

## TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

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| <b>SUBMISSION TYPE:</b>   | NEW ASSIGNMENT                     |                             |                       |
| <b>NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:</b>  | Termination and Release            |                             |                       |
| <b>CONVEYING PARTY DATA</b>   |                                    |                             |                       |
| <b>Name</b>   | <b>Formerly</b>                    | <b>Execution Date</b>       | <b>Entity Type</b>    |
| Stellus Capital Investment Corporation, as Agent  |                                    | 12/13/2021                  | Corporation: MARYLAND |
| <b>RECEIVING PARTY DATA</b>   |                                    |                             |                       |
| <b>Name:</b>  | Blue Chip Consulting Group, LLC    |                             |                       |
| <b>Street Address:</b>  | 6000 Lombardo Center, Suite 650    |                             |                       |
| <b>City:</b>  | Seven Hills                        |                             |                       |
| <b>State/Country:</b>   | OHIO                               |                             |                       |
| <b>Postal Code:</b>   | 44131                              |                             |                       |
| <b>Entity Type:</b>   | Limited Liability Company: OHIO    |                             |                       |
| <b>PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 3</b>  |                                    |                             |                       |
| <b>Property Type</b>  | <b>Number</b>                      | <b>Word Mark</b>            |                       |
| <b>Registration Number:</b>   | 5239378                            | BLUE CHIP                   |                       |
| <b>Registration Number:</b>   | 5239377                            | BLUE CHIP                   |                       |
| <b>Registration Number:</b>   | 5234981                            | BLUE CHIP DRIVEN TO DELIVER |                       |
| <b>CORRESPONDENCE DATA</b>  |                                    |                             |                       |
| <b>Fax Number:</b>  |                                    |                             |                       |
| <i>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.</i> |                                    |                             |                       |
| <b>Phone:</b>   | 2023704750                         |                             |                       |
| <b>Email:</b>   | ipteam@cogencyglobal.com           |                             |                       |
| <b>Correspondent Name:</b>  | Joanna McCall                      |                             |                       |
| <b>Address Line 1:</b>  | 1025 Connecticut Ave NW, Suite 712 |                             |                       |
| <b>Address Line 2:</b>  | Cogency Global Inc.                |                             |                       |
| <b>Address Line 4:</b>  | Washington, D.C. 20036             |                             |                       |
| <b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER:</b>  | 1568132                            |                             |                       |
| <b>NAME OF SUBMITTER:</b>   | Sonya Jackman                      |                             |                       |
| <b>SIGNATURE:</b>   | /Sonya Jackman/                    |                             |                       |
| <b>DATE SIGNED:</b>   | 01/04/2022                         |                             |                       |
| <b>Total Attachments: 4</b>   |                                    |                             |                       |
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**TERMINATION AND RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST  
IN TRADEMARKS**

This **TERMINATION AND RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS**, dated as of December 13, 2021 (“Release”), is made by Stellus Capital Investment Corporation, as administrative agent and collateral agent (“Agent”) in favor of Blue Chip Consulting Group, LLC, an Ohio limited liability company (“Debtor”).

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to that certain Term Loan and Security Agreement dated as of August 31, 2018 (as amended, supplemented, restated or otherwise modified from time to time, the “Security Agreement”) by and among the Debtor, Agent, and others party thereto, and the Trademark Security Agreement dated as of August 14, 2020 by and among the Debtor and Agent (“Trademark Security Agreement”), Debtor granted, assigned, and pledged to Agent, for the benefit of Agent and each Lender (collectively, the “Secured Parties”), a continuing security interest in all of Debtor’s right, title, and interest in and to the Trademark Collateral; and

**WHEREAS**, the Trademark Security Agreement was recorded at the United States Patent and Trademark Office (“USPTO”) on August 14, 2020 at Reel 7024 Frame 0472.

**NOW THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Agent, on behalf of the Secured Parties, and Debtor agree as follows:

**SECTION 1. Defined Terms.** All capitalized terms used herein but not otherwise defined herein have the meanings given to them in the Security Agreement or Trademark Security Agreement.

**SECTION 2. Termination and Release.** Agent, on behalf of the Secured Parties, without any representation, warranty, recourse, or undertaking of any kind (whether express or implied), hereby:

(a) terminates, cancels, discharges, and releases the continuing security interest in all of Debtor’s right, title, and interest in and to the Trademark Collateral, including, but not limited to, the foregoing listed on Schedule A attached hereto, granted pursuant to the Security Agreement or Trademark Security Agreement; and

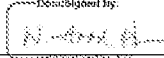
(b) authorizes the recordation of this Release with the USPTO at Debtor’s expense.

**SECTION 3. Choice of Law.** This Release shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New York.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the Agent, on behalf of the Secured Parties, has caused this Termination and Release of Security Interest in Trademarks to be duly executed as of the date first set forth above.

Agent:

Stellus Capital Investment Corporation, as Agent

By:   
Name: W. Todd Huskinson  
Title: Authorized Signatory

**Schedule A**

**Blue Chip Consulting Group, LLC  
(Ohio Limited Liability Company)**

**U.S. Trademarks Subject to Security Interest  
Granted by Blue Chip Consulting Group, LLC  
In Favor of Stellus Capital Investment Corporation, as Agent  
Recorded August 14, 2020 at Reel 7024 Frame 0472**

**Trademark Registrations**

| <b>Mark</b>                            | <b>Reg. No.</b> | <b>Reg. Date</b> |
|--|-----------------|------------------|
| BLUE CHIP                              | 5239378         | 07/11/2017       |
| BLUE CHIP and Design                   | 5239377         | 07/11/2017       |
| BLUE CHIP DRIVEN TO DELIVER and Design | 5234981         | 07/04/2017       |