# THIRD AMENDING AGREEMENT TO LIMITED PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

**THIS THIRD AMENDING AGREEMENT TO LIMITED PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT** (this "**Agreement**") is made as of the 21<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2017.

# BY AND AMONG

- (1) **FÉDÉRATION DES CAISSES DESJARDINS DU QUÉBEC**, a financial services cooperative organized under the laws of Québec, in its capacity as Limited Partner;
- (2) **CCDQ CB (LEGISLATIVE) MANAGING GP INC.**, a corporation incorporated under the laws of Canada, in its capacity as Managing GP; and
- (3) **8560129 CANADA INC.**, a corporation incorporated under the laws of Canada, in its capacity as Liquidation GP; and
- (4) **COMPUTERSHARE TRUST COMPANY OF CANADA**, a trust company formed under the laws of Canada, in its capacity as Bond Trustee.

**WHEREAS** the parties entered into a limited partnership agreement dated as of January 28, 2014, as amended pursuant to an amending agreement dated as of July 23, 2015 and a second amending agreement dated as of August 24, 2016 (collectively, the "Limited Partnership Agreement");

**AND WHEREAS** the parties hereto have agreed to amend the Limited Partnership Agreement pursuant to the terms of this Agreement in accordance with Section 13.1 of the Limited Partnership Agreement, Section 3 of the Master Definitions and Construction Agreement, Section 8.02 of the Security Agreement and Section 22.2 of the Trust Deed;

**NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY AGREED** that in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein set forth, the parties agree as follows:

# **ARTICLE 1 – AMENDMENTS**

#### 1.01 <u>Amendments</u>

(1) Article 5 of the Limited Partnership Agreement shall be amended by deleting the heading and replacing it with the following:

"ASSET COVERAGE TEST, AMORTIZATION TEST, PRE-MATURITY TEST, VALUATION CALCULATION AND OC VALUATION"

(2) Article 5 of the Limited Partnership Agreement shall be amended by adding a new Section 5.6 as follows:

"Section 5.6 OC Valuation.

Following the 2017 New Guide OC Valuation Implementation Date, for so long as the Covered Bonds remain outstanding, the Partnership must ensure that, on each date that the

Asset Coverage Test is calculated, the Partnership (or the Cash Manager on its behalf) performs the OC Valuation as set out in Schedule 11. Once implemented, if it is determined that the Level of Overcollateralization (as defined in Schedule 11) falls below the OC Guide Minimum, the Managing GP (or the Cash Manager on its behalf) shall immediately notify in writing the Partnership, the Partners, the Bond Trustee and CMHC thereof.

(3) The Limited Partnership Agreement shall be amended by deleting the words, "LTV Adjusted True Balance" in Section 7.5(c) and replacing them with, "LTV Adjusted Loan Balance".

(4) The Limited Partnership Agreement shall be amended by deleting the last sentence of Section 13.1 and replacing it with the following:

"For certainty, any amendment to (a) a Ratings Trigger that (i) lowers the ratings specified therein; or (ii) changes the applicable rating type, in each case as provided for in this Agreement, or (b) the consequences of breaching a Ratings Trigger, or changing the applicable rating type, provided for in this Agreement that makes such consequences less onerous, shall, with respect to each affected Rating Agency only, be deemed to be a material amendment and shall be subject to confirmation of the satisfaction of the Rating Agency Condition from each affected Rating Agency."

(5) The Limited Partnership Agreement shall be amended by deleting the words, "LTV Adjusted True Balance" and "actual True Balance" wherever they are used in clause (i) of the defined term, "A" in section (b) of Schedule 2 and replacing them with, respectively, "LTV Adjusted Loan Balance" and "Outstanding Principal Balance".

(6) The Limited Partnership Agreement shall be amended by deleting the words, "Asset Percentage Adjusted True Balance" and "actual True Balance" wherever they are used in clause (ii) of the defined term, "A" in section (b) of Schedule 2 and replacing them with, respectively, "Asset Percentage Adjusted Loan Balance" and "Outstanding Principal Balance".

(7) The Limited Partnership Agreement shall be amended by adding the attached Schedule A as a new Schedule 11.

# ARTICLE 2 – MISCELLANEOUS

#### 2.01 Further Assurances

Each of the parties hereto will from time to time execute and deliver all such further documents and instruments and do all acts and things as any of the other parties may reasonably require to effectively carry out or better evidence or perfect the full intent and meaning of this Agreement.

#### 2.02 Other Amendments

Except as expressly amended, modified and supplemented hereby, the provisions of the Limited Partnership Agreement are and shall remain in full force and effect and shall be read with this Agreement, *mutatis mutandis*. Where the terms of this Agreement are inconsistent with the

terms of the Limited Partnership Agreement (prior to its amendment hereby), the terms of this Agreement shall govern to the extent of such inconsistency.

### 2.03 <u>Governing Law</u>

This Agreement is governed by and will be construed in accordance with the laws of Ontario and the federal laws of Canada applicable therein.

# 2.04 <u>Interpretation</u>

Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings ascribed thereto in the Limited Partnership Agreement (prior to its amendment hereby) and in the Master Definitions and Construction Agreement, dated as of January 28, 2014, as amended, supplemented or replaced from time to time, made among, *inter alios*, the parties to the Limited Partnership Agreement, as the context requires.

# [SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have caused this Agreement to be executed the day and year first before written above.

# FÉDÉRATION DES CAISSES DESJARDINS DU **QUÉBEC**

Per: Name: Jacques Descôteaux Title: **Chief Treasurer** Per: 11 Jean Blouin Name: Title: Vice President, Funding

#### CCDQ CB (LEGISLATIVE) MANAGING GP INC.

Per:

Name: Jacques Descôteaux Title: Secretary, Director

#### 8560129 CANADA INC.

Per:

Charles Éric Gauthier Name: Title: Authorized Signatory

Per:

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Toni De Luca Name: Title: Authorized Signatory

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Per:

Name: Charles Éric Gauthier Title: Authorized Signatory

Per:

Name:/ Toni De Luca Title: Authorized Signatory

#### COMPUTERSHARE TRUST COMPANY OF CANADA

Per:

Name: Nathalie Gagnon/ Title: Corporate Trust Officer

Per:

 Altonami

 Name:
 Ana Kamami

Title: Associate Trust Officer

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# SCHEDULE A TO THIRD AMENDMENT TO LIMITED PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT See attached

# Schedule 11 to Limited Partnership Agreement

# **OC Valuation**

(a) The "**OC Valuation**" consists of calculating the Level of Overcollateralization (defined below) on the relevant Calculation Date and comparing it with the Guide OC Minimum.

(b) For purposes of the OC Valuation, the "**Level of Overcollateralization**" means the amount, expressed as a percentage, calculated as at each Calculation Date as follows:

#### $A \div B$

where:

(A) the lesser of: (i) the total amount of the Cover Pool Collateral; and (ii) the amount of Cover Pool Collateral required to collateralize the Covered Bonds outstanding and ensure that the Asset Coverage Test is met, and

(B) the Canadian Dollar Equivalent of the Principal Amount Outstanding of the Covered Bonds as calculated on the relevant Calculation Date.

The term "**Cover Pool Collateral**" shall, for the purposes of the foregoing calculation, include, as calculated on the relevant Calculation Date,

- (a) the Performing Eligible Loans (as defined in Annex D to the CMHC Guide) owned by the Guarantor and such Loans will be valued using their Outstanding Principal Balance;
- (b) Substitute Assets owned by the Guarantor and such assets shall be valued using their outstanding principal amount;

provided that, the "Cover Pool Collateral" shall not include Contingent Collateral Amounts, Swap Collateral Excluded Amounts or Voluntary Overcollateralization (as defined in Section 6.3.4 of the CMHC Guide).