

## TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

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<b>Name</b>	<b>Formerly</b>	<b>Execution Date</b>	<b>Entity Type</b>
DIRECT CAPITAL CORPORATION		01/12/2022	Corporation: NEW HAMPSHIRE
<b>RECEIVING PARTY DATA</b>			
<b>Name:</b>	FIRST-CITIZENS BANK & TRUST COMPANY		
<b>Street Address:</b>	4300 Six Forks Road		
<b>City:</b>	Raleigh		
<b>State/Country:</b>	NORTH CAROLINA		
<b>Postal Code:</b>	27609		
<b>Entity Type:</b>	Chartered Bank: NORTH CAROLINA		
<b>PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 4</b>			
<b>Property Type</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Word Mark</b>	
<b>Registration Number:</b>	3992971	LENDEDGE	
<b>Registration Number:</b>	4186674	UPENDING LENDING	
<b>Registration Number:</b>	3017352	DIRECT CAPITAL	
<b>Registration Number:</b>	2969895	DIRECT CAPITAL CORPORATION	
<b>CORRESPONDENCE DATA</b>			
<b>Fax Number:</b>	2156894934		
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<b>NAME OF SUBMITTER:</b>	Nicole K. McLaughlin		
<b>SIGNATURE:</b>	/Nicole K. McLaughlin/		
<b>DATE SIGNED:</b>	01/13/2022		
<b>Total Attachments: 4</b>			
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## TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

This **TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT** (“**Assignment**”), effective as of January 4, 2022, is by and between DIRECT CAPITAL CORPORATION, a New Hampshire corporation, with a principal place of business at 155 Commerce Way, Portsmouth, New Hampshire, 03801, (hereinafter called “**ASSIGNOR**”) and FIRST-CITIZENS BANK & TRUST COMPANY, a North Carolina chartered commercial bank, with a principal place of business at 4300 Six Forks Road, Raleigh, North Carolina, 27609, (hereinafter called “**ASSIGNEE**”).

**WHEREAS**, ASSIGNOR is a wholly-owned subsidiary of CIT Group Inc., and the owner of all right, title and interest in and to the trademarks and trademark registrations listed in **Exhibit A**, attached hereto, together with the goodwill associated and symbolized thereby (collectively the “**Marks**”).

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with, and pursuant to, the terms and conditions of that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of October 15, 2020, by and among CIT Group Inc., a Delaware corporation, and First Citizens BancShares, Inc., a Delaware corporation, First-Trust Citizens Bank & Trust Company, a North Carolina chartered commercial bank, and FC Merger Subsidiary IX, Inc., a Delaware corporation (“**Merger Agreement**”), ASSIGNOR transfers and assigns to ASSIGNEE, all right, title and interest in and to the Marks. Capitalized terms used and not expressly defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Merger Agreement.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereby agree as follows:

ASSIGNOR hereby assigns unto ASSIGNEE, all of its right, title, and interest in and to the Marks, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, together with the goodwill associated with and symbolized by the Marks, the registrations thereof, and any rights of the ASSIGNOR to sue any third parties for any past infringement, or other claims, of or to the Marks, for the use and benefit of the ASSIGNEE and to prosecute such applications and registrations in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

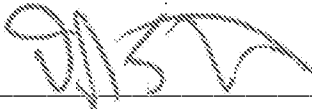
After the execution of this Assignment, at the request of the ASSIGNEE and at ASSIGNEE’S expense, but without additional consideration to the ASSIGNOR, the ASSIGNOR will execute and deliver to the ASSIGNEE from time to time such further instruments of conveyance, transfer, and assignment and other documents, and will take such other actions, as the ASSIGNEE may reasonably require to convey and deliver more effectively to the ASSIGNEE the Marks, to perfect the ASSIGNEE’S title thereto, and otherwise to accomplish the orderly transfer to the ASSIGNEE of the Marks and to give full effect to this Assignment.

This Assignment is binding on the ASSIGNOR and its successors and assigns, and inures to the benefit of the ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns.

This Assignment may be executed in counterparts, each of which when executed and delivered shall be an original; together, such counterparts shall constitute one instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, intending to be legally bound, the parties have duly executed this Assignment.

**DIRECT CAPITAL CORPORATION**

By:  \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: Douglas S. Witte

Title: Director & Assistant Secretary

Date: 1/12/2022

**FIRST-CITIZENS BANK & TRUST  
COMPANY**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

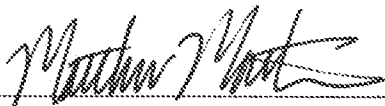
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**DIRECT CAPITAL CORPORATION**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**FIRST-CITIZENS BANK & TRUST COMPANY**

By:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name: Matthew Martin  
Title: Chief Counsel & Corporate Secretary  
Date: 1/19/2022

**EXHIBIT A**

<b>Trade mark</b>	<b>Registration Date</b>	<b>Registration Number</b>
LENDEGE	July 12, 2011	3992971
UPENDINGLENDING	August 7, 2012	4186674
DIRECT CAPITAL	November 22, 2005	3017352
DIRECT CAPITAL CORPORATION	July 19, 2005	2969895