflect the risk of non-performance by either of the parties, the impact of any regulatory capital costs or gains or (without prejudice to paragraph (b) or (c) above) any cost of funding or funding gains that would accrue to either party; and
- (e) the assessment of any present value shall have regard to whether the relevant payment is due only upon the satisfaction of, or is otherwise subject to, a contingency and, if so, the likelihood of that contingency occurring but the possibility of an Event of Default, a Potential Event of Default or a Termination Event (each as defined in the Relevant Master Agreement or the comparable provision under the Relevant Master Agreement however defined and if applicable) shall not be regarded as a contingency for these purposes.
- (v) For the purposes of this Section 18.2.1:

- (a) "Basis Adjustment" means an adjustment to the zero coupon curve to reflect the basis spreads that would apply pursuant to one or more swap transactions that are required to swap the interest rate applicable to the Cashflow Currency to the interest rate or financing rate applicable pursuant to either (1) the Relevant Collateral Agreement, or (2) the Agreed Discount Rate or Discount Rate, as applicable;
- (b) "Relevant Collateral Agreement" means the Existing CSA or the Reference VM CSA, as applicable; and
- (c) "Relevant Terms" means:
 - (I) for the purposes of the Existing CSA, the "Eligible Collateral", "Eligible Collateral (VM)", "Eligible Credit Support" or "Eligible Credit Support (VM)", as applicable, the rate of interest payable on that collateral or credit support or the "Interest Rate" or "Interest Rate (VM)", as applicable, the "Minimum Transfer Amount", the "Threshold" (if any) and whether "Negative Interest" is applicable (or, in each case, if any of those terms do not appear in the relevant Credit Support Annex, the comparable terms or provisions that appear in the relevant Credit Support Annex, but if any of those comparable terms do not appear in the relevant Credit Support Annex, they shall not form part of the Relevant Terms), and all terms and provisions relating thereto including the standard terms of the pre-printed form of the relevant Credit Support Annex; and
 - (II) for the purposes of the Reference VM CSA, the elections set out in paragraph (iv)(b)(III) above and all terms and provisions relating thereto including the standard terms of the pre-printed form of the VM Credit Support Annex.

18.2.2 Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) – Alternate Method.

- (i) "Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) Alternate Method" means the Cash Settlement Method set out in this Section 18.2.2.
- (ii) If Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) Alternate Method applies, the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined in accordance with Section 18.2.1 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)*) but with the following changes:
 - (a) Cash Settlement Reference Banks shall mean three leading dealers that are active in the market for the relevant type of Transaction selected by each party in good faith (irrespective of whether each party selects one or more institutions that are the same);
 - (b) for the purpose of paragraph (iii)(a) of Section 18.2.1 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations*)), each party shall ask each of the Cash Settlement Reference Banks selected by it to provide its Indicative Quotation and each Indicative Quotation obtained shall be taken into account in determining the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount; and
 - (c) for the purpose of paragraph (iii)(b) of Section 18.2.1 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations*)), if fewer than two Indicative Quotations are provided in total by all Cash Settlement Reference Banks, the Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined as the arithmetic average of the amounts determined by each of the parties, acting in good faith and using commercially reasonable procedures in order to produce a commercially reasonable result, as if the Cash Settlement Method were Mid-market Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination) and the references in Section 18.2.3 (*Mid-*

market Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination)) to the "Calculation Agent" were references to the relevant party.

18.2.3 Mid-market Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination).

- (i) "Mid-market Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination)" means the Cash Settlement Method set out in this Section 18.2.3.
- (ii) If Mid-market Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination) applies, the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined by the Calculation Agent as of the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, using the Prescribed Methodology, as follows:
 - (a) if there is one Cash Settlement Currency, the Calculation Agent shall determine the amount (expressed in the Cash Settlement Currency) that is:
 - (I) in the case of an Exercise Date under a Swaption, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from each of the parties under the Relevant Transaction if it had come into effect on the Exercise Date; and
 - (II) in the case of a Mandatory Early Termination Date or an Exercise Date under a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from each of the parties under the Relevant Transaction on or after the Cash Settlement Valuation Date but for the occurrence of the Exercise Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date.

In each case, the present value of any payments that are not denominated in the Cash Settlement Currency shall be converted into the Cash Settlement Currency at the Settlement FX Rate after discounting in accordance with paragraph (iv)(c) of Section 18.2.1 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)*); and

- (b) if there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, for each Cash Settlement Currency:
 - (I) in the case of an Exercise Date under a Swaption, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from each of the parties in that Cash Settlement Currency under the Relevant Transaction if it had come into effect on the Exercise Date; and
 - (II) in the case of a Mandatory Early Termination Date or an Exercise Date under a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from the parties in that Cash Settlement Currency under the Relevant Transaction on or after the Cash Settlement Valuation Date but for the occurrence of the Exercise Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date.
- (iii) For the purposes of paragraph (ii) above, Prescribed Methodology shall have the meaning given to it in paragraph (iv) of Section 18.2.1 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)*), except that references in that paragraph to the "Cash Settlement Reference Bank" shall be deemed to be references to the "Calculation Agent".

18.2.4 Replacement Value (Firm Quotations).

(i) "Replacement Value (Firm Quotations)" means the Cash Settlement Method set out in this Section 18.2.4.

- (ii) If Replacement Value (Firm Quotations) applies, the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined as follows:
 - (a) the Calculation Agent and, in the circumstances set out in Section 18.1.6 (Requesting Quotations from Cash Settlement Reference Banks), the other party, shall ask each Cash Settlement Reference Bank to provide, in respect of each Protected Party, a firm quotation as of the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date (expressed in the Single Cash Settlement Currency) of the amount it would pay, or would charge, to enter into a transaction with such Protected Party, governed by the Prescribed Documentation, that would have the effect of:
 - (I) in the case of an Exercise Date under a Swaption, replicating the material terms
 of the Relevant Transaction (including all payments and deliveries by the parties
 pursuant to the Relevant Transaction if it had come into effect on the Exercise
 Date); and
 - (II) in the case of a Mandatory Early Termination Date or an Exercise Date under a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies, replicating the material terms of the Relevant Transaction that would have existed but for the occurrence of the Exercise Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date (including all payments and deliveries that would have been due pursuant to the Relevant Transaction, subject to any applicable contingency (where applicable), but for the occurrence of the Exercise Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date),

(each such quotation, a "Firm Quotation"); and

- (b) the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be:
 - (I) if there is one Protected Party, the Best Quotation; and
 - (II) if there are two Protected Parties, the Arithmetic Mean of the Mid-point Quotations of each Cash Settlement Reference Bank.
- (c) For the purposes of this Section 18.2.4, "Mid-Point Quotation" means the mid-point between the two Firm Quotations provided by the Cash Settlement Reference Bank for each Protected Party. If there are two Protected Parties and a Cash Settlement Reference Bank provides a Firm Quotation for only one of the Protected Parties, such Firm Quotation shall not constitute a Mid-Point Quotation.
- (d) If fewer than two Firm Quotations are provided or, if there are two Protected Parties if fewer than two sets of Firm Quotations (resulting in two Mid-point Quotations) are provided, the Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined by the Calculation Agent as if the Cash Settlement Method were Replacement Value (Calculation Agent Determination).
- (iii) The Firm Quotations provided by a Cash Settlement Reference Bank may include any adjustments ordinarily included by the relevant Cash Settlement Reference Bank when providing a firm price for transactions equivalent to the Relevant Transaction, including any adjustment to reflect the risk of non-performance by the relevant Protected Party, the impact of any regulatory capital costs or gains or any cost of funding or funding gains that would accrue to either party.

(iv) "Prescribed Documentation" means:

- (a) the Relevant Master Agreement (including any relevant Credit Support Annex) that has been entered into between that Cash Settlement Reference Bank and the Protected Party (or, if there is more than one such Relevant Master Agreement, the one that is the principal master agreement used to govern transactions between that Cash Settlement Reference Bank and the Protected Party); or
- (b) if there is no such Relevant Master Agreement, an agreement in the form of the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement without any schedule and governed by the same law that governs the Transaction, together with a bilateral ISDA VM CSA under which the Relevant Transaction is the only Covered Transaction (VM) (as defined therein) and the only Eligible Collateral (VM) or Eligible Credit Support (VM) (each as defined therein) is cash denominated in the Cash Settlement Currency (or, if there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, the "Cash Collateral Currency" specified in the Confirmation or, if none is specified, the Single Cash Settlement Currency).
- (v) If "Prescribed Documentation Adjustment" is specified in the Confirmation, subject (if the Calculation Agent is not the Protected Party) to being notified in writing of the material terms of the Prescribed Documentation, the Calculation Agent shall adjust the amount specified in each Quotation to account for any differences between the Prescribed Documentation and the Relevant Master Agreement (including any Credit Support Annex thereto) that governs the Transaction, including any adjustment to reflect the cost of funding or funding gains that would accrue to either party as a result of the terms of that governing documentation.

18.2.5 Replacement Value (Calculation Agent Determination).

- (i) "Replacement Value (Calculation Agent Determination)" means the Cash Settlement Method set out in this Section 18.2.5.
- (ii) If Replacement Value (Calculation Agent Determination) applies, the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be the amount, expressed in the Single Cash Settlement Currency, that the Calculation Agent determines would be due under Section 6(e) of the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement that governs the Transaction (or, if there is no such ISDA 2002 Master Agreement, an agreement in the form of the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement governed by the same governing law as the Relevant Transaction), together with (unless the Transaction is governed by a Relevant Master Agreement without any Credit Support Annex) a bilateral ISDA VM CSA under which the Relevant Transaction is the only Covered Transaction (VM) (as defined therein) and the only Eligible Collateral (VM) or Eligible Credit Support (VM) (each as defined therein) is cash denominated in the Cash Settlement Currency (or, if there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, the "Cash Collateral Currency" specified in the Confirmation or, if none is specified, the Single Cash Settlement Currency) as if:
 - (a) a "Termination Event" had occurred in respect of which the "Affected Party" were the
 party which is not the Protected Party, or, if there are two Protected Parties, in respect
 of which each party were an "Affected Party";
 - (b) the Cash Settlement Payment Date, Optional Early Termination Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date, as the case may be, has been designated as an "Early Termination Date" (but the "Close-out Amount" shall be determined as of the Cash Settlement Valuation Date);

- (c) the Relevant Transaction were the only "Affected Transaction"; and
- (d) the currency of the collateral determined under this paragraph (ii) were the "Termination Currency".
- "Termination Event", "Affected Party", "Affected Transaction", "Early Termination Date" and "Termination Currency" shall each have the meaning given in the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement, as modified by this paragraph (ii).
- (iii) For these purposes, references to the "Determining Party" in the first paragraph and in clause (i) of the definition of "Close-out Amount" in the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement shall be to the Protected Party and, in the remainder of that definition, shall be to the Calculation Agent (which, for the avoidance of doubt, shall make its determination in accordance with the standards set out in that definition). Notwithstanding the foregoing, no account will be taken of any loss or cost incurred by a party in connection with its terminating, liquidating or reestablishing any hedge related to the relevant Transaction (or any gain resulting from any of them).
- (iv) If the Protected Party is not the Calculation Agent, or if there are two Protected Parties, a Protected Party may provide to the Calculation Agent information of a type which is permitted to be taken into account in the definition of "Close-out Amount" in the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement and the Calculation Agent shall consider that information, taking into account the standards and procedures described in "Close-out Amount" in making its determination.

18.2.6 Collateralized Cash Price.

- (i) "Collateralized Cash Price" means the Cash Settlement Method set out in this Section 18.2.6.
- (ii) Subject to paragraphs (v) and (vii) below, if Collateralized Cash Price applies, the Cash Settlement Amount shall be the present value of an annuity, expressed in the Cash Settlement Currency, equal to the difference between:
 - (a) the amounts that would be payable by the Fixed Amount Payer under the Relevant Transaction if the Fixed Rate were the Settlement Rate; and
 - (b) the amounts that are payable by the Fixed Amount Payer under the Relevant Transaction.
- (iii) The discount factors used to calculate the present value for the purposes of paragraph (ii) above shall be:
 - (a) if a Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse is specified in the Confirmation, subject to paragraph (b)(II) below, and as at the Cash Settlement Valuation Date the Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse accepts swaps with the terms of the Relevant Transaction for clearing, the discount factors that would apply to a valuation of the Relevant Transaction if the Relevant Transaction were cleared through the relevant Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse; or
 - (b) if:
 - (I) a Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse is not specified in the Confirmation; or
 - (II) a Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse and an Agreed Discount Rate are specified in the Confirmation and as at the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, the Clearinghouse Discount Rate is not the same as the Agreed Discount Rate; or

(III) a Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse is specified but as at the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, the Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse no longer accepts swaps with the terms of the Relevant Transaction for clearing,

calculated from a current zero coupon curve, derived as of the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date from the Discount Rate where the parties to the Relevant Transaction are deemed to have collateralised the Relevant Transaction pursuant to a bilateral ISDA VM CSA, with cash denominated in the same currency as the Relevant Transaction as the only Eligible Collateral (VM) or Eligible Credit Support (VM), as applicable (where the terms "Eligible Collateral (VM)" and "Eligible Credit Support (VM)" have the same meanings as in the ISDA VM CSA) and where the interest rate benchmark used to calculate payments of interest in respect of that cash collateral is the Discount Rate.

(iv) The Settlement Rate shall be:

- (a) subject to paragraph (c) below, the Settlement Rate specified in the Confirmation or (if not specified in the Confirmation) in the Settlement Matrix for the currency of the Relevant Transaction; or
- (b) if there is no Settlement Rate specified in the Confirmation or specified in the Settlement Matrix for the currency of the Relevant Transaction, the Relevant Swap Rate, as determined by the Calculation Agent or, if paragraph (vi) below applies, by the Cash Settlement Reference Banks for the purpose of the requested Quotation; or
- (c) if the Settlement Rate specified in the Settlement Matrix is "Reference Banks" and paragraph (vi) below applies, the Settlement Rate shall be determined by the Cash Settlement Reference Bank for the purpose of the requested Quotation.
- (v) If Collateralized Cash Price applies to a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" or "Mandatory Early Termination" applies and the Optional Early Termination Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date, as the case may be, falls on a date which is not both a Fixed Amount Payment Date and a Floating Amount Payment Date under that Transaction, then the Cash Settlement Amount shall be an amount equal to the Cash Settlement Amount determined pursuant to paragraph (ii) above in respect of the period from, and including, the next such date, together with an amount in respect of the amounts accrued but in respect of which the originally scheduled Payment Date has not yet arisen as of the Optional Early Termination Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date, as the case may be.
- (vi) If the parties are unable to agree the Cash Settlement Amount:
 - (a) the Calculation Agent and, in the circumstances set out in Section 18.1.6 (*Requesting Quotations from Cash Settlement Reference Banks*), the other party, shall ask the Cash Settlement Reference Banks to provide a quotation for the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount using the Collateralized Cash Price methodology described in this Section 18.2.6; and
 - (b) the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be the Arithmetic Mean of the amounts specified in the Quotations. However, if fewer than two such Quotations are provided, the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined by the Calculation Agent using the Collateralized Cash Price methodology described in this Section 18.2.6.

- (vii) For the purposes of calculating the Cash Settlement Amount or Fallback Cash Settlement Amount pursuant to paragraph (ii) above, if a Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse is specified in the Confirmation, and either party so elects by giving notice to the other party prior to the time at which the Cash Settlement Amount is determined, the Settlement Rate used to determine the amounts payable under paragraph (ii)(a) above shall be increased or decreased, as applicable, by the Adjustment Amount.
- (viii) Notwithstanding paragraph (vii) above, if the Adjustment Amount is to be determined on the basis of Quotations from the Cash Settlement Reference Banks in accordance with the process set out in paragraph (ii) of Section 18.4.1 (Adjustment Amount) and if the Settlement Rate in respect of which the Adjustment Amount is being determined is itself required to be determined on the basis of quotes received by Settlement Rate Reference Banks pursuant to Section 17.1.6 (Settlement Rate Reference Banks), no separate Quotations will be required to be provided by Cash Settlement Reference Banks in connection with the determination of the Adjustment Amount but the Cash Settlement Reference Banks shall instead be requested to factor the Adjustment Amount into their quotes for the Settlement Rate.

18.2.7 Par Yield Curve – Unadjusted.

- (i) "Par Yield Curve Unadjusted" means the Cash Settlement Method set out in this Section 18.2.7.
- (ii) Subject to paragraph (iii) below, if Par Yield Curve Unadjusted applies, the Cash Settlement Amount shall be the present value of an annuity, expressed in the Cash Settlement Currency, determined as of the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, equal to the difference between:
 - (a) the amounts that would be payable by the Fixed Amount Payer under the Relevant Transaction if the Fixed Rate were the Settlement Rate; and
 - (b) the amounts payable by the Fixed Amount Payer under the Relevant Transaction.

The discount rate used to calculate that present value will be equal to the Settlement Rate. Such annuity payment and discounting shall be calculated based on the Fixed Amount Payer Payment Dates under the Relevant Transaction without regard to adjustment based on any Business Day Convention.

- (iii) If there is an Optional Early Termination Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date that falls on a date that is not both a Fixed Amount Payer Payment Date and a Floating Amount Payer Payment Date under the Relevant Transaction, the Cash Settlement Amount shall be an amount equal to the Cash Settlement Amount determined pursuant to paragraph (ii) above in respect of the period from, and including, the next such Payment Date, as increased or decreased, as applicable, by an amount in respect of the amounts accrued for the Calculation Period in which the Optional Early Termination Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date falls but in respect of which the Payment Date for such Calculation Period has not yet arisen as at the Optional Early Termination Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date.
- (iv) If the parties are unable to agree the Cash Settlement Amount in accordance with paragraphs (ii) and (iii) above, the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined by the Calculation Agent using the methodology set out in this Section 18.2.7.

18.3 Fallback Cash Settlement Amount – Dispute Resolution.

18.3.1 Fallback Cash Settlement Amount - Dispute Resolution Process.

If a party reasonably disputes the Calculation Agent's determination of the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount, then:

- (i) the disputing party shall, by the Notification Deadline on the second Business Day following the later of (1) the date on which it was notified of the determination and (2) the date on which it received the relevant Calculation Statement, notify the other party and the Calculation Agent (if the Calculation Agent is not the other party) in writing that it disputes that determination and provide reasonable detail of the reason for its dispute and any supporting Relevant Market Data;
- (ii) the parties shall then consult with each other in good faith in an attempt to resolve the dispute; and
- (iii) if the dispute is not resolved by the Close of Business on the fourth Business Day following the notification of the dispute under paragraph (i) above (or any other date that the parties may agree):
 - (a) the Calculation Agent's original determination of the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall apply but adjusted to reflect:
 - (I) any changes that the parties have agreed in the consultations carried out pursuant to paragraph (ii) above;
 - (II) any data or determination agreed upon by the parties; and
 - (III) any other changes that the Calculation Agent considers appropriate in light of those consultations (taking into account Relevant Market Data),

(but without prejudice to any rights or remedies that the disputing party may have in connection with the determination);

- (b) the Calculation Agent shall provide that party with a written explanation (in reasonable detail) of any adjustment that has been made to the original determination of the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount; and
- (c) the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be payable on the Business Day following the earlier of (i) the date on which the dispute is resolved and (ii) the last Business Day of the period for resolution of the dispute in accordance with this paragraph (iii), together with interest on that amount at the Applicable Rate for the period from (and including) the Cash Settlement Payment Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date, as applicable, to (but excluding) the date on which the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount is paid.

18.3.2 Hierarchy of Dispute Resolution Provisions.

If the parties have agreed to a different process for challenging or disputing determinations made by the Calculation Agent that applies to the determination of a Fallback Cash Settlement Amount (whether set out in an ISDA Master Agreement or any other documentation between the parties), then that process shall take precedence over Section 18.3.1 (Fallback Cash Settlement Amount - Dispute Resolution Process), unless the parties have expressly agreed in writing to apply Section 18.3.1 (Fallback Cash Settlement Amount - Dispute Resolution Process) in lieu of that alternative dispute

resolution process, in which case Section 18.3.1 (Fallback Cash Settlement Amount - Dispute Resolution Process) shall prevail.

18.4 Definitions Applicable to the Cash Settlement Methods.

18.4.1 Adjustment Amount.

"Adjustment Amount" means:

- (i) the amount (if any) as the parties agree (acting in good faith and using commercially reasonable procedures), that represents the difference, as at the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, between the Settlement Rate and the fixed rate that would be payable under an Interest Rate Swap having the same terms as the Relevant Transaction, if the Cash Settlement Valuation Date were the Trade Date of the Relevant Transaction and the Relevant Transaction were to be cleared by the relevant Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse and, if an Agreed Discount Rate has been specified, assuming that the Mutually Agreed Clearinghouse pays interest on cash collateral in the currency of the Relevant Transaction at the Agreed Discount Rate; or
- (ii) if the parties are unable to agree on such amount (subject to paragraph (viii) of Section 18.2.6 (Collateralized Cash Price)), an amount determined by the Calculation Agent on the basis of quotes from the Cash Settlement Reference Banks for the difference between the Settlement Rate and the fixed rate described in paragraph (i) above. The Adjustment Amount will be the Arithmetic Mean of the amounts specified in those Quotations. If fewer than two such Quotations are provided, the Adjustment Amount will be determined by the Calculation Agent.

18.4.2 Agreed Discount Rate.

"Agreed Discount Rate" means the interest rate benchmark specified as such in the Confirmation.

18.4.3 Applicable Rate.

"Applicable Rate" means, in respect of an amount that is the subject of a dispute pursuant to Section 18.3.1 (Fallback Cash Settlement Amount - Dispute Resolution Process):

- (i) for the period from (and including) the date on which, but for the dispute, such amount fell due to (but excluding) the date determined in accordance with paragraph (iii)(c) of Section 18.3.1 (Fallback Cash Settlement Amount Dispute Resolution Process) on which such amount becomes payable, the rate per annum equal to the cost (without proof of evidence of any actual cost) to the relevant payee (as certified by it) if it were to fund or of funding the relevant amount; and
- (ii) for the period from (and including) the date determined in accordance with paragraph (iii)(c) of Section 18.3.1 (Fallback Cash Settlement Amount Dispute Resolution Process) on which the amount becomes payable to (but excluding) the date of actual payment, the Default Rate (as defined in the ISDA Master Agreement).

18.4.4 Arithmetic Mean.

"Arithmetic Mean" means, in respect of any quotations:

- (i) if more than three quotations are provided, the arithmetic mean of those quotations, after eliminating the highest quotation and the lowest quotation; and
- (ii) if two or three quotations are provided, the arithmetic mean of those quotations.

18.4.5 Best Quotation.

"Best Quotation" means the quotation that represents the most favourable price to the Protected Party for a replacement transaction.

18.4.6 Cashflow Currency.

"Cashflow Currency" means, in respect of a party, the currency in which amounts are expressed to be payable by that party to the other party.

18.4.7 Cash Settlement Currency.

"Cash Settlement Currency" means the currency or the currencies specified as such in the Confirmation or, if no currency or currencies are specified:

- (i) if the Relevant Transaction involves one currency, that currency;
- (ii) if the Settlement Matrix applies and the Relevant Transaction involves two currencies that are specified as a "Currency Pair" in the Settlement Matrix, the currency specified under the heading "Cash Settlement Currency" in the Settlement Matrix for that "Currency Pair";
- (iii) if the Settlement Matrix does not apply or if the Settlement Matrix applies but the Relevant Transaction involves two currencies that are not specified as a "Currency Pair" in the Settlement Matrix, the currency specified as the settlement currency for the Relevant Transaction or, if no settlement currency is specified for the Relevant Transaction, the currency or, in respect of Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations), Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) Alternate Method or Mid-market Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination), the two currencies agreed between the parties on or before the Cash Settlement Valuation Date; or
- (iv) if the Relevant Transaction involves two currencies and a Cash Settlement Currency has not been determined in accordance with paragraph (ii) or (iii) above:
 - (a) if there is one Termination Currency under the Relevant Master Agreement, that currency; or
 - (b) if there are two Termination Currencies under the Relevant Master Agreement, the Termination Currency applicable to a determination following a Termination Event (as defined in the Relevant Master Agreement or, if such term is not defined, the comparable term under the Relevant Master Agreement).

18.4.8 Cash Settlement Payment Date.

- (i) "Cash Settlement Payment Date" means the date specified or deemed to have been specified as such in the Confirmation or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose.
- (ii) Unless otherwise specified, the Following Business Day Convention shall apply to the Cash Settlement Payment Date.
- (iii) If Quotations are required in order to determine the Cash Settlement Amount or Fallback Cash Settlement Amount and the date on which Quotations are to be provided occurs after the Cash Settlement Valuation Date pursuant to paragraph (v) of Section 18.1.6 (Requesting Quotations from Cash Settlement Reference Banks) or otherwise, the Cash Settlement Payment Date shall be adjusted to fall the same number of relevant days after the date on which the Quotations are

to be provided as separates the scheduled Cash Settlement Payment Date from the Cash Settlement Valuation Date.

18.4.9 Cash Settlement Valuation Date.

"Cash Settlement Valuation Date" means:

- (i) the date specified or deemed to have been specified as such in the Confirmation or determined pursuant to a method specified for that purpose; or
- (ii) if no such date or method is specified:
 - (a) in the case of a Swaption, the Exercise Date;
 - (b) in the case of a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" or "Mandatory Early Termination" applies, if the Relevant Transaction involves a single Notional Amount and the currency in which that single Notional Amount is expressed is included in the Settlement Matrix, the date determined as indicated under the relevant heading "Cash Settlement Valuation Date" for the relevant currency and, if relevant, the Floating Rate Option, in the Settlement Matrix;
 - (c) in the case of a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" or "Mandatory Early Termination" applies, if the Relevant Transaction involves two currencies specified as a "Currency Pair" in the Settlement Matrix, the date determined as indicated under the relevant heading "Cash Settlement Valuation Date" for the relevant currency pair; and
 - (d) in all other cases, the second Valuation Business Day before the Cash Settlement Payment Date, the Optional Early Termination Date or the Mandatory Early Termination Date, as applicable.

Unless otherwise specified in the Confirmation, the Preceding Business Day Convention shall apply to the Cash Settlement Valuation Date (and, for this purpose, references in the definition of Preceding Business Day Convention to a "Business Day" shall be treated as references to a "Valuation Business Day").

18.4.10 Cash Settlement Valuation Time.

"Cash Settlement Valuation Time" means the time specified or deemed to have been specified as such in the Confirmation.

18.4.11 Credit Support Annex.

"Credit Support Annex" means:

- (i) if the Relevant Master Agreement is an ISDA Master Agreement, one of the versions of the credit support annexes published by ISDA; and
- (ii) if the Relevant Master Agreement is any other industry standard master agreement, one of the documents that provides for the exchange of variation margin that has been published for use with such industry standard master agreement.

18.4.12 Discount Rate.

"Discount Rate" means:

(i) for the purpose of Section 18.2.6 (Collateralized Cash Price):

- (a) if an Agreed Discount Rate is specified in the Confirmation, the interest rate benchmark specified as the Agreed Discount Rate; and
- (b) if an Agreed Discount Rate is not specified in the Confirmation, the interest rate benchmark determined in accordance with paragraph (ii) below; and
- (ii) for all other purposes:
 - (a) the Discount Rate specified in the Settlement Matrix with respect to the relevant currency at the time the Relevant Transaction is entered into; or
 - (b) if no Discount Rate is specified in the Settlement Matrix for the relevant currency at the time the Relevant Transaction is entered into, the interest rate benchmark selected by the Calculation Agent for the purpose of discounting cashflows in the relevant currency.

18.4.13 Existing CSA.

"Existing CSA" has the meaning given in paragraph (iv)(b)(II) of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)).

18.4.14 Firm Quotation.

"Firm Quotation" has the meaning given in paragraph (ii)(a) of Section 18.2.4 (Replacement Value (Firm Quotations)).

18.4.15 Indicative Quotation.

"Indicative Quotation" has the meaning given in paragraph (iii)(a) of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)).

18.4.16 **ISDA VM CSA.**

"ISDA VM CSA" means the 2016 ISDA Credit Support Annex for Variation Margin (VM) published by ISDA governed by the same governing law as the ISDA Master Agreement between the parties to the Transaction (and in the absence of an ISDA Master Agreement, the same governing law as the Relevant Transaction).

18.4.17 **Protected Party.**

"Protected Party" means the party specified as such in the Confirmation, or, if neither party is specified:

- (i) for the purpose of an Optional Early Termination Right, the Non-exercising Party; and
- (ii) for any other valuation using Replacement Value (Firm Quotations) or Replacement Value (Calculation Agent Determination), including for the purpose of a Mandatory Early Termination Date, both parties.

18.4.18 **Quotations.**

"Quotations" means:

- (i) for the purpose of Section 18.2.1 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)*) and Section 18.2.2 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) Alternate Method*), Indicative Quotations;
- (ii) for the purpose of Section 18.2.4 (Replacement Value (Firm Quotations)), Firm Quotations;

- (iii) for the purpose of paragraph (vi) of Section 18.2.6 (*Collateralized Cash Price*), the quotations from the Cash Settlement Reference Banks for the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount required pursuant to such section; and
- (iv) for the purpose of paragraph (ii) of Section 18.4.1 (*Adjustment Amount*), the quotations from the Cash Settlement Reference Banks for the Adjustment Amount required pursuant to such section

18.4.19 Reference VM CSA.

"Reference VM CSA" has the meaning given in paragraph (iv)(b)(III) of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)).

18.4.20 Relevant Master Agreement.

"Relevant Master Agreement" means:

- (i) for the purposes of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)):
 - (a) if the relevant Transaction is subject to an ISDA Master Agreement, an agreement in the form of the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement without any schedule and governed by the same law as governs the Transaction;
 - (b) if the relevant Transaction is subject to any other industry standard master agreement, an agreement in the standard form of such industry standard master agreement without any elections and governed by the same law as governs the Transaction;
 - (c) if the relevant Transaction is not subject to either an ISDA Master Agreement or any other standard master agreement, an agreement in the form of the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement without any schedule and governed by the same law as governs the Transaction.

(where, for the purpose of paragraphs (a) and (c) above, "ISDA Master Agreement" means either a 1992 ISDA Master Agreement or an ISDA 2002 Master Agreement, each as published by ISDA); and

- (ii) for the purpose of Section 18.2.4 (Replacement Value (Firm Quotations)), Section 18.2.5 (Replacement Value (Calculation Agent Determination)) and Section 18.4.7 (Cash Settlement Currency):
 - (a) if the relevant Transaction is subject to an ISDA Master Agreement, that ISDA Master Agreement; and
 - (b) if the relevant Transaction is subject to any other industry standard master agreement, that industry standard master agreement,

(where for the purpose of paragraph (a) above, "ISDA Master Agreement" means either the 1992 ISDA Master Agreement or the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement, each as published by ISDA, and as entered into by the parties).

18.4.21 Relevant Transaction.

"Relevant Transaction" means:

- in the case of a Swaption and an Exercise Date under that Swaption, a Transaction on the same terms as the Underlying Transaction but with a Notional Amount equal to the Notional Amount of the Underlying Transaction exercised or deemed exercised on that Exercise Date;
- (ii) in the case of a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies and an Exercise Date under that Transaction, a Transaction on the same terms as that Transaction but with a Notional Amount equal to the Notional Amount of the Transaction exercised or deemed exercised on that Exercise Date;
- (iii) in the case of a Transaction to which "Mandatory Early Termination" applies, a Transaction on the same terms as that Transaction; and
- (iv) in the case of any other Option Transaction, a Transaction on the same terms as that Transaction.

18.4.22 Settlement FX Rate.

"Settlement FX Rate" means, in each case where an amount is not denominated in the relevant Cash Settlement Currency, a mid-market currency exchange rate for a foreign exchange transaction in that Cash Settlement Currency and the relevant Cashflow Currency on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date determined by:

- (i) the relevant Cash Settlement Reference Bank; or
- (ii) if the determination of the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount is being made by the Calculation Agent, the Calculation Agent; or
- (iii) if the determination of the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount is being made by each of the parties pursuant to paragraph (ii)(c) of Section 18.2.2 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) Alternate Method*), the relevant party.

18.4.23 Settlement Matrix.

"**Settlement Matrix**" means the "2021 ISDA Interest Rate Derivatives Definitions Settlement Matrix for Settlement, Early Termination and Swaptions".

18.4.24 Single Cash Settlement Currency.

"Single Cash Settlement Currency" means:

- (i) if there is one Cash Settlement Currency specified for the Transaction, that currency; and
- (ii) if there are two Cash Settlement Currencies specified for the Transaction, the currency determined under paragraph (ii) or (iv) of Section 18.4.7 (Cash Settlement Currency), as though a determination were being made pursuant to that section.

18.4.25 Template Quotation Request Form.

"Template Quotation Request Form" means either the template form for requesting Indicative Quotations for the purposes of Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) or Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) — Alternate Method as set out in Appendix IA (Form of Request to provide an Indicative Quotation) or the template form for requesting Firm Quotations for the purposes of Replacement Value (Firm Quotations) as set out in Appendix IB (Form of Request to provide a Firm Quotation).

18.4.26 Valuation Business Day.

"Valuation Business Day" means any day that is a Business Day in the place(s) specified or deemed to have been specified for that purpose in the relevant Confirmation and, if place(s) are not so specified or deemed to have been specified, a day that is:

- (i) a Currency Business Day in respect of each currency that is specified as a Cash Settlement Currency; and
- (ii) a Business Day in respect of the financial center, if any, referred to in the specified Floating Rate Option; and
- (iii) a Publication Calendar Day in respect of the specified Floating Rate Option where such Floating Rate Option is determined by reference to a Publication Calendar Day; and
- (iv) a TARGET Settlement Day, if the specified Floating Rate Option refers to a TARGET Settlement Day; and
- (v) a U.S. Government Securities Business Day, if the specified Floating Rate Option refers to a U.S. Government Securities Business Day.

18.4.27 VM Credit Support Annex.

"VM Credit Support Annex" means:

- (i) if the Relevant Master Agreement is an ISDA Master Agreement, an ISDA VM CSA; and
- (ii) if the Relevant Master Agreement is any other industry standard master agreement, the Credit Support Annex governed by the same governing law as the Relevant Master Agreement that is published for use with that industry standard master agreement that provides for the exchange of variation margin in a manner that is designed to comply with any applicable regulatory requirements or, if no such Credit Support Annex exists, an ISDA VM CSA with such changes as are necessary for the ISDA VM CSA to form part of, or be an annex to, the Relevant Master Agreement (and for such purpose, the reference to "ISDA Master Agreement" in the definition of ISDA VM CSA shall be read as a reference to the Relevant Master Agreement).

Appendix IA Form of Request to provide an Indicative Quotation

[Date]

Request to provide an Indicative Quotation for the purposes of [Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)] / [Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)] - Alternate Method] [delete as applicable]

[Name and address of Cash Settlement Reference Bank]

The purpose of this request is to ask you to provide an Indicative Quotation using the [Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)] / [Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) - Alternate Method] methodology set out in the Definitions (as defined below) (the "**Prescribed Methodology**") in respect of the Relevant Transaction, the terms of which are set out in Form of Request to Provide an Indicative Quotation – Annex 2.

Terms defined in the 2021 ISDA Interest Rate Derivatives Definitions (the "**Definitions**"), as published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc., and not otherwise defined in this request have the same meanings in this request.

For the purposes of this request, the following terms used in the Definitions shall have the meanings or values (as applicable) set out below.

Notional Amount ²	[•]
Cash Settlement Valuation Date ³	[•]
Cash Settlement	[•]
Valuation Time ⁴	
Quotation rate ⁵	The mid-point between the relevant "bid" and "offer" rates.
Governing documentation ⁶	The Relevant Transaction shall be deemed to be governed by [an ISDA Master Agreement in the form of the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement] [insert details of the form of non-ISDA Master Agreement that applies as the "Relevant Master Agreement"].

[Option 1: Include the following fields if "No CSA" is specified as the "MMV Applicable CSA" in the Confirmation, otherwise delete these fields.]

Insert the relevant Notional Amount exercised to which the cash settlement/early termination relates.

Delete as applicable.

If no Cash Settlement Valuation Date is specified in the Confirmation, this will be the Exercise Date for a Swaption or the date specified as the Cash Settlement Valuation Date in the Settlement Matrix for a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" or "Mandatory Early Termination" applies.

⁴ This is the time specified as such in the Confirmation, if applicable.

⁵ This is not an election and this field should not be edited. This is included for the benefit of the quoting dealer to inform them that the quotation provided should be for a mid-market rate. See paragraph (iv)(a) of Section 18.2.1 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)*).

This is not an election and this field should not be edited. This is included for the benefit of the quoting dealer to inform them that the quotation should be based on a deemed standard Relevant Master Agreement and not the actual documentation in place between the two parties to the Relevant Transaction. See paragraph (iv)(b) of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)) and the definition of Relevant Master Agreement in Section 18.4.20 (Relevant Master Agreement).

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No CSA	Applicable	
Discount factors for	Zero coupon curve derived from, or otherwise adjusted to take into account, $[\bullet]^7$,	
determining the present	as adjusted by the Basis Adjustment, if applicable, but without further	
value	adjustment for any other factors.	

[Option 2: Include the following fields if "Existing CSA" is specified as the "MMV Applicable CSA" in the Confirmation, otherwise delete these fields.]

Existing CSA	Applicable, with the following Relevant Terms:	
Relevant Terms ⁸	Eligible Collateral/Eligible Collateral (VM) or Eligible Credit Support/Eligible Credit Support (VM)	[insert details of the eligible collateral pursuant to the Existing CSA]
	Interest Rate/Interest Rate (VM)	[insert the rate of interest paid on cash collateral under the Existing CSA]
	Negative Interest	[Applicable] / [Not Applicable] [delete as applicable]
	Minimum Transfer Amount	[•]
	Threshold ⁹	Party A: [•] / [Not Applicable] [delete as applicable]
		Party B: [●] / [Not Applicable] [delete as applicable]
Discount factors for determining the present value ¹⁰	Zero coupon curve derived from, or otherwise adjusted to take into account, the Relevant Terms of the Existing CSA (above), as adjusted by the Basis Adjustment, if applicable, but without further adjustment for any other factors.	

[Option 3: Include the following fields if "Reference VM CSA" is specified as the "MMV Applicable CSA" in the Confirmation or if neither "No CSA" nor "Existing CSA" is specified as the "MMV Applicable CSA", otherwise delete these fields.]

Insert the Agreed Discount Rate if one has been specified in the Confirmation, otherwise specify the Discount Rate for the Cash Settlement Currency as set out in the Settlement Matrix. If no Discount Rate is specified in the Settlement Matrix for the relevant currency at the time the Relevant Transaction is entered into, the Discount Rate will be the interest rate benchmark selected by the Calculation Agent for the purpose of discounting cashflows.

The Relevant Terms are the actual terms of the Existing CSA. These fields should be completed with the relevant elections from the Existing CSA. These terms may need amending if the Reference VM CSA is not an ISDA VM CSA to reflect the equivalent concepts under the Reference VM CSA. See paragraph (v)(c) of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)).

Insert any applicable Threshold (or equivalent concept under the Existing CSA) that applies before an amount becomes transferable under the Existing CSA. Note that the 2016 Credit Support Annex for Variation Margin (English law/New York law) does not contain a Threshold as standard.

This is not an election and this field should not be edited. This is included for the benefit of the quoting dealer to inform them of the relevant discount factors to use in determining the present value. See paragraph (iv)(c) of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)).

Credit support agreement	Reference VM CSA ¹¹ , with the following elections:	
	Eligible Collateral (VM) or Eligible Credit Support (VM)	Cash in [the Cash Settlement Currency] / [the "Cash Collateral Currency" specified in the
		Confirmation] / [the Single Cash Settlement Currency] ¹²
	Interest Rate (VM)	[If a "Cash Collateral Interest Rate" is specified in the Confirmation, insert that rate, otherwise insert the Discount Rate for the relevant currency from the Settlement Matrix] ¹³
	Negative Interest ¹⁴	Applicable
	Minimum Transfer Amount ¹⁵	Zero
	Threshold ¹⁶	Not Applicable
Discount factors for determining the present value ¹⁷	Zero coupon curve derived from, or otherwise adjusted to take into account, the Relevant Terms of the Reference VM CSA (above), as adjusted by the Basis Adjustment, if applicable, but without further adjustment for any other factors.	

[Insert the following rows irrespective of whether "No CSA", "Existing CSA" or "Reference VM CSA" applies.]

Adjustments ¹⁸	No adjustments shall be made to any present value
	(other than any adjustment required as a result of a

If neither "No CSA" nor "Existing CSA" is specified in the Confirmation to be applicable, the Transaction is deemed to be subject to a bilateral VM Credit Support Annex (the "Reference VM CSA") under which the Relevant Transaction is the only covered transaction. The elections specified in this table need to be completed to complete the terms of that Reference VM CSA. See paragraph (iv)(b)(III) of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)).

Insert the relevant currency of the Eligible Collateral (VM) or Eligible Credit Support (VM) (or the equivalent term under the Reference VM CSA). The only Eligible Collateral (VM) or Eligible Credit Support (VM) (as applicable, or the equivalent term) under the Reference VM CSA is deemed to be cash denominated in the Cash Settlement Currency (or, if there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, the "Cash Collateral Currency" specified in the Confirmation or, if none is specified, the Single Cash Settlement Currency determined in accordance with paragraphs (ii) and (iv) of Section 18.4.7 (Cash Settlement Currency)). See paragraph (iv)(b)(III)(1) of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)).

¹³ If a "Cash Collateral Interest Rate" is specified in the Confirmation, insert the interest rate benchmark that is specified as such. If one is not specified in the Confirmation, insert the Discount Rate for the "Cash Collateral Currency" that is set out in the Settlement Matrix. If one is not specified, the Calculation Agent will determine the interest rate benchmark to be specified here. See paragraph (iv)(b)(III)(2) of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)) and the definition of "Discount Rate" in Section 18.4.12 (Discount Rate).

¹⁴ This is not an election and this field should not be edited. This is included for the benefit of the quoting dealer to inform them that Negative Interest is deemed to apply under the terms of the Reference VM CSA. The term "Negative Interest" may need amending if the Reference VM CSA is not an ISDA VM CSA to reflect the equivalent concept under the Reference VM CSA.

¹⁵ This is not an election and this field should not be edited. This is included for the benefit of the quoting dealer to inform them that a Minimum Transfer Amount of zero is deemed to apply under the terms of the Reference VM CSA. The term "Minimum Transfer Amount" may need amending if the Reference VM CSA is not an ISDA VM CSA to reflect the equivalent concept under the Reference VM CSA.

This is not an election and this field should not be edited. This is included for the benefit of the quoting dealer to inform them that a deemed Threshold of zero applies under the terms of the Reference VM CSA. The term "Threshold" may need amending if the Reference VM CSA is not an ISDA VM CSA to reflect the equivalent concept under the Reference VM CSA.

¹⁷ This is not an election and this field should not be edited. This is included for the benefit of the quoting dealer to inform them of the relevant discount factors to use in determining the present value. See paragraph (iv)(c) of Section 18.2.1 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)*).

¹⁸ This is not an election and this field should not be edited. This is included for the benefit of the quoting dealer to inform them not to apply any other adjustments to the net present value. See paragraph (iv)(d) of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)).

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	contingency (specified below, if applicable)),
	including any adjustment to reflect the risk of non-
	performance by either of the parties, the impact of
	any regulatory capital costs or gains or any cost of
	funding or funding gains that would accrue to either
	party.
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Contingencies	[Not Applicable] $/ [\bullet]^{19}$ [delete as applicable]

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The parties to the Relevant Transaction acknowledge and agree that:

- (i) the Cash Settlement Reference Bank will incur no liability from providing an Indicative Quotation using the Prescribed Methodology for the purposes of determining the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount(s) in respect of the Relevant Transaction in accordance with this request; and
- (ii) any Indicative Quotation received will be used solely for the purpose of determining the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount(s), and neither the Indicative Quotation nor any information related to it or the Cash Settlement Reference Bank will be disclosed to anyone other than parties to the Relevant Transaction, the Calculation Agent (if different) and their professional advisers, except as required by applicable law or regulation.

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Insert a description of the relevant contingency. Note that the possibility of an Event of Default, a Potential Event of Default or a Termination Event (or the comparable concept under the Relevant Master Agreement) shall not be regarded as a contingency. See paragraph (iv)(e) of Section 18.2.1 (Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)).

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[Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)] [Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) - Alternate Method]¹

18.2.1 Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations).

- (i) "Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)" means the Cash Settlement Method set out in this Section 18.2.1.
- (ii) If Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) applies, the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be:
 - (a) if there is one Cash Settlement Currency, an amount (expressed in the Cash Settlement Currency) determined as:
 - (I) in the case of an Exercise Date under a Swaption, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from each of the parties under the Relevant Transaction if it had come into effect on the Exercise Date; and
 - (II) in the case of a Mandatory Early Termination Date or an Exercise Date under a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from each of the parties under the Relevant Transaction on or after the Cash Settlement Valuation Date but for the occurrence of the Exercise Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date.

In each case, the present value of any payments that are not denominated in the Cash Settlement Currency shall be converted into the Cash Settlement Currency at the Settlement FX Rate after discounting using the discount factors determined in accordance with paragraph (iv)(c) below; and

- (b) if there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, for each Cash Settlement Currency:
 - (I) in the case of an Exercise Date under a Swaption, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from each of the parties in that Cash Settlement Currency under the Relevant Transaction if it had come into effect on the Exercise Date; and
 - (II) in the case of a Mandatory Early Termination Date or an Exercise Date under a Transaction to which "Optional Early Termination" applies, the net present value of the payments that would have been due from each of the parties in that Cash Settlement Currency under the Relevant Transaction on or after the Cash Settlement Valuation Date but for the occurrence of the Exercise Date or Mandatory Early Termination Date.
- (iii) The Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined as of the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, as follows:

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Delete as appropriate. If the relevant Cash Settlement Method is Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations), delete the language in this Annex for Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) — Alternate Method. If the relevant Cash Settlement Method is Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) — Alternate Method, retain the language in this Annex for both Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) and Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) — Alternate Method; this is because Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) — Alternate Method refers back to the Prescribed Methodology set out in Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) and so both provisions are required to apply Midmarket Valuation (Indicative Quotations) — Alternate Method.

- (a) the Calculation Agent and, in the circumstances set out in Section 18.1.6 (Requesting Quotations from Cash Settlement Reference Banks), the other party, shall ask the Cash Settlement Reference Banks to provide their estimates of the net present value (or, as the case may be, each present value), using the Prescribed Methodology (each estimate, an "Indicative Quotation"); and
- (b) the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be the Arithmetic Mean of the amounts (or, in the case of a Transaction involving two Cash Settlement Currencies, for each Cash Settlement Currency, the Arithmetic Mean of the amounts expressed in that Cash Settlement Currency) specified in those Indicative Quotations. However, if fewer than two Indicative Quotations are provided, the Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined by the Calculation Agent as if the Cash Settlement Method were Midmarket Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination).

(iv) The "**Prescribed Methodology**" is as follows:

- (a) any price, rate or value that is used shall be the mid-point between the relevant "bid" and "offer" rates;
- (b) the Relevant Transaction shall be deemed to be governed by a Relevant Master Agreement and:
 - (I) if "No CSA" applies as the "MMV Applicable CSA", that Relevant Master Agreement shall have no Credit Support Annex;
 - (II) if "Existing CSA" applies as the "MMV Applicable CSA" and (1) a Credit Support Annex for variation margin (whether or not the term "variation margin" is expressly used therein) entered into between the parties to the Transaction applies to the Transaction, that Relevant Master Agreement shall have a Credit Support Annex that includes the same Relevant Terms as that Credit Support Annex, but on the basis that the Relevant Transaction is deemed to be the only Transaction subject to that Credit Support Annex (the "Existing CSA"), or (2) no such Credit Support Annex applies to the Transaction, "No CSA" shall be deemed to apply;
 - (III) if neither "No CSA" nor "Existing CSA" applies as the "MMV Applicable CSA", that Relevant Master Agreement shall have a bilateral VM Credit Support Annex (the "Reference VM CSA") under which the Relevant Transaction is the only transaction subject to that VM Credit Support Annex and providing for the following elections in respect of each party:
 - (1) the only "Eligible Collateral (VM)" or "Eligible Credit Support (VM)" (each as defined in the VM Credit Support Annex) is cash denominated in the Cash Settlement Currency (or, if there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, the "Cash Collateral Currency" specified in the Confirmation or, if none is specified, the Single Cash Settlement Currency);
 - (2) the "Interest Rate (VM)" in respect of that cash collateral is the "Cash Collateral Interest Rate" specified in the Confirmation or, if none is specified, the Discount Rate for the relevant currency;
 - (3) "Negative Interest" applies;

- (4) the "Minimum Transfer Amount" is zero; and
- (5) the "Threshold" is zero,

or, in each case, if any of the terms "Eligible Collateral (VM)", "Eligible Credit Support (VM)", "Interest Rate (VM)", "Negative Interest", "Minimum Transfer Amount" or "Threshold" do not appear in the relevant VM Credit Support Annex, the comparable term or provision that appears in the relevant VM Credit Support Annex (if applicable);

- (c) the discount factors used to calculate that present value will be calculated from a zero coupon curve determined as at the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date and which:
 - (I) if "No CSA" applies, is derived from, or adjusted to take into account, the Agreed Discount Rate or, if no Agreed Discount Rate is specified in the Confirmation, the Discount Rate for the Cash Settlement Currency (or, if there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, the Single Cash Settlement Currency); or
 - (II) if "Existing CSA" or "Reference VM CSA" applies, is derived from, or adjusted to take into account, the Relevant Terms of the Relevant Collateral Agreement, as the case may be,

in each case as adjusted by the Basis Adjustment, if applicable, but without further adjustment for any other factors.

For the purposes of this paragraph (c), if "Existing CSA" applies, the Cash Settlement Reference Bank shall be required to assume that the collateral provider pursuant to the Existing CSA will deliver the collateral that from time to time involves the lowest funding cost, as determined by the Cash Settlement Reference Bank;

- (d) no adjustments shall be made to any present value (other than any adjustment required as a result of a contingency under paragraph (e) below), including any adjustment to reflect the risk of non-performance by either of the parties, the impact of any regulatory capital costs or gains or (without prejudice to paragraph (b) or (c) above) any cost of funding or funding gains that would accrue to either party; and
- (e) the assessment of any present value shall have regard to whether the relevant payment is due only upon the satisfaction of, or is otherwise subject to, a contingency and, if so, the likelihood of that contingency occurring but the possibility of an Event of Default, a Potential Event of Default or a Termination Event (each as defined in the Relevant Master Agreement or the comparable provision under the Relevant Master Agreement however defined and if applicable) shall not be regarded as a contingency for these purposes.
- (v) For the purposes of this Section 18.2.1:
 - (a) "Basis Adjustment" means an adjustment to the zero coupon curve to reflect the basis spreads that would apply pursuant to one or more swap transactions that are required to swap the interest rate applicable to the Cashflow Currency to the interest rate or financing rate applicable pursuant to either (1) the Relevant Collateral Agreement, or (2) the Agreed Discount Rate or Discount Rate, as applicable;

- (b) "Relevant Collateral Agreement" means the Existing CSA or the Reference VM CSA, as applicable; and
- (c) "Relevant Terms" means:
 - (I) for the purposes of the Existing CSA, the "Eligible Collateral", "Eligible Collateral (VM)", "Eligible Credit Support" or "Eligible Credit Support (VM)", as applicable, the rate of interest payable on that collateral or credit support or the "Interest Rate" or "Interest Rate (VM)", as applicable, the "Minimum Transfer Amount", the "Threshold" (if any) and whether "Negative Interest" is applicable (or, in each case, if any of those terms do not appear in the relevant Credit Support Annex, the comparable terms or provisions that appear in the relevant Credit Support Annex, but if any of those comparable terms do not appear in the relevant Credit Support Annex, they shall not form part of the Relevant Terms), and all terms and provisions relating thereto including the standard terms of the pre-printed form of the relevant Credit Support Annex; and
 - (II) for the purposes of the Reference VM CSA, the elections set out in paragraph (iv)(b)(III) above and all terms and provisions relating thereto including the standard terms of the pre-printed form of the VM Credit Support Annex.

[18.2.2 Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) – Alternate Method.

- (i) "Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) Alternate Method" means the Cash Settlement Method set out in this Section 18.2.2.
- (ii) If Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations) Alternate Method applies, the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined in accordance with Section 18.2.1 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations)*) but with the following changes:
 - (a) Cash Settlement Reference Banks shall mean three leading dealers that are active in the market for the relevant type of Transaction selected by each party in good faith (irrespective of whether each party selects one or more institutions that are the same);
 - (b) for the purpose of paragraph (iii)(a) of Section 18.2.1 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations*)), each party shall ask each of the Cash Settlement Reference Banks selected by it to provide its Indicative Quotation and each Indicative Quotation obtained shall be taken into account in determining the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount; and
 - (c) for the purpose of paragraph (iii)(b) of Section 18.2.1 (*Mid-market Valuation (Indicative Quotations*)), if fewer than two Indicative Quotations are provided in total by all Cash Settlement Reference Banks, the Cash Settlement Amount shall be determined as the arithmetic average of the amounts determined by each of the parties, acting in good faith and using commercially reasonable procedures in order to produce a commercially reasonable result, as if the Cash Settlement Method were Mid-market Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination) and the references in Section 18.2.3 (*Mid-market Valuation (Calculation Agent Determination*)) to the "Calculation Agent" were references to the relevant party.]

FORM OF REQUEST TO PROVIDE AN INDICATIVE QUOTATION – ANNEX 2

[Insert details of the Relevant Transaction or attach the Confirmation]

Appendix IB Form of Request to provide a Firm Quotation

[Date]

Request to provide [a] firm quotation[s] for the purposes of Replacement Value (Firm Quotations)

[Name and address of Cash Settlement Reference Bank]

The purpose of this request is to ask you to provide [a] firm quotation[s] in the Cash Settlement Currency of the amount you would pay, or would charge, to enter into a transaction with [the Protected Party set out below]¹ / [each of $[\bullet]$ ("Party A") and $[\bullet]$ ("Party B")]² that would have the effect of replicating the material terms of the transaction described in the Annex (the "Relevant Transaction").

The firm quotation[s] should be provided as of $[\bullet]^3$ on $[\bullet]^4$.

Terms defined in the 2021 ISDA Interest Rate Derivatives Definitions (the "**Definitions**"), as published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc., and not otherwise defined in this request have the same meanings in this request.

[Include the following language and elections if there is only one Protected Party, otherwise delete this language.]

For the purpose of providing the firm quotation, the Relevant Transaction shall be governed by the Prescribed Documentation specified below.

Protected Party ⁵	[•]				
Prescribed	[The [ISDA Master Agreement] [insert details of the non-ISDA Master				
Documentation ⁶	Agreement] (including any relevant Credit Support Annex) [dated as of [●]] ⁷				
	entered into between the Cash Settlement Reference Bank and the Protected				
	Party.] / [An agreement in the form of the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement,				
	together with a bilateral ISDA VM CSA, deemed entered into between the Cash				
	Settlement Reference Bank and the Protected Party under which the Relevant				
	Transaction is the only Covered Transaction (VM) (as defined therein) and the				
	only Eligible Collateral (VM) or Eligible Credit Support (VM) (each as defined				

¹ Use this option is there is only one Protected Party specified in the Confirmation.

² If each party is a Protected Party, use this option and include the names of both parties.

The quotation must be given as soon as reasonably practicable following the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date. If this request is being given prior to the Cash Settlement Valuation Time on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, insert the Cash Settlement Valuation Time specified in the Confirmation, if applicable, or in the Settlement Matrix. If the request is being given after the Cash Settlement Valuation Time, insert the time as at which the firm quotations(s) should be given, as agreed between the parties or as determined by the Calculation Agent. Note that a firm quotation cannot be given retrospectively in respect of an earlier date/time.

⁴ See footnote 3. If this request is being given on the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, insert the Cash Settlement Valuation Date specified in the Confirmation, if applicable, or in the Settlement Matrix. If this request is being given after the Cash Settlement Valuation Date, insert the date as at which the firm quotation should be given, as agreed between the parties or determined by the Calculation Agent.

⁵ Insert the name of the Protected Party specified in the Confirmation.

⁶ If there is a Relevant Master Agreement in place between the Protected Party and the Cash Settlement Reference Bank, include the first option. If there is no Relevant Master Agreement in place between the Protected Party and the Cash Settlement Reference Bank, use the second option. See paragraph (iv)(a) of Section 18.2.4 (Replacement Value (Firm Quotations)).

Include the date of the Relevant Master Agreement if known to the party requesting the quotation.

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	therein) is cash denominated in [the Cash Settlement Currency]/[the "Cash Collateral Currency"] ⁸ /[insert the Single Cash Settlement Currency] ⁹ .]
[Cash Collateral Currency ¹⁰	[•]]
Cash Settlement Currency ¹¹	[•]

[Include the following language and elections if there are two Protected Parties, otherwise delete this language.]

For the purpose of providing the firm quotation for the Relevant Transaction with Party A, the Relevant Transaction shall be governed by the Prescribed Documentation – Party A specified below.

For the purpose of providing the firm quotation for the Relevant Transaction with Party B, the Relevant Transaction shall be governed by the Prescribed Documentation – Party B specified below.

Prescribed	[The [ISDA Master Agreement] [insert details of the non-ISDA Master					
Documentation - Party	Agreement] (including any relevant Credit Support Annex) [dated as of [●]] ¹³					
\mathbf{A}^{12}	entered into between the Cash Settlement Reference Bank and Party A.] / [An					
	agreement in the form of the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement, together with a					
	bilateral ISDA VM CSA, deemed entered into between the Cash Settlement					
	Reference Bank and Party A, under which the Relevant Transaction is the only					
	Covered Transaction (VM) (as defined therein) and the only Eligible Collateral					
	(VM) or Eligible Credit Support (VM) (each as defined therein) is cash					
	denominated in [the Cash Settlement Currency]/[the "Cash Collateral					
	Currency"] ¹⁴ /[insert the Single Cash Settlement Currency] ¹⁵ .]					

⁸ If there are two Cash Settlement Currencies and a "Cash Collateral Currency" has been specified in the Confirmation, insert "Cash Collateral Currency" here.

If there are two Cash Settlement Currencies and a "Cash Collateral Currency" has not been specified in the Confirmation, insert the single Cash Settlement Currency that applies for the Cash Settlement Currency pair pursuant to paragraph (ii) or (iv) of Section 18.4.7 (Cash Settlement Currency), as applicable.

This field only needs to be populated if (1) there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, and (2) there is not a Relevant Master Agreement in place between the Protected Party and the Cash Settlement Reference Bank. Insert the "Cash Collateral Currency" specified in the Confirmation.

Insert the single Cash Settlement Currency specified in the Confirmation or, if not specified in the Confirmation, determined in accordance with Section 18.4.7 (Cash Settlement Currency).

¹² If there is a Relevant Master Agreement in place between Party A and the Cash Settlement Reference Bank, include the first option. If there is no Relevant Master Agreement in place between Party A and the Cash Settlement Reference Bank, use the second option. See paragraph (iv)(a) of Section 18.2.4 (Replacement Value (Firm Quotations)).

¹³ Include the date of the Relevant Master Agreement if known to the party requesting the quotation.

¹⁴ If there are two Cash Settlement Currencies and a "Cash Collateral Currency" has been specified in the Confirmation, insert "Cash Collateral Currency" here.

¹⁵ If there are two Cash Settlement Currencies and a "Cash Collateral Currency" has not been specified in the Confirmation, insert the single Cash Settlement Currency that applies for the Cash Settlement Currency pair pursuant to paragraph (ii) or (iv) of Section 18.4.7 (Cash Settlement Currency), as applicable.

Prescribed	[The [ISDA Master Agreement] [insert details of the non-ISDA Master					
Documentation - Party	Agreement] (including any relevant Credit Support Annex) [dated as of [●]] ¹⁷					
\mathbf{B}^{16}	entered into between the Cash Settlement Reference Bank and Party B] / [An					
	agreement in the form of the ISDA 2002 Master Agreement, together with a					
	bilateral ISDA VM CSA, deemed entered into between the Cash Settlement					
	Reference Bank and Party B, under which the Relevant Transaction is the only					
	Covered Transaction (VM) (as defined therein) and the only Eligible Collateral					
	(VM) or Eligible Credit Support (VM) (each as defined therein) is cash					
	denominated in [the Cash Settlement Currency]/[the "Cash Collateral					
	Currency"] ¹⁸ /[insert the Single Cash Settlement Currency] ¹⁹ .]					
[Cash Collateral	[•]]					
Currency ²⁰						
Cash Settlement	[•]					
Currency ²¹						

Non-Disclosure

The parties to the Relevant Transaction acknowledge and agree that any quotation received will be used solely for the purpose of determining the Fallback Cash Settlement Amount(s), and neither the quotation(s) nor any information related to it or the Cash Settlement Reference Bank will be disclosed to anyone other than parties to the Relevant Transaction, the Calculation Agent (if different) and their professional advisers, except as required by applicable law or regulation.

¹⁶ If there is a Relevant Master Agreement in place between the Party B and the Cash Settlement Reference Bank, include the first option. If there is no Relevant Master Agreement in place between the Party B and the Cash Settlement Reference Bank, use the second option. See paragraph (iv)(a) of Section 18.2.4 (Replacement Value (Firm Quotations)).

¹⁷ Include the date of the Relevant Master Agreement if known to the party requesting the quotation.

¹⁸ If there are two Cash Settlement Currencies and a "Cash Collateral Currency" has been specified in the Confirmation, insert "Cash Collateral Currency" here.

¹⁹ If there are two Cash Settlement Currencies and a "Cash Collateral Currency" has not been specified in the Confirmation, insert the single Cash Settlement Currency that applies for the Cash Settlement Currency pair pursuant to paragraph (ii) or (iv) of Section 18.4.7 (Cash Settlement Currency), as applicable.

This field only needs to be populated if (1) there are two Cash Settlement Currencies, and (2) there is not a Relevant Master Agreement in place between the Party B and the Cash Settlement Reference Bank. Insert the "Cash Collateral Currency" specified in the Confirmation.

Insert the single Cash Settlement Currency specified in the Confirmation or, if not specified in the Confirmation, determined in accordance with Section 18.4.7 (Cash Settlement Currency).

FORM OF REQUEST TO PROVIDE A FIRM QUOTATION – ANNEX

[Insert details of the Relevant Transaction or attach the Confirmation]

Appendix II Form of Selection Notice

[Name of Calculation Agent]
[For the attention of: [Name of contact(s) at the Calculation Agent]]
[Address of Calculation Agent]
[Date of Notice] ¹
Dear []

Selection Notice regarding [[the designation of] / [and] [requesting quotations from]] Cash Settlement Reference Banks

- 1. Capitalised terms used in this Selection Notice which are not otherwise defined shall have the meanings given to them in the 2021 ISDA Interest Rate Derivatives Definitions ("2021 Definitions").
- 2. We refer to the Transaction between [insert Party A name] and [insert Party B name], evidenced by a Confirmation dated [insert date of relevant Confirmation and provide any other relevant details].
- 3. [We hereby designate [Cash Settlement Reference Bank 1] [and] [Cash Settlement Reference Bank 2]² as the [replacement] Cash Settlement Reference Bank[s] pursuant to paragraph (ii) of Section 18.1.5 (Cash Settlement Reference Banks) of the 2021 Definitions.]
- 4. [We hereby exercise our right to request Quotations from [Cash Settlement Reference Bank 1] [and] [Cash Settlement Reference Bank 2]³ acting as [a] Cash Settlement Reference Bank[s], pursuant to paragraph (i) of Section 18.1.6 (Requesting Quotations from Cash Settlement Reference Banks) of the 2021 Definitions.]

Yours faithfully,	
For and on behalf of	
[Name of sender]	

¹ This should match the Cash Settlement Valuation Date.

Up to two names may be specified if: (i) Cash Settlement Reference Banks are not specified in the Confirmation; (ii) four replacement Cash Settlement Reference Banks are required; or (iii) five replacement Cash Settlement Reference Banks are required. Otherwise, only one (replacement, if applicable) Cash Settlement Reference Bank may be selected by the party serving the notice.

³ If the party serving the notice has selected any of the Cash Settlement Reference Banks pursuant to paragraph 3, whether or not as replacement Cash Settlement Reference Bank(s) from which it requests Quotations shall include each of those selected by it.

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