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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

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SUBMISSION TYPE: NEW ASSIGNMENT

NATURE OF CONVEYANCE: SECURITY INTEREST

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
SMARTSHIFT TECHNOLOGIES, INC.		09/01/2023	Corporation: DELAWARE

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	BARINGS FINANCE LLC, AS AGENT
Street Address:	300 S. Tryon Street, Suite 2500
City:	Charlotte
State/Country:	NORTH CAROLINA
Postal Code:	28202
Entity Type:	Limited Liability Company: DELAWARE

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 3

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	4563592	SMARTSHIFT TECHNOLOGIES
Registration Number:	4312975	SMARTSHIFT
Registration Number:	7023343	SMARTSHIFT INTELLIGENT AUTOMATION

CORRESPONDENCE DATA

Fax Number: 7044448857

Correspondence will be sent to the e-mail address first; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent

using a fax number, if provided; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent via US Mail.

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Correspondent Name: Terry L. Witcher, Senior Paralegal

Address Line 1: McGuireWoods LLP

Address Line 2: 201 N. Tryon Street, Suite 3000

Address Line 4: Charlotte, NORTH CAROLINA 28202

NAME OF SUBMITTER: Terry L. Witcher

SIGNATURE: /s/ Terry L. Witcher

DATE SIGNED: 09/01/2023

Total Attachments: 5

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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY SECURITY AGREEMENT

This **TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT** (including all annexes, exhibits and schedules hereto, as the same may be amended, restated, amended and restated, modified and/or supplemented from time to time, this "**Trademark Security Agreement**") dated as of September 1, 2023, is made by smartShift Technologies, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("**Grantor**") in favor of Barings Finance LLC, as administrative agent (in such capacity, together with its successors and permitted assigns, "**Agent**") for the Secured Parties (as defined in the Credit Agreement referred to below).

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, pursuant to that certain Credit Agreement, dated as of September 1, 2023 (as the same may be amended, restated, amended and restated, modified, and/or supplemented from time to time, the "Credit Agreement"), by and among SMARTSHIFT REP BUYER, INC., a Delaware corporation ("Holdings"), SMARTSHIFT REP MERGER SUB, INC, a Delaware corporation (the "Initial Borrower", and at all times prior to the consummation of the Closing Date Acquisition, a "Borrower"), SMARTSHIFT GROUP, INC.; a Delaware corporation ("smartShift" and at all times on or after the consummation of the Closing Date Acquisition, together with any other Person joining the Credit Agreement from time to time that is designated as a "Borrower" pursuant to Section 5.11 of the Credit Agreement or otherwise, individually, a "Borrower" and, collectively and jointly and severally, the "Borrowers"), the other Credit Parties party thereto from time to time, Agent and the Lenders party thereto from time to time, the Secured Parties have severally agreed to make extensions of credit to Borrower upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein;

WHEREAS, Grantor has agreed, pursuant to that certain Guaranty and Security Agreement, dated as of the date hereof, in favor of Agent (the "Guaranty and Security Agreement"), to guarantee the Secured Obligations (as defined in the Credit Agreement); and

WHEREAS, Grantor is a party to the Guaranty and Security Agreement pursuant to which the Grantor is required to execute and deliver this Trademark Security Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and to induce the Lenders, the L/C Issuers and Agent to enter into the Credit Agreement and to induce the Lenders and the L/C Issuers to make their respective extensions of credit to Borrower thereunder, Grantor hereby agrees with Agent as follows:

- 1. <u>Defined Terms</u>. Capitalized terms used herein without definition are used as defined in the Guaranty and Security Agreement.
- 2. <u>Grant of Security Interest in Trademark Collateral</u>. Grantor, as collateral security for the prompt and complete payment and performance when due (whether at stated maturity, by acceleration or otherwise) of the Secured Obligations of such Grantor, hereby mortgages, pledges and hypothecates to Agent for the benefit of the Secured Parties, and grants to Agent for the benefit of the Secured Parties a Lien on and security interest in, all of its right, title and interest in, to and under the following Collateral of such Grantor (the "**Trademark Collateral**"):
 - (a) all of its Trademarks providing for the grant by or to such Grantor of any right under any Trademark, including, without limitation, those referred to on Schedule 1 hereto; provided, however that no lien on or security interest is granted on any intent-to-use trademark application prior to the filing of a "Statement of Use" or "Amendment to Allege Use" with the United States Patent and Trademark Office with respect thereto;

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- (b) all renewals and extensions of the foregoing;
- (c) all goodwill of the business connected with the use of, and symbolized by, each such Trademark; and
- (d) all income, royalties, proceeds and Liabilities at any time due or payable or asserted under and with respect to any of the foregoing, including, without limitation, all rights to sue and recover at law or in equity for any past, present and future infringement, misappropriation, dilution, violation or other impairment thereof.
- 3. <u>Guaranty and Security Agreement</u>. The security interest granted pursuant to this Trademark Security Agreement is granted in conjunction with the security interest granted to Agent pursuant to the Guaranty and Security Agreement and each Grantor hereby acknowledges and agrees that the rights and remedies of Agent with respect to the security interest in the Trademark Collateral made and granted hereby are more fully set forth in the Guaranty and Security Agreement, the terms and provisions of which are incorporated by reference herein as if fully set forth herein. In the event that any provision of this Trademark Security Agreement is deemed to conflict with the Guaranty and Security Agreement, the provisions of the Guaranty and Security Agreement shall control.
- 4. <u>Grantor Remains Liable</u>. Each Grantor hereby agrees that, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, such Grantor shall assume full and complete responsibility for the prosecution, defense, enforcement or any other necessary or desirable actions in connection with their Trademarks subject to a security interest hereunder.
- 5. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Trademark Security Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts and by different parties in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. Signature pages may be detached from multiple separate counterparts and attached to a single counterpart.
- 6. <u>Governing Law</u>. This Trademark Security Agreement and the rights and obligations of the parties hereto shall be governed by, and construed and interpreted in accordance with, the law of the State of New York.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Grantor has caused this Trademark Security Agreement to be executed and delivered by its duly authorized officer as of the date first set forth above.

Very truly yours,

SMARTSHIFT TECHNOLOGIES, INC., as Grantor

By: Name: Anthony Cassano
Title: President and Chairman

ACCEPTED AND AGREED as of the date first above written:

BARINGS FINANCE LLC, as Agent

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Grantor has caused this Trademark Security Agreement to be executed and delivered by its duly authorized officer as of the date first set forth above.

Very truly yours, **SMARTSHIFT TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**, as Grantor

By: _____

Name: Anthony Cassano Title: President and Chairman

ACCEPTED AND AGREED as of the date first above written:

BARINGS FINANCE LLC, as Agent

By:

Name: Patrick Hartman Title: Managing Director

SCHEDULE I TO TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT

Trademark Registrations

1. REGISTERED TRADEMARKS

Trademark	Owner	Registration No.	Jurisdiction	Registration Date
() smart since	smartShift Technologies, Inc.	4563592	United States	7/8/2014
smartShift	smartShift Technologies, Inc.	4312975	United States	4/2/2013
SMARTSHIFT INTELLIGENT AUTOMATION	smartShift Technologies, Inc.	7023343	United States	4/11/2023
SMARTSHIFT INTELLIGENT AUTOMATION	smartShift Technologies, Inc.	1687872	International Register	8/29/2022

2. TRADEMARK APPLICATIONS

None.

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RECORDED: 09/01/2023