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**OHIM – OFFICE FOR HARMONIZATION IN THE
INTERNAL MARKET
TRADE MARKS AND DESIGNS**

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION

This Certificate of Registration is hereby issued for the
Community Trade Mark identified below. The
corresponding entries have been recorded in the
Register of Community Trade Marks.

**OHMI – OFFICE DE L'HARMONISATION DANS LE
MARCHÉ INTÉRIEUR
MARQUES, DESSINS ET MODÈLES**

CERTIFICAT D'ENREGISTREMENT

Le présent Certificat d'Enregistrement est délivré pour
la marque communautaire identifiée ci-joint. Les
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été inscrits au Registre des Marques Communautaires.

CAPITAL GROUP

The President / Le Président

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511	ES - 09 Software informático; publicaciones electrónicas accesibles y descargables desde Internet u otras bases de datos. ES - 36 Servicios de gestión financiera; servicios de gestión de inversiones, fondos, carteras y valores; gestión de capital riesgo; investigación y análisis financieros, económicos y de inversión y servicios de consultoría relacionados con todo lo anterior. DA - 09 Computersoftware; elektroniske publikationer, der er adgang til via internettet og andre databaser, og som kan downloades herfra. DA - 36 Finansiell forvaltning; investeringspleje samt forvaltning af formuer, porteføljepleje og fondspleje; styring af risikovillig kapital; undersøgelser og analyse inden for finans, økonomi og investering samt rådgivning vedrørende alle førnævnte tjenesteydelser. DE - 09 Computer-Software; über das Internet oder andere Datenbanken zugängliche und daraus herunterladbare elektronische Veröffentlichungen. DE - 36 Vermögensverwaltungsdienste; Dienstleistungen in Bezug auf die Verwaltung von Anlagen, Fonds, Vermögen und Wertpapieren; Risikokapitalmanagement; Finanz-, Wirtschafts- und Anlagerecherchen und -analysen sowie Beratung in Bezug auf alles vorstehend Genannte. EL - 09 Λογισμικό ηλεκτρονικών υπολογιστών· ηλεκτρονικές εκδόσεις με δυνατότητα πρόσβασης και τηλεφόρτωσης από το Διαδίκτυο ή άλλες βάσεις δεδομένων. EL - 36 Υπηρεσίες οικονομικής διαχείρισης· υπηρεσίες διαχείρισης επενδύσεων, κεφαλαίων, χαρτοφυλακίων και τίτλων· διαχείριση επιχειρηματικών κεφαλαίων· έρευνα και ανάλυση σχετικά με υποθέσεις οικονομικές, χρηματοπιστωτικές και επενδύσεων και υπηρεσίες παροχής συμβουλών σε σχέση με όλες τις προαναφερθείσες υπηρεσίες. EN - 09 Computer software; electronic publications accessible on and downloadable from the internet or other databases. EN - 36 Financial management services; investment, fund, portfolio and securities management services; venture capital manage-		
			ment; financial, economic and investment research and analysis and consultancy services relating to all the aforesaid. FR - 09 Logiciels informatiques; publications électroniques accessibles via et téléchargeables à partir d'internet ou d'autres bases de données. FR - 36 Services de gestion financière; services de gestion d'investissements, de fonds, de portefeuilles et de titres; gestion de capital-risque; recherches et analyses financières, économiques et d'investissements, et services de consultation pour tous les services précités. IT - 09 Software per computer; pubblicazioni elettroniche accessibili su e scaricabili da Internet o altre banche dati. IT - 36 Servizi di gestione finanziaria; gestione d'investimenti, fondi, portafogli e titoli; gestione di capitali di rischio; ricerca finanziaria, economica e in materia d'investimenti e analisi e consulenza riguardante tutti i suddetti servizi. NL - 09 Computersoftware; elektronische publicaties die toegankelijk zijn op en te downloaden vanaf internet of andere databases. NL - 36 Diensten op het gebied van financieel beheer; beheersdiensten voor beleggingen, beleggingsfondsen, portefeuilles en effecten; beheer van risicokapitaal; financieel, economisch onderzoek en onderzoek op het gebied van investeringen en analyse en raadgeving met betrekking tot al het voornoemde. PT - 09 Software; publicações electrónicas acessíveis na Internet ou noutras bases de dados e transferíveis a partir delas. PT - 36 Serviços de gestão financeira; serviços de gestão de investimentos, fundos, carteiras e títulos; gestão de capital de risco; investigações e análises financeiras, económicas e de investimentos, e serviços de consultadoria relacionados com todos todos os serviços atrás referidos. FI - 09 Tietokoneohjelmistot; Internetissä tai muissa tietokannoissa käytettävissä olevat ja sieltä ladattavat elektroniset julkaisut. FI - 36 Rahataloudelliset hallintopalvelut; sijoitus-, varainhoito-, osakesalkkujen ja arvopapereiden hoitopalvelut; riskipääoman hallinta; rahatalous-, talous- ja sijoitustutkimus ja analysointi ja kaikkiin edellä mainittuihin liittyvät konsultointipalvelut. SV - 09 Datorprogramvara; elektroniska publikationer åtkomliga på och nedladdningsbara från Internet eller andra databaser. SV - 36 Tjänster avseende finansiell förvaltning; investerings-, fond-, portfölj- och värdepappersförvaltningstjänster; förvaltning av riskkapital; finans-, ekonomi- och investeringsforskning och -analyser och konsultationstjänster avseende allt det nämnda.

TRADEMARK LICENSE AGREEMENT
(Specification 13 – Affiliate Registry License)

This Trademark License Agreement ("**Agreement**") is entered into as of **April 29, 2026** (the "**Effective Date**"), by and between:

The Capital Group Companies, Inc., a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business at **333 South Hope Street, 55th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90071** ("**Licensor**"),

and

Capital Research Company, a California corporation with its principal place of business at **333 South Hope Street, Los Angeles, CA 90071** ("**Licensee**").

Licensor and Licensee are Affiliates within the meaning of the ICANN Base Registry Agreement (each a "**Party**" and together, the "**Parties**").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, Licensor is the owner of the Licensed Mark (as defined below);

WHEREAS, Licensee intends to apply for and operate a .**BRAND** top-level domain pursuant to the ICANN Base Registry Agreement, and requires a license to the Licensed Mark in connection therewith;

WHEREAS, ICANN requires that a registry operator of a .**BRAND** TLD demonstrate rights to the relevant trademark, and Licensor desires to grant Licensee a limited license for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, Licensor and Licensee are Affiliates and desire to set forth the terms under which the Licensed Mark may be used in connection with the .**BRAND** TLD.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants herein and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

1. DEFINITIONS

1.1 "Affiliate"

Has the meaning set forth in the ICANN Base Registry Agreement, meaning an entity controlling, controlled by, or under common control with another entity.

1.2 "Licensed Mark"

The CAPITAL GROUP trademark and all registrations thereof, including without limitation EUIPO Registration No. **2999522**, registered with the European Union Intellectual Property Office, and USPTO Registration Nos. 3278544 and 4524913, registered with the United States Patent and Trademark Office, as well as any and all other trademark registrations or applications therefor owned by Licensor for the CAPITAL GROUP mark worldwide, including any textual elements necessary to operate the **.capitalgroup** gTLD.

1.3 “TLD”

The top-level domain string **.capitalgroup**, designated as a .BRAND TLD under Specification 13 of the ICANN Base Registry Agreement.

2. LICENSE GRANT

2.1 Grant of License

Licensor hereby grants Licensee a royalty-free, worldwide, non-transferable (except as set forth in Section 11.3 (Assignment)) license to use the Licensed Mark solely for the following purposes, which license shall be exclusive with respect to the operation of the TLD as registry operator under the ICANN Base Registry Agreement, and non-exclusive for all other purposes:

- (a) Operating the TLD pursuant to the ICANN Base Registry Agreement and Specification 13;
- (b) Registering, maintaining, and resolving domain names within the TLD;
- (c) ICANN compliance, contractual reporting, and registry operations; and
- (d) Such other uses as are reasonably necessary to apply for, obtain, and maintain the TLD pursuant to the ICANN Base Registry Agreement.

No other use is permitted without Licensor’s prior written consent.

2.2 No Sublicensing

Licensee may not sublicense the Licensed Mark, except to Affiliates that meet Specification 13 eligibility requirements. For the avoidance of doubt, this restriction applies only to this Agreement and does not affect sublicensing rights granted under any other agreement.

3. CONTROL AND RESTRICTIONS (SPECIFICATION 13 COMPLIANCE)

3.1 Exclusive Registrant Limitation

Licensee agrees that only the following entities may be registrants of domain names in the TLD:

- a. Licensee;

- b. Licensors; and
- c. Their respective Affiliates.

This restriction is mandatory under Specification 13.

3.2 DNS and Policy Control

Licensee shall maintain exclusive control over:

- a. DNS records at all levels of the TLD;
- b. Registration policies; and
- c. Compliance with ICANN obligations.

4. QUALITY CONTROL

4.1 Trademark Quality Standards

Licensee agrees to use the Licensed Mark in a manner consistent with Licensors:

- a. Brand guidelines (as provided to Licensee and updated from time to time);
- b. Trademark usage standards; and
- c. Reputation and goodwill requirements.

4.2 Inspection Rights

Licensors may reasonably review Licensee's use of the Licensed Mark to ensure quality control compliance, as required to preserve trademark validity.

5. OWNERSHIP AND GOODWILL

5.1 Ownership

All right, title, and interest in and to the Licensed Mark remain exclusively with Licensors.

5.2 Goodwill

All use of the Licensed Mark by Licensee shall inure to the benefit of Licensors.

5.3 No Challenge

Licensee shall not, during the Term of this Agreement or thereafter, challenge the validity of the Licensed Mark or Licensors' ownership thereof.

6. ICANN-SPECIFIC COVENANTS

6.1 Specification 13 Eligibility and Representations

- a. **Licensee Representations and Warranties.** Licensee represents and warrants that the TLD qualifies as a .BRAND TLD under Specification 13.
- b. **Licensor Representations and Warranties.** Licensor represents and warrants that the Licensed Mark satisfies the trademark eligibility requirements for a .BRAND TLD under Specification 13, including the requirement that the TLD string be identical to the textual elements of a registered trademark valid under applicable law.

6.2 Disclosure to ICANN

Each Party agrees that this Agreement may be disclosed to ICANN upon request and consents to ICANN's review of this Agreement for purposes of compliance verification.

6.3 Cooperation

Each Party shall reasonably cooperate with the other in connection with the application for, and ongoing compliance with, Specification 13 and the ICANN Base Registry Agreement, including by executing such additional documents and instruments as may be reasonably required by ICANN.

7. TERM AND TERMINATION

7.1 Term

This Agreement shall commence on the Effective Date and shall continue in effect for so long as the ICANN Base Registry Agreement remains in effect with respect to the TLD (the "**Term**"), unless earlier terminated in accordance with this Section 7.

7.2 Automatic Termination

This Agreement shall terminate immediately if:

- a. The TLD loses Specification 13 status;
- b. Licensee ceases to be an Affiliate of Licensor; or
- c. The ICANN Registry Agreement is terminated or expires without renewal.

7.3 Termination for Cause

Either Party may terminate this Agreement upon written notice to the other Party if the other Party materially breaches this Agreement and fails to cure such breach within thirty (30) days after receiving written notice thereof.

7.4 Effect of Termination

Upon termination, Licensee shall immediately cease all use of the Licensed Mark except as required for registry wind-down under ICANN transition procedures. Sections 5 (Ownership and Goodwill), 6 (ICANN Specific Covenants), 8 (Mutual Representations and Warranties), 9 (Limitation of Liability), 10 (Governing Law; Disputes), and 11 (Miscellaneous) shall survive termination of this Agreement.

8. MUTUAL REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

Each party represents and warrants that:

- a. It has authority to enter this Agreement;
- b. Execution and performance of this Agreement does not knowingly violate any applicable law or other agreement to which such Party is bound; and
- c. This Agreement is legally binding.

9. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

9.1 Consequential Damages Waiver

IN NO EVENT SHALL EITHER PARTY BE LIABLE TO THE OTHER PARTY FOR ANY INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, OR PUNITIVE DAMAGES ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT, REGARDLESS OF THE FORM OF ACTION OR THEORY OF LIABILITY, EVEN IF SUCH PARTY HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES.

9.2 Carve-Outs

The limitation set forth in Section 9.1 shall not apply to: (a) a Party's breach of Section 5 (Ownership and Goodwill); or (b) losses arising from third-party claims or indemnification obligations under the ICANN Base Registry Agreement to the extent such losses are recoverable under Section 9.3 (Licensor Indemnification).

9.3 Licensor Indemnification

Licensor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Licensee and its directors, officers, employees, and agents from and against any and all third-party claims, damages, liabilities, costs, and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees) arising out of or relating to: (a) any breach by Licensor of its representations and warranties regarding ownership of the Licensed Mark under this Agreement; or (b) any defect in Licensor's title to the Licensed Mark, including

any claim that the Licensed Mark infringes or misappropriates the intellectual property rights of a third party. For the avoidance of doubt, this indemnification obligation includes losses incurred by Licensee in connection with its indemnification obligations to ICANN under Section 7.1 of the ICANN Base Registry Agreement to the extent such obligations arise from the matters described in Sections 9.3(a) or 9.3(b) of this Agreement.

10. GOVERNING LAW; DISPUTES

10.1 Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California, without giving effect to any choice or conflict-of-law principles.

10.2 Dispute Resolution.

(a) Good Faith Negotiation. In the event of any dispute, claim, or controversy arising out of or relating to this Agreement, or the breach, termination, or validity thereof (a **"Dispute"**), the Parties shall first attempt to resolve the Dispute through good faith negotiation between senior representatives of each Party. Either Party may initiate this process by delivering written notice to the other Party describing the Dispute in reasonable detail (a **"Dispute Notice"**). The Parties shall have thirty (30) days from delivery of the Dispute Notice (or such longer period as the Parties may mutually agree in writing) to resolve the Dispute through negotiation (the **"Negotiation Period"**).

(b) Mediation. If the Dispute is not resolved within the Negotiation Period, either Party may submit the Dispute to non-binding mediation administered by JAMS in Los Angeles, California, in accordance with its then-current mediation rules and procedures. The costs of mediation shall be shared equally by the Parties.

(c) Arbitration. If the Dispute is not resolved through mediation within thirty (30) days after the commencement of mediation proceedings (or such longer period as the Parties may mutually agree in writing), either Party may submit the Dispute to final and binding arbitration administered by JAMS in Los Angeles, California, in accordance with its then-current Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures. The arbitration shall be conducted before a single arbitrator mutually agreed upon by the Parties, or if the Parties cannot agree, appointed by JAMS. The arbitrator's award shall be final and binding and may be entered as a judgment in any court of competent jurisdiction. The costs of arbitration shall be borne by the non-prevailing Party, unless the arbitrator determines otherwise.

(d) ICANN Procedures. Nothing in this Section 10.2 shall limit or restrict either Party's rights or obligations with respect to any dispute resolution procedures required under the ICANN Base

Registry Agreement, which shall govern as between ICANN and the applicable Party in accordance with their terms.

(e) Provisional Relief. Notwithstanding the foregoing, either Party may seek emergency or provisional relief from any court of competent jurisdiction, including injunctive relief to prevent irreparable harm, without first complying with the procedures set forth in this Section 10.2. The seeking of such relief shall not waive either Party's obligation to comply with the dispute resolution procedures set forth herein.

11. MISCELLANEOUS

11.1 Entire Agreement

This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, including the licensing of the Licensed Mark in connection with the operation of the TLD, and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous agreements, understandings, negotiations, and discussions, whether oral or written, between the Parties relating thereto.

11.2 Amendment

Any amendments must be mutually agreed upon by the parties in writing.

11.3 Assignment

Neither Party may assign this Agreement or any of its rights or obligations hereunder without the prior written consent of the other Party, except that either Party may assign this Agreement to an Affiliate upon not less than thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the other Party, provided that the assignee expressly assumes in writing all of the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Any assignment of this Agreement shall comply with Section 7.5 of the ICANN Base Registry Agreement, including the prompt post-assignment notice obligation for affiliate transfers under Section 7.5(f)(iii). Neither Party shall assign this Agreement in a manner that would cause a breach of the ICANN Base Registry Agreement. No assignment shall relieve the assigning Party of its obligations hereunder unless the other Party consents in writing. Any purported assignment in violation of this Section 11.3 shall be null and void and of no force or effect.

11.4 Notices

All notices under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed duly given when delivered personally, sent by email with confirmation of receipt, or sent by recognized overnight courier, to the addresses set forth in the preamble of this Agreement (or such other address as a Party may designate in writing).

11.5 Severability

If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall continue in full force and effect.

11.6 Waiver

The failure of either Party to enforce any provision of this Agreement shall not constitute a waiver of such Party's right to enforce such provision or any other provision in the future.

11.7 Counterparts

This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, and all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. The parties will be bound by signatures made by hand or by signatures made by electronic means. The parties agree that such signatures are binding, and may be transmitted by mail, hand delivery, facsimile, email, or any other electronic method to the other party, and will have the same binding effect as any original ink signature.

11.8 Confidentiality

Each Party shall keep the terms of this Agreement confidential and shall not disclose such terms to any third party without the prior written consent of the other Party, except to the extent that disclosure is required by applicable law, regulation, or the ICANN Base Registry Agreement.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the Effective Date.

The Capital Group Companies, Inc.:

By: 

Name: Christopher T. Burt

Title: Secretary

Date: 4-29-2026

Capital Research Company:

By: 

Name: Naseem Z. Nixon

Title: Chief Compliance Officer

Date: 4/29/2024